Certificates of Competence

Certificates of competence give oncologists the chance to study in-depth, and get a recognised qualification, as specialists in certain types of cancer. Courses are currently available for breast and lung cancer and lymphoma. They are run in collaboration with the University of Ulm, Germany (breast cancer, lymphoma), and the University of Zurich, Switzerland (lung cancer), and involve some face-to-face teaching as well as self-paced distance learning, for a total of 300-400 hours of study. Students enrol from all over the world, with Europe accounting for at least 50%.

Source: Pavlidis et al. The European School of Oncology Certificate of Competence Programme: Eight years of experience. (submitted)





