

PAN - PICC ACADEMY NETWORK

First International Course 'Train the trainer'

in collaboration with GAVeCeLT

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**Catholic University, Rome, Italy
September 10th and 11th, 2013**

A training course based on the recommendations of the WoCoVA Consensus on the definition of minimal requirements for training in the insertion of central venous access devices (BJA, 2013).

**Organized by the Dept. of Surgery of the Catholic University Hospital
(Course Director: Mauro Pittiruti)
with an unconditioned financial support of Angiodynamics.**

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First Edition

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Intro

The use of PICC lines (Peripherally Inserted Central Catheters) is growing in many countries around the world because they are a **good alternative to traditional central catheters**, especially for **mid to long-term I.V. therapies**. Their placement is simple, non-traumatic with **low iatrogenic risks**. They are also particularly appropriate for **home care**, for example for home parenteral nutrition or antibiotherapy.

The **goal of the PICC Academy Network**, or **PAN**, is to build a **comprehensive and consensual PICC training program**, bring all the PICC trainers to a **level of excellence**, build "**accredited**" **PICC training centers** in many countries, **spread guidelines and best practices** for better patient outcomes. The PAN will also be a great tool for **networking and sharing experience about PICC training**.

Goal

After this 2-day training session, the attendees will know:

- Their role and responsibilities as a PICC trainer
- The recommended structure and topics that they should follow during a PICC training
- The skills and knowledge that they should make sure each PICC trainee acquires
- How to organize a PICC training with hands-on sessions, tutoring and follow-up
- The qualities of a good instructor, a good clinical tutor and a good lecturer
- How to objectively assess a PICC trainee

Agenda

Tuesday 10 September 2013

8am – 12:30pm

Requirements of **structure, topics, contents and format** for a successful PICC training

12:30pm – 2pm

Lunch

2pm – 6pm

« How to » lectures: teach anatomy and ultrasound, prepare simulators for puncture, follow up and audit...

Wednesday 11 September 2013

8am – 1:30pm **Four groups** rotating in parallel sessions of training simulations

12:30pm – 2pm

Lunch

2pm – 6pm

Practical aspects of a PICC training

Venue: *Catholic University, Rome, Italy*

Trainer(s):

- Host: **Mauro Pittiruti**, MD, General Surgeon, Catholic University of Rome, Italy, founder of Gavecelt and WoCoVA.
- **Jocelyn Hill**, RN, BSN, CVAA(c), OCN, VA-BC, MN(c), Vancouver, Canada. President of the Canadian Vascular Access Association.
- **Leigh Ann Bowe-Geddes**, RN, CRNI, VA-BC, [University of Louisville Hospital](#), USA. AngioDynamics [International Clinical Director](#), President of the American Association for Vascular Access 2009-2011.
- **Andrew Jackson**, RGN, UK. Founder of ivteam.com, first IV Nurse Consultant in the UK, winner of several nurse awards.
- **Massimo Lamperti**, MD, Anesthesiologist, Neurological Institute Carlo Besta Milano, Italy. Director of a program on training in vascular access in Italy.
- **Ton von Boxtel**, RN, [Trainer & Consultant](#) at [Infusion Innovations: Infu-In](#), Netherlands. Chairperson of the World Congress Vascular Access and President of the [Dutch Society for Infusion Technology](#).
- **Salah Qanadli**, MD, MSc, Prof, Interventional Radiologist, Lausanne University Hospital, Switzerland. Professor, Education and Research.

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