

Sarcoma European and Latin American multidisciplinary NETwork (SELNET)

Continuing Medical Education



The SELNET project seeks to create a European and Latin American multidisciplinary network of clinical and translational specialists to improve diagnosis and clinical care in sarcomas, with the aim of validating a collaborative model replicable in other rare tumors and in other countries.

One of the objectives of SELNET is promoting continuing medical education (CME) in sarcomas through seminars, workshops, and training programs as a cornerstone to improve the management of sarcoma patients in Latin America. These educational activities are directed to medical specialist and trainees, as well as researchers.

Evidence-based medicine has led to continuous progress in knowledge, skills and attitudes of cancer care, and these improvements should be implemented in daily practice. To ensure optimal diagnosis and care for sarcoma patients, specialists must participate in continuing medical education (CME) programs. The SELNET project includes CME activities to set standards of clinical competence for practice and encourage the continuing scholarship required for professional excellence, especially involving young sarcoma investigators.

This brochure includes a brief introduction of the institutions of the SELNET Consortium that offer educational programmes and a table with basic information and requirements for current clinical/research educational stages available in 2020.

We are working to expand the centers available, and this information will be updated at SELNET web (www.selnet-h2020.org).



Centre Léon Berard (CLB), Lyon (France)

The Centre Léon Bérard (CLB) is part of the twenty French Comprehensive Cancer Centres in France, providing a global management of cancer patients on a unique area, from diagnosis to treatment and beyond. It is affiliated to the Natio-nal Federation of Centers

for the Fight Against Cancer – Unicancer –. EXCELLENCE & INNO-VATION in cancer care and research. The Centre is a regional, national and international recognized reference cancer Centre assigned with three essential missions: Care, Research and Education and is willing to continuously improve the quality and accessibility of care for cancer patients.



Institut Bergonie (IB), Bordeaux (France)

As a part of UNICANCER, IB is dedicated to inpatient and outpatient cancer treatment, as well as a number of related support services. Three-fold mission: patient care, research and oncology education.





Istituto Ortopedico Rizzoli (IOR), Bologna (Italy)

IOR, founded in 1896, is the main

Italian institute of orthopedics and traumatology. Its strength lies in the integration between healthcare and scientific research. It's a place of university teaching in association with Bologna University. It hosts the Cell and Musculoskeletal Tissue Bank, which is the regional referral center for the collection, conservation and distribution of cells and tissues.



Istituto Nazionale dei Tumori (INT), Milan (Italy)

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OECI, foundation and government-designated centre for treatment and
research (IRCCS), has been treating cancer patients and carrying out clinical

and basic research in cancer, since its formation in 1928. INT is the largest comprehensive cancer centre in Italy and has a long-standing record on rare cancers, serving as one of the Italian reference centers for several rare cancers. INT coordinates the Italian Rare Cancer Network, i.e., a healthcare national network exploiting telemedicine for distant rare cancer case-sharing between reference centers and medical oncology facilities.





Servicio Andaluz de Salud CONSEJERÍA DE SALUD

Virgen del Rocío University Hospital (HUVR), Seville (Spain)

HUVR, founded in 1955, is currently the

largest healthcare complex of the Servicio Andaluz de Salud (SAS), the public health service of Andalusia region, reference healthcare provider and one of the largest hospitals in Spain. HUVR leading position as Sarcoma Reference Center from the National Health Ministry (CSUR) and the long-lasting experience of its various multidisciplinary tumor boards, constitute its key expertise for the project. HUVR is a reference center in sarcoma also within the European network for Rare adult solid Cancer (EURACAN, euracan.ern-net.eu). It has clinical research facilities, including a specific unit for phase I trials as well as preclinical and translational laboratories, within the Biomedical Research Institute of Seville (IBiS). Moreover, the HUVR has a biobanking included in the Network of the Andalusian Biobanking.







Vall d'Hebron Univ. Hospital, Barcelona (Spain)

Vall d'Hebron University Hospital is the largest hospital complex in Catalonia and one of the most important in Spain. It offers

highly complez healthcare through the public, teaching and community hospital. At its facilites, work on research, teaching and innovaton is carried out. The Vall d'Hebron Oncology Institute (VHIO) unites the efforts of multidisciplinary professionals with skills ranging from preclinical research to translational and clinical research.



Instituto Alexander Fleming, Buenos Aires (Argentina)

From March 14, 1994, the Institute Alexander Fleming opened its doors for the medical and scientific excellence. Alexander Fleming is the first private institution in Latin America devoted to prevention, diagnosis and integral treatment of patients with cancer. Its force is the medical excellence performed in optimal conditions, with high complexity technology, put to the service

of patients and society, from persistent labor in investigation and teaching. The Institute is associated to the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Buenos Aires in order to fulfill high academic and scientific goals. IAF is the first Argentina's Institution authorized by the National Marrow Donor Program in United State (N.M.D.P.) to realize transplantes of bone marrow from not related donors. Today, with the great investments in infrastructure of internment and high complexity technology, is outlined the medical quality, the technician scientist high level and comfort, being one of the most prestigious institutions of the country.



Centro Oncológico de Integración Regional (COIR), Mendoza (Argentina)

COIR is a regional oncology institution exclusively devoted to develop preventive, diagnosis, treatment and follow up actions of oncologic patients. COIR participates in

international research projects and jointly works with other high level oncology centers in the world.



Hospital Sírio-Libanês Hospital, São Paulo (Brazil)

SÍRIO-LIBANÊS

Leading philanthropic hospital with multidisciplinary teams dedicated to the care of sarcoma patients, research and education. International Patient

Service Center offers exclusive service to provide every support for foreign patients and for Brazilian patients who require treatment under an international healthcare policy.



A.C.Camargo Cancer Center, São Paulo (Brasil)

The ACCCC, founded in 1953, has a unique history in fighting cancer. The Center has pioneered all aspects of cancer treatment, education, and research in Brazil. The Institution was the first dedicated to treatment of patients with cancer (1953), to have a residency program in Oncology (1953), to establish a Pediatric Oncology Department (1964), to perform the first breast conserving surgery in Brazil, to

partner with an International Basic Research Institute – The Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research (1983 – 2010), to structure a Biobank certified by the National Research Ethics Committee (1997) and to implement a graduate program in Oncology in a private Institution recognized by the Ministry of Education. During all these years, the Institution has been providing prevention, diagnosis, treatment, education, and research (basic, translational, and clinical).



Instituto Nacional de Enfermedades Neoplasicas, INEN, Lima (Perú)

The National Institute of Neoplastic Diseases, better known as INEN, is a Peruvian public hospital managed by the Ministry of Health of Peru. Founded by Law №8892, which established the creation of the National Cancer Institute. This hospital provides health services to the population suffering from different types of cancer. The National Institute

of Neoplastic Diseases is an institution specialized in the detection, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation of tumoral or neoplastic diseases.





National Medical Center '20 de Noviembre' (Mexico)

The center is a government general hospital that provide high quality medical care, research and teaching with efficiency, effectiveness and human treatment.

SITE	TRAINING TYPE	SPECIALITY	DURATION	NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	FURTHER DETAILS	REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION
CLB, Lyon (France)	Medical trainings	All	Max. 1-2 weeks	Max. 3-4 people/rotation, 2-3 rotations/year	- Observational trainings -Contact CLB specialists (s) and cc Julien Bollard, (julien.BOLLARD@lyon.unicancer.fr)	- Third party liability insurance - Visa - Agreement must be signed
	Research trainings	- Rare sarcomas - Cell death and Paediatric cancers	-min. 1-2 months (October-March or June-August)	1 people/research group per year	- Franck Tirode: http://www.crcl.fr/759-Emerging-team-Biology- of-rare-sarcomas.crcl.aspx?language=en-GB - Marie Castet: http://www.crcl.fr/725-Mort-cellulaire-et- cancers-pediatriques.crcl.aspx?language=fr-FR	 Third party liability insurance Visa Employer declaration for visiting researcher Occasional visitor form
Institut Bergonie, Bordeaux (France)	Medical trainings	Pathology	From 6 months to 1 year	1 person/rotation	-Observational trainings, bone and soft issue subspecialty training, translational research in sarcomaContact: Dr. Francois Le Loarer (f.le-loarer@bordeaux.unicancer.fr)	 Insurance policy covering risks of personal injury and third party liability insurance Visa Pathology resident with at least 2 years of training
	Research trainings	Translational oncology, translational pathology	Min. 12 months	1 people/rotation	-Contact: Dr. Francois Le Loarer (f.le-loarer@bordeaux.unicancer.fr) Principal investigators : Pr A ITALIANO, Dr F LE LOARER	 Insurance policy covering risks of personal injury and third party liability insurance Visa Master degree in science or PhD in medicine
IOR, Bologna (Italy)	Medical and Research trainings	Orthopaedic surgery, Medical Oncology or Pathology	From 2 months to 1 year		- Observational trainings For Orthopaedic surgery and Medical Oncology contact directly the chief of each unit - For Pathologists, contact: Dr. Marco Gambarotti (marco.gambarotti@ior.it) Dr. Alberto Righi (alberto.righi@ior.it) or Prof. Angelo Paolo Dei Tos (angelo.deitos@unipd.it)	- Insurance policy covering risks of personal injury - Presence duty of 77,47 € should be paid via transfer - Invitation letter for visitor - Form A - Form C
INT, Milan (Italy)	Medical trainings (Observational)	Radiotherapy Medical Oncology	1 to 6 months 1 to 6 months	Max. 1 person/period Max. 1 person/period	- Contact: claudia.sangalli@istitutotumori.mi.it - Contact: anabela.digiovanni@istitutotumori.mi.it annamaria.frezza@istitutotumori.mi.it	 - Curriculum vitae - Passport - Presentation letter - Visa and accommodation are candidates
		Surgical Oncology	1 to 2 months	Max. 1 person/year (From 2023 on)	- Contact: lorella.rusi@istitutotumori.mi.it	responsibilities - Agreement must be signed
Vall d'Hebron University Hospital, Barcelona (Spain)	Medical and research trainings	Pathology	12)	speciality	- Contact: alessandra.calestani@istitutotumori.mi.it -Observational and research trainings: https://www.vallhebron.com/en/what-do-we-do- campus/training/training-placements-centres-outside-spain 1- Contact the specialist to check availability. 2- Start procedures at the Spanish Ministry of Health. 3- Opening of deadline twice a year: January-February /June-July. https://www.mscbs.gob.es/ca/profesionales/formacion/estancia sFormativasEx/home.htm	(https://docencia.vhebron.net/docencia/xhtml/docencia/manteniments/estadesFormatives/solicitudEstadaFormativaFicha.xhtml?auto=S#no-back) -Requests can take 9 to 12 months until approvalContact Teaching Unit: Paula Pérez (pperez@vhio.net)
Virgen del Rocío University Hospital, Seville (Spain)	Medical trainings	All		Max. 3 people/rotation	- Observational trainings: https://www.hospitaluvrocio.es/entrada-blog/faq-docencia/	Contact Teaching Unit: Juan Antonio Haya (jantonio.haya.sspa@juntadeandalucia.es)
	Research trainings	Molecular Biologist, Pathologist	Flexible	Max. 1-2 people/rotation		Contact David Moura: david.moura@usal.es

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Instituto Alexander Fleming, Buenos Aires (Argentina)	Clinical trainings	Clinical Oncologist	3 years	3 people/year	- Observational, asistencial activity and research trainings - Completion of the oncology course of the AAOC (Argentine association of clinical oncology). https://fuca.org.ar/docencia/formacion-medica.php http://alexanderfleming.org/es/para-profesionales/residencias-medicas/	- At least two years of Residence in Internal Medicine are required Registration in March in the Department of Graduates of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Buenos Aires (UBA). https://www.fmed.uba.ar/index.php/carreras-de-especialistas/informacion-general
	Medical rotations	Clinical Oncology	Flexible	1-2 people/rotation	-Observational trainingsClinical oncology hospitalization, ambulatory chemotherapy infusion room, clinical oncology officesPreceptorships, athenaeums and committees of all subspecialties.	Contact Teaching Unit: secretariaacademica@alexanderfleming.org
Oncológico de	Medical and Research trainings	Clinical Oncology	3 years of academic training after residence	1 people/year	 Observational, asistencial and research trainings. Ambulatory chemotherapy infusion room and clinical oncology offices. Participation in tumor's committees. 	Complete internal medicine residence and approved state residence exams are required. Contact: Dra. Gema Agil (gemaaguil@gmail.com)
Hospital Sírio-Libanês, São Paulo (Brasil)	Medical trainings	Medical oncology, pathology	Flexible	1 people/month	Contact: Rodrigo Munhoz (munhozrs@gmail.com)	
	Medical trainings		Withing the speciality period (fellowship)		Documents must be sent to ensino.visitantes@accamargo.org.br	- ID or passport copy - Copy of undergraduate degree or registration statement for undergraduate students - Declaration of enrollment in the residence program - Personal accident insurance - Visas to stay in Brazil - Photo 3x4 (in JPG format) - Application form (filled out electronically) - Vaccination Certificate
Instituto Nacional de Enfermedades Neoplasicas, INEN, Lima (Perú)		Medical/surgical oncology, Radiotherapy and Parthology		Max. 3-4 people/rotation, 2-3 rotations/year	 Observational trainings Clinical/surgical oncology hospitalization, ambulatory Chemotherapy infusion room, clinical oncology offices. Pathology oncology Department and officers Tumour bank Department. Preceptorships, Grand rounds and committees 	- Contact Teaching unit (educación@inen.sld.pe) or Juan Carlos Haro Varas (jharovar@gmail.com) - Request addressed to MD. Eduardo Payet Meza, Institutional Head of INEN - Specify where and the period of time - Chest x-ray, PDD, Hepatitis B and tetanus vaccine
	Medical trainings	Surgical Oncology, Medical Oncology	2-3 months	3 people/year	Contact: Dr. Arturo Pabel Miranda (drpabelm@hotmail.com)	A letter to the Research and Education Vice-principal



OTHER TRAINING PROGRAMS:

- European School of Soft Tissue Sarcoma (ESO), for surgical oncologists. Find all the information in https://www.essoweb.org/european-school-of-sts/
- GEIS (Spanish Group for Research on Sarcoma), online educational material (4 hours aprox.):
 - Presentations of the Advanced Course on Sarcoma, held in Madrid (Spain) in May 2019.
 Presentations in PDF will be soon available at http://www.grupogeis.org
 - Presentations of the XVII GEIS International Symposium, held in Madrid (Spain) in October 2019 are available in PDF and videos at http://www.grupogeis.org/es/simposiosgeis/simposio-2019
 - Presentations of the Fast Course on Soft Tissue Sarcoma, held in 2019, are available in pdf and videos at http://www.grupogeis.org/es/actividad-cientifica/formacion/curso-rapido-desarcomas-de-partes-blandas
- XXXIII Course on Musculoskeletal Pathology. April 20-23, 2020, IRCCS Istituto Ortopedico Rizzoli, Bologna (Italy).
- **Brazilian Society of Pathology**. (http://www.sbp.org.br/) Presentations in video are available at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCho0lu0LXIU1WtMAfn-ZVOg
- Document of policy on sarcoma: https://www.healthpolicypartnership.com/project/sarcoma-policy-checklist/ (Available in several languages.)
- **SELNET Educational Meetings** held in Seville and Mexico in 2019, as well as in Lyon in 2020, agenda and presentations are available in the "Repository" area of the private menu of SELNET webpage (https://selnet-h2020.org/private/repository/). Presentations of future SELNET Educational Meetings will be included in this folder.
- ESMO (European Society of Medical Oncology) Sarcoma and GIST Symposium (annually)
- **ESO Residential Course Clinical Oncology: Sarcomas** (annually) https://www.e-eso.net/pages.do?methodcall=view&id=1&Ticket=
- e-Learning ESO: online education sessions in Sarcomas and GIST https://www.e-eso.net/welcome.do
- ESO-ESMO-RCE Clinical Update on Rare Adult Solid Cancers (annually)

