

Plan Overview

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Project abstract:

The present proposal aims to bring contribution on how the different metabolic pathways following the action of valproic acid/sodium valproate (VPA), a well-known drug prescribed for the treatment of seizure disorders and a classic histone deacetylase inhibitor, express at the chromatin structural and functional levels in some cell models, including HepG2, HeLa, glioblastoma and insect cells. The project also aims to unveil whether VPA has the potential to link directly to DNA and histone molecules, thus affecting their structure.

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Description of data and metadata

- Quantitative data on cell viability after VPA treatments using the MTT assay
- Image analysis and flow cytometry data
- Confocal microscopy images and/or videos
- Western blots. Densitometric quantifications
- Infrared microspectroscopical spectral absorbances (FTIR) for construction of spectral signatures and mathematical calculations

Data packages.

Ethics and Legal Compliance

Data on routinely used cultured cells and isolated VPA, DNA, histones, and mixture of these molecules do not need approval of the Research Ethics Committees of Unicamp.

The use of the insect species *Triatoma infestans* (Klug) and *Panstrongylus megistus* (Burmeister) was approved by the Scientific and Ethics Committee of the Superintendence for Control of Endemic Diseases of the state of São Paulo (SUCEN) (Protocol no. 64.405/2015).

Data will be shared in the official repository of Unicamp (REDU) using specific DOIs.

Raw data on cell variability after drug treatments and infrared microspectroscopical spectral absorbances generated from this research could be used without restriction for the sake of contributing with other investigations, provided that the original authors are cited.

For the use of data on images, videos, Western blots and flow cytometry prior to their formal publication, approval from the original authors will be required. After the publication of these data, and depending on the journal where they are published, it is possible that they may be re-used, provided that the articles are cited based on Creative Common CC-BY license. It is possible that some restriction to data sharing occur due to the embargo period imposed by copyright of the scientific journals to which data are subjected.

Results of the research will be made available in digital form as PDFs, spreadsheet tables, tab-delimited files and image and/or video files. Images will be saved in standard image formats such as JPEG, TIFF, or PNG. The resulting manuscripts will appear as PDFs and contain text, calculations, drawings, plots and images.

Storage and backup (Archiving of data)

Data from this research will be stored in the official repository of the University of Campinas (REDU/CGDP) and will get a specific DOI generated as unique and persistent identifier. They will be retained dependent upon storage capacity.

Data will also be stored in personal computers and external hard-drives of the researchers involved in the present study. In this case, storage will last up to 5 years after the end of the study.

