CURRICULUM VITAE

**PERSONAL** Juan A. Arroyo (801) 921-9243

# EDUCATION

2003 Ph.D. Molecular Biology, Microbiology and Biochemistry Southern Illinois University-School of Medicine Springfield, IL

1990 B.S. Chemistry

University of Puerto Rico, Mayaguez, PR

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

May 2012- present Associate Professor

Brigham Young University, Provo UT

Dec 2009- May 2012 Assistant Professor

University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, KS

July 2007–Nov 2009 Assistant Professor

University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center, Aurora, CO

May 2005-July 2007 Instructor/Fellow

University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center, Aurora, CO

2003-2004 Post-doctoral Fellow

Kansas University Medical Center, Kansas City, KS

1999-2003 Graduate Assistant

Southern Illinois University, Springfield, IL

1997-1999 QA Scientist

Nature’s Sunshine Products, Spanish Fork, UT

1995- 1997 Chemist/ Scientist

Laidlaw Environmental Services, CLIVE, UT

1991-1992 Chemistry Instructor

InterAmerican University, Puerto Rico

# AWARDS AND HONORS

1999-2002 Illinois Minority graduate incentive program (IMGIP) fellowship

2001 3rd place in the Southern Illinois University School of Medicine Alpha Omega Alpha SIUC Chapter of Sigma Xi - Combined Research Symposium, Springfield, IL

2002 Travel award for outstanding abstract presentation in The First Brown-Linkoping Conference on Basic and Clinical Aspects of Reproductive Immunology, Providence, RI

2003 Travel award for outstanding abstract presentation at the 23rd Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive Immunology, New Haven, CT

2003 Travel award for abstract presentation at the 36 th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Reproduction, Cincinnati, OH.

2004 Travel award for poster presentation at the 24th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive Immunology, Saint Louis, MO

2015 Burroughs Welcome travel fellowships for abstract presentation at the 48th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Reproduction, San Juan, P.R.

# GRANT AWARDS

**Current Support**

2016-2019 Clinical Innovator Grant, Co-PI

Flight Attendant Medical Research Institute RAGE and SAGE: Modeling secondhand smoke-induced COPD and therapeutic modalities

# Completed Support

2002-2008 5 RO1 HD34837 (PI: Frederick C Battaglia, MD) National Institutes of Health

Fetal Velocimetry & Amino Acid Transport in Pregnancy

This project involves clinical studies of amino acid and carbohydrate transport in pregnant women.

Role: Co-Investigator

2003 F31 NIH-NSRA fellowship award title: Function of Placenta Growth Factor in Human Trophoblast. Application number: 1 F31 HD043692-01A1, priority score:

172. Fellowship awarded but rejected due to a previous acceptance of post- doctoral fellowship

2003-2004 Reproductive Biology training grant for Postdoctoral training University of Kansas Medical center

2005-2006 Reproductive Biology training grant for Postdoctoral Training University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center

2006-2008 Minority Supplement fellowship

Determination of Mitochondrial number in the Villi of the Human Placenta 2006-2008 NIH Loan repayment program award

2009-2015 1K99HD055054-01A2 (PI: Juan Arroyo, PhD)

National Institutes of Health/NICHD

Apoptosis in an ovine model of intrauterine growth restriction (IUGR) This project involves the study of apoptosis pathways during gestation during IUGR. Role: PI

# Institutional Support at Brigham Young University

2015 Women’s Research Initiative

mTOR signaling during Second Hand Smoke IUGR. $5,000. Role: PI

2016-2017 Myriad Award of Excellence in Learning Leadership for faculty promoting excellence in undergraduate research. $10,000, Role: PI

2018-2020 Mentoring Environment Grant

Mechanism of Gas6 protein in the alleviation of blood pressure during preeclampsia. 20,000, Role: PI

# Student Grants, Fellowships and Awards

2018 Brigham Young University Undergraduate ORCA Award

Juan Mejia: PKM2 Activation Decreases IUGR Symptoms in Mice exposed to Second-Hand Smoke.

2017 Brigham Young University Undergraduate ORCA Award

Todd Dunaway: Maternal-fetal interactions and the induction of preeclampsia by growth arrest-specific 6 (Gas6)/AXL signaling.

2017 Brigham Young University Undergraduate ORCA Award Brent Kimbler: RAGE Functions during SHS-Induced BPD.

2015 Brigham Young University Graduate Student Exposition, Presentation Award, Rebecca Kimball: Preeclampsia and placental metabolism.

2014 Brigham Young University Undergraduate ORCA Award, 2014

Camilo Mejia: Hyperosmolarity and Trophoblast Behavior in Gestational Diabetes, Preeclampsia, and Intrauterine Growth Restriction.

# MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

2012-present Member, American physiological Society

2000-present Member, American society for reproductive immunology 2015-present Member, International Federation of Placenta Associations 2016-present Member, International Society of Developmental Biologists

2016-present Honorary Member, Golden Key International Honour Society, BYU Chapter.

# EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBERSHIP

2017 Reproductive Medicine

# REVIEWER FOR SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS

2004 Ad hoc reviewer for Journal of Clinical Endocrinology & Metabolism 2008 Ad hoc reviewer for Placenta

2008 Ad hoc reviewer for Biology of Reproduction 2009 Ad hoc reviewer for Placenta

2013 Ad hoc reviewer for Placenta

2015 Ad hoc reviewer for Biology of Reproduction 2015 Ad hoc reviewer for Placenta

2016 Ad hoc reviewer for Placenta

2016 Ad hoc reviewer for Biology of Reproduction 2016 Ad hoc reviewer for Plos One

2016 Ad hoc reviewer Reproductive Sciences 2017 Ad hoc reviewer for Plos One

2017 Ad hoc reviewer for Placenta 2018 Ad hoc reviewer for Plos One 2018 Ad hoc reviewer for Placenta

# NATIONAL ADVISORY PANEL

Feb 2012 National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (ZAI1-BDP-M-M1)

# INVITED ORAL PRESENTATIONS AND LECTURES

1. University of Arizona College of Medicine. Inhibition of the Receptor for Advanced Glycation End-Products (RAGE) Protects from Secondhand Smoke (SHS)-Induced Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR) in Mice (May 2018). Invited Oral Presentation.
2. Experimental Biology International Meeting, San Diego, CA (2018) “Antenatal exposure to secondhand smoke impacts growth and cardiopulmonary energetics in 4-week-old mice.” Oral Presentation.
3. Experimental Biology International Meeting, San Diego, CA (2018) “Differential expression of mTOR related molecules in the placenta of gestational diabetes mellitus (GDM), intrauterine growth restriction (IUGR) and preeclampsia patients.” Oral Presentations.
4. Experimental Biology International Meeting, San Diego, CA (2018) “Semi-synthetic glycosaminoglycan ethers decrease receptors for advanced glycation end-products and increase AXL receptors in the lungs from secondhand smoke treated mice.” Oral Presentation.
5. American Association for Dental Research Meeting, Ft. Lauderdale, FL (2018) “Reduction of CSE-induced Ca9-22 cell invasion by SAGEs.” Oral Presentation.
6. American Association for Dental Research Meeting, Ft. Lauderdale, FL (2018) “Decreased inflammatory cytokines during Gas6-mediated invasion of gingival cells.” Oral presentation.
7. American Association for Dental Research Meeting, San Francisco, CA (2017) “Gingival cells exposed to e-cigarette liquid express differential recognition receptors”. Oral Presentation.
8. American Association for Dental Research Meeting, San Francisco, CA (2017) “Cigarette Smoke Extract Increases Invasion in Ca9-22 Gingival Cancer Cells”. Oral Presentation.
9. University of Colorado Health Sciences Center. The Gas6/AXL Relationship: A New Model for Preeclampsia? (2015). Invited Oral Presentation.
10. Utah Valley State University Biology Department. (January 2014). Presentation: “mTOR Signaling and Invasion in Trophoblast Cells”.
11. Southern Illinois University School of Medicine. (November 2012). Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology and the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. Presentation: “Placental Apoptosis and the development of IUGR”’
12. American Society for Reproductive Immunology Meeting, Pittsburg, PA, (2010) “The sheep as a model of intrauterine growth Restriction (IUGR)”. Oral Presentation.
13. Society for Maternal-Fetal Medicine Meeting, Chicago, IL, (2010) “Vasoreactivity in umbilical and uterine arteries in an ovine model of intrauterine growth restriction. Oral Presentation.
14. Society of Maternal-Fetal medicine Meeting, Miami, FL (2006) “Increase in Placental eNOS Expression in an Ovine Model of Fetal Growth Restriction”. Oral Presentation.
15. SACNAS National Conference Meeting, Austin, TX (2004) “Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF) Induction of Signal Transduction and Protection from Apoptosis in Human Trophoblast”. Oral Presentation.
16. Society for the Study of Reproduction, Vancouver, Canada (2004) “An In Vivo Approach to investigate the regulation of Trophoblast cell invasion.” Oral Presentation.

**PUBLICATIONS** (peer- reviewed)

* 1. Torry DS, Arroyo J, Mukherjea D, and Torry RJ. Function of placenta growth factor: Implications for Abnormal Placentation. J Society for Gynecologic Investigation. 2003 May; 10(4): 178-88.
  2. Arroyo J, Torry RJ, and Torry DS. Deferential Regulation of Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF)- Mediated Signal Transduction in Human Primary Term Trophoblast and Endothelial Cells. Placenta. 2004 May; 25(5): 379-86.
  3. Arroyo J, Konno T, Khalili D, and Soares M J. A Simple in Vivo Approach to Investigate Invasive Trophoblast Cells. Int. J. of Dev. biology 2005; 49:977- 980.
  4. Arroyo J, Anthony R, Parker T, and Henry G. Differential Expression of Placental and Vascular Endothelial Nitric Oxide Synthase (eNOS) in an Ovine Model of Fetal Growth Restriction. Am J of Obst. and Gynecology 2006; 195(3): 771-7.
  5. Konno T, Rempel LA, Arroyo JA, and Soares M J. Pregnancy in the Brown Norway Rat. A Model for Investigating the Genetics of Placentation. Biol Reprod. 2007 Apr; 76(4): 709-18.
  6. Ziebell Bradley, Russell Anthony, Thomas Parker, Timothy Regnault, Henry Galan and Juan Arroyo. Ovine Endothelial Nitric Oxide Synthase Message: Ontogeny and Effect of HT in an IUGR Model. Am J Obstet Gynecol. 2007 Oct; 197(4): 420.e1-5.
  7. Arroyo JA, Anthony Russell and Henry Galan. Decreased X-linked Inhibitor of Apoptosis Protein (XIAP) in an Ovine Model of Fetal Growth Restriction. Am J Obstet Gynecol. 2008 Jul; 199(1): 80.e1-8.
  8. Arroyo JA, Cecilia Teng, Frederick Battaglia and Henry Galan. Determination of the NAFT5/TonEBP Transcription Factor in the Human and Ovine Placenta. Syst Biol Reprod Med. 2009 Aug; 55(4): 164-70.
  9. Arroyo JA, Brown Laura, Galan Henry. Placental mTOR and related signaling pathways in an Ovine Model of Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR). Am J Obstet Gynecol.

2009 Dec; 201(6): 616.e1-7.

* 1. Arroyo JA, Russell Anthony, Thomas Parker, and Henry Galan. eNOS, NO, and the activation of ERK and AKT signaling at mid-gestation and near-term in an ovine model of intrauterine growth restriction. Syst Biol Reprod Med. 2010 Feb; 56(1): 62-73.
  2. Arroyo JA, Cun Li, Natalia Schlabritz-Loutsevitch, Tom McDonald , Peter Nathanielsz, and Henry L Galan. Increased placental XIAP and caspase 3 is associated with increased placental apoptosis in a baboon model of maternal nutrient reduction (MNR). Am J Obstet Gynecol. 2010 Oct; 203(4): 364.
  3. Park M, Henry L. Galan, and Juan A. Arroyo. Effect of hypoxia on endothelial nitric

oxide synthase, NO production, intracellular survival signaling (p-ERK1/2 and p-AKT) and apoptosis in human term trophoblast. Am J Reprod Immunol. 2011 Apr; 65(4): 407- 1.

* 1. Arroyo JA, Garcia-Jones P, Teng C, Battaglia F, and Henry Galan. Placental TonEBP/NFAT5 Osmolyte Regulation in an Ovine Model of Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR). Biol Reprod. 2012 Mar 30; 86(3): 94.
  2. Bahr, B, Galan H and Juan Arroyo. Decreased Expression of Activated Placental Heat Shock Protein 27 in Human and Ovine Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR). Placenta. 2014 Jun; 35(6):404-10.
  3. Arroyo JA, Price M, Straszewski-Chavez S, Torry R, Mor G, and Torry D. XIAP protein is induced by Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF) and decreased during preeclampsia in trophoblast cells. Syst Biol Reprod Med. 2014 Oct; 60(5):263-73.
  4. Bahr B, Price M, Merrill D, Mejia C, Call L, Bearss D and Juan Arroyo. Different expression of placental pyruvate kinase in normal, preeclamptic and intrauterine growth restriction pregnancies. Placenta. 2014 Sep 16. pii: S0143-4004(14)00781-4.
  5. Knuth A, Liu L, Nielsen H, Merril D, Torry D., and Juan Arroyo. Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF) induces invasion and activates p70 during Rapamycin treatment in trophoblast cells. Am J Reprod Immunol. 2014 Oct 1.
  6. Lee G, Price M, Mejia C, Galan H, and Juan Arroyo. Increased trophoblast expression of NFAT5/TonEBP in preeclamptic placentas and in hyperosmolar treated BeWo cells. Eur J Obstet Gynecol Reprod Biol. 2014 Dec; 183: 37-43.
  7. Aguilar C, Stark MR, Arroyo JA, Standing MD, Rios S, Washburn T, Sites JW Jr. Placental morphology in two sympatric Andean lizards of the genus Liolaemus (Reptilia: Liolaemidae). J Morphol. 2015 Oct;276(10):1205-17. doi: 10.1002/jmor.20412.
  8. Jimenez FR, Belgique ST, Lewis JB, Albright SA, Jones CM, Howell BM, MikaAP, Jergensen TR, Gassman JR, Morris RJ, Arroyo JA, Reynolds PR. Conditional pulmonary over-expression of Claudin 6(Cldn6) during embryogenesis delays lung morphogenesis. Int J Dev Biol. 2015 Jul 22.
  9. Alexander K, Nelson M, Howell B, Mejia C, Jones C, Reynolds P, and Juan A. Arroyo.Differential Receptor for Advanced Glycation End-Products (RAGE) Expression

in Preeclamptic, Intrauterine Growth Restricted, and Gestational Diabetic Placentas. Am J Reprod Immunol. Am J Reprod Immunol. 2015 Dec 19.

* 1. Kimball R, Wayment M, Merrill D, Wahlquist T, Reynolds P, Juan A. Arroyo. Hypoxia reduces placental mTOR activation in a hypoxia-induced model of intrauterine growth restriction (IUGR). Physiol Rep. 2015 Dec; 3(12).
  2. Mejia C, Lewis J, Jordan C, Mejia J, Ogden C, Monson T, Winden D, Watson M, Reynolds PR, Juan A. Arroyo. Decreased activation of placental mTOR family members is associated with the induction of intrauterine growth restriction by secondhand smoke in the mouse. Cell Tissue Res. 2016 Sep 9.
  3. Lewis JB, Milner DC, Lewis AL, Dunaway TM, Egbert KM, Albright SC, Merrell
  4. BJ, Monson TD, Broberg DS, Gassman JR, Thomas DB, Arroyo JA, Reynolds PR. Up- Regulation of Claudin-6 in the Distal Lung Impacts Secondhand Smoke-Induced Inflammation. Int J Environ Res Public Health. 2016 Oct 17;13 (10). Jimenez FR,
  5. Lewis JB, Belgique ST, Milner DC, Lewis AL, Dunaway TM, Egbert KM, Winden DR, Arroyo JA, Reynolds PR. Cigarette smoke and decreased oxygen tension inhibit pulmonary claudin-6 expression. Exp Lung Res. 2016 Dec 16:1-13.
  6. Monson T, Wright T, Galan HL, Reynolds PR, and Arroyo JA. Caspase dependent and independent mechanisms of apoptosis across gestation in a sheep model of placental insufficiency and intrauterine growth restriction. Apoptosis. 2017 Jan 12. doi: 10.1007/s10495-017-1343-9.
  7. Lewis JB, Hirschi KM, Arroyo JA, Bikman BT, Kooyman DL, Reynolds PR. Plausible Roles for RAGE in Conditions Exacerbated by Direct and Indirect (Secondhand) Smoke Exposure. Int J Mol Sci. 2017 Mar 17;18(3).
  8. Sanders NT, Dutson DJ, Durrant JW, Lewis JB, Wilcox SH, Winden DR, Arroyo JA, Bikman BT, and Reynolds PR. 2017. Cigarette Smoke Extract (CSE) Induces RAGE- Mediated Inflammation in the Ca-9-22 Gingival Carcinoma Epithelial Cell Line. Archives of Oral Biology, 2017 Aug;80:95-100.
  9. Lewis JB, Mejia C, Jordan C, Monson TD, Bodine JS, Dunaway TM, Egbert KM, Lewis AL, Wright TJ, Ogden KC, Broberg DS, Hall PD, Nelson S, Hirschi KM, Reynolds PR and Arroyo JA. Inhibition of the Receptor for Advanced Glycation End-Products (RAGE) protects from secondhand smoke (SHS) induced Intrauterine Growth Restriction IUGR in mice. Cell Tissue Res, 2017 Dec;370(3):513-521.
  10. Lewis JB, Jimenez FR, Bodine JS, Merrell BJ, Kimbler B, Arroyo JA, and Reynolds PR. The expression profile of Claudin family members in the developing mouse lung and expression alterations resulting from exposure to secondhand smoke (SHS). Submitted J Histochem Cytochem Juy 2017.
  11. Chapman S, Mick M, Hall P, Mejia C, Sue S, Wase BA, Nguyen MA, Whisenant EC, Wilcox SH, Winden D, Reynolds PR and Arroyo JA. Mechanism of RAGE-mediated Invasion by Cigarette Smoke Extract (CSE) in Oral Squamous Cell Carcinoma (OSCC) Cells. Eur J Oral Sci, December 2018.
  12. Lewis JB, Bodine JS, Gassman JR, Munoz SA, Milner DC, Dunaway DM, Egbert KM, Monson TD, Broberg DS, Arroyo JA, and Reynolds PR. 2018. Transgenic up-regulation of Claudin-6 decreases fine diesel particulate matter (DPM)-induced pulmonary inflammation. *Environ Sci and Poll,* Accepted.
  13. Lewis JB, Jimenez FR, Merrell BJ, Kimbler B, Arroyo JA, and Reynolds PR. 2018. The expression profile of Claudin family members in the developing mouse lung and expression alterations resulting from exposure to secondhand smoke (SHS). *Exp Lung Res*, 11:1-12. doi: 10.1080/01902148.2017.1409846.
  14. Chapman S, Mick M, Hall P, Mejia C, Sue S, Wase BA, Nguyen MA, Whisenant EC, Wilcox SH, Winden DR, Reynolds PR, and Arroyo JA. 2018. Cigarette smoke extract induces oral squamous cell carcinoma cell invasion in a receptor for advanced glycation end-product-dependent manner. Eur J Oral Sci, doi: 10.1111/eos.12395.

# BOOK CHAPTERS

1. Juan A. Arroyo and Virginia D. Winn. Vasculogenesis and angiogenesis in the IUGR placenta. Seminars in Perinatology, Intrauterine Growth restriction, 2008 Jun; 32(3): 172- 7.

**CONTRIBUTIONS TO PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS** (Published Abstracts):

1. Arroyo J, Hinrichs M and Torry DS. Regulation of Cellular Biology by Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF) in Human Trophoblast. (Selected for oral presentation) 22nd Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive Immunology, Chicago, IL, June 9-12, 2002.
2. Arroyo JA, Hinrichs M and Torry DS. Regulation of apoptosis and signal transduction in trophoblast by placenta growth factor (PlGF). (Select for oral presentation) The First Brown- Linkoping Conference on Basic and Clinical Aspects of Reproductive Immunology, Providence, RI November 2002.
3. Arroyo J, Hinrichs M and Torry DS. Regulation of Apoptosis by Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF) in Human Trophoblast. (Selected for oral presentation) 23rd Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive Immunology, New Heaven, CT, June 16-21, 2003.
4. Arroyo J, Hinrichs M and Torry DS. Unique Signal Transduction Regulation by Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF) in Term Human Trophoblast. 23rd Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive Immunology, New Haven, CT June 16-21, 2003.
5. Arroyo J, Hinrichs M and Torry DS. Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF) Induction of Signal Transduction and Protection from Apoptosis in Human Trophoblast. (Selected for oral presentation) 36th Annual Meeting of the Society for the Study of Reproduction, Cincinnati, OH, July-18-23, 2003.
6. Arroyo J, Ruparsri A and Soares MJ. Analysis of the effect of maternal hypoxia on trophoblast cell invasion in vivo. 24th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive Immunology, Saint Louis, MO June 4-6, 2004.
7. Arroyo J , Ruparsri A and Soares MJ. An In Vivo Approach to investigate the regulation of Trophoblast cell invasion. (selected for oral presentation) 37th Annual Meeting of the

Society for the Study of Reproduction, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC, Canada August 1-4, 2004.

1. Arroyo J, Hinrichs M and Torry DS. Placenta Growth Factor (PlGF) Induction of Signal Transduction and Protection from Apoptosis in Human Trophoblast. (Oral presentation) SACNAS National Conference, Austin, TX, October 2004.
2. Juan A. Arroyo, Russell Anthony, Thomas Parker, Gates Roe, Santosh Pandipati, and Henry Galan. Increase in Placental eNOS Expression in an Ovine Model of Fetal Growth Restriction. 26th annual society of maternal-fetal medicine conference in Miami, FL. Selected for oral presentation January 2006.
3. Juan A. Arroyo, Ru s s e ll Anthony, Thomas Parker, Gates Roe, Santosh Pandipati, and Henry Galan. Altered eNOS Protein Content in Uterine and Umbilical Vessels in an Ovine Model of Fetal Growth Restriction. 26th annual society of maternal- fetal medicine conference in Miami, FL. Selected for poster presentation January 2006.
4. Galan H, Pandipati S, Cioffi-Ragan, Regnault T, Ferrazzi E, Beaty B, Arroyo J, Anthony

R. Reduction of amniotic and allantoic fluid volume in an ovine model of fetal growth restriction. Presented at the 26th annual meeting of the Society for Maternal-Fetal Medicine, January 30- February 4, 2006, Miami, Florida. Abstract #460. Am J Obstet Gynecol; 193 (6): S135.

1. Pandipati S, Giclas, Oka M, Nagaoka T, Homma N, McMurtry I, Arroyo J, Galan

H. Activated complement molecules mediate abnormal vasoreactivity of maternal and fetal arteries.

1. Juan Arroyo, Cecilia Teng, Bradley Ziebell, Henry Galan and Frederick Battaglia. Determination of the NAFT5/TonEBP Transcription Factor in the Human Placenta. Annual conference of the Society for Gynecological in Reno, NV. Selected for poster presentation March 2007.
2. Juan Arroyo, Bradl ey T. Ziebell and Henry L. Galan. Hypoxia and Hyperthermia Effect on Signal Transduction and Proliferation in Ovine Umbilical Vein Endothelial Cells. 28th annual society of maternal-fetal medicine conference in Dallas, TX. Selected for poster presentation January 28- February 2,2008.
3. Juan Arroyo, Russell V. Anthony, Bradley T. Ziebell and Henry L. Galan. Effect of Hypoxia and Hyperthermia on eNOS Protein in Cultured Ovine Umbilical Vein Endothelial Cells. 28th annual society of maternal-fetal medicine conference in Dallas, TX. Selected for poster presentation January 28- February 2, 2008.
4. Mi-Hye Park, Juan A. Arroyo and Henry L. Galan. Effect of Hypoxia on Endothelial Nitric Oxide Synthase Expression and Nitric Oxide in Human Term Trophoblast and Endothelial Cells. 28th annual society of maternal-fetal medicine conference in Dallas, TX. Selected for poster presentation January 28- February 2, 2008.
5. Mi-Hye Park, Juan A. Arroyo and Henry L. Galan. Effect of Hypoxia on Proliferative Activity and Apoptosis in Human Term Trophoblast. 28th annual society of maternal- fetal medicine conference in Dallas, TX. Selected for poster presentation January 28- February 2, 2008.
6. Juan A. Arroyo, Br a d l e y Ziebell, Mi-Hye Park, and Henry L. Galan. Hypoxia Does Not Affect mTOR Pathway in Cultured Human Trophoblast Cells. 55th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Society for Gynecologic Investigation in San Diego, CA. Selected for poster presentation March 26-29, 2008.
7. Juan A. Arroyo, Bradley Ziebell, and Henry L. Galan. Increased Expression of Phospho−mTOR, Phospho−p70, Phospho−AKT and Phospho−ERK in an Ovine Model of Fetal Growth Restriction. 55th Annual Scientific Meeting of the Society for Gynecologic Investigation in San Diego, CA. Selected for poster presentation March 26- 29, 2008.
8. Pastora Garcia-Jones, Henry L. Galan, Bradley T. Ziebell, Frederick C. Battaglia and Juan

A. Arroyo. Polyol Levels, but not Tonicity Enhancer Binding Protein, are Increased in the IUGR Sheep Placenta. Pediatric Academic Society (PAS) and Society for Pediatric Research (SPR) National Conference, Honolulu, HI. Selected for Poster presentation, May 2-6 2008.

1. Pastora Garcia-Jones, Henry L. Galan, Bradley T. Ziebell, Frederick C. Battaglia and Juan
   1. Arroyo. Role of the Transcription Factor NFAT5 in IUGR Sheep Placenta. Mead Johnson Nutritionals 72nd Perinatal & Developmental Medicine Symposium “The Neonatal Lung: Waiting to Inhale, Aspen, Colorado. Selected for Platform presentation, May 29-June 2, 2008.
2. Juan A. Arroyo, Virginia D. Winn, Bradley T. Ziebell and Henry L. Galan. Increased protein synthesis in preeclamptic villi is not regulated by the classical mTOR pathway, Chicago, IL. 28th annual meeting of the American Society for Reproductive Immunology. Selected for poster presentation, June 11-14 2008.
3. Juan Arroyo, Bradley T. Ziebell, Pastora Garcia-Jones and Henry L. Galan. Increase in Placental Aldose Reductase but not NFAT5/ TonEBP Transcription Factor in an Ovine Model of IUGR. 29th annual society of maternal-fetal medicine conference in San Diego, CA. Selected for poster presentation January 26- January 31, 2009.
4. Juan Arroyo, Bradley T. Ziebell, and Henry L. Galan. Increase Placental Apoptosis is an

Early Event in an Ovine Model of Intrauterine Growth Restriction. 29th annual society of maternal-fetal medicine conference in San Diego, CA. Selected for poster presentation January 26- January 31, 2009.

1. Juan Arroyo, Virginia D. Winn, Bradley T. Ziebell, and Henry L. Galan. XIAP, Caspase 3 and Apoptosis in the Preeclamptic Placenta. 29th annual society of maternal-fetal

medicine conference in San Diego, CA. Selected for poster presentation January 26- January 31, 2009.

1. Juan Arroyo, Cun Li, Natalia Schlabritz-Loutsevitch, Tom McDonald, Bradley T. Ziebell, Peter Nathanielsz, and Henry L. Galan. Increased Placental Apoptosis and Increased X- linked Inhibitor of Apoptosis Protein in a Baboon Model of Maternal Nutrient Restriction. 29th annual society of maternal-fetal medicine conference in San Diego, CA. Selected for poster presentation January 26- January 31, 2009.
2. Juan Arroyo, Li C, Schlabritz-Loutsevitch N, McDonald T, Ziebell BT, Nathanielsz P, Galan

H. Decreased p-ERK, but not p-JNK or p-AKT at term is associated with increased apoptosis and caspase 3 following maternal nutrient reduction in the baboon placenta (MNR). Oral and Poster presentation at the 29th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive immunology, June 5-9, 2009, in Orlando, FL, June 5-10, 2009.

1. Arroyo JA, Lee G, Oka M, Galan HL. Vasoreactivity in umbilical and uterine arteries in an ovine model of intrauterine growth restriction. Oral presentation at the 29th Annual meeting of the Society for Maternal- Fetal Medicine, Chicago, IL, February 1, 2010 - February 6, 2010.
2. Lee Gene, Galan H, Teng C, Battaglia F, Arroyo J. Hyperosmolarity increases inositol, sorbitol and NFAT5/TonEBP concentrations in trophoblast cells. Poster presentation at the 57th annual meeting of the Society for Gynecologic Investigation, Orlando, FL, March 24- 27, 2010.
3. Juan Arroyo, Joseph Statwick and Henry Galan. Increase Placental Bcl2 but not HSP27 is an early event in an ovine model of intrauterine growth restriction (IUGR). Poster presentation at the 30th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive immunology, in Pittsburg, PA, May 17-20, 2010.
4. Juan A. Arroyo. The sheep as a model of intrauterine growth Restriction (IUGR). Post- graduate oral presentation at the 30th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive immunology, in Pittsburg, PA, May 17-20, 2010.
5. Juan A. Arroyo, Peter Nathanielsz and Henry L Galan. The impact of maternal nutrient reduction (MNR) on placental mTOR and signaling pathways in the baboon. Poster presentation at the 30th Annual Meeting of the American Society for Reproductive immunology, in Pittsburg, PA, May 17-20, 2010.
6. Amanda Graham, Donald S. Torry, and Juan A. Arroyo. Placenta Growth Factor (PGF) induces invasion and activates p70 during Rapamycin treatment in trophoblast cells. Accepted for poster presentation for the 59th annual meeting of the Society for Gynecologic Investigation, San Diego, CA, March 21-24, 2012.
7. Juan Arroyo. Decreased activation of Placental mTOR is Associated with Increase Invasive trophoblast 4EBP1 activation during Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR) development in the Rat. Accepted for poster presentation at the 2013 Experimental Biology Annual meeting, Boston, MS, April 20-24, 2013.
8. Cody Winters and Juan Arroyo. Hypoxia Induced Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR) in the Rat. Accepted for poster presentation at the 2013 Experimental Biology Annual meeting, Boston, MS, April 20-24, 2013.
9. Matthew Price and Juan Arroyo. Decreased Activation of the X-linked inhibitor of Apoptosis Protein (XIAP) is Associated with Increased Apoptosis in the Preeclamptic Placenta. Accepted for poster presentation at the 2013 Experimental Biology Annual meeting, Boston, MS, April 20-24, 2013.
10. Dan Merrill, Brigham Bahr, and Juan Arroyo. Decreased Expression of Activated Placental Heat Shock Protein 27 in Human and Ovine Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR). Accepted for poster presentation at the 2014 Experimental Biology Annual meeting, San Diego, CA, April 26-30, 2014.
11. Camilo Mejia, Matthew Price, and Juan Arroyo. Increased X-linked Inhibitor of Apoptosis (XIAP)-Associated Factor 1 (XAF1) and decreased activation of the X-linked inhibitor of Apoptosis Protein (XIAP) are associated with increased apoptosis in the preeclamptic placenta at term. Accepted for poster presentation at the 2014 Experimental Biology Annual meeting, San Diego, CA, April 26-30, 2014.
12. Aleksander P. Mika, Brian Howell, Paul R. Reynolds and Juan A. Arroyo. Elevated apoptosis in ovine Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR) is associated with increased caspase 3 and 9 and decreased telomerase activity. Poster at the 2015 Experimental Biology Annual meeting, Boston, MA, March 28th-April 1st, 2015.
13. Camilo A Mejia, Andrew Johnston, Rebecca Lutz, Paul R Reynolds and Juan A Arroyo. Inhibition of trophoblast invasion by the growth arrest-specific 6 (GAS6) protein. Poster at the 2015 Experimental Biology Annual meeting, Boston, MA, March 28th-April 1st,

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# TECHNIQUE PROFICIENCY AND RELATED PROJECTS

Brigham Young University

* Immunohistochemistry and Immunofluorescence
* Cell culture
* RNA and DNA isolation
* RT-PCR
* Western blot
* Trophoblast migration and invasion assays under normoxia and hypoxic conditions
* PCR

University of Kansas Medical Center

* Immunohistochemistry
* DNA degradation studies for assessing placental apoptosis
* TUNEL assay
* Telomerase activity determination in the IUGR placenta
* NADPH determination in the IUGR placenta
* ENOS protein determination in an rat model of IUGR
* Cell culture
* RNA and DNA isolation
* RT-PCR
* Western blot
* Trophoblast migration assays under normoxia and hypoxic conditions

University of Colorado at Denver and Health Sciences Center

* ENOS protein determination in an Ovine Model of IUGR
* TUNEL assay for placental apoptosis
* Western blot for eNOS, XIAP, Caspases AKT and ERK proteins
* Protein analysis
* Immunoprecipitation
* DNA isolation
* RNA isolation
* Placental and vessels eNOS, Factor VIII immunohistochemistry
* Trophoblast Isolation
* Endothelial cell isolation
* Cell culture
* Blood flow measurements
* Blood Gas determination
* RT-PCR
* PCR
* Immunofluorescence
* Real Time PCR
* cGMP ELISA
* Blood Nitric Oxide determination
* ERK, JNK, AKT determination during Hypoxia and hyperthermia in endothelial cells and human trophoblast
* NO determination
* Immunocytochemistry
* Immunohistochemistry
* DNA degradation determination
* Gene array analysis

Kansas University Medical Center

* Isolation and characterization of the invasive trophoblast from the uterine mesometrial compartment from rats during normoxia and hypoxia conditions
* In-situ hybridization and Northern blot analysis for the localization and expression of PlGF, VEGF and their receptor flt-1 in the rat placentae during

normoxic and hypoxic conditions.

* Dot-blot array for the expression of Prolactin family members during hypoxia and normoxia.
* Responsible for the care of and tissue collection from Holtzman, Fisher 344, Dhal Salt Sensitive and Brown NorwayRats.
* Genotyping of transgenic rats
* Detection and quantification alkaline phosphatase in the placentae and uterine mesometrial compartment of transgenic heat stable alkaline phosphatase mated animals.
* Manipulation and quantification of trophoblast invasion using transgenic rats expressing alkaline phosphatase during hypoxia and glucocorticoid treatment
* Isolation, culture and characterization of placental derived cells expressing heat stable alkaline phosphatase
* In-vitro and in-vivo differentiation of placental derived heat stable positive alkaline phosphatase cells
* RT-PCR
* Immunohistochemistry
* RNA and DNA isolation and purification
* Cell transfections

Southern Illinois University School of Medicine

* Molecular analysis of the signal transduction of placenta growth factor (PlGF) in human trophoblast.
* RNA and protein isolation
* Western Blot analysis of PlGF induced signal transducers
* RNase protection Assay for he analysis of anti-apoptotic genes regulated by PlGF in trophoblast
* Isolation and culture of trophoblast and human umbilical vein endothelial cells (HUVEC)
* RT-PCR
* Real Time PCR
* Responsible for the training and certification for the usage of the Hitachi Biosystems CCD Camera and the Cyclone phosphor imager and optiquant software

Nature’s Sunshine Products

* Method Development and Sample Analysis using ICP for the determination of minerals contents.
* Material Safety Data Sheets Database update and input.
* GC\MS Method Development and Analysis of Essential Oils for Identification and Quality.
* UV/Vis Analysis for Quality of Raw materials active compounds. HPLC Analysis of

Vitamin contents.

Laidlaw Environmental Services

* Wet Chemistry Analysis, including Fingerprinting, BTU, Ion

Chromatography, Water Content, etc.

* PCB, Pesticide and Herbicide Extractions and Analysis using HP Gas Chromatograph 5890
* GC/MS - Semi-Volatile Extraction and Analysis.

InterAmerican University

* Supervised and organized different chemistry laboratories.
* Aided teaching Biology and Chemistry lectures as needed.