



MALTA UNIVERSITY CONSULTING

COURSE INFORMATION SHEET



AWARD IN PHARMACOGNOSY & HERBAL PRODUCTS

Course Duration:	28 hours	Time: 5.00p.m. – 8.00p.m. (8 sessions)	5:00pm to 7:00pm (last 2 sessions)
Dates:	June: Tues 15; Fri 19; Mon 21; Thurs 24; Wed 30 (5.00 – 8.00p.m.) July: Mon 5; Thurs 8; Mon 12 (5.00 – 8.00p.m.) Thurs 15; Mon 19 (5:00pm to 7:00pm)		
Delivery:	Online via Zoom	Course Registration Fee:	€360/UM students €345
Deadline for Applications:	13 th June 2021		
Accreditation:	This course has been approved by the Malta Further and Higher Education Authority (MFHEA) as equivalent to Level 6 (5 ECTS) – License No: 2013-FHI-019; Further & Higher Education Institution		

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Aim and Contents of the Course

This course is primarily aimed at Qualified Personnel candidates that work in the pharmaceutical industry having a BSc in Chemistry/Biology, Professionals with a degree in Pharmacy-related subjects and Postgraduate students reading for Master's degree in Pathology/Pharmacology.

Attendees will learn how pharmacognosy has evolved throughout the ages and has developed into a way of life for some patients and consumers. Topics on how the European Union safeguards the European consumer from toxic and harmful natural medicines by a strict directive shall be covered. Due to the distinct classification of herbal substances and preparations into herbal medicines, food supplements and cosmetics, participants are guided on the general characteristics of these herbals from the legal and also scientific points of view to classification of herbal medicines in accordance with the 2004/24/EC herbals directive that has been now implemented in the general medicines directive, 2001/83/E. For Learning Outcomes click [here](#).

Course Outline

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Pharmacognosy: from Tradition to medicine. • Drug Development in the case of Natural Products. • History of Herbalism and Ethnobotany • Legislation: Herbal Products: Medicine or Food? • Phytomedicines used in Modern Therapies and Nutraceuticals | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alternative medicine: Herbal Medicine, Aromatherapy and Apitherapy • Introduction to Secondary Metabolites: Terpenoids, Glycosides, Flavonoids, Tannins and Alkaloids and principles of Extraction and Processing of secondary metabolites from Plants. • <i>In vitro</i> and <i>in vivo</i> testing of secondary metabolites from Plants • The Medicinal Cannabis industry |
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The Lecturer

Prof Everaldo Attard graduated with honours in Pharmacy at the University of Malta (1994) and later furthered his studies on Maltese aromatic and medicinal plants by undertaking a Master of Science degree in Agricultural and Veterinary Pharmacy (1995). Read more about him [here](#).

Certification

Upon successfully completing the course with 80% attendance, attendees will receive an MFHEA Accredited Certificate from Malta University Consulting Ltd.

General Information

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For online registration click [here](#).

Cheques are to be made payable to Malta University Consulting Ltd.

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