

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

# SYLLABUS DEL CORSO

## Clinics

2122-3-H4102D018-H4102D055M

### Aims

The aim of the course is to provide students with basic knowledge of Orthopaedics and Traumatology, and fundamentals of rheumatology and hand surgery.

At the end of the course/activity block, the student will be able to:

- Approach an orthopaedics and traumatology patient
- Harvest an orthopaedic and traumatological medical history
- Use the appropriate terminology to communicate with patients and medical staff

- Identify, examine and describe the main pathological symptoms and signs in relation to orthopaedic and traumatological pathology. Highlight on a multidisciplinary approach, exploiting the PBL Method.

Theory and practical skills to perform the basic clinical examination tests in general orthopaedics and traumatology.

### Contents

**Detailed program** 

- § Metabolic bone diseases
- o Osteoporosis
- o Osteomalacia
- o Hypophosphatasia
- o Renal osteodystrophy
- o Vitaminosis
- o Pharmacologic metabolic bone disease
- § Rheumatologic disorders
- o Rheumatic arthritis
- o Crystal induced arthritis
- o Transient arthritis
- o Pathology of the synovium
- § Skeletal and extraskeletal calcification/ossification syndrome
- o Tumoral calcinosis
- o Posttraumatic calcification / myositis ossificans (traumatic and not traumatic)
- o Calcific myonecrosis and tendinitis
- o Periarticular crystal deposition (Milwaukee Shoulder, gout)
- o Sclerosing bone dysplasias
- o Enostosis
- o Osteopetrosis
- § Osteoarticular infections
- Ostemyelitis
- o Septic arthritis
- o Spondylodiskytis
- § Sport Injuries
- o Athlete evaluation
- o Overload syndroms of tendon, muscles and joints.
- o Muscolar lesions.

- o Ankle sprain.
- § Osteoarthrosis and osteonecrosis
- § Complex regional pain syndrome
- § Basis of hand surgery
- o Surgical anatomy of the hand
- o Compression neuropathy
- o Infections of the hand
- o Tendon injuries
- o Fibromatosis (Dupuytren)
- o Fractures and dislocation of the wrist, carpus and hand
- § Traumatology General principles
- o General evaluation of a fracture
- o Basics of fracture classification
- o Polytrauma principles of ATLS
- o Child abuse
- § Principles of orthoplastic- and microsurgery
- o Principles of reconstructive surgery
- o Principal flaps in orthopaedics and traumatology
- § Hip
- o Nerve entrapment syndroms
- o Hip dysplasia
- o FAI
- o Fractures of the femur and pelvis; Fractures and dislocation of the hip.
- § Knee
- o Meniscal injuries
- o ACL/PCL injuries
- o Collateral ligament injuries

- o Malalignment
- o Fractures and dislocation of the knee and leg
- § Foot and ankle
- o Ligamentous injuries
- o Deformities of the toes
- o Neurological disorders
- o Nerve entrapment syndroms
- o Interdigital neuroma
- o HMSN (Hereditary motor and sensory neuropathies / Charcot-Marie-Tooth)
- o Fractures and dislocations of the foot and ankle
- § Shoulder
- o Instability
- o Nerve entrapment syndroms
- o Rotator cuff diseases
- Fractures and dislocation of the shoulder and humerus
- § Elbow
- o Nerve entrapment syndroms
- o Ligament injuries and instability
- o Tendon injuries
- o Fractures and dislocation around the elbow
- § Paediatric Orthopaedics
- o Developmental Dysplasia of Hip
- o Paediatric Foot Disorders (clubfoot, Flexible pes planus, accessory bones, Vertical talus and tarsal coalition)
- o Epiphyseal Growth-Plate Injuries
- o Congenital Muscolar torcicollis
- o Idiopathic and congenital scoliosis
- o Scheurmann's disease
- o Spondylolysis / spondylolisthesis

- o Limb Length Discrepancy
- o Slipped Capital Femoral Epiphysis
- o Osteochondrosis
- o Osteochondritis dissecans

#### **Prerequisites**

To adequately address the course, it is strongly suggested to refresh the macroscopic and histological

#### **Teaching form**

Frontal lectures.

Clerkship program, with rotation in small groups in surgical specialties, general practitioner and in the emergency \_

- PBL / CBL
- Practice sessions with puppets or among students/teachers
- Attending clinical wards

#### Textbook and teaching resource

Orthopaedic Pathology 3rd Ed. Vigorita Vincent J. Wolters Kluwer. ISBN-13: 978-1451192025 ISBN-10: \_\_\_

Oxford Handbook of Orthopaedics and Trauma. Gavin Bowden, Martin McNally, Simon Thomas, and Alexander

Physical Examination for Surgeons: An Aid to the MRCS OSCE. Petrut Gogalniceanu, James Pegrum, William

Gray's Anatomy: The Anatomical Basis of Clinical Practice. 41th Ed. Susan Standring. Elsevier. ISBN-13:

Review articles provided throughout the cou

#### Semester

#### Assessment method

Ongoing tests after each PBL/PCL (PBL-restitution):

- Short essay (eventually also in groups)
- Practical tests/maneuvers

- Short paper/composition in relation to problems treated with PBL/PCL

- Multiple choice tests
- Final locomotor vertical track test:
- A written test with 33 multiple-choice questions each with only one correct answer and 1 open question. No

penalties will be given to missing or wrong answers.

- Collection of the single short papers/compositions

- Development of clinical skills is assessed by OSCE (Objective structured clinical examination). Each OSCE

#### **Office hours**

By appointment