

Postgraduate Diploma Disaster Management





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Introduction

Emergency situations, both in multi-victim accidents and in disasters, are frequent all over the world. Specialized training of the professionals who attend them is essential to guarantee the quality of care and the efficient management of resources. This program offers the opportunity to update knowledge on the management of multiple casualty accidents and disasters.





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The new scenarios in emergency medicine motivate us to propose new specialization programs that meet the real needs of experienced professionals, so that they can incorporate advances in emergency care into their daily practice”

Industrialization and technological development increase the probability of these disasters occurring. Terrorism, armed conflicts and seismic and climatological phenomena claim thousands of victims around the world every year. The most recent catastrophic events: the New York attacks of 9/11 in 2001, the tsunami in South East Asia in December 2004, the earthquake and tsunami in Japan in March 2011, etc. show us the need to rely on health professionals with specialized training and preparation. In these circumstances, these professionals need to be able to provide assistance to all the people affected by these situations.

Nursing professionals must know how to respond adequately to the evolution of scientific and technological knowledge within their scope of action in the different healthcare systems with appropriate specialization, both inside and outside the hospital environment, as well as in situations of multiple victim incidents or NRBC (Nuclear, Radiological, Biological or Chemical) terrorism.

This program is aimed at physicians who are interested in updating their knowledge on the management of emergency situations, with special emphasis on disaster events, in order to provide quality medical care to the victims of such events.

This **Postgraduate Diploma in Disaster Management** contains the most complete and up-to-date scientific program on the market. The most important features include:

- The development of case studies presented by experts in disaster management The graphic, schematic and practical contents of the course are designed to provide all the essential information required for professional practice
- It contains exercises where the self-assessment process can be carried out to improve learning
- Algorithm-based interactive learning system for decision making in disaster management situations
- All of this will be complemented by theoretical lessons, questions to the expert, debate forums on controversial topics, and individual reflection assignments.
- Content that is available from any fixed or portable device with an internet connection



Make the most of this opportunity and take the step to get up to date on the latest developments on Disaster Management"

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This Postgraduate Diploma is the best investment you can make when selecting a refresher program for two reasons: in addition to updating your knowledge in Disaster Management you will obtain a Postgraduate Diploma from TECH Global University"

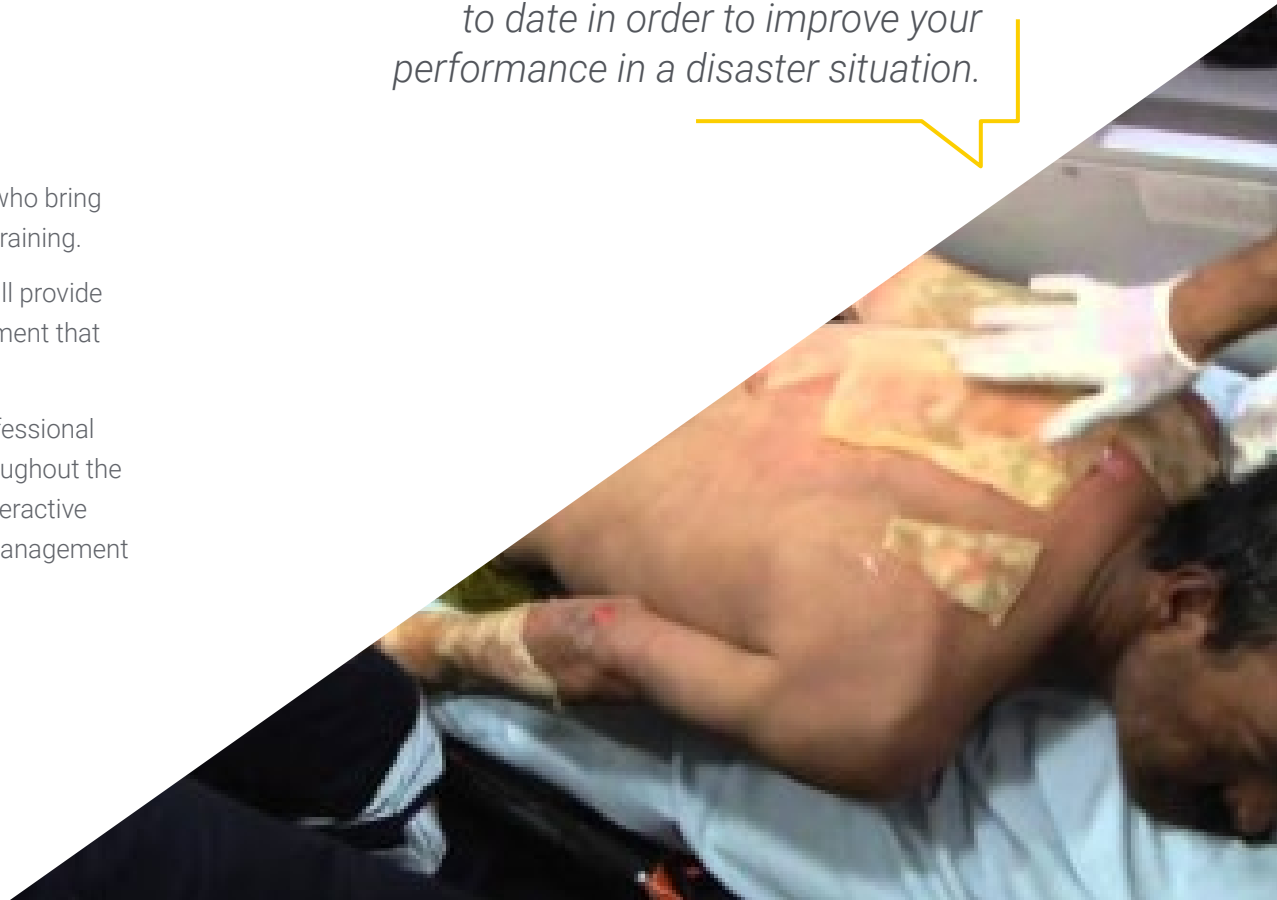
Its teaching staff includes renowned specialists in the field of emergencies who bring the experience of their work in the country's leading medical centers to this training.

The multimedia content developed with the latest educational technology will provide the physician with situated and contextual learning, i.e., a simulated environment that will provide immersive training programmed to train in real situations.

This program is designed around Problem-Based Learning, whereby the professional must try to solve the different professional practice situations that arise throughout the program. For this purpose, the physician will be assisted by an innovative interactive video system created by renowned and experienced experts in the field of management of events caused by disasters, who have extensive teaching experience.

Increase your decision-making confidence by updating your knowledge with this University Expert course.

Don't miss this opportunity to choose the best way to keep yourself up to date in order to improve your performance in a disaster situation.



02 Objectives

The main objective of the program is to develop theoretical and practical learning, so that the physician can rigorously and practically master the approach to patients in emergency situations.





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This program is designed to help you update your knowledge of Disaster Management, with the use of the latest educational technology, to contribute with quality and confidence to your decision making skills"



General Objective

- ♦ Gain the necessary up-to-date knowledge of caring for a patient in a serious condition, with the aim of improving the quality and confidence of your healthcare practice in accident, emergency and disaster situations

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Train for success with the help of this Postgraduate Diploma in Disaster Management. Your achievements will also be the achievements of your patients”





Specific Objectives

Module 1. General Aspects

- ♦ Differentiate between the concepts of accidents, emergencies and disasters
- ♦ Identify the fundamentals of emergency health care
- ♦ Apply clinical and non-clinical professional skills in emergencies
- ♦ Define the structure and organization of the accident and emergency services
- ♦ Use medical records in the emergency department and understand the most relevant legal and ethical aspects of health care in emergencies
- ♦ Prioritize, organize and manage patient care in the most efficient way through triage
- ♦ Understand the basic workings of an emergency coordination center

Module 2. Emergency Services and Medical Transport

- ♦ Incorporate the criteria for selecting the most appropriate mode of medical transport in daily practice
- ♦ Describe the main characteristics of medical transport, its pathophysiology and the different EMS transport options
- ♦ Analyze the risk management of transport for patients and staff
- ♦ Identify the equipment and the communication systems in an EMS
- ♦ Describe the concept of continuity of care and hospital transfer

Module 3. Multiple Casualty Incidents (MCI and Disasters)

- ♦ Organize material and human healthcare resources in multiple casualty incidents and disasters
- ♦ Implement disaster action plans with certainty
- ♦ Establish the criteria and guidelines for appropriate and efficient communication between the various agents involved in the emergency and critical care systems

Module 4. Other Key Aspects in Emergency and Urgent Care

- ♦ Develop assertive communication skills in urgent and emergency situations
- ♦ Enhance patient safety
- ♦ Understand the evolving competencies of professionals in the field of emergency and urgent care

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Course Management

The materials have been created by a team of renowned professionals, both in the area of hospital and out-of-hospital emergency care, who carry out their professional work in the main hospital centers and emergency care units in the country. Bringing to the program the experience they have gained throughout their careers





*Learn the latest advances in Disaster
Management from leading professionals"*

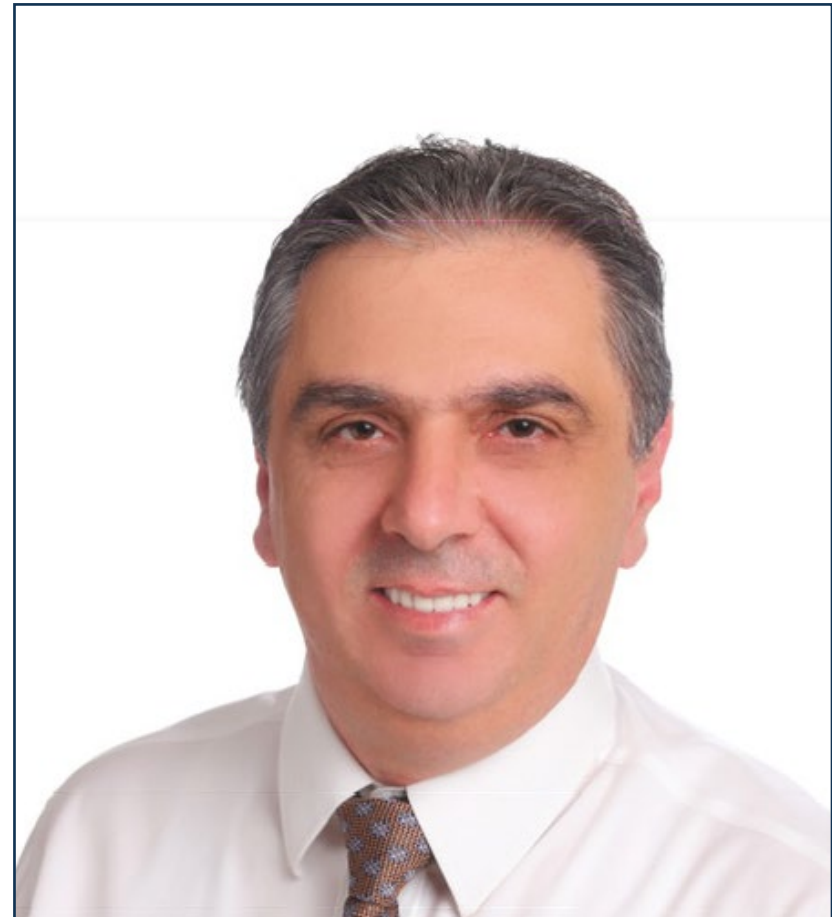
International Guest Director

Dr. Fadi Salah Issa has become one of the world's leading experts in the field of **Emergency Medicine**. For more than 20 years he has developed a tireless work in this subspecialty of **Urgencies and Emergencies**.

A work that starts from his performance as an emergency physician at the **King Faisal Specialist Hospital & Research Centre**, where he implemented a new system and rapid care facility that reduced waiting times for patients. This allowed him to improve care and more efficiently handle complex cases of oncology, transplant patients and congenital diseases. Thanks to his deep interest in providing the best healthcare response to disaster situations, Salah Issa has turned his efforts to academia and research, promoting specialized and continuous education for medical professionals.

In this regard, he is the **Director of Education for the Disaster Medicine Fellowship** at the BIMC Medical Harvard Medical School. A role that joins the co-supervision of the European Disaster Medicine Thesis Board at the University of Eastern Piedmont. His impact in this area has been positive, contributing to the better preparation of health workers. In addition, his concern for humanitarian work has led him to become involved in the **World Association of Disaster and Emergency Medicine (WADEM)**, where he serves as chairman of the special interest group against terrorism.

In this line, his scientific studies also include his analysis of **attacks on educational institutions**, the prevention of post-traumatic stress and the promotion of the resilience of healthcare personnel in the face of COVID-19, **anti-terrorist medicine** and the analysis of variability in the training of expatriate pre-hospital providers in Bahrain



Dr. Salah Issa, Fadi

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- Co-supervisor of the European Disaster Medicine Thesis Board at the University of Eastern Piedmont
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- Research Fellowship in Disaster Medicine at Harvard Medical School
- Emergency Physician at King Faisal Specialist Hospital & Research Centre
- Team Leader and Emergency Physician at Armed Forces Hospitals-Southern Region, Khamis Mushayt, KSA
- Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery, University of Medicine and Pharmacology, Cariova, Romania
- Disaster Medicine and Emergency Management from Harvard Medical School Medical Doctors in BIDMC
- Master's Degree in Disaster Medicine from the University of Piemonte Orientale, Italy
- Chairman of the Counterterrorism Special Interest Group of the World Association of Disaster and Emergency Medicine (WADEM)
- Fellow of the Academy of Harvard Medical School



Thanks to TECH you will be able to learn with the best professionals in the world"

Guest Directors



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- ♦ Collaborative Researcher in R&D Center of the Research Institute of the La Paz Hospital
- ♦ PhD in Biomedical Sciences from the UAM
- ♦ Executive MBA in the pharmaceutical industry and biotechnology
- ♦ Master's Degree in Cardiovascular Risk Prevention
- ♦ Assistant Emergency Physician at Infanta Sofia University Hospital
- ♦ Family and Community Medicine Resident Physician in San Carlos Clinical Hospital
- ♦ Lecturer of Critical Patients and Emergency Medicine course at Autonomous University of Madrid
- ♦ Lecturer of Emergency Medicine at La Paz Hospital



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Structure and Content

The structure of the syllabus has been designed by a team of professionals with knowledge of the implications of medical training in the approach to patients with emergency conditions, who are aware of the relevance of the up-to-date specialization, and are committed to quality teaching using new educational technologies.





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Module 1. General Concepts

- 1.1. Definitions and Concepts
- 1.2. Comprehensive care for medical emergencies and emergencies
- 1.3. Bioethics in urgencies, emergencies and catastrophes

Module 2. Emergency Services and Medical Transport

- 2.1. Organization of Medical Emergency Systems
- 2.2. Coordination and Health Regulation
- 2.3. Information and Record Systems
- 2.4. Types of Health Transport
 - 2.4.1. Intrahospital Transport
 - 2.4.2. Interhospital Transport
 - 2.4.3. Ground Medical Transport
 - 2.4.4. Air Medical Transport
- 2.5. Pathophysiology of Medical Transport and Transfer Positions
- 2.6. Patient Transfer Models





Module 3. Multiple Victim Incidents (MVI) and Disasters

- 3.1. General Overview
- 3.2. Management of MVIs and Disasters
- 3.3. Sectorization
- 3.4. Deployment and Logistics
- 3.5. Triage
- 3.6. Care for Multiple Victims
- 3.7. Evacuation
- 3.8. MVI Management in a Hospital Setting
- 3.9. CBRN Incidents (Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear)
- 3.10. Emergency Plans

Module 4. Other Key Aspects in Emergency Care

- 4.1. Communication Skills in Emergency Care
- 4.2. Patient Safety
- 4.3. New Competencies for Emergency Care Professionals
- 4.4. New Technologies in Emergency Care

“*A unique, key, and decisive training experience to boost your professional development*”

05 Methodology

This academic program offers students a different way of learning. Our methodology uses a cyclical learning approach: ***Relearning***.

This teaching system is used, for example, in the most prestigious medical schools in the world, and major publications such as the ***New England Journal of Medicine*** have considered it to be one of the most effective.



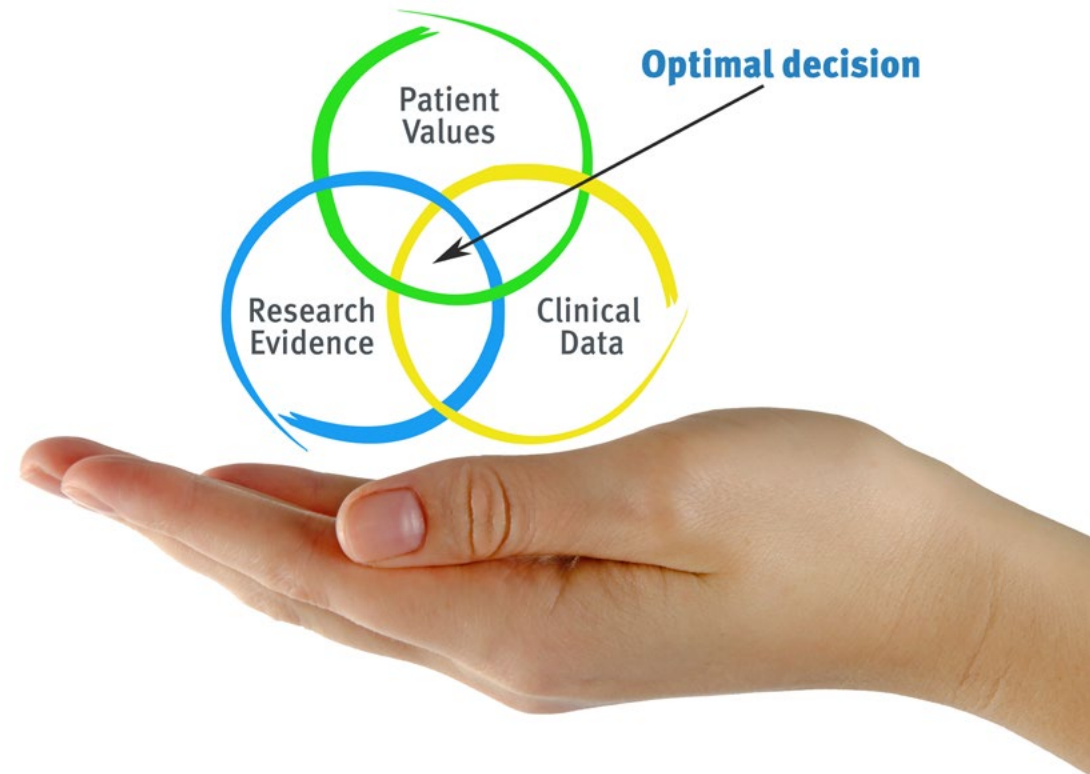
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Discover Relearning, a system that abandons conventional linear learning, to take you through cyclical teaching systems: a way of learning that has proven to be extremely effective, especially in subjects that require memorization"

At TECH, we use the Case Method

What should a professional do in a given situation? Throughout the program, students will face multiple simulated clinical cases, based on real patients, in which they will have to do research, establish hypotheses, and ultimately resolve the situation. There is an abundance of scientific evidence on the effectiveness of the method. Specialists learn better, faster, and more sustainably over time.

With TECH you will experience a way of learning that is shaking the foundations of traditional universities around the world.



According to Dr. Gervas, the clinical case is the annotated presentation of a patient, or group of patients, which becomes a "case", an example or model that illustrates some peculiar clinical component, either because of its teaching power or because of its uniqueness or rarity. It is essential that the case is based on current professional life, trying to recreate the real conditions in the physician's professional practice.

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Did you know that this method was developed in 1912, at Harvard, for law students? The case method consisted of presenting students with real-life, complex situations for them to make decisions and justify their decisions on how to solve them. In 1924, Harvard adopted it as a standard teaching method.

The effectiveness of the method is justified by four fundamental achievements:

1. Students who follow this method not only achieve the assimilation of concepts, but also a development of their mental capacity, through exercises that evaluate real situations and the application of knowledge.
2. Learning is solidly translated into practical skills that allow the student to better integrate into the real world.
3. Ideas and concepts are understood more efficiently, given that the example situations are based on real-life.
4. Students like to feel that the effort they put into their studies is worthwhile. This then translates into a greater interest in learning and more time dedicated to working on the course.



Relearning Methodology

TECH effectively combines the Case Study methodology with a 100% online learning system based on repetition, which combines 8 different teaching elements in each lesson.

We enhance the Case Study with the best 100% online teaching method: Relearning.

Professionals will learn through real cases and by resolving complex situations in simulated learning environments. These simulations are developed using state-of-the-art software to facilitate immersive learning.



At the forefront of world teaching, the Relearning method has managed to improve the overall satisfaction levels of professionals who complete their studies, with respect to the quality indicators of the best online university (Columbia University).

With this methodology, more than 250,000 physicians have been trained with unprecedented success in all clinical specialties regardless of surgical load. Our pedagogical methodology is developed in a highly competitive environment, with a university student body with a strong socioeconomic profile and an average age of 43.5 years old.

Relearning will allow you to learn with less effort and better performance, involving you more in your specialization, developing a critical mindset, defending arguments, and contrasting opinions: a direct equation to success.

In our program, learning is not a linear process, but rather a spiral (learn, unlearn, forget, and re-learn). Therefore, we combine each of these elements concentrically.

The overall score obtained by TECH's learning system is 8.01, according to the highest international standards.



This program offers the best educational material, prepared with professionals in mind:



Study Material

All teaching material is produced by the specialists who teach the course, specifically for the course, so that the teaching content is highly specific and precise.

These contents are then adapted in audiovisual format, to create the TECH online working method. All this, with the latest techniques that offer high quality pieces in each and every one of the materials that are made available to the student.



Surgical Techniques and Procedures on Video

TECH introduces students to the latest techniques, the latest educational advances and to the forefront of current medical techniques. All of this in direct contact with students and explained in detail so as to aid their assimilation and understanding. And best of all, you can watch the videos as many times as you like.



Interactive Summaries

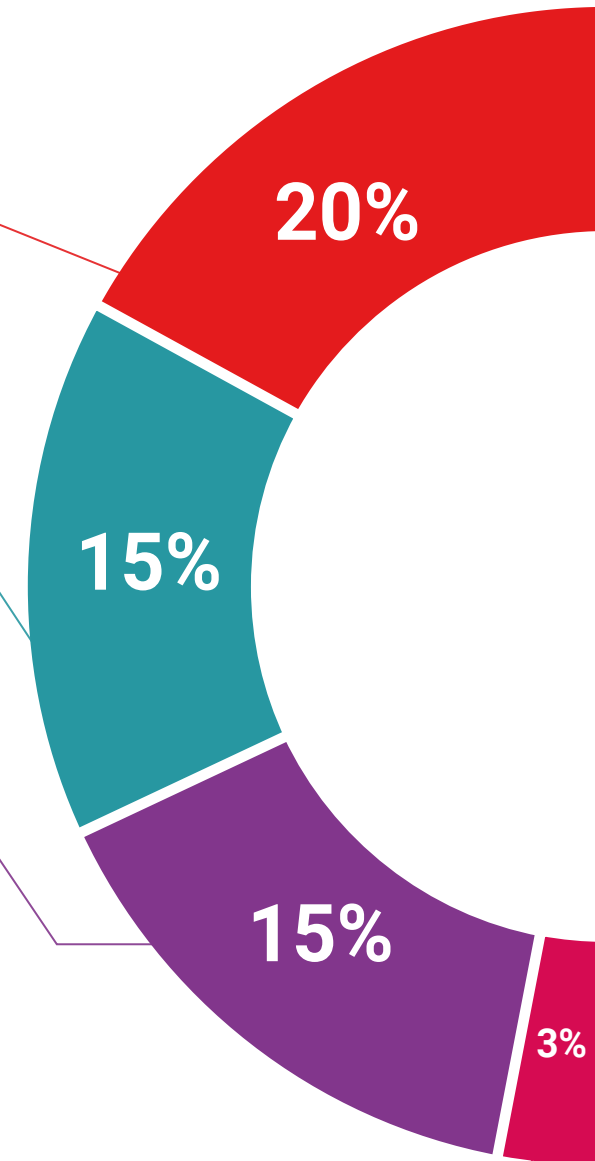
The TECH team presents the contents attractively and dynamically in multimedia lessons that include audio, videos, images, diagrams, and concept maps in order to reinforce knowledge.

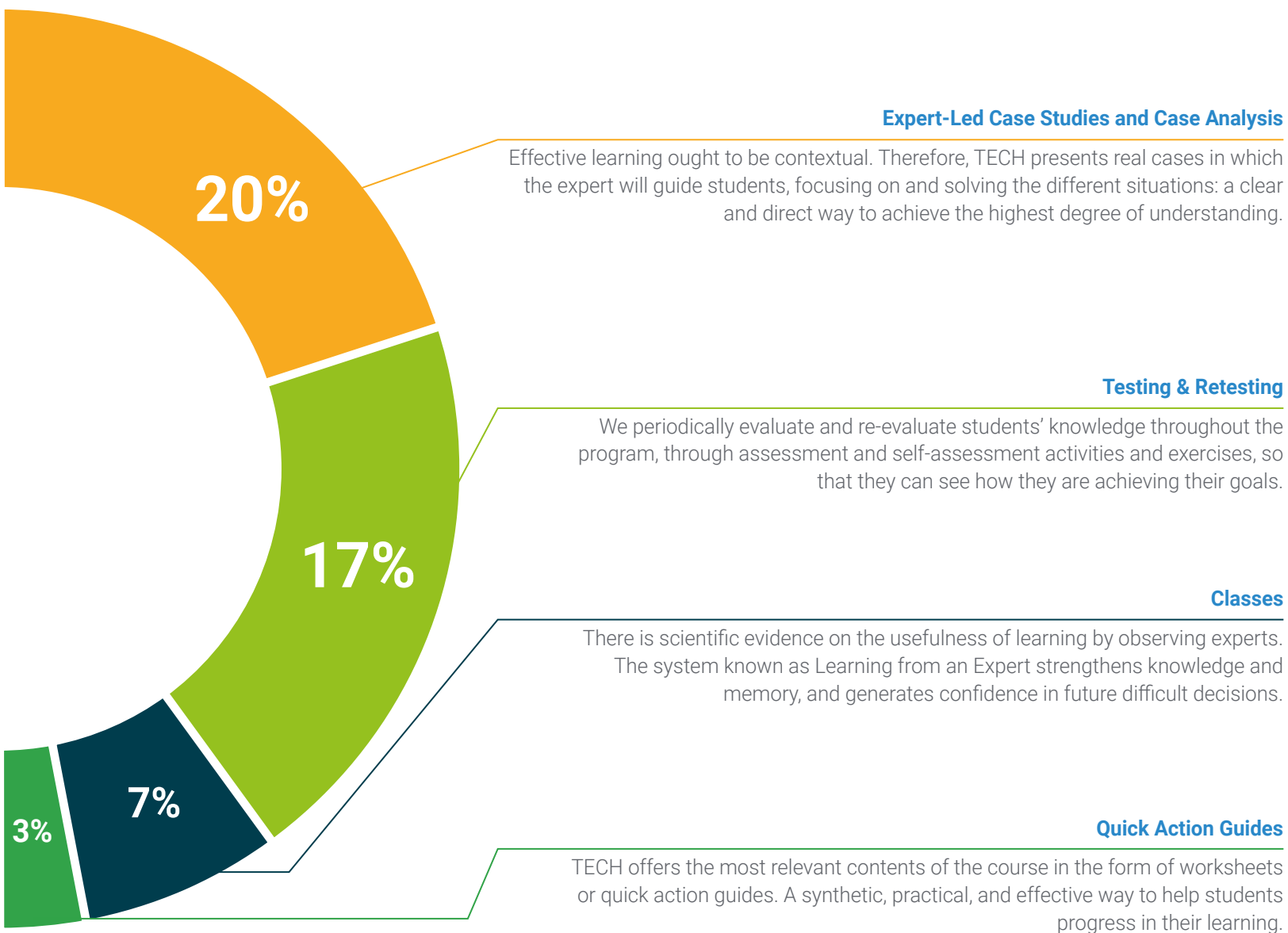
This exclusive educational system for presenting multimedia content was awarded by Microsoft as a "European Success Story".



Additional Reading

Recent articles, consensus documents and international guidelines, among others. In TECH's virtual library, students will have access to everything they need to complete their course.





06 Certificate

The Postgraduate Diploma in Disaster Management guarantees students, in addition to the most rigorous and up-to-date education, access to a Postgraduate Diploma issued by TECH Global University.



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*Successfully complete this program and
receive your university qualification without
having to travel or fill out laborious paperwork”*

This private qualification will allow you to obtain a **Postgraduate Diploma in Disaster Management** endorsed by **TECH Global University**, the world's largest online university.

TECH Global University is an official European University publicly recognized by the Government of Andorra ([*official bulletin*](#)). Andorra is part of the European Higher Education Area (EHEA) since 2003. The EHEA is an initiative promoted by the European Union that aims to organize the international training framework and harmonize the higher education systems of the member countries of this space. The project promotes common values, the implementation of collaborative tools and strengthening its quality assurance mechanisms to enhance collaboration and mobility among students, researchers and academics.

This **TECH Global University** private qualification is a European program of continuing education and professional updating that guarantees the acquisition of competencies in its area of knowledge, providing a high curricular value to the student who completes the program.

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