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About

Dr Marie Lebbe is a Medical Research Council-funded clinical research fellow at CEDAM in the Institute of Biomedical Research. Marie is currently undertaking a PhD, looking into the effects of androgens on early follicular development.

Qualifications

- Specialist Recognition in Endocrinology and Diabetes, Catholic University of Louvain, Brussels, Belgium, 2011
- Specialist Recognition in General Internal Medicine, Catholic University of Louvain, Brussels, Belgium, 2009
- MB ChB equivalent, Catholic University of Leuven, Leuven, Belgium, 2003

Biography

After her general endocrine training in Belgium, Marie joined the group of Professor Arlt, in order to sub-specialise in Reproductive Endocrinology. She has been supported by a UEMS (Union of European Medical Specialists) fellowship and through the Wellcome Trust Clinical Research Facility Director's fund. In 2012 she obtained a three-year MRC-fellowship and embarked on a PhD.

Since Jan 2013: PhD

2010-2012 : Research Fellowship (Reproductive Endocrinology)
Centre for Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism
Honorary CRF, Birmingham Women's Hospital and University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust, Department of Endocrinology

2006-2010: Specialist Registrar (General Endocrinology & Diabetes),
University Hospital (Cliniques Universitaires) Saint-Luc, Brussels, Belgium

2004-2006: Senior House Officer (Internal Medicine),
Hôpital de Jolimont, La Louvière, Belgium and University Hospital (Cliniques Universitaires) Saint-Luc, Brussels, Belgium

2003-2004: Junior House Officer, Sint-Elisabethziekenhuis, Brussels, Belgium

Career breaks

- Maternity leave 05/2007 – 11/2007
- Maternity leave 07/2008 – 12/2008
- Maternity leave 01/2010 – 08/2010
- Maternity leave 07/2012 – 12/2012

Teaching

- MBChB - Small group teaching - Endocrinology (Years 1 & 2)

Research

Marie is interested in the regulation of ovarian folliculo- and steroidogenesis and its impact on fertility, and is currently undertaking a PhD looking into the effects of androgens on early follicular development. She started her project by spending 9 months at Northwestern University Chicago, in the laboratory of Dr Teresa Woodruff. She trained in a unique murine-based encapsulated in vitro follicular maturation model and transferred this novel technology to the University of Birmingham, as a platform for her experiments.

Publications

Lebbe M and Woodruff TK (2013) Involvement of androgens in ovarian health and disease. *Molecular Human Reproduction* 19(12):828-837

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