



European School of Genetic Medicine

Basic and Advanced Course in Genetic Counselling April 29 - May 6, 2014

University Residential Centre of Bertinoro, Italy

Registration Fees:

BASIC COURSE

970 € (tuition, course material, transportation from Bologna to Bertinoro and back and accommodation in double room from April 29 to May 3)

ADVANCED COURSE

970 € (tuition, course material, transportation from Bologna to Bertinoro and back and accommodation in double room from May 2 to 6)

ENTIRE COURSE (BASIC+ADVANCED)

1380 € (tuition, course material, transportation from Bologna to Bertinoro and back and accommodation in double room from April 29 to May 6)

ESHG fellowships are available.

Deadline for application: March 24th 2014 at 18:00 (CET)

Directors:

Forzano F. (Genoa, Italy), H. Skirton (Plymouth, UK)

Course Description:

The course has been divided in two parts. The first part includes basic scientific information and clinical skills needed for genetic healthcare practice, including prenatal, cancer genetics, ethics and laboratory testing. The second part will focus on the counselling and communication skills required by those working with patients and their families. All students will be encouraged to practice their counselling skills in a supportive environment and to give and receive feedback. The course will include some exercises and discussion sessions aimed at facilitating professional and personal self-awareness of students, in order to enhance their genetic counselling practice. The course will include sessions on supporting patients through decision-making, prenatal and presymptomatic testing.

Target: Clinical geneticists, genetic counsellors, genetic nurses and trainees in those professions. Students who are new to genetic healthcare should not attempt Part 2 without first completing part 1. Very experienced genetics practitioners may wish to do Part 2 only.

Speakers:

J. Baptista (Bologna, Italy), M. Iacone (Genoa, Italy), C. Janssens (Rotterdam, The Netherlands), C. Patch (London, UK), E. Razzaboni (Modena, Italy), M. Soller (Lund, Sweden), A. Tibben (Leiden, The Netherlands), D. Turchetti (Bologna, Italy)



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