

Certificate of Biostatistics

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To whom it may concern

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Biostatistics statement: I am writing to confirm and certify that I reviewed the statistical methods of this study and to my knowledge, all the statistical methods are performed appropriately.

Below is a list of merits which qualify me for that purpose:

- *Diploma in Biostatistics and Master's Degree in Research Methodology from the Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona (2005-10).*
- *Post graduate expert courses in programming dynamic web applications (2008) and epidemiology and new technologies (2011) by the Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia."*

Kindly let me know if you have any further questions.

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