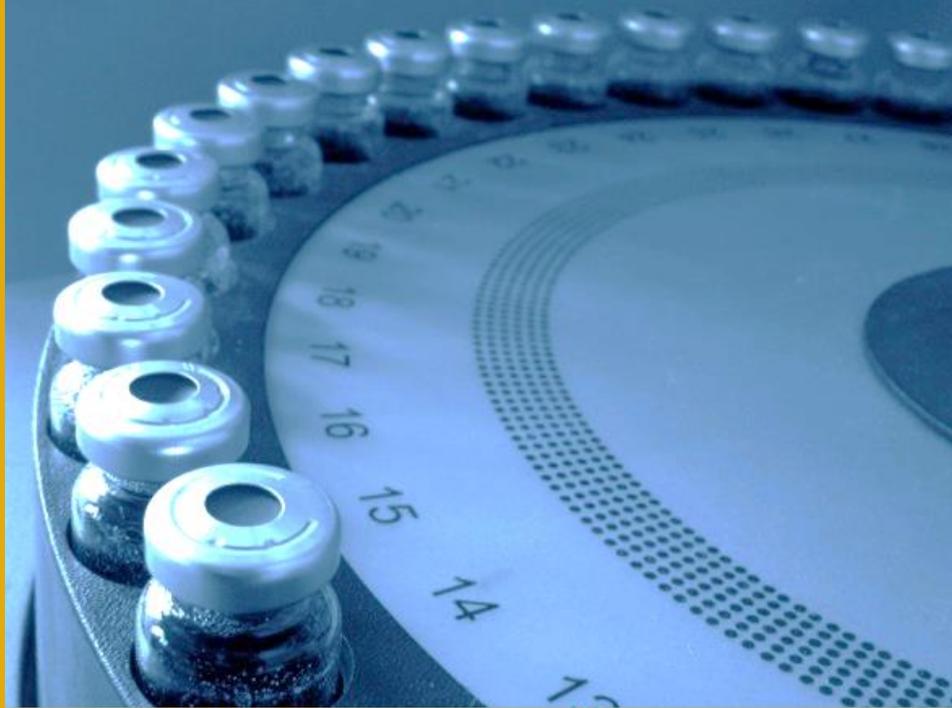




**Compliance & Validation Services**  
Presents a 3-Day Training Course on:

## **Aseptic Manufacturing of Pharmaceutical Products**

**12, 13 & 14 March 2019**  
**Radisson Blu Hotel, Amsterdam**



### **Aseptic Manufacturing:**

- Unique challenges of aseptic manufacture and the potential consequences of inadequate contamination control and poor practice
- Product sterility testing and the probability of detecting failure units
- Understanding and controlling contamination from cleanroom personnel
- Effective aseptic practices and cleanroom behaviours
- Risk management of microbial contamination
- Cleaning and disinfection for contamination control
- Preparation of product, components and equipment for aseptic manufacture
- Overview of sterilisation processes and requirements for effective microbial control
- Key regulatory authority documents and international standards

### **Facility Design and Support Systems:**

- HVAC systems and facility (cleanroom) design principles
- Facility qualification and ongoing monitoring and management
- Fundamental principles of unidirectional and turbulent airflow for effective airborne contamination control
- RABS and Isolators
  - Risk spectrum for advanced aseptic manufacture
  - Comparison of RABS and Isolators and system options for aseptic manufacture
- Cleanroom clothing systems and assessment of garment life
- Process simulation trials (PST) [Media fills]

## Course Summary: Aseptic Manufacturing of Pharmaceutical Products - 12, 13 and 14 March 2019 - Radisson Blu Hotel, Amsterdam

The course covers one of the most challenging and high risk activities undertaken by the pharmaceutical and biopharmaceutical industry. To operate effectively in the field of aseptic manufacturing, it is essential to understand the sources/basic mechanisms of contamination in conjunction with the associated systems and procedures required to effectively control such contamination. This course provides delegates with an in-depth appreciation of contamination sources and mechanisms, together with effective controlling and monitoring mechanisms such as: good cleanroom operation; effective facility/HVAC design, operation and maintenance; good aseptic behaviours/disciplines; effective personnel clothing systems, sterilisation processes, process simulation trials, risk management initiatives and environmental monitoring.

Their hands-on experience will provide current industry best practice and up-to-date regulatory authority information and there will be opportunities to put the learning into practice during carefully chosen workshops. A complimentary drinks reception and course dinner will be held on the evening of Day 1.

### Presenters



**Mike James, Training Director, Compliance & Validation Services Limited.:** Mike has over 25 years experience in the pharmaceutical industry, working in a variety of compliance and validation roles. His experience includes preparation and delivery of national/client-based validation training courses, hands-on validation work, validation project management and regulatory compliance consultancy. Previously, Mike spent four years as the Site Validation Manager for GlaxoSmithKline (GSK) at Speke, where he was responsible for all site validation activities, including the development and maintenance of the Site Validation Programme. Before moving to the pharmaceutical industry he spent 15 years as an industry chemist.



**Kevin Owen, Global Aseptic Processing subject matter expert at PM Group:** A microbiologist by profession (Hospital and Pharmaceutical), who has 30 years of aseptic operational experience and responsible for all aseptic processing capability within multinational Pharma. He ensured all industry and regulatory expectations were met (and anticipated) across sites by embedding a systemic approach to aseptic manufacturing. He has led draft Annex 1 compliance strategy and set up and developed Aseptic centres of excellence to transform aseptic assurance cultures. Expert fields include Regulatory compliance, positive and negative pressure cleanrooms, toxin handling, lyophilisation, specials manufacturing, clinical trials, and Laboratory design. He has led major aseptic facility improvement projects without interruption to the commercial supply of products to patients. His position as Aseptic Processing subject matter expert provides great technical leadership and operational depth on aseptic fill finish projects across the global footprint of the PM group. Kevin is always Patient centric.



**Industry Expert:** Our industry expert has responsibilities for the derivation, optimisation and implementation of best practices for aseptically prepared products. They have over 20 year's experience of sterile product manufacture and have had roles in technical support, production management and specialist activities for aseptically prepared products. Our expert has also had pivotal involvement in design, construction, start up and validation of multimillion pound aseptic manufacturing facilities. They have also managed the introduction, technical transfer and scale-up activities for a number of sterile products and published a number of papers relating to cleanroom activities.

### Who Should Attend

This interactive course has been designed for personnel from a range of disciplines. These include production, technical, engineering and quality assurance roles. It is aimed at those who are either new to aseptic manufacturing or at those who would like to expand their existing knowledge. On leaving this course delegates will: have a better understanding of the applicable regulatory rules and guidance and other pertinent international standards/guides; have a clear understanding of the fundamental principles and best industry practice of/in aseptic facility/HVAC design, operation, and maintenance; in depth knowledge of key supporting systems; be able to apply and share their new knowledge; improve their individual effectiveness; and look back on an enjoyable experience.

### Venue

**Radisson Blu Hotel, Amsterdam:** Ideally situated in the historical heart of Amsterdam, close to the main tourist attractions, museums, theatres, shopping areas, red-light and business districts. The hotel has a fitness centre and excellent conference and banqueting facilities.

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Delegates are kindly requested to arrange their own accommodation. Course fees are **£1,995.00 (GBP)** per delegate. Accommodation is NOT included in the course fees. (See Page 4 for further details on fees/bookings)



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Registration (08:45 to 09:00) – Delegates arrive at the meeting room and sign the attendance register.

DAY 1 (Tuesday 12 March 2019)	Day 2 (Wednesday 13 March 2019)	Day 3 (Thursday 14 March 2019)
<b>09:00 Opening/Welcome</b>	<b>Day 2 Introduction (09:00)</b>	<b>Day 3 Introduction (09:00)</b>
<b>Introduction to Aseptic Manufacture</b> <i>[Industry Expert]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sterile medicinal products and the concept of sterility (sterility definition)</li> <li>• Unique challenges of aseptic manufacturing</li> <li>• Probability of detecting contaminated units with the product sterility test</li> <li>• Potential consequences of poor aseptic practices</li> <li>• Regulatory authority considerations</li> </ul>	<b>People as a Source of Contamination</b> <i>[Industry Expert]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contamination from personnel</li> <li>• Personnel movements and contamination dispersal rates</li> <li>• Inert particles and microbe carrying particles</li> <li>• Mechanisms and routes for product contamination</li> <li>• Risk assessment approach for microbial contamination during cleanroom manufacture</li> </ul>	<b>Introduction to Sterilisation</b> <i>[Kevin Owen]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Why do we sterilise (including milestone incidents)?</li> <li>• Wet heat and dry heat sterilisation (processes involved)</li> <li>• Porous load sterilisation</li> <li>• Fluid load sterilisation (types of sterilisers available)</li> <li>• Irradiation sterilisation</li> <li>• Filtration – is it a sterilisation process?</li> <li>• Control of the sterilisation process</li> <li>• Regulatory Inspection issues</li> </ul>
<b>Cleanrooms, RABS and Isolators</b> <i>[Industry Expert]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• History of cleanrooms</li> <li>• Classification of controlled environments</li> <li>• Achieving and maintaining cleanliness levels</li> <li>• Cleanrooms for the pharmaceutical industry</li> <li>• Isolators and RABS</li> </ul>	<b>Cleanroom Clothing Systems</b> <i>[Industry Expert]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Garment requirements for effective contamination control and assessment of garment life</li> <li>• Garment management activities</li> <li>• Gowning requirements, practical gowning procedures and initial and ongoing qualification</li> <li>• Undergarments – long or short sleeves??</li> <li>• Goggles – disinfection or sterilisation??</li> </ul>	<b>Aseptic Validation</b> <i>[Kevin Owen]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Process simulation trials (PST)</li> <li>• Frequency and batch/lot sizes required for PST</li> <li>• Design of PST</li> <li>• Inclusion of 'worst case' scenarios</li> <li>• PST microbiological media</li> <li>• Interpretation of PST results</li> <li>• Consequences of failure and dealing with non-conforming results</li> </ul>
<b>The Focus on RABS &amp; Isolators</b> <i>[Industry Expert]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The aseptic integrity spectrum</li> <li>• Isolators and RABS</li> <li>• Comparison isolators and RABS</li> <li>• RABS operating principles</li> <li>• RABS types</li> <li>• Interventions and transfers</li> <li>• Gaseous vapour phase decontamination</li> </ul>	<b>Particle Counting</b> <i>[Mike James]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Particle counters and how they work</li> <li>• Approximations and assumptions used in particle counting</li> <li>• Avoiding over and under-sampling large particle (use of Isokinetic sampling probes)</li> <li>• Installation considerations</li> </ul>	<b>Room Classification and Environmental Monitoring</b> <i>[Mike James]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Room Classification - worked example</li> <li>• Environmental Monitoring               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What has to be monitored and when?</li> <li>• Routine and periodic monitoring requirements</li> <li>• Differences between Aseptic and Non-Sterile Areas</li> <li>• What equipment is needed?</li> <li>• Where should we monitor?                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Example risk assessments</li> </ul> </li> <li>• What standards should be applied?</li> <li>• Location and frequency examples</li> <li>• Setting alert and action limits and dealing with non-conformances</li> <li>• Effective data management and reacting to data</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>HVAC System Overview</b> <i>[Mike James]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fundamentals principles of HVAC system, e.g. particle level control by continuous removal of particle laden air</li> <li>• Control of differential pressure, pressure regimes, airflows, temperature and humidity</li> <li>• Design concepts</li> <li>• Overview of system qualification</li> <li>• Maintaining systems for effective control of airborne contamination</li> </ul>	<b>Cleanroom Behaviours and Aseptic Practices</b> <i>[Industry Expert]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cleanroom change protocols and garments</li> <li>• Gloves and hand disinfection procedures</li> <li>• Personnel movements in cleanrooms</li> <li>• Workstation planning</li> <li>• How to behave and how not to behave</li> <li>• Video demonstration</li> </ul>	
<b>Cleanroom Design Principles</b> <i>[Industry Expert]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Layout, flow, personnel entry, room shape</li> <li>• General surfaces, floors, walls and ceilings</li> <li>• Windows, doors, hatches, communication systems</li> <li>• Conveyor systems, drains, sinks, pipes, conduits, lighting and plant rooms</li> <li>• Fittings and equipment</li> </ul>	<b>Component Preparation and Handling</b> <i>[Industry Expert]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clarification of terms</li> <li>• Types of components and mechanisms used to wash / sterilise / depyrogenise, e.g. WFI rinsing and wet/dry heat sterilisation / depyrogenation</li> <li>• Qualification of the processes involved, e.g. temperature mapping and endotoxin spiking</li> <li>• Equipment decontamination/preparation and sterilisation</li> </ul>	<b>Contamination Control &amp; Cleaning</b> <i>[Kevin Owen]:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where does it fit?</li> <li>• Sources of contamination</li> <li>• Barriers to contamination, including decontamination</li> <li>• Types of cleaning and disinfection processes</li> <li>• Material transfers</li> <li>• Maintenance intervention and how to manage it</li> </ul>
		<b>Final Questions &amp; Answers &amp; Course Closure</b>

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