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Subject: Invitation to IAEA/ESTRO Regional Training Courses in 2016

Dear National Liaison Officer,

I am pleased to invite you to send nominations of suitable candidates to participate in the IAEA/ESTRO training courses to be held in 2016 under the framework of TC Project RER/6/033 – Strengthening Knowledge of Radiation Therapy Professionals (Radiation Oncologists, Medical Physicists and Radiation Therapy Technologists). The training courses and related information are outlined in the attached table. Kindly note that IAEA supports are subject to the completion of the IAEA/ESTRO 2016 Agreement.

For candidates who are selected by the IAEA, the Agency will cover the cost of return international travel from the home country to the course venue, and provide a stipend for the duration of the training course in line with Agency rules and procedures.

Please submit nominations to the IAEA online through the Technical Cooperation Department's InTouch system (<http://intouch.iaea.org>). Only if this is not possible, nominations may be submitted on the Nomination Form for Training Course available on the IAEA website: <http://www.iaea.org/technicalcooperation/How-to-take-part/train-course/index.html>. Completed forms should be endorsed by relevant national authorities and sent to the Programme Management Officer for these projects, Ms Mayumi Yamamoto (IAEA Official Fax: +43-1-26007 or E-Mail: Official.Mail@iaea.org), through the official channels, i.e. the designated National Liaison Office for IAEA matters.

Yours sincerely,

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Enclosure: Table of Courses

Schedule of IAEA/ESTRO Courses in 2016 under the Regional TC Project RER/6/033

Course Title: IAEA/ESTRO Training Course on	Location	Course Dates, 2016	Nomination Deadline, 2016	Selection Criteria
Basic Clinical Radiobiology	Budapest, Hungary	27 Feb.-2 Mar.	7 January	The IAEA will support medical physicists working in radiotherapy centres with min. 2 years professional experience, who want to update their knowledge in basic radiobiological sciences or wish to familiarise themselves with this field.
IMRT and other conformal techniques in practice	London, United Kingdom	3-7 April	31 January	The IAEA will support radiotherapy physicists involved in the implementation and clinical use of advanced techniques in their department. Basic knowledge of radiation physics is a prerequisite, experience in CT-based treatment planning is required. The applicants will preferably be 'graduates' of the ESTRO course on 'Physics for Modern Radiotherapy' or an equivalent training in radiation physics. Min. 2 years professional experience in radiotherapy physics is needed.
Evidence based radiation oncology - - How to evaluate the scientific evidence and apply it to daily practice	Porto, Portugal	12-17 June	1 April	The IAEA will support radiation oncologists (final years residents and specialists), who would like to update their knowledge on current clinical practice in major treatment sites.
Multidisciplinary management of lung cancer (<i>translated in Russian language</i>)	Moscow, Russia	26-28 June	18 April	The IAEA will support radiation oncologists who are involved in management of lung cancer and/or would like to update their knowledge on multidisciplinary management of lung cancer.
Best practice in radiation oncology - A workshop to train RTT trainers in collaboration with the IAEA - Part I	Vienna, Austria	24-28 October	12 August	<p>Ten groups of three participants from ten European countries. Participants should represent or collaborate with the academic and clinical staff and the radiotherapy representative of their national society. Participants must be familiar with the current national education programme for radiation therapists (RTTs)</p> <p>Participants should commit to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initiate liaison with the national education provider and prepare appropriate documentation • Attend and evaluate the two face to face courses and maintain communication with the faculty in the interim period • Design, deliver, evaluate and provide feedback on a series of educational initiatives over a three year period.