



**The Department of Dermatology at the
American University of Beirut Faculty of Medicine**

**In joint sponsorship with
Cleveland Clinic
Announces its 1st**

Board Review Course in Dermatology

*February 8-9, 2012
Alfouzan Galadari Dermatology Conference Hall
Department of Dermatology, Building 23
American University of Beirut Medical Center
Beirut, Lebanon*

Message from the Activity Director

The *Department of Dermatology* at the American University of Beirut is pleased to offer its *first Board Review course in Dermatology* to all dermatology residents in the Arab countries and the region.

This 2-day course is a *fully-illustrated, note-packed volume* of information in dermatology and the dermatosciences and fulfills a real need for a *single study guide* for the exams of the Arab Board of Dermatology. Presented by a distinguished faculty, this course focuses on delivering broad information in an easy-to-understand and easy-to-remember format. Tips, tricks, short lists, and mnemonics - a must-have for any dermatology resident - will complement every topic in the course.

We look forward to welcoming you in this *intensive and high yield course* and hope its menu will prove valuable and will culminate in success in your board exams.

I look forward to this activity with a thrill and enthusiasm.

Best Regards,
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2011 Dermatology Board Review Course Activity Directors and Faculty

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General Information and Accreditation

Program Overview

The American University of Beirut is pleased to present the 1st Board Review Course in Dermatology. The purpose of this course to provide a comprehensive dermatologic board review to help participants in their preparation for the Arab Board of Dermatology certification and re-certification.

This Board Review Course is a comprehensive regimen that is similar in its content to the curriculum of the Arab Board of Dermatology. It is meant to provide a consummate review of possible topics that may invariably be featured in the exam. Dermatology topics to be discussed include basic science, drug metabolism, cutaneous manifestations of internal disease, hair and nail disorders, pediatric dermatology, dermatopathology and more.

Objectives

As a result of attending this course, the participants will be able to:

1. Acquire knowledge of both basic and clinical dermatology
2. Recognize deficit or weakness in knowledge of dermatology
3. Identify, diagnose, and evaluate dermapathology liaisons and entities
4. Discuss the use of direct immunofluorescence and immunities to chemistry

Venue

Alfouzan Galadari Dermatology Conference Hall, Department of Dermatology, 3rd floor, Pierre Abou Khater building (Building 23) at the American University of Beirut Medical Center

Accreditation

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of The Cleveland Clinic Foundation Center for Continuing Education and American University of Beirut Medical Center. The Cleveland Clinic Foundation Center for Continuing Education is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Cleveland Clinic Foundation Center for Continuing Education designates this live activity for a maximum of 17.75 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*TM. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

Participants claiming CME credit from this activity may submit the credit hours to the American Osteopathic Association Council on Continuing Medical Education for Category 2 credit.

Faculty Disclosure

The Cleveland Clinic Foundation Center for Continuing Education has implemented a policy to comply with the current Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education Standards for Commercial Support requiring resolution of all faculty conflicts of interest. Faculty declaring a relevant commercial interest will be identified in the activity syllabus.

Target Audience

Target audience includes physicians preparing for dermatologic board certification or recertification and physicians desiring a comprehensive update of basic dermatologic clinical information.

Registration

Attendance is \$500 for each participant until January 22, 2012. After that date, the registration fee will be \$ 750. Registration fee includes syllabus, refreshment breaks, and lunches. Please contact Dermatology Department at derm@aub.edu.lb for further information and registration.

Organizer

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Program Agenda

Wednesday, February 8, 2012

- 7.30 - 7.50 Registration
- 7.50 - 8.00 Welcome and Introduction
- Dr. Abdul Ghani Kibbi

SESSION I

- 8.00 - 9.00 Structural Biology of Epidermis and Basement Membrane
- Dr. Kibbi
- 9.00 – 9:15 Break
- 9.15 - 10.00 Immunodermatology
- Dr. Abbas
- 10.00 - 12.00 Hair and Nail Review
- Dr. Dahdah
- 12.00 - 13.00 Cutaneous manifestations of Internal diseases
- Dr. Rubeiz
- 13.00 - 14.00 LUNCH

SESSION II

- 14.00 - 15.00 Lasers
- Dr Rubeiz
- 15.00 - 17.00 Infectious Disease with Review of Derm-Relevant Microbiology
- Dr. Abbas

SESSION III

- 17.00 - 18.00 Dermatopathology cases (session 1)
- Dr. Kibbi

Thursday February 9, 2012

SESSION I

- 8.00 - 9.30 Surgical Anatomy
 Dr. Salman
- 9.30 - 10.45 Surgical Reconstruction and basics of cosmetic procedures
 Dr. Salman
- 10.45 - 11.00 Coffee Break
- 11.00 - 12.00 Benign to Severe Cutaneous Drug Reaction
 Dr. Abbas
- 12.00 – 13.00 Drug Metabolism and Biologics
 Dr. Kurban
- 13.00 - 14.00 LUNCH

SESSION II

- 14.00 - 16.00 Pediatric Dermatology Review
 Dr. Kurban
- 16.00 - 17.00 Genodermatosis review
 Dr. Kurban

SESSION III

- 17.00 – 18.00 Dermatopathology cases (session 2)
 Dr. Ghosn

A 5 minute question and answer period is included in each of the speaker's allotted time.