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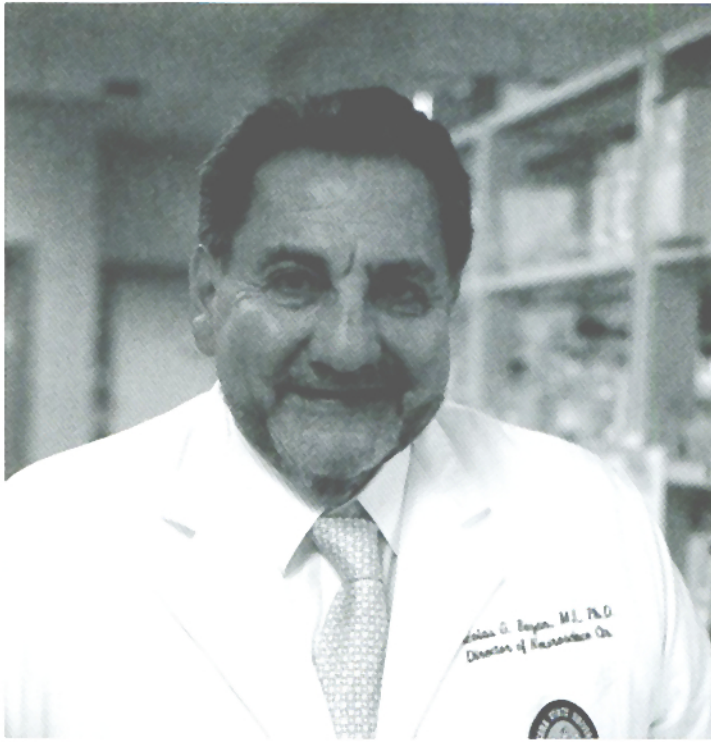
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## **NICOLAS G. BAZAN, MD, PHD**

*Nicolas Bazan is a true renaissance man – entrepreneur, researcher, mentor, creative thinker, author and a man who quietly devotes significant time to his Catholic faith and his local community. He has a life-long dedication to conquering brain and retinal diseases through research, has translated his discoveries into 20 patents and has led to experimental therapies in stroke, Alzheimer’s, macular degeneration, Parkinson’s disease, epilepsy and pain. He was one of the founders of In Site Vision, Alameda, CA. With a local investor he also founded St. Charles Pharmaceuticals, one of the first biotech/pharmaceutical companies of New Orleans, and began the development of his nonaddictive and nontoxic pain-killer. He has been an advocate for the development of a knowledge-based economy in the region during almost 30 years. He has written the novel “Una Vida: A Fable of Music and the Mind”, a heartfelt journey of a musician whose memory is slipping due to Alzheimer’s. Another entrepreneurial project is the crafting of Nicolas Bazan Pinot Noir wines. He is Director-Founder of LSU Neuroscience Center of Excellence and Villere Chair for Retinal Degenerative Diseases.*