

imi PharmaTrain Career Driver

Trainers' blog

"The European Center of Pharmaceutical Medicine (ECPM) at the University of Basel is providing training in pharmaceutical medicine since 1991. We are participating in the PharmaTrain project with the clear goal to join forces within this Europe-wide network of partners. Together we will reach a new level of top class postgraduate education covering all aspects of medicines development. ECPM's teaching programme is a mix of face-to-face lectures and exchange with top specialists worldwide representing pharmaceutical industry, academia and regulatory authorities. To deepen this knowledge participants are immersed into elaboration of possible solutions to cases originating in the real world of drug development. Training is enhanced and blended with a new e-learning concept."



Annette Mollet
ECPM
University of Basel



Striving for Excellence

The IMI PharmaTrain partners make great efforts to implement the shared standards in a systematic way and at the same time set up a sustainable quality management system.

A PharmaTrain assessors' team visits the sites and applies a structured interview along Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs). The evaluation encloses the Diploma (Base) Course (DIMD) and the Master Programmes (MMD). The approved centers will get the "PharmaTrain Centre Recognition".

If a training centre provides additional programmes like the Clinical Investigators Course (CLIC), the Master of Regulatory Affairs (MRA) or modules from the CPD platform, those centres will be awarded as "PharmaTrain Centre of Excellence". Most of the 14 PharmaTrain Training Centres are shooting for this quality level.

All over Europe

Over the last two years the collaborative partnership between pharmaceutical companies, public universities and Learned Societies has led to a Europe-wide Continuing Professional Development (CPD) platform for integrated training or modular use à la carte. Some of the training center sites have

Industry's Voice

"The PharmaTrain programmes are offered in a modular format. This does not only foster mobility of master students across Europe but also makes the individual – master level – modules highly attractive for professionals in pharmaceutical companies seeking additional qualification in their continued professional development."



Matthias Gottwald
Bayer Pharma

already fully adapted the new standards, the rest of the 14 university centres will follow in the next few months. Follow the starting dates and make your choice via www.pharmatrain.eu.



More infos: www.pharmatrain.eu



ECPM's 20th Anniversary September 8, 2011

We are celebrating our 20th Anniversary with a scientific seminar on "Medicines' Development in the Next Decade of the Human Genome Project". We would like to invite you to join us in this event, please see details on www.ecpm.ch

Ready to go for training excellence

"I graduated from ECPM on the class of 2011. It was a great learning experience in an international environment, which supplemented my industry experience, enabled me to meet colleagues from all around the world and expanded my network. Attending this program was a significant driver to my career."

Rafael Torgovicky previously worked for Novartis and MSD. Right now he's working as an independent consultant, and is leading the development of ICMP – the Israeli Center of Pharmaceutical Medicine – in Tel Aviv, in collaboration with PharmaTrain.



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