



## JURY ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE GABARRON INTERNATIONAL AWARD FOR SCIENCE AND RESEARCH 2012

The Jury of The Gabarron International Award for Science and Research comprised of: **Mr. Alberto Aguirre de Cárcer**, Chief Editor of La Verdad Grupo Multimedia; **The Honorable Mr. José Ballesta Germán**, Professor of Medicine of The University of Murcia; **Mr Camilo José Cela Conde**, Director of the Laboratory of Human Systematics, University of the Balearic Islands; **Dr. Carlos Cordón Cardo, M.D., Ph.D.**, Professor and Chair of the Department of Pathology, Department of Genetics and Genome Sciences of New York University Mount Sinai School of Medicine; Professor and Chair of the Department of Pathology of Mount Sinai Hospital; **Mr. Luis Jaramillo Guerreira**, Director of COPE Castilla y León; **Dr. Regina Revilla Pedreira**, Director of External Relations and Communications at Merck, Sharp & Dohme; President of ASEBIO (Spanish Association of Biotechnology).

## Chaired by **Carlos Cordón Cardo** and acting as Jury Secretary **Regina Revilla Pedreira**

unanimously agreed to award The Gabarron International Award for Science and Research 2012 to

## José Baselga

For his extensive career as medical researcher, who has become one of the best examples of transnational research. He forms part of the group of Spanish scientists that has become a reference in medical oncology in the United States and the world over.

The work of José Baselga has been internationally recognized for the identification of new mechanisms involved in the resistance to current cancer treatments. He pursues the accelerated clinical application of biomedical research. His continued fight is not only in the laboratory but also at the bedside, with the patient.

Recently, he was appointed medical director of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Center, likely the most prestigious institution in the field of clinical oncology. Baselga will take over the coordination of a team of 834 doctors at the center, which treats over 123,000 patients per year.