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He completed medical school, four-year internship in surgery and six-year residency in cardio-vascular and thoracic surgery at the University of Bordeaux, France. In 1983, he also completed a cardio-vascular research fellowship at the Brompton Hospital, University of London, UK, after winning the research award of the French Society of Cardiology.

In 1988, he sets up one of the first endovascular program in France using peripheral angioplasty and stents, after several post-residency trainings in USA (Los Angeles, Phoenix, New Orleans). Since this time, he is actively involved as speaker, moderator or scientific committee member of the major international vascular and endovascular meetings (Arizona Heart, Charing Cross, CICE , EuroPCR, Ochsner, Mayo, SITE, TCT, VEITH, VIVA). In November 2010, he received the international vascular award "Pionner in Performance" in New York City during Veith Symposium.

Dr Busquet is co-founder in 1992, executive board member and former chairman of international council of the International Society of Endovascular Specialists (ISES), a medical society having 1600 members and represented in 60 countries. He has been President of the Society from February 2011 to February 2013, succeeding Professor Christopher Zarins from Stanford University, USA, and have the current position of ISES International Ambassador.

He is also president of the Val d'Or Vascular Association, a french non-profit organization dedicated to research and development in cardiovascular medicine. Since 2006, under its auspices, he organizes annually in Paris a successful vascular meeting on vascular diseases, cardio-vascular imaging and endovascular technologies open to cardio-vascular specialists.

Dr Busquet is member of the French Society of Vascular Surgery, former elected board member from 2001 to 2008. He also serves as editorial board member in the Journal of Endovascular Therapy (USA), the Endovascular Today Magazine (USA) and Tecnicas Endovasculares (Spain).

His hobbies are reading, oenology and sport (marathon runner, former member of the french olympic sailing team).

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