



International Alliance for
Biological Standardization

Europe



Veronika Jekerle, Ph.D.

*Head of Pharmaceutical Quality,
Human Division,
European Medicines Agency,
Amsterdam, NL*

Tel: +31887818438

E-mail: veronika.jekerle@ema.europa.eu

Veronika Jekerle obtained a pharmacy degree from University of Marburg, Germany (2001) and PhD in Molecular pharmacology, drug discovery from the University of Bonn, Germany and the University of Toronto, Canada.

Since March 2020, Veronika is heading the Pharmaceutical Quality Office for Human Medicines at EMA and responsible for scientific oversight and management of the pharmaceutical quality of human medicines throughout their life-cycle in the context of the benefit risk assessment. She is responsible for EMA's Quality domain working parties, which include the BWP, the QWP, the Biosimilar working party and the Quality Innovation Group.

She joined EMA in 2006 and held various positions as Product Team Lead for Biological medicinal product, Recombinant proteins, Vaccines, ATMPs and Biosimilar applications, Quality Specialist for Advanced Therapies, recombinant proteins including mAbs, biosimilars and vaccines and Scientific Secretary to the Biologics Working Party (BWP) (2014-2020), leading regulatory science projects including prior knowledge, innovative manufacturing for Biologicals and flexibility in CMC requirements for PRIME (and other early access approaches) and more recently the revision of the variation classification guideline.