

# Postgraduate Certificate

Assessment of Injury  
and Accidents in Legal  
and Forensic Nursing



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### Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing

- » Modality: online
- » Duration: 6 weeks
- » Certificate: TECH Global University
- » Accreditation: 7 ECTS
- » Schedule: at your own pace
- » Exams: online

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# 01

# Introduction

The specialty of Legal and Forensic Nursing is in high demand internationally. To date, it has been relatively unknown in our country due to an overreliance on related professionals to determine causality and responsibility for certain events and individuals when being judged.

Many doctors, nurses, and specialists wish to educate themselves in this field to either expand or begin their training in the branch of Forensic Science.





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*This training will provide you with a sense of security in nursing practice, which will help you grow personally and professionally”*

This Postgraduate Certificate allows for the integration of scientific application with the practical experience already exercised, while simultaneously adapting to new technologies through the implementation of online training.

It allows the student to learn the basic principles necessary for the study of forensic thanatology, forensic pathology, forensic sexology, forensic toxicology, forensic psychiatry, damage assessment, anthropology, and criminology.

The Postgraduate Certificate meets the needs of professionals who demand adequate knowledge to enable them to carry out forensic assessments and expert reports, as well as the ability and fluency to ratify their opinion and understand the stages of the legal proceedings when necessary. At the same time, it offers the possibility for all students to learn how to assess not only bodily injury, but also to quantify negligence, assess disability, and determine disabilities.

Currently, law firms and private clients require a forensic expert examination for most of their procedures. It is for this reason, in addition to the lack of existing professionals, that we consider it appropriate to implement a correct, up-to-date, and especially useful syllabus for the daily practice of this activity.



*Enhance your knowledge in Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing through this program, where you will find the best educational materials with real clinical cases. Discover the latest advancements in forensic nursing to carry out high-quality work in this field"*

This **Postgraduate Certificate in Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing** contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market. The most important features include:

- ♦ Development of over 75 practical cases presented by experts in Forensic Nursing. The graphic, schematic, and practical contents with which they are created provide scientific and practical information on the disciplines that are essential for professional practice
- ♦ Updates on care and intervention in the role of legal and forensic nursing
- ♦ It contains practical exercises where the self-assessment process can be carried out to improve learning
- ♦ Algorithm-based interactive learning system for decision making in the situations that are presented to the student
- ♦ With a special focus on evidence-based nursing and research methodologies in the Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing
- ♦ 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

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*This Postgraduate Certificate may be the best investment you can make when selecting an update program for two reasons: in addition to refreshing your knowledge in Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing, you will receive a diploma for the Postgraduate Certificate awarded by TECH Global University”*

*Increase your decision-making confidence by updating your knowledge through this program.*

*Take advantage of the opportunity to learn about the latest advancements in Forensic Nursing and develop yourself in this fascinating field.*

The teaching staff includes professionals from the field of Forensic Nursing, who bring their experience to this training program, as well as renowned specialists from leading scientific societies.

Thanks to its multimedia content, developed with the latest educational technology, professionals will benefit from situated and contextual learning—simulated environments designed to provide immersive learning experiences that prepare them for real-life situations.

This program is designed around Problem-Based Learning, whereby the student must try to solve the different professional practice situations that arise during the course. For this, the nurse will have the support of an innovative interactive video system created by renowned experts in the field of Forensic Nursing, with extensive teaching experience.





# 02 Objectives

The Postgraduate Certificate in Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing is designed to assist nurses in assessing bodily harm in legal situations where their clinical expertise is required.





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*This course is aimed at helping you update your knowledge in the assessment of bodily harm in forensic nursing, using the latest educational technology to contribute with quality and safety to decision-making in this emerging field”*



## General Objectives

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- Update the professional's knowledge with special training and interest in the field of Forensic and Legal Nursing
- Promote work strategies based on a comprehensive approach to the expert witness as a reference model to achieve expert-level excellence
- Foster the acquisition of technical skills and abilities, through a powerful audiovisual system, and the possibility of development through online simulation workshops and/or specific education
- Encourage professional stimulation through continued specialization and research





## Specific Objectives

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- Describe the different cadaveric phenomena
- Identify whether injuries are vital, perimortal or postvital
- Explain the process of removal of the body



*Take advantage of the opportunity and take the step to update yourself on the latest advancements in Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing"*

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# Course Management

The program includes in its teaching staff renowned experts in Forensic and Legal Nursing, who contribute their work experience to this course. Additionally, other recognized specialists participate in its design and preparation, which means that the program is developed in an interdisciplinary manner.





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*Learn the latest advances in Forensic Nursing  
procedures from leading professionals”*

## Faculty

### **Ms. Aguirre Pastor, Verónica**

- ♦ Legal and Forensic Expert in the Professional Association of Criminologists of Spain
- ♦ Specialist in Pathological Anatomy at the Technical School of Specialist Education in the Community of Madrid



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# Structure and Content

The structure of the content has been designed by a team of professionals from the best forensic centers and universities nationwide, aware of the importance of up-to-date training to intervene in situations that require the legal and forensic approach of the nurse, and committed to delivering quality education through new educational technologies.



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*This Postgraduate Certificate in Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market”*

## Module 1. Damage Assessment

- 1.1. Expert Evaluation and Appraisal
  - 1.1.1. Definition of Terms
  - 1.1.2. Expert Evaluation
  - 1.1.3. Expert Appraisal
- 1.2. Judicial and Extrajudicial Evidence
  - 1.2.1. Concept of Evidence
  - 1.2.2. Means of Evidence
  - 1.2.3. Types of Evidence
  - 1.2.4. Areas of Action
  - 1.2.5. When Expert Evidence is Requested
  - 1.2.6. Conducting the Evidence
- 1.3. The Experts
  - 1.3.1. Concept
  - 1.3.2. Types of Experts
  - 1.3.3. Procedure for Expert Appointment
  - 1.3.4. Conditions Required for an Expert
  - 1.3.5. Impartiality Control of Experts
  - 1.3.6. Expert Fees
- 1.4. Expert Examination
  - 1.4.1. Examination
  - 1.4.2. Expert Examination
  - 1.4.3. Judicial Expert Opinions and Reports
  - 1.4.4. Evaluation of Expert Evidence
  - 1.4.5. Expert Involvement in Court or Hearings



- 1.5. Legislation
  - 1.5.1. Operation and Legislation
  - 1.5.2. Judicial Expert Code of Ethics
- 1.6. Liability
  - 1.6.1. Concept
  - 1.6.2. Types of Liability
  - 1.6.3. Civil Liability Insurance
- 1.7. Preparation of Report/Opinion
  - 1.7.1. Characteristics and Structure
  - 1.7.2. Requirements
  - 1.7.3. Advice
- 1.8. Evaluation of Expert Evidence
  - 1.8.1. Concept
  - 1.8.2. Evaluation of Evidence by Judges and Courts
- 1.9. Expert Evaluations
  - 1.9.1. Medico-Legal
  - 1.9.2. Psychological



*A unique, essential and decisive  
learning experience to boost your  
professional development"*



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# Study Methodology

TECH is the world's first university to combine the **case study** methodology with **Relearning**, a 100% online learning system based on guided repetition.

This disruptive pedagogical strategy has been conceived to offer professionals the opportunity to update their knowledge and develop their skills in an intensive and rigorous way. A learning model that places students at the center of the educational process giving them the leading role, adapting to their needs and leaving aside more conventional methodologies.





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*TECH will prepare you to face new challenges in uncertain environments and achieve success in your career”*

## The student: the priority of all TECH programs

In TECH's study methodology, the student is the main protagonist.

The teaching tools of each program have been selected taking into account the demands of time, availability and academic rigor that, today, not only students demand but also the most competitive positions in the market.

With TECH's asynchronous educational model, it is students who choose the time they dedicate to study, how they decide to establish their routines, and all this from the comfort of the electronic device of their choice. The student will not have to participate in live classes, which in many cases they will not be able to attend. The learning activities will be done when it is convenient for them. They can always decide when and from where they want to study.

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*At TECH you will NOT have live classes  
(which you might not be able to attend)”*



### The most comprehensive study plans at the international level

TECH is distinguished by offering the most complete academic itineraries on the university scene. This comprehensiveness is achieved through the creation of syllabi that not only cover the essential knowledge, but also the most recent innovations in each area.

By being constantly up to date, these programs allow students to keep up with market changes and acquire the skills most valued by employers. In this way, those who complete their studies at TECH receive a comprehensive education that provides them with a notable competitive advantage to further their careers.

And what's more, they will be able to do so from any device, pc, tablet or smartphone.

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*TECH's model is asynchronous, so it allows you to study with your pc, tablet or your smartphone wherever you want, whenever you want and for as long as you want”*



## Case Studies and Case Method

The case method has been the learning system most used by the world's best business schools. Developed in 1912 so that law students would not only learn the law based on theoretical content, its function was also to present them with real complex situations. In this way, they could make informed decisions and value judgments about how to resolve them. In 1924, Harvard adopted it as a standard teaching method.

With this teaching model, it is students themselves who build their professional competence through strategies such as Learning by Doing or Design Thinking, used by other renowned institutions such as Yale or Stanford.

This action-oriented method will be applied throughout the entire academic itinerary that the student undertakes with TECH. Students will be confronted with multiple real-life situations and will have to integrate knowledge, research, discuss and defend their ideas and decisions. All this with the premise of answering the question of how they would act when facing specific events of complexity in their daily work.





## Relearning Methodology

At TECH, case studies are enhanced with the best 100% online teaching method: Relearning.

This method breaks with traditional teaching techniques to put the student at the center of the equation, providing the best content in different formats. In this way, it manages to review and reiterate the key concepts of each subject and learn to apply them in a real context.

In the same line, and according to multiple scientific researches, reiteration is the best way to learn. For this reason, TECH offers between 8 and 16 repetitions of each key concept within the same lesson, presented in a different way, with the objective of ensuring that the knowledge is completely consolidated during the study process.

*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.*



## A 100% online Virtual Campus with the best teaching resources

In order to apply its methodology effectively, TECH focuses on providing graduates with teaching materials in different formats: texts, interactive videos, illustrations and knowledge maps, among others. All of them are designed by qualified teachers who focus their work on combining real cases with the resolution of complex situations through simulation, the study of contexts applied to each professional career and learning based on repetition, through audios, presentations, animations, images, etc.

The latest scientific evidence in the field of Neuroscience points to the importance of taking into account the place and context where the content is accessed before starting a new learning process. Being able to adjust these variables in a personalized way helps people to remember and store knowledge in the hippocampus to retain it in the long term. This is a model called Neurocognitive context-dependent e-learning that is consciously applied in this university qualification.

In order to facilitate tutor-student contact as much as possible, you will have a wide range of communication possibilities, both in real time and delayed (internal messaging, telephone answering service, email contact with the technical secretary, chat and videoconferences).

Likewise, this very complete Virtual Campus will allow TECH students to organize their study schedules according to their personal availability or work obligations. In this way, they will have global control of the academic content and teaching tools, based on their fast-paced professional update.



*The online study mode of this program will allow you to organize your time and learning pace, adapting it to your schedule”*

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

1. Students who follow this method not only achieve the assimilation of concepts, but also a development of their mental capacity, through exercises that assess 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.

### The university methodology top-rated by its students

The results of this innovative teaching model can be seen in the overall satisfaction levels of TECH graduates.

The students' assessment of the teaching quality, the quality of the materials, the structure of the program and its objectives is excellent. Not surprisingly, the institution became the top-rated university by its students according to the global score index, obtaining a 4.9 out of 5.

*Access the study contents from any device with an Internet connection (computer, tablet, smartphone) thanks to the fact that TECH is at the forefront of technology and teaching.*

*You will be able to learn with the advantages that come with having access to simulated learning environments and the learning by observation approach, that is, Learning from an expert.*



As such, the best educational materials, thoroughly prepared, will be available in this program:



#### 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.

This content is then adapted in an audiovisual format that will create our way of working online, with the latest techniques that allow us to offer you high quality in all of the material that we provide you with.



#### Practicing Skills and Abilities

You will carry out activities to develop specific competencies and skills in each thematic field. Exercises and activities to acquire and develop the skills and abilities that a specialist needs to develop within the framework of the globalization we live in.



#### Interactive Summaries

We present 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".

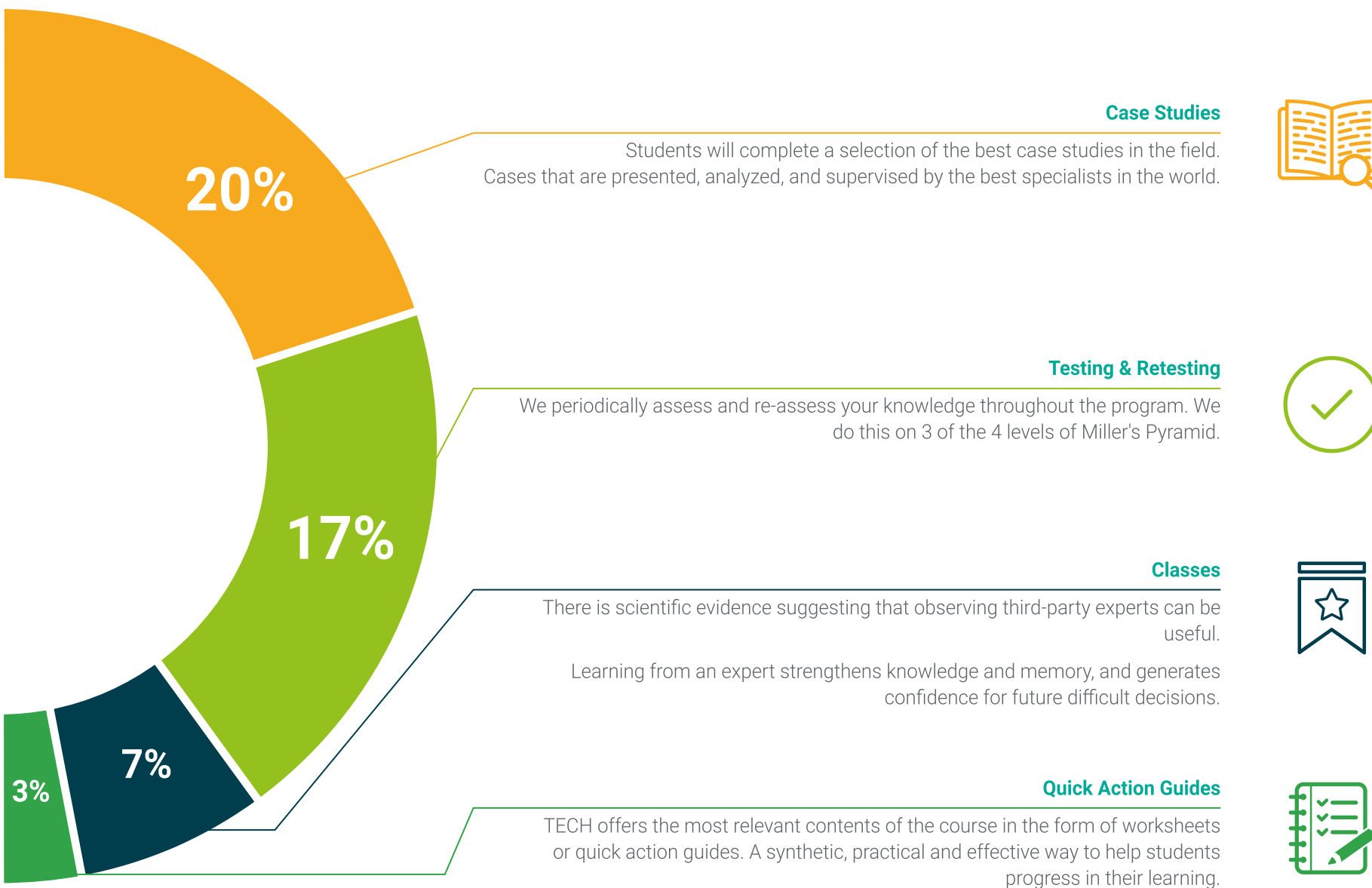


#### Additional Reading

Recent articles, consensus documents, international guides... In our virtual library you will have access to everything you need to complete your education.







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The Postgraduate Certificate in Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing guarantees students, in addition to the most rigorous and up-to-date education, access to a diploma for the Postgraduate Certificate issued by TECH Global University.



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*Successfully complete this program and receive  
your university qualification without having to  
travel or fill out laborious paperwork”*



This private qualification will allow you to obtain a diploma for the **Postgraduate Certificate in Assessment of Injury and Accidents in Legal and Forensic Nursing** 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** private qualification, 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.

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