## Postgraduate Certificate Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals



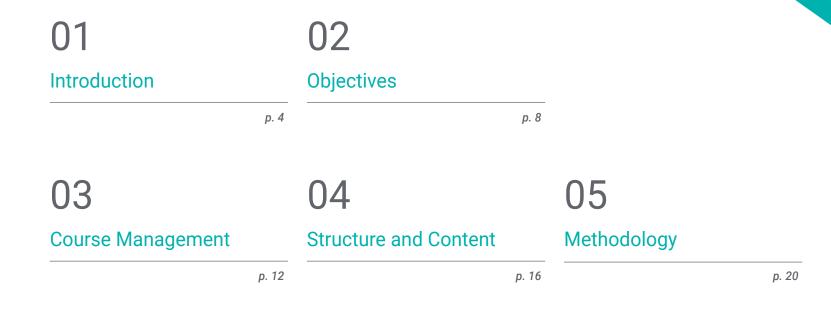


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- » Modality: online
- » Duration: 6 weeks
- » Certificate: TECH Global University
- » Credits: 6 ECTS
- » Schedule: at your own pace
- » Exams: online

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## 01 Introduction

Dermatological diseases represent one of the main causes of consultation in equine clinics. The first part of the program deals with the diagnostic approach to horses with skin problems, as well as the main diagnostic methods, and also delves into endocrine pathologies in horses.

In addition, this program addresses endocrine and dermatological disorders in cattle, small ruminants and camelids. The knowledge of dermatological alterations is fundamental since it covers numerous pathologies including some highly contagious diseases among the animals of a farm.

Do not miss the opportunity to study with us this Postgraduate Certificate in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals. It's the perfect opportunity to advance in your career"

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The Postgraduate Certificate in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals incorporates innovative knowledge, based on the latest scientific evidence, that allows veterinary professionals to stay up-to-date on the newest treatments and emerging diseases that affect large animals across the world as a consequence of globalization.

Clinical practice is a very dynamic activity, new treatments are constantly appearing in scientific publications and veterinarians must be aware of them in order to be able to offer these options to their clients. Each of the modules in this Postgraduate Certificate covers one of the organ systems, with emphasis on those systems that are most frequently affected in the large animals.

Horses are animals that are used both for leisure and as companion animals, as well as in different sports disciplines, which adds an important added economic value. The horse clinician faces the challenges posed by these patients on a daily basis. Gastrointestinal pathologies are the most frequent cause of emergency calls from owners. Many of these horses suffer from mild illnesses that are resolved with appropriate treatments, but a small group suffer very serious injuries that require surgical treatment. It is necessary to interpret the clinical signs of these patients promptly in order to improve their prognosis; this Postgraduate Certificate provides the main tools to successfully deal with these cases.

Sports medicine forms an important block within Equine Internal Medicine, since many of the horses we have today are dedicated to sporting activities. Working with these horses is very rewarding but also requires a high degree of specialization, especially in pathologies that affect the cardiorespiratory system. This Postgraduate Certificate generates specialized knowledge that allows the equine clinician to evaluate the athletic prognosis of those patients with conditions that influence their athletic performance.

This **Postgraduate Certificate in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals** contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market. The most important features include:

- Practical studies presented by experts in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals
- The graphic, schematic, and practical contents with which they are created, provide scientific and practical information on the disciplines that are essential for professional development
- Latest innovations on Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals
- Practical exercises where self-assessment can be used to improve learning
- Special emphasis on innovative methodologies in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals
- 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



Get trained with us and learn how to diagnose and treat diseases in large animals, in order to improve their quality of life"

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This Postgraduate Certificate is the best investment you can make when choosing a refresher program to update your existing knowledge of Endocrinology in Large Animals"

The teaching staff includes professionals from the field of veterinary medicine, who bring to this training the experience of their work, in addition to recognized specialists from reference 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 learning programmed to train in real situations.

This program is designed around Problem-Based Learning, whereby the specialist must try to solve the different professional practice situations that arise throughout the program. For this, the professional will have the help of an innovative interactive video system made by renowned and experienced experts in Internal Medicine in Large Animals. This training comes with the best didactic material, providing you with a contextual approach that will facilitate your learning.

A 100% online program will allow you to combine your studies with your professional work while increasing your knowledge in this field.

# 02 **Objectives**

The Postgraduate Certificate in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals is designed to facilitate the performance of the veterinary professional with the latest advances and most innovative treatments in the sector.

) Esta es la mejor opción para conocer los últimos avances en Endocrinología y Dermatología en Especies Mayores"

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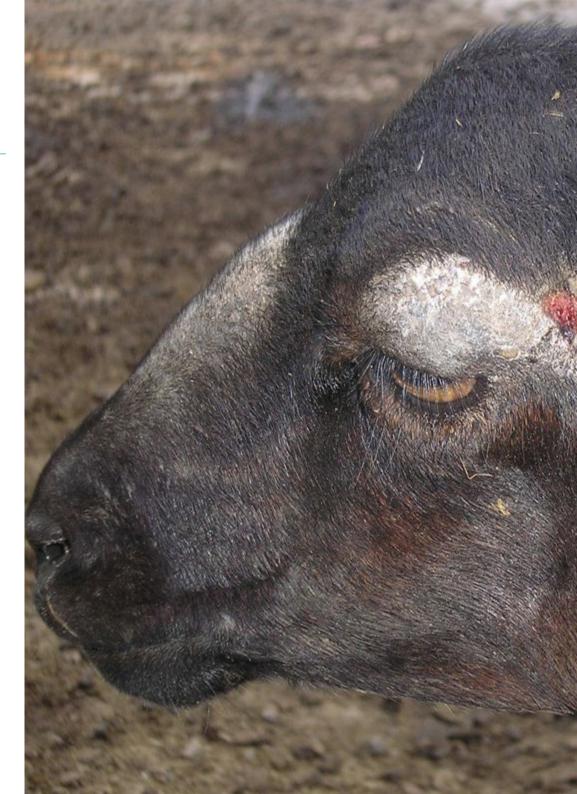


### **General Objectives**

- Generate specialized knowledge of the most common vascular problems.
- Identify all clinical signs associated with each dermatological disease
- Establish the specific clinical approach for each pathology and determine the prognosis and the most appropriate treatment for each skin disease
- Determine the importance of the endocrine pathologies in horses and their relationship with laminitis
- Generate specialized knowledge of the main endocrine pathologies in cattle, small ruminants and camelids

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A path to achieve training and professional growth that will propel you towards a greater level of competitiveness in the employment market"





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### Specific Objectives

- Identify the main pathologies affecting the skin
- Analyze the origin of the problem and establish the prognosis of dermatitis
- Recognize the clinical and laboratory signs of the main dermatological diseases
- Determine the symptoms of skin diseases of bacterial, viral, fungal and parasitic origin and propose therapeutic options to treat them
- Establish the symptoms of allergic and immune-mediated skin diseases and propose therapeutic options to treat them
- Examine the different types of skin neoplasms, propose an appropriate treatment and determine the prognosis
- Identify the symptoms of other skin diseases as well as their prognosis and treatment options
- Gain sound knowledge of the diagnostic procedures used in endocrinology and their interpretation
- Determine the endocrine influence in certain disorders attributed, in principle, to other etiologies: laminitis, sepsis, decreased performance, bone pathologies in horses
- Establish the main endocrine pathologies that can be found in both adult horses and neonates, how to diagnose them and how to treat them
- Establish a working methodology for cattle, small ruminants and camelids with ocular neoplasia

## 03 Course Management

The program's teaching staff includes leading experts in the Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals, who bring their work experience to this training program. Renowned professionals have joined forces to offer you this high-level program.

Our team of teachers, with expertise in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals, will help you reach success in your profession"

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### Management



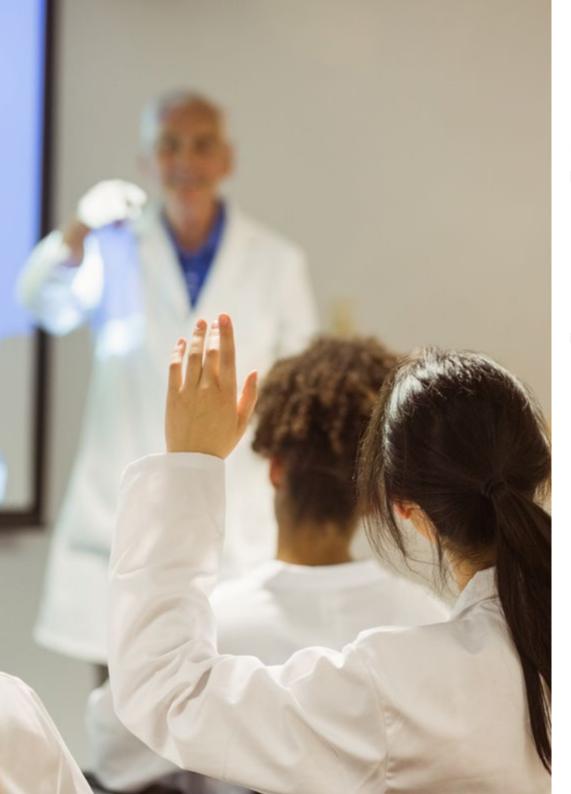
### Dr. Martín Cuervo, María

- Doctor of Veterinary Medicine from the University of Extremadura. Doctoral thesis on Inflammation Markers in Horses in a Critical Condition, 2017
- Degree in Veterinary Medicine from the University of Cordoba
- President of the Scientific Committee in the National Congress of the Spanish Association of Equine Veterinarians (AVEE), 2020.
- Member of the Scientific Committee in the International Committee of the International Purebred Spanish Horse Show (SICAB), 2020
- Veterinarian, member of the European Board of Veterinary Specialization (EBVS) and the European College of Equine Internal Medicine (ECVIM)
- Member of the Spanish Association of Equine Veterinarians (AVEE)
- Head of the Equinie Internal Medicine Services in the University of Extremadura (from 2015-present)



### Dr. Barba Recreo, Marta

- PhD in Biomedical Sciences, Auburn University, Alabama, USA, in 2016
- Diplomate of the American College of Internal Medicine, Large Animal in 2015
- Degree in Veterinary Medicine from the University of Zaragoza in 2009
- Head of the Equine Internal Medicine Service, Clinical Veterinary Hospital, CEU Cardenal Herrera University, Valencia



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### Professors

### Dr. Medina Torres, Carlos E.

- PhD in Veterinary Sciences from the University of Guelph, Ontario, Canada, 2009
- Diploma from the American College of Internal Medicine, specializing in Large Animals and from the European College of Equine Internal Medicine
- PhD from the University of Queensland, Australia, 2015
- 2017- Senior Lecturer and Clinical Specialist in Internal Medicine at the University of Queensland, Australia

### Dr. Díez de Castro, Elisa

- PhD Veterinary Medicine from the University of Cordoba Doctoral thesis in Equine Endocrinology in 2015
- Graduate of the European College of Equine Internal Medicine (ECEIM)
- Degree in Veterinary Medicine from the University of Cordoba
- Associate Professor of the Animal Medicine and Surgery Department at the University of Cordoba for the training and evaluation of the supervised internship (rotatory) of the fifth year students of the veterinary degree
- Equine Internal Medicine Service at Clinical Veterinary Hospital at the University of Cordoba

## 04 Structure and Content

The structure of the content has been designed by the best professionals in the field of Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals, with extensive experience and recognized prestige in the profession, backed by the volume of cases reviewed, studied, and diagnosed, and with extensive knowledge of new technologies applied to veterinary medicine.

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We have the most complete and up-to-date academic program in the market. We strive for excellence and for you to achieve it too"

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### Module 1. Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals

- 1.1. Clinical Approach and Diagnostic Tests in Equine Dermatology
  - 1.1.1. Medical History
  - 1.1.2. Sampling and Main Diagnostic Methods
  - 1.1.3. Other Specific Diagnostic Techniques
- 1.2. Infectious, Immune-Mediated and Allergic Diseases in Horses
  - 1.2.1. Viral Diseases
  - 1.2.2. Bacterial diseases
  - 1.2.3. Fungal Diseases
  - 1.2.4. Parasitic diseases
  - 1.2.5. Hypersensitivity Reactions: Types
  - 1.2.6. Insect Sting Allergy
  - 1.2.7. Other Types of Allergies and Skin Reactions
- 1.3. Cutaneous Neoplasms in Equidae
  - 1.3.1. Sarcoids
  - 1.3.2. Melanoma
  - 1.3.3. Squamous Cell Carcinoma
  - 1.3.4. Other Skin Tumors
- 1.4. Alterations to the Thyroid and Adrenal Gland in Equidae
  - 1.4.1. Functions of the Thyroids
  - 1.4.2. Factors Affecting the Measurement of Thyroid Hormones
  - 1.4.3. Diagnostic Test for Thyroid Function
  - 1.4.4. Hypothyroidism
  - 1.4.5. Hyperthyroidism
  - 1.4.6. Neoplasms of the Thyroids
  - 1.4.7. Adrenal Insufficiency in Adults
  - 1.4.8. Adrenal Insufficiency in Foals
  - 1.4.9. Hyperadrenocorticism
  - 1.4.10. Adrenocortical Neoplasms
- 1.5. Dysfunction of the Pars Intermedia of the Pituitary in Equidae
  - 1.5.1. Etiopathogenesis
  - 1.5.2. Clinical Signs
  - 1.5.3. Diagnosis
  - 1.5.4. Treatment
- 1.6. Equine Metabolic Syndrome

- 1.6.1. Etiopathogenesis
- 1.6.2. Clinical Signs
- 1.6.3. Diagnosis
- 1.6.4. Treatment
- 1.7. Alterations in the Metabolism of Calcium, Phosphorus and Magnesium in Horses. Anhidrosis
  - 1.7.1. Alterations That Occur With Hypocalcemia
  - 1.7.2. Alterations That Occur With Hypercalcemia
  - 1.7.3. Diseases That Occur With Hypophosphatemia
  - 1.7.4. Pathologies Associated with Hyperphosphatemia
  - 1.7.5. Hypomagnesemia
  - 1.7.6. Hypermagnesemia
  - 1.7.7. Anhidrosis
- 1.8. Dermatological, Metabolic and Endocrine Alterations in Cattle
  - 1.8.1. Congenital Dermatological Pathologies
  - 1.8.2. Skin and Fur Diseases
  - 1.8.3. Diseases of the Subcutis
  - 1.8.4. Diseases of Hooves and Horns
  - 1.8.5. Cutaneous Neoplasms
  - 1.8.6. Ketosis
  - 1.8.7. Calcium, Magnesium and Phosphorous Disorders
  - 1.8.8. Other Endocrinopathies
- 1.9. Dermatological and Endocrine Alterations in Small Ruminants
  - 1.9.1. Congenital Dermatological Pathologies
  - 1.9.2. Infectious Dermatitis
  - 1.9.3. Vesicular and Mucocutaneous Junction Diseases
  - 1.9.4. Parasitic Diseases of Hair and Wool
  - 1.9.5. Caseous Lymphadenitis
  - 1.9.6. Skin and Adnexal Diseases Associated with Toxicity and Nutritional Problems
  - 1.9.7. Neoplasty
  - 1.9.8. Pregnancy Toxemia
  - 1.9.9. Stump, Rickets
- 1.10. Dermatological and Endocrine Alterations in Camelids
  - 8.10.1. Infectious Dermatitis
  - 8.10.2. Mucocutaneous Junction Diseases
  - 8.10.3. Diseases Affecting Fiber Quality



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# 05 **Methodology**

This academic program offers students a different way of learning. Our methodology uses a cyclical learning approach: **Relearning**.

This teaching system is used, for example, in the most prestigious medical schools in the world, and major publications such as the **New England Journal of Medicine** have considered it to be one of the most effective.

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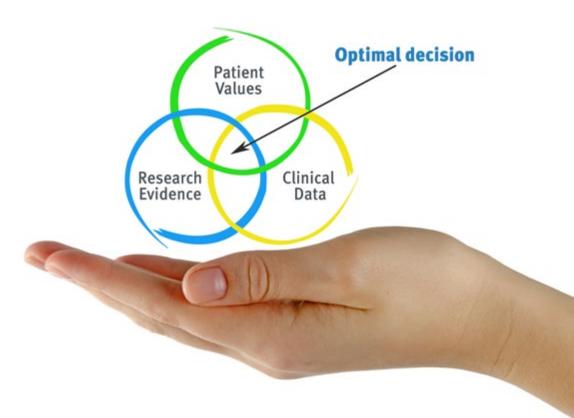
Discover Relearning, a system that abandons conventional linear learning, to take you through cyclical teaching systems: a way of learning that has proven to be extremely effective, especially in subjects that require memorization"

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### At TECH we use the Case Method

What should a professional do in a given situation? Throughout the program you will be presented with multiple simulated clinical cases based on real patients, where you will have to investigate, establish hypotheses and, finally, 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, in an attempt to recreate the actual conditions in a veterinarian'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:

1. Veterinarians who follow this method not only manage to assimilate concepts, but also develop their mental capacity through exercises to evaluate real situations and knowledge application

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. The feeling that the effort invested is effective becomes a very important motivation for veterinarians, which translates into a greater interest in learning and an increase in the time dedicated to working on the course.



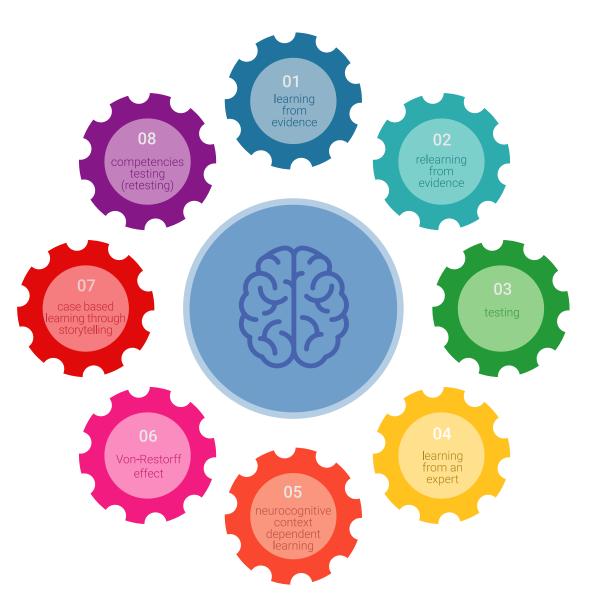
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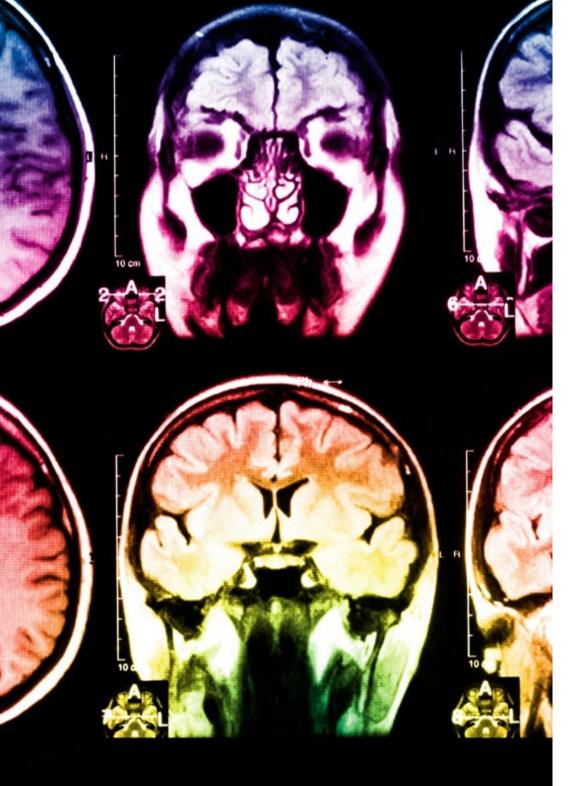
### **Relearning Methodology**

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

This 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, a real revolution with respect to the mere study and analysis of cases.

Veterinarians will learn through real cases and by resolving complex situations in simulated learning environments. These simulations are developed using state-of-the-art 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 65,000 veterinarians have been trained with unprecedented success in all clinical specialties, regardless of the surgical load. Our teaching method is developed in a highly demanding environment, where the students have a high socio-economic profile and an average age of 43.5 years.

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

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These contents are then applied to the 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.



#### Latest Techniques and Procedures on Video

TECH introduces students to the latest techniques, the latest educational advances and to the forefront of current and procedures of veterinary 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.

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#### 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.

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### **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 suggesting that observing third-party experts can be useful.

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.

## 06 **Certificate**

The Postgraduate Certificate in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals guarantees students, in addition to the most rigorous and up-to-date education, access to a 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"

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This program will allow you to obtain your **Postgraduate Certificate in Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals** 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 Endocrinology and Dermatology in Large Animals Modality: online Duration: 6 weeks Accreditation: 6 ECTS



\*Apostille Convention. In the event that the student wishes to have their paper diploma issued with an apostille, TECH Global University will make the necessary arrangements to obtain it, at an additional cost.

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