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## "1<sup>st</sup> Workshop in Genetics and Public health for Developing Countries – The Eurogentest a model for similar networks in Latin America"

### Place:

*1st Day:* Luis Fernando Procel Auditorium – Medical Faculty – Universidad Católica de Santiago de Guayaquil - Ecuador

*2nd Day:* Oro Verde Hotel –Machala Hall - Guayaquil – Ecuador

### PROGRAMME

#### First day: Monday September 17

8h00	Inscriptions	15h00	Lecture: <b>"The EUROGENTEST PROJECT – Organization and Services"</b> . <i>Dr. Jean Jacques Cassiman</i> - EUROGENTEST General Coordinator - Belgium.
09h15	Welcome and inauguration Institutional Authority.	15h45	Questions
09h45	Workshop presentation and its objectives <i>Dr. Peter Chedraui</i> – Líder EUROGENTEST – 27-Ecuador	16h00	Lecture: <b>"Core competences in genetics for health professionals in Europe"</b> . <i>Dr. Domenico Coviello</i> - Leader for Unit 6: EUROGENTEST – Italy.
10h00	Lecture: <b>"Clinical genetics in Latin America"</b> . <i>Dr. Alejandro Giraldo</i> - President of the Latin American Human Genetic Network: RELAGH - Colombia	16h45	Questions
10h45	Questions	17h00	Lecture: <b>"Moving genetic testing from research to the clinical setting – the CETT Program as a model"</b> . <i>Dr. Andrew Faucett</i> - Centre for Disease Control, Atlanta USA.
11h00	Lecture: <b>"Medical Genetics in Ecuador: development and current situation"</b> . <i>Dr. César Paz y Miño</i> - President of the Ecuadorian Human Genetic Society - Ecuador	17h45	Questions
11h45	Questions	18h00	Lecture: <b>"A proposal for the implementation of a epidemiological, educational, diagnostic and preventive program regarding congenital defects: REMAC proposal (The Ecuadorian Congenital Malformation Registry)"</b> . <i>Dr. Xavier Landívar</i> - Co-Leader EUROGENTEST – P27-Ecuador.
12h00	Lecture: <b>"Genetics and Public Health in Latin America: The role of geneticist health ministries and the Pan-American Health Organization"</b> <i>Dr. Víctor Penchaszadeh</i> - Pan-American Health Organization - Argentina	18h45	Questions.
12h45	Questions	19h00	Closure

#### Second day: Tuesday September 18

Possible strategies for the implementation of genetics services and networks will be discussed.