

EASDec Skills Transfer Awards - List of Host Training Centres

Department / Group Name	Host training centre expertise	Trainee type	Lead
AUSTRIA			
Medical University of Vienna Department of Ophthalmology	Imaging Image analysis Machine learning Biomarkers	Clinical or Lab (Computer Science)	Professor Ursula Schmidt-Erfurth Dr Sebastian Waldstein
DENMARK			
Department of Ophthalmology Odense University Hospital	Image analysis Screening Epidemiology Treatment	Clinical or Lab	Professor Jakob Grauslund
Department of Ophthalmology, Rigshospitalet-Glostrup Copenhagen and the University of Copenhagen and Steno-Diabetes Centre	Image analysis Screening	Clinical	Professors Michael Larsen and Henrik Lund-Andersen
FRANCE			
University Paris Diderot	Treatment (laser, anti VEGF) Imaging (OCT, OCTA, AO, UWF) Telemedicine	Clinical	Dr Ali Erginay
GERMANY			
University of Heidelberg Mannheim	Risk factors Molecular mechanisms Animal models Vascular biology	Lab	Professor Hans Peter Hammes
ISRAEL			
Tel Aviv Medical Center Department of Ophthalmology	Clinical management Diagnosis Stem cell lab	Clinical or Lab	Professor Anat Loewenstein Dr Barbara Gold

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ITALY			
University of Turin Department of Medical Sciences	Cell biology Systemic therapies Vascular biology Clinical management (diabetes)	Clinical or Lab	Professor Massimo Porta
University of Udine Department of Medical and Biological Sciences - Ophthalmology	Diagnosis and treatment Clinical management (retinopathy)	Clinical	Assoc Prof Paolo Lanzetta Dr Daniele Veritti
Ophthalmology University Vita-Salute Scientific Institute San Raffaele Milan	Clinical management (retinopathy) Imaging Treatment Clinical trials Animal models (in vivo imaging)	Clinical or Lab	Professor Francesco Bandello
University of Padova	Electro-physiology Function and imaging	Clinical	Professor Edoardo Midena
NETHERLANDS			
VU University Medical Center Amsterdam Department of General Practice and Elderly Care	Risk factors Epidemiology Analysis of data with respect to diabetes and not only restricted to retinopathy	Clinical	Prof.dr Giel Nijpels
Ocular Angiogenesis Group Department of Ophthalmology and Cell Biology and Histology, Academic Medical Centre Amsterdam	Protein biology Blood retina barrier Molecular mechanisms Mouse models Image analysis	Lab	Professor R Schlingemann Dr Ingeborg Klaassen
SPAIN			
Vall d'Hebron Research Institute Barcelona	DMO DR Retina Clinical trials Clinical management (diabetes)	Clinical	Dr Rafael Simo Canonge

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Ophthalmology Hospital Universitario sant Joan Institut d'Investigacio Sanitaria Pere Virgili (IISPV) Universitat Rovira i Virgili Reus	Clinical management (retinopathy) Epidemiology Pathophysiology Telemedicine	Clinical	Professor Pedro Romero-Aroca
IOBA (Eye Institute) University of Valladolid	Treatment Image analysis Grading Diabetic Retinopathy Screening programmes Animal models	Clinical Biologist Engineer	Professor Jose-Carlos Pastor Dra. Maribel Lopez
UK			
Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust	Clinical trials Clinical management (retinopathy)	Clinical	Professor Geeta Menon
Gloucester Royal NHS Foundation Trust	Clinical –Examination, imaging, treatment and surgery Diabetic Eye screening and imaging, diabetic research Imaging, risk factors, screening, treatment Clinical management (retinopathy)	Clinical	Professor Peter Scanlon Emily Fletcher
University of Liverpool	Grading Screening Image analysis Risk factors Epidemiology Clinical management	Lab or Clinical	Professor Simon Harding
NIHR Moorfields Biomedical Research Centre	Grading Clinical management (retinopathy)	Clinical	Professor Sobha Sivaprasad / Mr Phil Hykin

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University of Dundee	Retinal image analysis Using or developing software (Computing Dept) Retinal biomarker discovery for systemic conditions in diabetic population	Lab or Clinical (Computer Science and Image analysis)	Professor Emanuele Trucco
Queen's University Belfast (1)	Animal models Neurovascular dysfunction Cellular Electrophysiology Advanced Microscopy Pre-clinical retinal imaging	Lab	Dr Tim Curtis
Queen's University Belfast (2)	DR pathology Cell biology Immunology Mitochondria treatment Animal models	Lab	Professor Heping Xu and Mei Chen
Queen's University Belfast (3)	Image analysis for population based studies and clinical trials in addition to clinical image analysis Clinical management (retinopathy)	Clinical / image analysis	Professor Tunde Peto