

## Publications

The PNEUMOPATH project was acknowledged in the following publications:

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**Frazão N, Sá-Leão R, De Lencastre H.** 2010. Impact of a single dose of the 7-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine on colonization. [\*Vaccine\*. 28\(19\):3445-3452](#)

**Gualdi L, Kaur Hayre J, Gerlini A, Bidossi A, Colomba L, Trappetti C, Pozzi G, Andrew PW, Ricci S, and Oggioni MR.** 2012. Regulation of neuraminidase expression in *Streptococcus pneumoniae*. [BMC Microbiology. 12\(1\):2](#)

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**Simões AS, Pereira L, Nunes, S, Brito-Avô A, de Lencastre H, and Sá-Leão R.** 2011. Clonal evolution leading to maintenance of antibiotic resistance rates among colonizing pneumococci in the PCV7 era in Portugal. [Journal of Clinical Microbiology. 49\(8\): 2810-2817](#)

**Simões AS, Valente C, de Lencastre H, Sá-Leão R.** 2011. Rapid identification of non-capsulated *Streptococcus pneumoniae* in nasopharyngeal samples allowing detection of co-colonization and re-evaluation of prevalence. [Diagnostic Microbiology of Infectious Diseases. 71\(3\):208-16](#)

**Simões AS, Sá-Leão R, Eleveld MJ, Tavares DA, Carriço JA, Bootsma HJ, Hermans PWJ.** 2010. Highly penicillin-resistant, multi-drug resistant, pneumococcus-like strains colonising children in Oeiras, Portugal: Genomic characteristics and implications for surveillance. [Journal of Clinical Microbiology. 48\(1\):238-46.](#)

**Trappetti C, Gualdi L, Di Meola L, Jain P, Korir CC, Edmonds P, Iannelli F, Ricci S, Pozzi G, and Oggioni MR.** 2011. The impact of the competence quorum sensing system on *Streptococcus pneumoniae* biofilms varies depending on the experimental model. [BMC Microbiology. 11\(1\):75](#)

### **Planned Publications**

**Almeida JS et al.** A Social Computing Platform for Pneumococcal SNP phenotype-genotype association. Submission planned for October 2012.

**Boianelli B, Bidossi A, Gualdi L, Mulas L, Mocenni C, Pozzi G, Vicino A, Oggioni MR.** A non-linear deterministic model for regulation of diauxic lag on cellobiose by the pneumococcal multidomain transcriptional regulator CelR. *PLoS ONE*. In production

**Bootsma HJ, Zomer A, Eleveld MJ, Hermans PWM.** Identification of novel pneumococcal adherence factors by a combination of genome-wide approaches. Submission planned for 2013.

**Browall S, Dagerhamn J, Tångroth J, Sjöström K, Hellberg C, Bättig P, Spadafina T, Norman M, Sandgren A, Örtqvist Å, Normark S, Henriques-Normark B.** Intracolonial variations affect disease development in pneumococcal infections. Submission planned.

**Francisco AP et al.** sdLink: An integrated system for managing biological and biomedical linked data. Submission planned for October 2012.

**Francisco AP et al.** From sequencing data to SNPs. Submission planned for October 2012.

**Frazão N et al.** Drug-resistant *Streptococcus pneumoniae* clones, selected by the PCV7 vaccine, show colonization and invasive potential in mice. Submission planned for 2013.

**Gerlini A, Colomba L, Braccini T, Pammolli A, Pozzi G, Ricci S, Andrew PW, Koedel U, Moxon R, and Oggioni MR.** A single bacterium at the origin of invasive pneumococcal disease: macrophage clearance defines the bottleneck during the first hours of infection. Submitted.

**Jonsdottir I et al.** A rare frameshift mutation disrupting the complement pathway confers a 27 fold risk of invasive pneumococcal disease. Submission planned late 2012.

**Jonsdottir I et al.** A rare mutation affecting the NADPH oxidase pathway confers a 10 fold risk of invasive pneumococcal disease. Submission planned late 2012.

**Syk A, Fernebro J, Sandgren A, Normark S, Henriques-Normark B.** Emergence of hyper-virulent spxB mutants during systemic pneumococcal serotype 1 infection in mice and man.

**Tavares DA et al.** Identification of genes associated with pneumococcal invasive disease potential using a comparative genomic hybridization approach. Submission planned for 2013

**Vaz C et al.** Spo: An ontology for describing host-pathogen interactions inherent to *Streptococcus pneumoniae* infections. Submission planned for late 2012.

**Vinga S et al.** SNP2Pheno - linking genome and phenotype data in bacterial strains. Submission planned for late 2012.