

Marisa Alonso-Núñez

General Board Member



Marisa was born in Astorga, a small town in the north of Spain.

She moved to Salamanca (Spain) where she got the degrees in Pharmacy and Biochemistry. After this she started a PhD in the Institute of Biochemical Microbiology working in the processes that take place at the end of mitosis with the yeast *S. pombe*. During that time she was the president of the local association of young researchers (INNOVA-Salamanca) and participated in different committees and the board of the Spanish federation of young researchers (FJI-Precarios).

In 2007, after she got her PhD in molecular microbiology and genetics she moved to Manchester (UK) where she is a postdoctoral researcher at the Paterson Institute for Cancer Research. At the same time she became delegate of FJI-Precarios in Eurodoc and last year was the coordinator of the Gender Equality Workgroup of Eurodoc.

Marisa loves travelling and outdoors activities, but music is her passion. She plays different instruments and has been teaching piano for 10 years.