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University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC	B.A.	1975-1978	Chemistry
University of Colorado, Denver, CO	Ph.D.	1980-1986	Pharmacology
Stanford University, Hopkin's Marine Station,		1989	Electrophysiology
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A. Positions and Honors.

Positions and Employment

- 1978-1980 Research Assistant, Laboratory of Environmental Biophysics, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, Research Triangle Park, NC.
- 1986-1991 Postdoctoral Fellow, Dept. Mol. Physiol. & Biophys., Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX.
- 1991-1992 Research Assistant Professor, Dept. Mol. Physiol. & Biophys., Baylor, Houston TX.
- 1993-1998 Assistant Professor, Department of Physiology, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL.
- 1998-1999 Associate Professor, Department of Physiology, Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, IL.
- 1999-present Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacology, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA.

Honors

National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences Merit Award, 1979.

National Science Foundation Fellowship, 1980-1983.

University of Colorado Fellowship, 1983-1984.

National Research Service Award, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, 1988-1991.

Shannon Award, National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute, 1991

Established Investigator of the American Heart Association, 1996-2001

B. Selected peer-reviewed publications.

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C. Research Support

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Molecular Analysis of Neuronal T-type Ca Channels

The specific aims of this project are to: 1) determine how mutations in Childhood Absence Epilepsy patients alter $Ca_v3.2$ channel activity; 2) since many of these mutations are in the cytoplasmic loop connecting repeat I to II, we plan on studying the structure-function relationships of this loop; 3) to determine if current antiepileptic drugs block recombinant T-currents, 4) to use a fluorescent dye based assay to map the chemical space of T channels using known channel blockers, and 5) to synthesize and test novel antiepileptic compounds.

Role on project: PI

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Redox Pharmacology of T channels in DRG Neurons

The goals of this project are to characterize the mechanisms by which T channels are modulated by oxidation and reduction. The Perez-Reyes lab will use site-directed mutagenesis techniques to map the specific amino acid residues on the T-channel $Ca_v3.2$ responsible for this effect. An understanding of this regulation may lead to novel therapeutic strategies for the management of neuropathic pain. This subproject is only funded for 2 of the 4 years of the grant.

Role on project: Co-Investigator