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Paris
January, 31st and February 1st, 2025**

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PRELIMINARY PROGRAM - BASICS OF SCLEROTHERAPY

Day 1 – Friday, January 31ST, 2025

Theoretical Day

Venue: French Society of Phlebology Headquarters
29 Rue d'Anjou
75008 Paris



MORNING

8.00 - 8.20 **Welcome coffee**

8.20 - 8.30 **INTRODUCTION**

8.30 - 10.15 **FIRST PART**

8.30 - 8.55 Overview of sclerotherapy (definition, principles, objectives)
Epidemiology, scoring, CEAP classification, Q&A

8.55 - 9.20 Basics of anatomy and echo-anatomy of the superficial
venous system (description of GSV, SSV, ASV and SFJ, SPJ), Q&A

9.20 - 9.45 Standard pre-therapeutic assessment
(clinical and US assessment, mapping), Q&A

9.45 - 10.15 Mapping: do it yourself!

10.15 - 10.45 **Coffee break**





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10.45 - 12.30 SECOND PART

- 10.45 - 11.10 Sclerosing agents: liquid and foam forms, mechanism of action, advantages/disadvantages, Q&A
- 11.10 - 11.35 Indications, contraindications and limits of sclerotherapy, Q&A
- 11.35 - 12.00 Sclerotherapy under visual control (technique), Q&A
- 12.00 - 12.25 Ultrasound-guided foam sclerotherapy (technique), Q&A
- 12.25 - 12.45 Videos: Direct puncture technique and other techniques

12.45 - 14.00 Lunch break

AFTERNOON

14.00 - 15.45 THIRD PART

- 14.00 - 14.25 Overview of complications of sclerotherapy and how to prevent them, Q&A
- 14.25 - 14.50 Management of treatment in patients at risk of thrombosis, Q&A
- 14.50 - 15.15 Excessive inflammation and hyper pigmentation: prevention and practical behavior in case of occurrence, Q&A
- 15.15 - 15.45 Clinical cases

15.45 - 16.15 Coffee break





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16.15 - 18.15 FOURTH PART

- 16.15 - 16.40 Planning and optimization of a sclerotherapy treatment, Q&A
- 16.40 - 17.05 Post-procedural precautions and follow-up assessment, Q&A
- 17.05 - 17.30 Overview of European recommendations for sclerotherapy and International guidelines for management of CVD, Q&A
- 17.30 - 17.55 Safety of sclerotherapy, Q&A
- 17.55 - 18.15 Videos and Flash sequences

19.30 Dinner

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Day 2 – Saturday, February 1ST, 2025

Practical Day

Venue: Geoffroy Saint-Hilaire Clinic Ramsay Santé
59 Rue Geoffroy-Saint-Hilaire
75005 Paris



MORNING

8.30 - 9.00 Welcome coffee

9.00 - 9.15 WORKSHOP ORGANIZATION (4 groups of 5 attendees)

9.15 - 10.15 FIRST PART

Secretary room (all day): Foam production and phantom training

Room 1 (group 1): Ultrasound assessment

Room 2 (group 2): Ultrasound assessment

Room 3 (group 3): Sclerotherapy treatment

Room 4 (group 4): Sclerotherapy treatment

10.15 - 10.45 Coffee break





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10.45 - 11.45 SECOND PART

Secretary room (all day): Foam production and phantom training

Room 1 (group 2): Ultrasound assessment

Room 2 (group 3): Ultrasound assessment

Room 3 (group 4): Sclerotherapy treatment

Room 4 (group 1): Sclerotherapy treatment

12.15 - 13.30 Lunch break

AFTERNOON

13.30 - 13.50 MCQ EXAM

14.00 - 15.00 THIRD PART

Secretary room (all day): Foam production and phantom training

Room 1 (group 3): Ultrasound assessment

Room 2 (group 4): Ultrasound assessment

Room 3 (group 1): Sclerotherapy treatment

Room 4 (group 2): Sclerotherapy treatment





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15.15 - 16.15 FOURTH PART

Secretary room (all day): Foam production and phantom training

Room 1 (group 4): Ultrasound assessment

Room 2 (group 1): Ultrasound assessment

Room 3 (group 2): Sclerotherapy treatment

Room 4 (group 3): Sclerotherapy treatment

16.30 - 17.50 CORRECTION and AWARDING of Marks for the MCQ

17.50 CONCLUSION on K.I.S.S. course and ANNOUNCEMENT of advanced course



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