

# La Paz Training Center

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## Process or Requirements

For training in **advanced endoscopy**, 4 grants are awarded per year. The requirements for the grant are as followed:

- CV.
- Passport photograph.
- Letter of recommendation from the Head of Service or Director of the Hospital in which you work.
- Personal letter addressed to the Director of the WGO La Paz Training Center, expressing the perspectives, and objectives that motivate your application and the working conditions you will have upon your return to your country.
- Commitment note.
- Application form.

For the **international course** we normally have 30 grants. The requirements for the grant are as followed:

- Letter that explains the reasons for the application and the applicant's expectations regarding the Course.
- Photocopy of identity document or passport.
- Photocopy of gastroenterology specialist certification. Digestive surgeons with training and practice in digestive endoscopy and final year residents with certification from the training institution may be considered.
- Cover letter from a Gastroenterology and/or Digestive Endoscopy Service at a university, public or private level.
- Cover letter from the Society of Gastroenterology and/or Digestive Endoscopy of your country of origin, only if you are affiliated.
- Curriculum vitae.
- Medical certification of good health, both physical and mental.
- Commitment note.
- Application Form.

## Technology / Procedures

The advanced endoscopy course consists of 4 months of practical training in advanced procedures. It includes endoscopic retrograde cholangiopancreatography (ERCP), hemorrhage therapy, endoscopic dissections, endoscopic resections among others.

We have 3 endoscopy rooms fully equipped with Olympus and Pentax towers.