





# ADVANCED UNIVERSITY CERTIFICATE IN

# MATERNAL-FETAL MEDICINE

# **May 6 - June 6, 2024**

- Recorded lectures and live interactive masterclasses on Mondays and Thursdays
- Top expert faculty
- Schedule compatible with Asia, Europe & Middle East time zone
- Duration 5 weeks: 9.5 hours/week
- Special prices for FMB Alumni

# **REGISTRATION OPEN:**

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# **General** information

In this course, the clinical and teaching experience of internationally renowned specialists is offered, presented and synthesized in a way that allows attendees to intensively acquire the necessary knowledge to integrate the latest scientific developments and updated protocols in maternalfetal medicine into their clinical practice.

#### Presentation

The constant update of scientific information in maternal-fetal medicine and the growing technological developments progressively increase the complexity of the knowledge required for managing pregnancy complications. Learning how to integrate all these scientific novelties realistically and accurately is one of the challenges for specialists with an interest or advanced practice in maternal-fetal medicine.

#### Objective

Upon completion of the course, attendees will have updated criteria and algorithms for the clinical diagnosis and management of the most relevant maternal-fetal pathologies.

#### Target

This program is designed for gynecologists and obstetricians seeking to efficiently update their comprehensive knowledge of the most relevant maternal-fetal pathologies. Attendees will acquire robust decisionmaking frameworks based on the best available evidence and the expertise of international experts in each field.

#### **Course certificate**

At the conclusion of each module, there is a multiple-choice test. Completion of this assessment (minimum of 70% correct responses) is necessary to obtain the final course certificate from Fetal Medicine Barcelona. Students will have three opportunities to pass.



#### DATES

From May 6th to June 6th, 2024.

#### SCHEDULE

Streaming classes are scheduled on Mondays and Thursdays from 2:00 PM (GMT+1) to 5:00 PM (GMT+1)\*. Online classes will be conducted by the student at their own pace through the Fetal Medicine Barcelona virtual campus. \*Streaming classes schedule subject to change.

#### FETAL i+D ACADEMIC DIRECTION AND SUPERVISION

Eduard Gratacós and Francesc Figueras.



#### COURSE ACCREDITED BY

Continuing Education Institute-IL3 at the University of Barcelona & Fetal Medicine Barcelona. The participants can also obtain a diploma awarded by the Continuing Education Institute-IL3 at the University of Barcelona: "Advanced University Certificate in Maternal-Fetal Medicine".

#### **More information**

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## **Academic structure**

The course is structured into 10 modules, addressing the most relevant maternal-fetal pathologies. Each module includes two components, consisting of a self-paced online classes and streaming sessions.



• Access to online classes will be through the virtual campus of Fetal i+D Education Barcelona.

• The classes are taught by experts in each field, providing schematic updates on current knowledge and offering clear diagnostic algorithms and decision-making processes based on the best available evidence.

• The classes will be available on the virtual campus 15 days before the start of the course. It is recommended for the participants to have reviewed the classes for each module before the streaming session for better interaction.



• An 1-hour real-tasking session in which demonstrations (ultrasound exams, surgical procedures or management of complications) will be performed, or clinical cases will be presented. Active participation from students will contribute to the reinforcement of acquired knowledge.

• An 1.5-hour open discussion session where participants can interact with the teachers and steer the discussion toward the most relevant aspects.

• Each session will conclude with a summary of the key take-home points.

Both online classes and streaming sessions will be available on the virtual campus for one year (until April 6th, 2025), allowing students to view them unrestrictedly. Additionally, PDF presentations can be downloaded.

# **Course Fees**



# Academic programme

# **Intrauterine Growth Restriction**

## Online classes

- Detection. Francesc Figueras
- Classification. Francesc Figueras
- Management. Eduard Gratacós

## Life streaming sessions

Monday 6th of May

Real-tasking: Advanced Doppler Demonstration. **Eva Meler** Open Discussion. **Francesc Figueras/ Eduard Gratacós/ Eva Meler** Conclusions.









Eduard Gratacós

Francesc Figueras

Eva Meler

Preeclampsia

## Online classes 🗳

- Prediction and prevention. Francesc Figueras
- Diagnosis. Eduard Gratacós
- Management. Francesc Figueras

### Life streaming sessions 🌰

Thursday 9th of May



Eduard Gratacós





Mazarico



Francesc Figueras

Fatima Crispi

Real-tasking: Clinical Cases. Edurne Mazarico Open Discussion. Francesc Figueras/ Eduard Gratacós/ Fatima Crispi Conclusions. Francesc Figueras

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# Online classes

- Thoracic pathology. Eduard Gratacós
- Abdominal pathology. Olga Gómez
- Nephrourological pathology. Josep M. Martínez
- Neural tube defects. Elisenda Eixarch

#### Life streaming sessions 🌐

Monday 13th of May

Real-tasking: Clinical Cases. Elisenda Eixarch/ Eduard Gratacós/ Olga Gomez/ Josep M. Martinez Open Discussion. Elisenda Eixarch/ Eduard Gratacós/ Olga Gomez/ Josep M.Martínez Conclusions. Eduard Gratacós



## Online classes 🗳

- Conventional Screening Techniques. Mar Bennasar
- Fetal DNA. Antoni Borrell
- Genetic Arrays and Exome Sequencing. Antoni Borrell

## Life streaming sessions 🌐

Thursday 16th of May

Real-tasking: First Trimester US Demonstration. Mar Bennasar Open Discussion. Mar Bennasar/ Antoni Borrell/ Eduard Gratacós Conclusions. Antoni Borrell

# **Fetal Surgical Pathology**



Eduard

Gratacós





Elisenda Eixarch

Olga Gomez

Josep M. Martinez

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# **Prenatal Diagnosis**







Mar Bennasar

Antoni Borrell

Eduard Gratacós

# Online classes

- Midline. Elisenda Eixarch
- Ventriculomegaly. Miriam Illa
- Posterior Fossa. Miriam Perez Cruz

## Life streaming sessions

Monday 20th of May

Real-tasking: Neurosonography Demonstration. Elisenda Eixarch/ Miriam Illa/ Miriam Perez-Cruz Open Discussion. Elisenda Eixarch/ Miriam Illa/ Miriam Perez-Cruz Conclusions. Elisenda Eixarch

# Neurosonography







Elisenda Eixarch

Miriam Illa

Miriam Perez-Cruz

# **Echocardiography**



## Online classes

- Congenital heart diseases: overview. Josep M. Martinez
- Anomalies detectable in the Four-Chamber View. Olga Gomez
- Anomalies detectable in the Outflow Tract Views. Mar Bennasar
- Anomalies detectable in the Three-Vessel and Trachea View. Fatima Crispi

## Life streaming sessions 🍈

Thursday 23th of May

Real-tasking: Echocardiography Demonstration. Olga Gomez/ Josep M. Martinez Open Discussion. Mar Bennasar / Fatima Crispi/ Olga Gomez/ Josep M. Martinez Conclusions. Josep M. Martinez







Josep M. Martinez

Olga Gomez

Mar Bennasar



Fatima Crispi

# **Preterm Birth**







Francesc Figueras

• Prediction and prevention of Preterm Birth. Eduard Gratacós

Eduard Gratacós

Teresa Cobo

**Multiple Gestation** 



**Online classes** 

Monday 27th of May

• Management of preterm birth. Teresa Cobo

Life streaming sessions

Teresa Cobo Open Discussion.

Conclusions. **Eduard Gratacós** 

• Premature Rupture of Membranes. Francesc Figueras

Real-tasking: Cervical Length/Cerclage Demonstration.

Teresa Cobo/ Francesc Figueras/ Eduard Gratacós

- Dichorionic. Mar Bennasar
- Monochorionic 1. Eduard Gratacós
- Monochorionic 2. Josep M. Martinez

## Life streaming sessions

Thursday 30th of May

Real-tasking: Clinical Cases. **Mar Bennasar** Open Discussion. Mar Bennasar/Eduard Gratacós/ Josep M. Martinez Conclusions. **Eduard Gratacós** 







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Josep M. Martinez

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# **Perinatal Infections**

## Online classes

- Cytomegalovirus. Anna Gonce
- Toxoplasma. Anna Gonce
- Emerging infections: syphilis, Chagas and HBV. Marta Lopez

### Life streaming sessions 🍈

Monday 3rd of June

Real-tasking: Clinical Cases. Anna Gonce/ Marta Lopez Open Discussion. Anna Gonce/ Marta Lopez Conclusions. Francesc Figueras





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# **High-risk Delivery**

### Online classes

- Postpartum haemorrhage. Marta Lopez
- Placenta accreta. Marta Lopez
- Labor induction. Lola Gomez

### Life streaming sessions

Thursday 6th of June

Real-tasking: Management of Postpartum Hemorrhage. Marta Lopez / Lola Gomez Open Discussion. Marta Lopez / Lola Gomez / Francesc Figueras Conclusions. Francesc Figueras





Lola Gomez Marta Lopez



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