



## Postgraduate Certificate

Alcoholic Liver Disease and Metabolic Hepatic Steatosis

» Modality: Online

» Duration: 6 weeks

» Certificate: TECH Global University

» Accreditation: 6 ECTS

» Schedule: at your own pace

» Exams: online

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The increase in alcohol consumption in recent years, especially among younger people, in turn increases the chances of developing alcoholic liver disease in the future. This obliges specialists to be prepared to approach this type of pathology with the greatest possible rigor and scientific updating.

Also of concern is the high prevalence of other pathologies such as metabolic hepatic steatosis, which is so prevalent in society due in part to the current pace of life and habits. This also makes it a preferred field of research for specialists in various fields, especially hematology.

This TECH program brings together the most recent scientific postulates and advances regarding these two pathologies, bringing together the clinical manifestations, epidemiology, diagnoses and treatments currently in force. Thus, the specialist will be accessing a high-quality program, designed to meet his or her most demanding updating needs.

In addition, it is a 100% online Postgraduate Certificate that provides the student with the ease of being able to study it comfortably, wherever and whenever he/she wants. All you need is a device with internet access to take your career one step further. A modality in line with the current times with all the guarantees to position the medical professional in a highly demanded field.

This Postgraduate Certificate in Alcoholic Liver Disease Metabolic Hepatic Steatosis contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market. The most important features include:

- More than 80 clinical cases presented by experts in the different specialties. The graphic, schematic, and eminently practical contents with which they are created, provide scientific and practical information on the disciplines that are essential for professional practice
- New diagnoses and treatments for different hepatic pathologies
- Presentation of practical workshops on procedures, diagnosis, and treatment techniques
- An algorithm-based interactive learning system for decision-making in the clinical situations presented throughout the course
- With a special emphasis on evidence-based medicine and research methodologies in the field of hepatology
- All of this will be complemented by theoretical lessons, questions to the expert, debate forums on controversial topics, and individual reflection assignments
- Content that is accessible from any fixed or portable device with an Internet connection



You will broaden and modernize all your knowledge about liver cancer and transplantation in metabolic hepatic steatosis"



A unique university course, 100% online, that you can study comfortably at the time that best suits you, reconciling your specialization with your personal life"

The program's teaching staff includes professionals from the sector who contribute their work experience to this training program, as well as renowned specialists from leading societies and prestigious universities.

The multimedia content, developed with the latest educational technology, will provide the professional with situated and contextual learning, i.e., a simulated environment that will provide immersive training programmed to train in real situations.

This program is designed around Problem Based Learning, whereby the professional must try to solve the different professional practice situations that arise during the academic year. For this purpose, the professional will be assisted by an innovative interactive video system created by renowned and experienced experts.

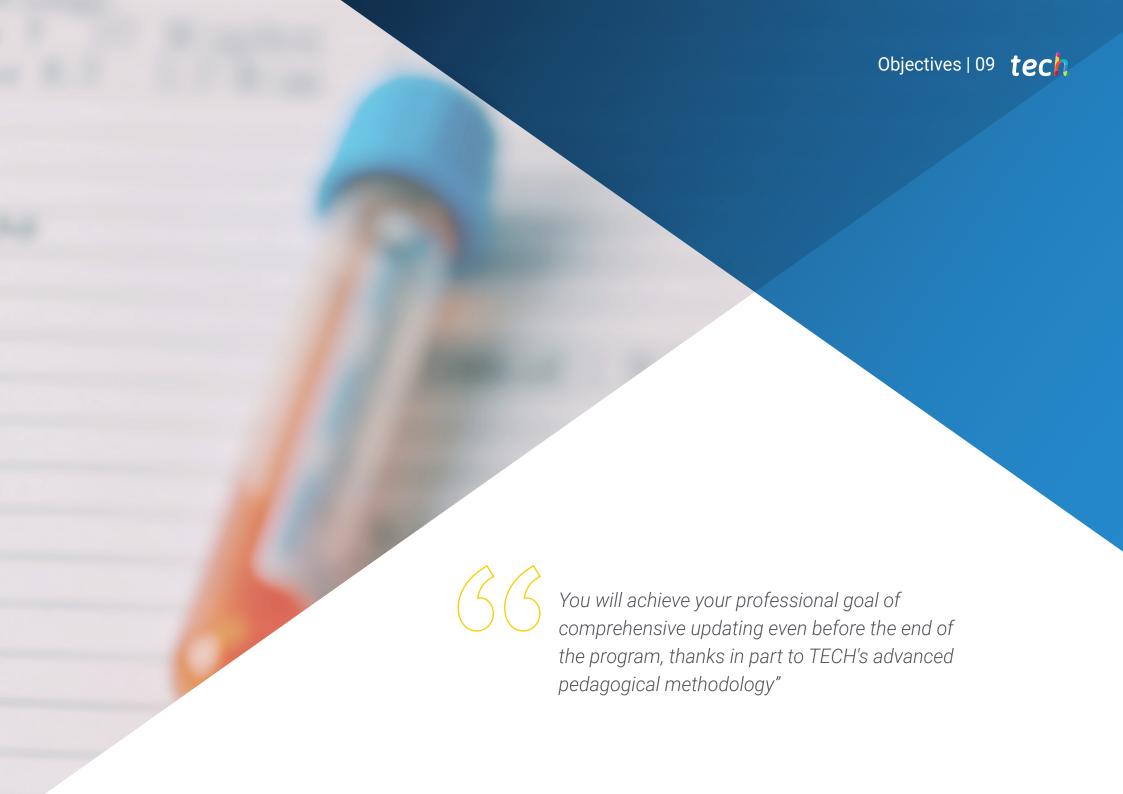
Thanks to this TECH university course you will have at your disposal the most current knowledge in liver transplantation in ALD.

A whole team of great professionals will be advising you during the program, offering you unparalleled personalized attention.





The program of this Postgraduate Certificate, together with a unique teaching methodology, will allow the student to achieve the proposed objectives, in order to update and study in depth the medical branch of hepatology with the most updated knowledge on ALD and MetHS. To this end, different expert hepatologists have poured their knowledge into the development of the points of the study plan, which will provide the professional with a complete perspective and a current approach, with full training for the achievement of his or her academic goal. For this reason, TECH establishes a series of general and specific objectives that the future graduate will master after completing this course.



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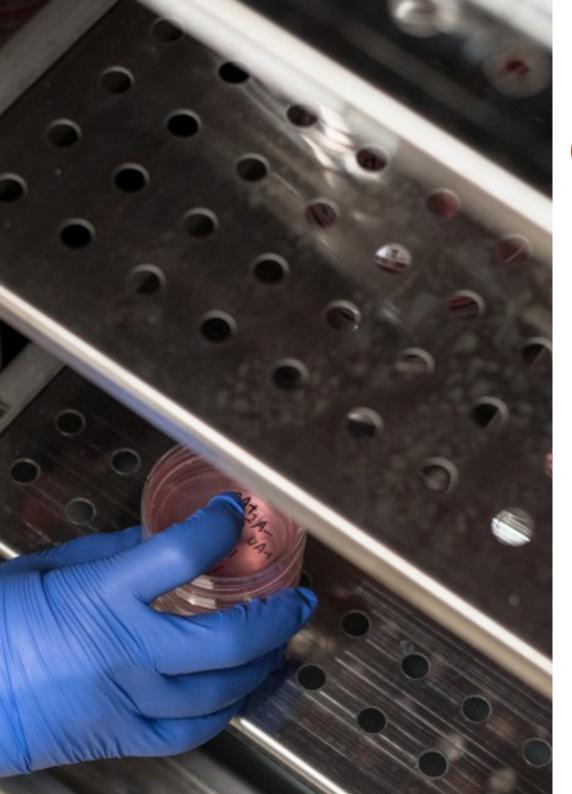
## **General Objective**

• Expand the specialist's knowledge in the management of patients with liver disease, taking into account the latest advances in the field of hepatology, in order to provide quality and safe care and to improve the prognosis of the disease



You will have at your disposal the best possible syllabus and academic resources on diagnosis, pathogenesis and clinical manifestations of ALD and MetHS"





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## **Specific Objective**

- Learn the most recent developments in alcoholic liver disease
- Delve into the complications that can arise and modern diagnostics for OH cirrhosis and OH acute hepatitis
- Address state-of-the-art methodology in liver transplantation in HD and MetHS
- Study pioneering treatments for metabolic hepatic steatosis





#### **International Guest Director**

Dr. Doan Y. Dao is an internationally recognized figure in the study and care of patients affected by Hepatitis B virus (HBV). As director of the Center of Excellence for Liver Disease in Vietnam (COE), he leads Johns Hopkins University's initiatives to help address the growing, urgent and significant disease burden of Liver Cancer caused by Hepatitis B in Vietnam.

As CEO, Dr. Dao is responsible for managing projects that contribute to the delivery of medical services to combat these diseases. This is an ongoing collaboration with the Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, where he also fosters scientific research and educational activities related to specialization in diagnosis and effective therapeutic treatments.

As a member of the Board of Directors of V-VHA (Vietnam Viral Hepatitis Alliance), he has played a crucial role in promoting clinical care and international scientific studies in HBV. In addition, he was co-chair of the National Task Force on Hepatitis B: Focus on Asian and Pacific Islander Americans, where he worked tirelessly to raise awareness of the condition.

He has received several awards throughout his career, such as the Hepatitis Fund for the Cure Postdoctoral Research Fellowship (2014), awarded by the American Liver Foundation; or the Asian Heritage Award in Public Health (2016), presented by the Asian Heritage Society of California. In addition, he was named Everyday Hero (2016) by the American Liver Foundation, thanks to his efforts in addressing Hepatitis B, both in the United States and Vietnam. His clinical training in Internal Medicine and Gastroenterology and Hepatology at UT Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas, Texas, along with his commitment to academic medicine, have allowed him to lead groundbreaking research in search of a cure for HBV.



## Dr. Dao, Doan Y

- Director of the Center of Excellence for Liver Disease in Vietnam (COE) at the
- Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
- Assistant Professor of Medicine, Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine
- Co-Chair of the National Task Force on Hepatitis B: Focus on Asian and Pacific Islander Americans
- Fellow in Internal Medicine, Gastroenterology and Hepatology at UT Southwestern Dallas Medical Center
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- Hepatitis B Foundation
- Dallas Fort Worth (DFW) Hepatitis B Free



Thanks to TECH, you will be able to learn with the best professionals in the world"

#### Management



#### Dr. García Samaniego, Javier

- Head of the Hepatology Department, La Paz University Hospital, Madrid
- Group Leader and Lead Researcher of the Hepatic and Digestive Diseases at the La Paz University Hospital/IdiPAZ. CIBERehd of the Carlos III Health Institute, Madrid
- Trustee of the Biomedical Research Foundation of La Paz University Hospital and member of the Governing Council of IdiPAZ.
- Coordinator at the Alliance for the Elimination of Viral Hepatitis in Spain (AEHVE)
- He graduated in medicine from the University of Santiago in 1983 and obtained his PhD in 1996 from the Autonomous University of Madrid
- He has participated in numerous nationally and internationally funded research projects
- FIS and ANEP project evaluator
- He has been a member of the board of directors of the AEEH and of the Regional Ethics and Clinical Research Committee of the Community of Madrid
- He has participated in Guidelines and therapeutic protocols for viral hepatitis: consensus for the treatment of viral hepatitis in HIV-positive patients
- Coordinator for the Spanish Guidelines for the treatment of hepatitis B promoted by the AEEH (2020).
- Lead investigator in more than 60 international clinical trials on the treatment of viral hepatitis.
- Guest lecturer at numerous national and international congresses, as well as in Spanish and international forums, especially on the management of viral hepatitis B and C treatment. He has participated in the elaboration of the AEEH hepatitis C elimination document (2019) and is the coordinator of the hepatitis B treatment guidelines (2020)



## Course Management | 17 tech

#### **Professors**

#### Dr. Abadía, Marta

- Digestive System Attending. La Paz University Hospital (May 2017 Present).
- Digestive System Specialist. Residency at La Paz University Hospital (2013 2017)
- Access by MIR exam (Position: 239)
- External rotation at the Hepatology and Liver Transplant Unit of the Clinic Institute of Digestive and Metabolic Diseases (Hospital Clinic de Barcelona)
- PhD from the Autonomous University of Madrid with outstanding mention CUMLAUDE for the thesis on "Non-invasive assessment of hepatic venous pressure gradient in patients with cirrhosis and portal hypertension following recovery from hepatitis C virus"
- EMILIO MOYANO Award for the best oral presentation at the XXVIII Jornada Nacional de Ecografía Digestiva (May 2017): "Two-dimensional hepatic elastometry, shear wave, in the assessment of clinically significant portal hypertension"
- Degree in Medicine. Navarra University, Faculty of Medicine, Spain (2006 2012)

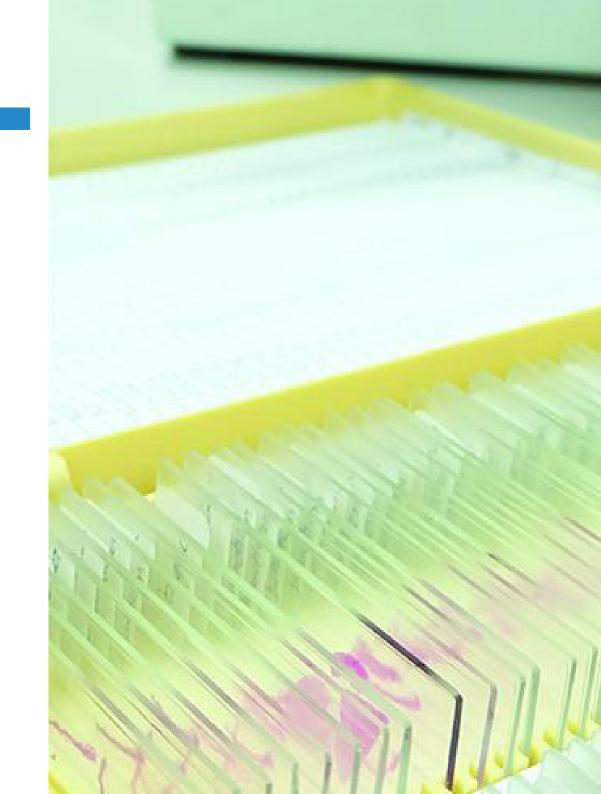




## tech 20 | Structure and Content

#### **Module 1.** Alcoholic Liver Disease and Metabolic Hepatic Steatosis

- 1.1 Alcoholic Liver Disease (ALD): Epi., Clinical Manifestations and Natural History
- 1.2 ALD: Diagnosis and Severity Assessment
- 1.3 Acute Hepatitis
- 1.4 Cirrhosis
- 1.5 Liver Transplantation in ALD
- 1.6 Metabolic Hepatic Steatosis (MetHS): Definition, Epi and Natural History
- 1.7 MetHS: Pathogenesis and Role of the Intestinal Microbiota
- 1.8 MetHS: Diagnosis
- 1.9 MetHS: Treatment
- 1.10 Liver Cancer and Transplantation in MetHS

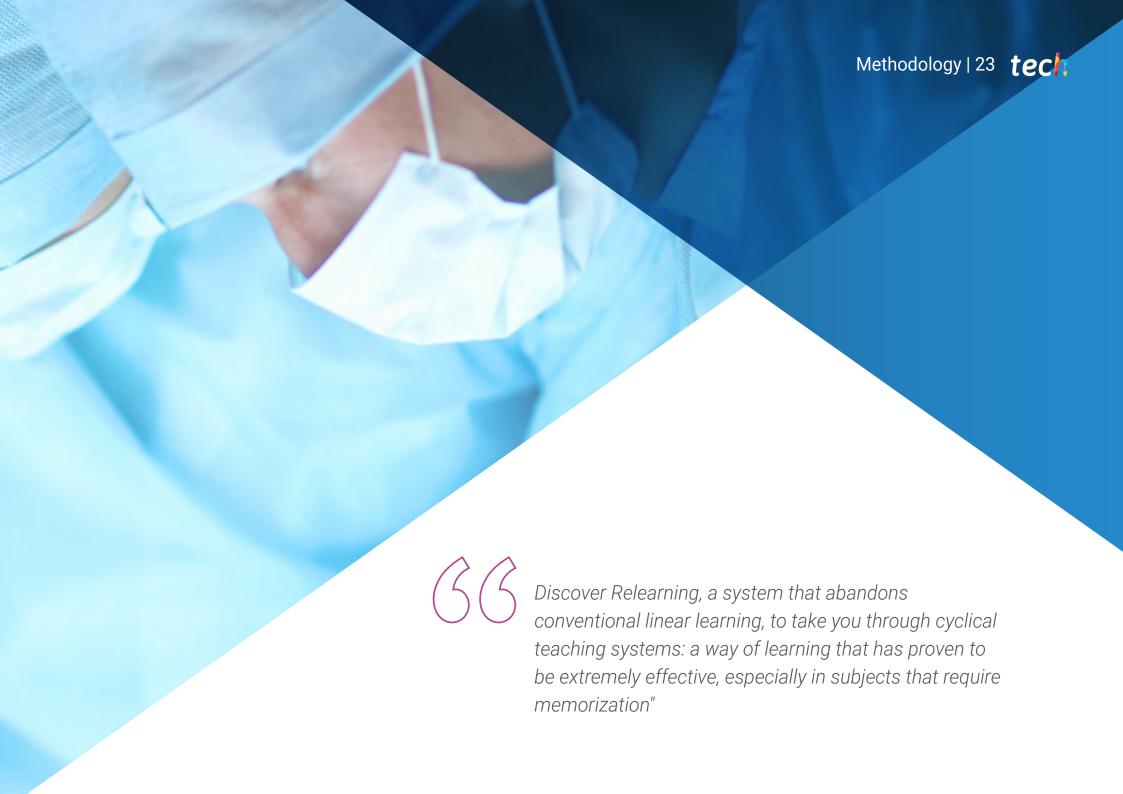






You will be able to contextualize all the updates offered thanks to the real clinical cases proposed by the teaching team"





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#### At TECH, we use the Case Method

What should a professional do in a given situation? Throughout the program, students will face multiple simulated clinical cases, based on real patients, in which they will have to do research, establish hypotheses, and ultimately resolve the situation. There is an abundance of scientific evidence on the effectiveness of the method. Specialists learn better, faster, and more sustainably over time.

With TECH you will experience a way of learning that is shaking the foundations of traditional universities around the world.



According to Dr. Gérvas, the clinical case is the annotated presentation of a patient, or group of patients, which becomes a "case", an example or model that illustrates some peculiar clinical component, either because of its teaching power or because of its uniqueness or rarity. It is essential that the case is based on current professional life, trying to recreate the real conditions in the physician's professional practice.



Did you know that this method was developed in 1912, at Harvard, for law students? The case method consisted of presenting students with real-life, complex situations for them to make decisions and justify their decisions on how to solve them. In 1924, Harvard adopted it as a standard teaching method"

#### The effectiveness of the method is justified by four fundamental achievements:

- Students who follow this method not only achieve the assimilation of concepts, but also a development of their mental capacity, through exercises that evaluate real situations and the application of knowledge.
- 2. Learning is solidly translated into practical skills that allow the student to better integrate into the real world.
- 3. Ideas and concepts are understood more efficiently, given that the example situations are based on real-life.
- 4. Students like to feel that the effort they put into their studies is worthwhile. This then translates into a greater interest in learning and more time dedicated to working on the course.





#### Relearning Methodology

At TECH we enhance the Harvard case method with the best 100% online teaching methodology available: Relearning.

Our University is the first in the world to combine the study of clinical cases with a 100% online learning system based on repetition, combining a minimum of 8 different elements in each lesson, which represent a real revolution with respect to simply studying and analyzing cases.

The physician will learn through real cases and by solving complex situations in simulated learning environments. These simulations are developed using state-of-theart software to facilitate immersive learning.



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At the forefront of world teaching, the Relearning method has managed to improve the overall satisfaction levels of professionals who complete their studies, with respect to the quality indicators of the best online university (Columbia University).

With this methodology, more than 250,000 physicians have been trained with unprecedented success in all clinical specialties regardless of surgical load. Our pedagogical methodology is developed in a highly competitive environment, with a university student body with a strong socioeconomic profile and an average age of 43.5 years old.

Relearning will allow you to learn with less effort and better performance, involving you more in your specialization, developing a critical mindset, defending arguments, and contrasting opinions: a direct equation to success.

In our program, learning is not a linear process, but rather a spiral (learn, unlearn, forget, and re-learn). Therefore, we combine each of these elements concentrically.

The overall score obtained by TECH's learning system is 8.01, according to the highest international standards.

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This program offers the best educational material, prepared with professionals in mind:



#### **Study Material**

All teaching material is produced by the specialists who teach the course, specifically for the course, so that the teaching content is highly specific and precise.

These contents are then adapted in audiovisual format, to create the TECH online working method. All this, with the latest techniques that offer high-quality pieces in each and every one of the materials that are made available to the student.



#### **Surgical Techniques and Procedures on Video**

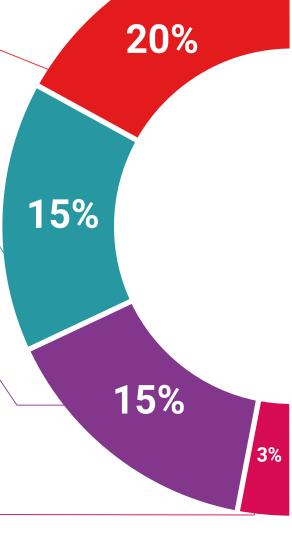
TECH introduces students to the latest techniques, the latest educational advances and to the forefront of current medical techniques. All of this in direct contact with students and explained in detail so as to aid their assimilation and understanding. And best of all, you can watch the videos as many times as you like.



#### **Interactive Summaries**

The TECH team presents the contents attractively and dynamically in multimedia lessons that include audio, videos, images, diagrams, and concept maps in order to reinforce knowledge.

This exclusive educational system for presenting multimedia content was awarded by Microsoft as a "European Success Story".





#### **Additional Reading**

Recent articles, consensus documents and international guidelines, among others. In TECH's virtual library, students will have access to everything they need to complete their course.

#### **Expert-Led Case Studies and Case Analysis**

Effective learning ought to be contextual. Therefore, TECH presents real cases in which the expert will guide students, focusing on and solving the different situations: a clear and direct way to achieve the highest degree of understanding.



#### **Testing & Retesting**

We periodically evaluate and re-evaluate students' knowledge throughout the program, through assessment and self-assessment activities and exercises, so that they can see how they are achieving their goals.



#### Classes

There is scientific evidence on the usefulness of learning by observing experts.

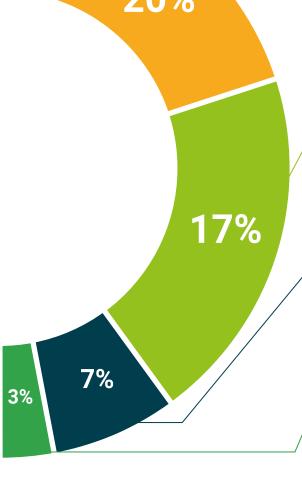
The system known as Learning from an Expert strengthens knowledge and memory, and generates confidence in future difficult decisions.



#### **Quick Action Guides**

TECH offers the most relevant contents of the course in the form of worksheets or quick action guides. A synthetic, practical, and effective way to help students progress in their learning.











This Postgraduate Certificate in Alcoholic Liver Disease and Metabolic Hepatic Steatosis endorsed by TECH Global University, the world's largest online university.

**TECH Global University**, is an official European University publicly recognized by the Government of Andorra (official bulletin). Andorra is part of the European Higher Education Area (EHEA) since 2003. The EHEA is an initiative promoted by the European Union that aims to organize the international training framework and harmonize the higher education systems of the member countries of this space. The project promotes common values, the implementation of collaborative tools and strengthening its quality assurance mechanisms to enhance collaboration and mobility among students, researchers and academics.

This **TECH Global University title**, is a European program of continuing education and professional updating that guarantees the acquisition of competencies in its area of knowledge, providing a high curricular value to the student who completes the program.

Title: Postgraduate Certificate in Alcoholic Liver Disease and Metabolic Hepatic Steatosis

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Accreditation: 6 ECTS



Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_, with identification document \_\_\_\_\_\_ has successfully passed and obtained the title of:

#### Postgraduate Certificate in Alcoholic Liver Disease and Metabolic Hepatic Steatosis

This is a private qualification of 180 hours of duration equivalent to 6 ECTS, with a start date of dd/mm/yyyy and an end date of dd/mm/yyyy.

TECH Global University is a university officially recognized by the Government of Andorra on the 31st of January of 2024, which belongs to the European Higher Education Area (EHEA).

In Andorra la Vella, on the 28th of February of 2024



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