

# Advanced Pharmacovigilance Auditing

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Mercure Paris La Défense Grande Arche Hotel, Nanterre/Paris, France



## OVERVIEW

Through Pharmacovigilance Audit a company can identify the gaps or risks existing in the system and establish priorities in ensuring brand protection and company compliance.

You will learn how to prepare for an audit and an inspection in order to achieve best practices from the moment of facing the auditing/inspection visit notification to the moment of receiving the report and its conclusions.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Make a PV audit based on risk assessment
- Cover the different areas through system audit
- Perform a process audit
- Interview and review audit documentation
- Deal with difficult characters, missing documentation, and extreme situations
- Manage disagreements on audit findings
- Review and follow-up on CAPAs

Participants will complete a knowledge check at the end of the course and will be provided with feedback to ensure learning objectives are attained.

## KEY TOPICS

- Global PV processes
- Reconciliation process, clinical and/or spontaneous
- Safety data exchange agreements (SDEA)
- Contractors (audit selection and audit in the process)
- System and process audits
- PSMF audits
- Computerised systems audits
- Audits of affiliates and third parties
- Audits as preparation for a PV inspection
- Preparing and going through a PV inspection

## WHO WILL ATTEND

Professionals most likely to benefit from this training have experience in pharmacovigilance, drug safety, regulatory affairs, quality assurance, risk management, medical affairs or similar positions within the pharmaceutical industry.

## FACULTY

### Patricia Bocciarelli

International Pharmacovigilance Expert  
Marta Gersberg Conseil  
France

### Calin Lungu

CEO  
Drug Development Consulting Services  
Luxembourg

## DAY 1

08:00 REGISTRATION AND WELCOME COFFEE

08:30 SESSION 1

### GLOBAL PV PROCESSES (PART I)

Patricia Bocciarelli

- PSMF (content, location, frequent findings)
- Summary of PV systems
- EU QPPV oversight on global and local processes

10:00 COFFEE BREAK

10:30 SESSION 2

### GLOBAL PV PROCESSES (PART II)

Patricia Bocciarelli

- Business continuity
- Quality
- Performance Indicators
- Specific topics: periodic reports, signal detection

12:00 LUNCH

13:00 SESSION 3

### SAFETY DATA EXCHANGE AGREEMENTS (SDEA) AND CONTRACTORS

Patricia Bocciarelli

- Concerned partnerships
- Methodology
- Surveillance
- Contractors: selection (audit or other method)
- Audit conduct (selection, in the process)

14:00 COFFEE BREAK

14:30 SESSION 4

### CASE STUDIES

Patricia Bocciarelli

16:00 NETWORKING RECEPTION

17:00 END OF DAY ONE

## DAY 2

08:30 SESSION 5

### AUDITS OF AFFILIATES AND THIRD PARTIES (PART I)

Calin A. Lungu, and Patricia Bocciarelli

- Planning (risk assessment, resources, audit team)
- Preparation (documentation requested in advance)

10:00 COFFEE BREAK

10:30 SESSION 6

### AUDITS OF AFFILIATES AND THIRD PARTIES (PART II)

Calin A. Lungu, and Patricia Bocciarelli

- On site audit & common issues (language, collaboration from auditees, lack of time to cover all areas, findings & grading)
- Reporting and assessing the responses to audit findings
- CAPA follow-up

12:00 LUNCH

13:00 SESSION 7

### RECONCILIATION PROCESS

Calin A. Lungu

- ICSR: Internal reconciliation, Reconciliation with interfaces (Medical information, complaints department...)
- ICSR: reconciliations with external entities: distributors, license partners, market research contractors, PSP services...
- Databases reconciliation: PV/Clinical

14:30 COFFEE BREAK

15:00 SESSION 8

### COMPUTERISED SYSTEMS AUDITS

Calin A. Lungu

- Principles and contents of validation dossier
- Validation team
- Risk analysis
- Design qualification
- IQ, OQ, PQ
- PQ I & PQ II
- Validation report
- Maintaining the validated status of the database

16:30 END OF DAY TWO

### Plan Your Team's Professional Development

Why not take advantage and train your whole department (or even across different departments!) and benefit from increased:

- Focus
- Flexibility
- Convenience
- Cost Effectiveness

For more information please contact [Basel@diaglobal.org](mailto:Basel@diaglobal.org).

## DAY 3

### 08:30 SESSION 9

#### AUDITS AS PREPARATION FOR A PV INSPECTION

Calin A. Lungu

- Checking resources (staff preparation, room and logistics)
- Running mock interviews with key staff
- Review of procedures
- Tour of facilities

### 09:30 PRACTICAL EXERCISE (IN GROUPS)

### 10:00 COFFEE BREAK

### 10:30 SESSION 10

#### EXPERIENCE DURING THE INSPECTION

Calin A. Lungu

- Logistics (staff preparation, room, recording document requests etc.)
- Do and don't during the inspection
- Disagreement with findings
- Closing meeting

### 12:00 LUNCH

### 13:00 SESSION 11

#### POST-INSPECTION FOLLOW-UP

Calin A. Lungu

- Receiving inspection report
- Handling additional documents' request post-inspection
- Answering to findings
- Agreeing timelines
- How to prepare for a re-inspection

### 14:30 COFFEE BREAK

### 15:00 SESSION 12

#### CASE STUDIES

Calin A. Lungu

### 16:30 END OF THE TRAINING COURSE

## Training Course Venue

### PARIS LA DÉFENSE GRANDE ARCHE

17/20 Esplanade Ch. de Gaulle  
Rue des Trois Fontanot  
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Change there to Red train line A towards Cergy/Poissy/St. Germain en-Laye and get off at Nanterre Prefect.

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[Paris train/metro map](#) (the Nanterre Prefect station/hotel is located just outside this map, left from the square A2)

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## Continuing Education

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The Swiss Association of Pharmaceutical Professionals (SwAPP) and the Swiss Society for Pharmaceutical Medicine (SGPM) have accredited this training course with 17.5 credits.



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