

What do you hope The Catatonia Foundation can accomplish?

Dr. Cuevas:

You have built a place for all professionals interested in catatonia. That's the first thing that's really important: maybe we are thinking the same things, we are having new ideas. We are thinking about how to find another research group to make bigger studies. This is a perfect place to put all the ideas in contact. This is the thing I, as a professional, find more attractive. But there is also a task in educational aspects, academic aspects, features that could be very helpful for professionals: to know how to better explain catatonia, to know better treatments for catatonia, and to make the easier identification and diagnosis of catatonia.

Educational aspects, I think, are also crucial. And there is also a part for society for spreading the knowledge of catatonia in a way more easy to understand and more beautiful. It's very easy to understand, and you can have an empathetic attitude towards people who have been experiencing catatonia. So I think that for society this is also a big task to do.