



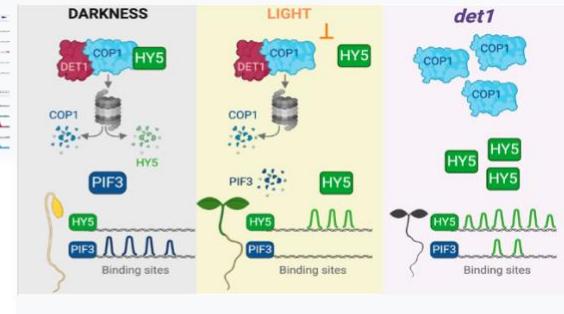
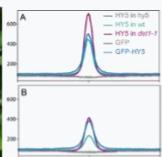
APPLICANTS FOR POSTDOCTORAL CONTRACTS JUAN DE LA CIERVA 2023

We are looking for a motivated candidate to apply for a **Juan de la Cierva 2023 Postdoctoral contract** to carry out research work at the CNB, within the scope of a research project directed by **Dr Sandra Fonseca**.

Project Title: *Light impact in plant growth*

Project description:

As sessile photoautotrophic organisms, plants evolved sophisticated strategies to perceive light environmental signals and to transduce them into molecular signalling networks. Though light is essential for plant growth and development, often plants have to cope with damaging or excessive light conditions, which generate stress and limits growth. We aim to understand the molecular mechanisms that allow plants to integrate beneficial and damaging effects of light and respond to them with striking plasticity. We are especially interested in the events that lead to coordinated transcriptional changes during light adaptation as changes in chromatin states, transcription factor stability and protein homeostasis. To understand the molecular mechanisms that coordinate these processes we are using genetic, genomic, biochemical and proteomic tools.



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Web Juan de la Cierva 2023 Call:

<https://www.aei.gob.es/convocatorias/buscador-convocatorias/ayudas-contratos-juan-cierva-2023>

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