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**CURRENT POSITION:** Professor of Neurology, Sfax Medical school, Tunisia  
Head of child neurology department, EPS Hedi Chaker Sfax, Tunisia  
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**EDUCATION and POSITIONS:**

Head of Child Neurology Department. (2008) CHU Hédi Chaker Sfax Tunisia  
Professor (2003), Department of neurology, University of Sfax, Tunisia  
Associate professor (1998), Department of Neurology, University of Sfax, Tunisia  
Assistant Professor (1992-1998), Department of Neurology, University of Sfax, Tunisia  
Neurology Residency (1986-1989), University of Tunis and Sfax, Tunisia  
Neuropediatric Residency (1989-1991), Catholic university of Leuven, Brussels, Belgium and University of Paris sud, France.  
Bachelor of sciences (1979) and MD (1984), Sfax University, Tunisia

**SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY AND ASSOCIATION**

President (2004+) of “Tunisian Association Against Epilepsy”  
General Secretary and founder of Tunisian Child Neurology Association (2014+)  
President founder (2003+) of “association for research on neurological diseases of children »  
Member (1990), Tunisian Association of Neurology  
Member (1999), European Society of Paediatric Neurology  
Member founder (2002) of Tunisian Association for Metabolic Disorders  
Member (2002), International Child Neurology Association (ICNA)  
Member (2002) of EUREPA (European Epilepsy Academy)  
Member of scientific advisory board of EUREPA (September 2002-2012)  
Member of French section of EUREPA (November 2002-2012)  
Treasurer and founder (2005-2012) of Medical Research Association. Sfax University  
Member of educational commission in ILAE (2005-2008).  
Tutor for epilepsy education in EUREPA  
General Secretary in Commission Epilepsy Mediterranean Affairs (CEMA) (2007-2010)  
General secretary of the Eastern Mediterranean Regional committee (International Bureau of Epilepsy, 2010-2013)  
President of the Eastern Mediterranean Regional committee (International Bureau of Epilepsy, 2013-2017)

**MASTER DEGREE OF EPILEPTOLOGY:**

- Professor in charge and founder of degree on épileptology (October 2000) in Sfax University, Tunisia which is an elearning education since October 2006.  
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**RESEARCH**

- Professor in charge to research laboratory “Neuropédiatrie” code 01/UR/0805. Sfax University, Tunisia.

**PUBLICATIONS**

- Idiopathic or symptomatic central focal epilepsy? .Hsairi-Guidara I, Fourati H, Gargouri MA, Kamoun I, Mnif Z, Triki C. Arch Pediatr. 2016 Apr;23(4):402-4.
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- A Novel Mutation p.A59P in N-Terminal Domain of Methyl-CpG-Binding Protein 2 Confers Phenotypic Variability in 3 Cases of Tunisian Rett Patients: Clinical Evaluations and In Silico Investigations. Kharrat M, Hsairi I, Fendri-Kriaa N, Kenoun H, Othmen HB, Ben Mahmoud A, Ghorbel R, Abid I, Triki C, Fakhfakh F. *J Child Neurol*. 2015 Nov;30(13):1715-21
  - Psycho-emotional impact of a child's disability on parents]. Ben Thabet J, Sallemi R, Hsairi I, Zouari L, Kamoun F, Zouari N, **Triki C**, Maâlej M. *Arch Pediatr*. 2013 Jan;20(1):9-16
  - Frontal motor seizure following non-convulsive status epilepticus in ring chromosome 20 syndrome. Kamoun FF, Ellouz EJ, Hsairi IG, Triki CC. *Neurosciences (Riyadh)*. 2012 Jan;17(1):74-7.
  - A case of a Tunisian Rett patient with a novel double-mutation of the MECP2 gene. Fendri-Kriaa N, Hsairi I, Kifagi C, Ellouze E, Mkaouar-Rebai E, **Triki C**, Fakhfakh F; Tunisian network on mental retardation study. *Biochem Biophys Res Commun*. 2011 Jun 3;409(2):270-4.
  - A putative disease-associated haplotype within the SCN1A gene in Dravet syndrome. Fendri-Kriaa N, Boujilbene S, Kammoun F, Mkaouar-Rebai E, Ben Mahmoud A, Hsairi I, Rebai A, **Triki C**, Fakhfakh F. *Biochem Biophys Res Commun*. 2011 May 20;408(4):654-7
  - New mutation c.374C>T and a putative disease-associated haplotype within SCN1B gene in Tunisian families with febrile seizures. Fendri-Kriaa N., Kammoun F., Salem I.H., Kifagi C., Mkaouar-Rebai E., Hsairi I., Rebai A., **Triki C.**, Fakhfakh F. *Eur J Neurol*. 2011 May;18(5):695-702.
  - Mutational analysis of the MECP2 gene in Tunisian patients with Rett syndrome: a novel double mutation. Fendri-Kriaa N, Mkaouar-Rebai E, Moalla D, Belguith N, Louhichi N, Zemni R, Slama F, **Triki C**, Fakhfakh F; Tunisian Network on Mental Retardation. *J Child Neurol*. 2010 Aug;25(8):1042-6
  - The First Genome-Wide Scan in a Tunisian Family With Generalized Epilepsy With Febrile Seizure Plus (GEFS+). Fendri-Kriaa N, Louhichi N, Mkaouar-Rebai E, Chabchoub G, Kammoun F, Hadj Salem I, Rebai A, **Triki C**, Fakhfakh F. *J Child Neurol*. 2010 Apr 9.
  - Ring chromosome 20 syndrome without deletions of the subtelomeric and CHRNA4--KCNQ2 genes loci. Elghezal H, Hannachi H, Mougou S, Kammoun H, **Triki C**, Saad A. *Eur J Med Genet*. 2007 Nov-Dec;50(6):441-5. Epub 2007 Aug 6.
  - Rett's syndrome: report of 5 cases in Tunisia **Triki C**, Mhiri C. *Rev Neurol (Paris)*. 1999 Nov;155(11):955-9. French.
  - Detection of fragile X syndrome by molecular hybridization in 29 families affected by hereditary mental retardation Masmoudi S, Keskes L, Feki I, Fakhfakh F, **Triki C**, Ghribi F, Mhiri C, Ayadi H. *Tunis Med*. 1998 Aug-Sep;76(8-9):244-9. French. No abstract available.