



FESSH Travel Award 2020

Olesea Catarau, Republic of Moldova 15 – 26 November 2021

Kaplan Hand Institute Hospital de Barcelona

Objectives

- To expand my knowledge in hand surgery with a focus on wrist arthroscopy
- To learn new approaches to well established diagnosis
- To observe a different clinic's routine including clinic hours and surgeries
- To establish and consolidate a professional relationship with wrist surgeons







Surgical experience:

Thumb UCL repair, trigger finger release, carpal tunnel, phalanx, metacarpal and distal radius plating, various wrist arthroscopy, wide awake hand surgery, carpal instability, basal thumb arthritis, mallet finger, finger tumors resection.







Acknowledgements:

I would like to thank to FESSH for this opportunity and for the financial support. I would also like to thank all the team from Kaplan Institute for sharing their invaluable knowledge, technical expertise, scientific work and kindness with me. I gained an important improvement in my personal experience on Upper Limb and Hand Surgery.



26th January 2021

To whom it may concern:

Dr. Olesea CATARAU has been accepted for a Fellowship in Surgery of the Hand at the Institut Kaplan of Barcelona, Spain, for a period of two weeks, from 15th until 26th November, 2021.

Sincerely,

Dra. Ana Carreño

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Coordinator of the Teaching/Training Program at Institut Kaplan

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The Institut Kaplan has been accredited by the Federation of European Societies for Surgery of the Hand (FESSH) for the training in Surgery of the Hand and Upper Extremity.



9th September 2019

To whom it may concern:

Dr. Olesea CATARAU has been accepted for a Fellowship in Surgery of the Hand at the Institut Kaplan of Barcelona, Spain, in the year 2020.

Sincerely,

Dra. Anna Carreño

Coordinadora del Programa de Docencia del Institut Kaplan

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El Institut Kaplan es un Centro Acreditado por la FESSH (Federación Europea de Sociedades de Cirugía de la Mano) para la formación de especialistas en Cirugía de la Mano y de la Extremidad Superior.



CERTIFICATE IN HAND AND UPPER EXTREMITY SURGERY

30th November 2021

This is to certify that **Dr**. **Olesea CATARAU** has observed and participated in most Hand and Upper Extremity surgical procedures, as well as teaching activities at our institution, from 15th to 26th November 2021.

Very truly yours,

Sincerely,

Dr. Angel Ferreres

Dr. Àlex Lluch

Dra. Ana Carreño

Dra. Mireia Esplugas

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