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Maria José Diógenes (MJD) holds a PharmD, a Master's degree in Neurosciences, and a PhD in Biomedical Sciences (Basic Neurosciences). In 2018, she obtained her Habilitation in Medicine (Pharmacology) from the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Lisbon (FMUL).

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She coordinates a research group dedicated to developing strategies to restore the actions of neurotrophic factors under pathological conditions. MJD has extensive experience as the principal investigator of several nationally and internationally funded projects.

She has supervised over 25 MSc students and 11 PhD students (6 completed), and has co-supervised 2 additional PhD students.

MJD served as President of the Portuguese Society of Pharmacology until February 2025. She is currently President of the Pedagogical Council of FMUL, a member of the Executive Committee of EPHAR, and a member of the Committee for the Evaluation of Medicines at INFARMED.

