
Recommendations for CIMAGO's researchers

Dear CIMAGO's Researcher

CIMAGO has recently been the subject of an external evaluation, from an international Centre. The objective of this assessment was essentially to identify not only the strong points of the Centre and its research capabilities, but particularly the points where it is necessary a reflection and the contribution of all of its Members.

Overall the evaluation was positive and the potential of this Center was recognized. However, to make CIMAGO a very competitive Research Centre and in order to be submitted to the FCT evaluation, there is an urgent need for some commitment from all of CIMAGO's researchers.

Therefore the evaluation panel has given some recommendations for all CIMAGO's Researchers as to:

1º Publish scientific results in relevant journals for the area of research

2º Increase the scientific number and impact of publications.

3º **All the research outputs of CIMAGO** (publications, presentations in congresses, etc) researchers must **make reference CIMAGO's affiliation according to the FMUC's recommendations: *Centre of Investigation in Environment, Genetics and Oncobiology – CIMAGO, Faculty of Medicine, University of Coimbra***. This **action is critical** to obtain visibility and prestige at the same time it will also be useful in the future to attract talented people and **finance** to the Centre.

4º All scientific outputs associated with CIMAGO's projects should make reference to CIMAGO's affiliation as in point 3.

5º Whenever, material from the ACIMAGO biobank is used, it should be acknowledged in the publications/presentations

In order to achieve scientific recognition for CIMAGO, every input is welcome! If you believe, as we do, that CIMAGO is important in the research area of cancer, genetics and oncobiology please contribute to the Centre. Feel free to contact us with your suggestions, they will certainly be most welcome.

Looking forward to your contributions

Yours sincerely

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