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Australia

Institution: Royal Children’s Hospital
Program Director: Dr. Robert Weintraub
Address: 50 Flemington Road
          Parkville
          Melbourne, VIC 3025, Australia
Phone: 613 92355713
Email: robert.weintraub@rch.org.au

Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation: Yes, Royal Australian College of Physicians

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes, prior training in pediatrics and pediatric cardiology is highly desirable
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: No
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes
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Canada: Alberta

Institution: Stollery Children’s Hospital / University of Alberta
Program Director: Simon Urschel
Address: 4C2.32, Walter McKenzie Center
8440 122 Street
Edmonton, AB, T6G 2B7, Canada
Phone: 780-407-8361
Email: urschel@ualberta.ca

Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation: Yes, University of Alberta. Canadian College accreditation in progress

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: Yes
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes

Additional information: The training program is included in the education program Alberta Transplant Institute a combined pediatric and adult multi-organ transplant program. This offers excellent opportunities for rotation blocks into other subspecialties and research collaborations. Focus months in VAD (pediatric and adult combined) and electives in related specialties (pulmonary hypertension, adult heart failure, transplant infectious disease) are part of the 1 year program.
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**Spain**

**Institution:**  Children’s University Vall d’Hebron Hospital  
Program Director:  Dimpna C Albert  
Address:  Paseo Vall d’Hebron, 119-129  
Barcelona 08035, Spain  
Phone:  0034-60-963-5584  
Email:  dcalbert@vhebron.net

Duration:  2 Years  
Accreditation:  Yes, University Autonoma of Barcelona

Does your program accept international applicants?  Yes  
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities:  Yes, Program of Postgrade  
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship?  Yes

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United Kingdom

Institution: Freeman Hospital, Newcastle Upon Tyne
Program Director: Dr. Zdenka Reinhardt
Address: Department of Pediatric Cardiology
High Heaton
Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK NE7 7DN
Phone:
Email: zdenka.reinhardt@nuth.nhs.uk
Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation:

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? Yes
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes

Additional information: We have a Fellowship that is predominantly based in Cardiology, consisting of a 12 month post, focused on heart failure and transplant. Following this there can be an option to continue in a 6-12 month post in Paediatric Cardiac Intensive Care with Mechanical Circulatory Support and Transplant. For the cardiology post, previous experience in cardiology is essential as this is a higher level post. For the PCICU component, no previous experience of PICU is necessary.

Institution: Freeman Hospital, Newcastle Upon Tyne
Program Director: Dr. Emma Simpson
Address: Department of Pediatric Intensive Care
High Heaton
Newcastle Upon Tyne, UK NE7 7DN
Phone:
Email: simpson2@nuth.nhs.uk
Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation:

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? Yes
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes

Additional information: The Fellowship in Paediatric Cardiac Intensive Care, Mechanical Support and Transplant is available as a stand-alone post of 6-12 months. There may be an option to plan an additional 12 months, with modules in cardiac anaesthesia, cardiology, cardiovascular research and ECMO.
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USA: California

Institution: Stanford University
Program Director: David Rosenthal
Address: 750 Welch Road, #325
          Palo Alto, CA 94304
Phone: 650-723-7916
Email: davidnr@stanford.edu

Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation: No

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes, must be eligible for California medical license
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: Yes, 1 year, usually as optional extension to clinical fellowship
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes
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USA: Colorado

Institution: Children’s Hospital Colorado
Program Director: Melanie Everitt
Address: 13123 E. 16th Ave. B100
Heart Institute
Aurora, CO, 80045
Phone: 720-777-3218
Email: melanie.everitt@childrenscolorado.org

Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation: Yes, ACGME

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes

Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? No
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes

Additional information: Applicants need to have completed a fellowship in pediatric cardiology at an ACGME accredited program and be Board eligible at the time advanced training fellowship begins. Application requirements include CV, personal statement, letter from cardiology fellowship program director, and at least one additional letter of recommendation.
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USA: Illinois

Institution: Northwestern University
Program Director: Dr. Elfriede Pahl
Address: 225 E Chicago Ave, Box 21
Chicago, IL 60611
Phone: 312-227-5329
Email: epahl@luriechildrens.org

Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation: No

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes, they must be board certified/eligible in pediatric cardiology
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? No
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes

Additional information: We also support additional conference if fellow has accepted abstract, and cover expenses; fellow is expected to complete and publish at least one research project during 1 year although it is primarily a clinical fellowship of training in Heart failure and transplant
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USA: Missouri

Institution: Washington University
Program Director: Charles E Canter
Address: 8th floor NWT
1 Childrens Place
St Louis, MO, 63110
Phone: 1-314-454-6095
Email: canter@kids.wustl.edu

Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation: No

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities? No
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes
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USA: Pennsylvania

Institution: Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh, UPMC
Program Director: Brian Feingold
Address: 4401 Penn Ave
Faculty Pavilion Floor 5
Pittsburgh, PA 15217
Phone: 412-692-5541
Email: brian.feingold@chp.edu

Duration: 1 Year
Accreditation: No

Does your program accept international applicants? Yes
Does your program offer research fellowship opportunities: No
Does your program offer research opportunities as part of the clinical fellowship? Yes