

## International Teleconference Program

The International Teleconference Program is an international educational plan created and designed with the mission of educating radiologists and non-radiologists from Latin America to pursue a higher level in Radiology.

### Program Objective:

To promote the collaboration of Radiology education between Latin American Universities and LSU Health-Shreveport.

In the near future the education program will incorporate the input of all associated universities (conference exchange, case presentation, etc).

### Benefits:

One of the benefits of these courses is easy accessibility. Lectures are given online and future students do not have to leave their countries in order to attend the classes and get an education. The courses are taught by professors who practice in some of the best universities in the United States of America and the classes are given in Spanish since most of the future students do not speak English. The lessons are given through the Internet and broadcasted using Webex Cisco software system.

An additional advantage is affordability. The cost of this software and classes is completely free for students; LSUHSC-S will absorb the costs.

### Coordinators:

The program has two types of coordinators, a **general coordinator** and a **local coordinator** in each offshore University. The **general coordinator** is responsible for establishing connections with different universities in Latin America. As well as organizing all lectures and providing a suitable professor, insuring the program fits the requirements and expectations of the prospective students.

The **local coordinator** is in charge of getting all the proper equipment (room, PC, projector, screen) for the residents and physicians (radiologists and non-radiologists) to take the classes.

The live online classes are given to all the universities at the same time every second Tuesday of the month from March through December.

**Recognized professionals in different subspecialties of Radiology compose the International Teleconference Program's faculty.**

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