



ANN O U N C E M E N T L E T T E R

31st Jan, 1st & 2nd Feb, 2020



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“Coming together is the beginning,
keeping together is progress and
working together is success”
- Edward Everett Hale



Dear friends & colleagues.

It is with great pride that we announce ICP-AIPNA International Pathology CME meeting for the very first time in Gujarat. This is a conference and convention for the entire fraternity of the laboratory professionals of Gujarat and this is a big event, particularly so since this will also mark the 25th anniversary of ICP-AIPNA CME meetings.

The broad objective of 25th ICP AIPNA International CME meeting in January 2020 is to provide a forum where discussions and lectures allow transfer of knowledge/technology, and those interactions will help promote excellence in the field of pathology.

A wide spectrum of scientific topics will be presented by renowned and experienced International and National speakers. In addition to the plenary lectures, majority of presentations will include case-based presentations, time for discussions with subspecialty experts and also display of high-end state of the art laboratory equipment and other diagnostic products.

Ahmedabad is a lovely place to visit in January. It is a UNESCO world heritage city (only one in India) and is a convenient base for visiting monuments/ historic sites (Sardar Patel memorial, Gandhi Ashram), architectural marvels (Adalaj, Sarkhej Roja, Sidi Saiyed Jali), and the recently developed riverfront along the Sabarmati.

So do step away from your day to day work responsibilities, take a break and join us in large numbers to participate in ICP-AIPNA CME 2020.

GMC credit points will be given to all participants.

Thanking you,

Warm Regards.

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Organizing Chairperson

Dr. Mukesh Maheshwari
Organising secretary

Organized by: Department of Pathology, BJMC, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, INDIA

ABOUT CONFERENCE

This conference is being jointly organized by AIPNA (Association of Indian Pathologists of North America), ICP (Indian College of Pathologists) and Dept of Pathology BJ Medical college, Ahmedabad. AIPNA has taken this initiative jointly with the ICP to share knowledge, provide updates in various sub specialties in histopathology, cytology and hematopathology. For this cause the faculty have traveled great distances to share their expertise with us.

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HISTOPATHOLOGY

CYTOPATHOLOGY

HEMATOLOGY

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MOLECULAR PATHOLOGY

CASE DISCUSSIONS

SLIDE SEMINARS

**Strengthening
healthcare
through better
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diagnosis**

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Let's take a walk through
India's first and only
UNESCO World
Heritage City
AHMEDABAD





Sidi Sayeed Mosque

Built om 1573, this is the last of the major mosque to be built in Ahmedabad under the Mughal rule. Its peculiar feature,the curved jaalis in the windows of the western walls are known worldwide and have become a symbol of the city of Ahmedabad. Depicting a tree with intertwining branches, the carvings look like

fine lace work, but are actually made from solid stone. Witness the brilliant craftsmanship along with religious piety.

Visiting Hours: Across the day, every day.

Location: At Mirzapur road, 3 km from Ahmedabad.

Kankaria Lake

The historical Kankaria Lake having a periphery of about 2.5 Km has been the symbol of Ahmadabad's identity since almost 500 years. The historic lake around an island garden called Naginawadi has been an evergreen outing place for the people of Ahmedabad. Along with the adjoining Zoo, Balvatika, Aquarium and surrounding hill gardens, it offered a complete entertainment centre. Given an expanse of around 4 sq km of permanently filled water body, it has acted as the lungs of the relatively lower income South Eastern part of the city. Kankaria visited by hundreds of visitors was an urban chaos characterized

by unclean ghats, traffic Chaos on the 2.4 miles periphery road, unorganized street life including a congested eating area on one corner thriving with street food vendors. The periphery wall was in a dilapidated state, and lake precincts presented somewhat unclean and disorganized environment. Vehicle parking along the periphery walls often blocked the view, and visiting children had a hard time amidst the noise, traffic and resultant chaos. Kankaria had also gained notoriety as a suicide point. In short, a city level pubic space with high potential for being a high quality recreational /entertainment space had deteriorated.

Gandhi Ashram

Gandhiji had driven all the major activities of independence as well as upliftment of the society from this Ashram which was popularly known as Sabarmati Ashram. He stayed in the ashram for many years before he finally proceeded for a march to Dandi to break the salt law on 12 March 1930. Before starting the march to Dandi, Gandhiji declared that he will not return to the ashram before the independence of the country. Gandhiji selected a place on the bank of the river Sabarmati

very close to the Saint Dadheechi's temple as well as from Jail and a crematorium. Gandhi used to remark, ``This is the right place for our activities to carry on the search for Truth and develop Fearlessness for on one side are the iron bolts of the foreigners and on the other, thunderbolts of mother nature.The museum's new premises were built in 1963. The museum's main objective is to house the personal memorabilia of Mahatma Gandhi.

Sabarmati Riverfront

The key feature of this project is a two-level, continuous promenade at the water's edge along each bank of the river. The lower-level promenade is built just above the water level to serve pedestrians and cyclists, and to provide access to the water. The upper level promenade shall host a variety of public features at the city level. Together these provide Ahmedabad with an uninterrupted, pedestrian walkway, nearly 11.5km in length, in the heart of the city. The width of the promenade varies from 6-18m. Facilities provided at the River Promenade include: - Access points from the city level via staircases and ramps at regular intervals and under every bridge. - Lifts or Elevators to make lower-level promenade accessible for people

with disabilities. - Ghats at key locations to enable continuation of cultural activities. - Boating facilities with a boating station. - Public washrooms at regular intervals. - Concrete paved flooring which can support walking, jogging and cycling. - Continuous seating arrangement at the river's edge along with protective railing. - Evenly spaced lighting along the length of the promenade. - Evenly spaced tree plantation along the length of the promenade - Circular concrete seating around the trees and provision of dustbins at regular intervals. - Platforms at regular intervals for regulated and organized vending activities. - Security arrangements to handle entry-exit, timings and emergencies.

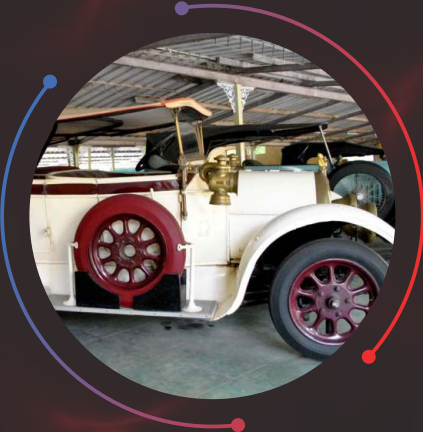
Sarkhej Roza

Sarkhej Roza comprises one of the most elegant and unique architectural complexes of Ahmedabad. In its architecture, Sarkhej Roza is an example of the early Islamic architectural culture of the region, which fused Islamic stylistic influences from Persia with indigenous Hindu and Jain features to form a composite "Indo-Saracenic" architectural style. The architectural style of Sarkhej Roza is a precursor to the Mughal period in a true amalgamation of Hindu, Jain, and Islamic styles. Hindu craftsmanship and construction know-how were overlaid on Islamic sense of geometry and scale. The Roza Complex at Sarkhej was built at the advent of Sultanate era. HISTORICAL BACKGROUND At the time when Ahmedabad city was

built, which was during the reign of Ahmed Shah (1410-1443 A.D.), Sarkhej was a village with a population consisting of weavers and indigo-dyers who were predominantly Hindu. It became associated with the name of Shaikh Ahmed Khattu Ganj Baksh, a Sufi saint and a friend/advisor to Sultan Ahmed Shah, who in his later years retired to the quiet environment of Sarkhej, away from the city. The saint lived till he was 111 years of age and was greatly venerated during his lifetime. Myths about his miraculous powers are prevalent even today. Life and teachings of Shaikh Ganj Baksh Khattu Upon his death in 1445, the reigning monarch, Mohammed Shah ordered a mausoleum built in his honour, along with a mosque.



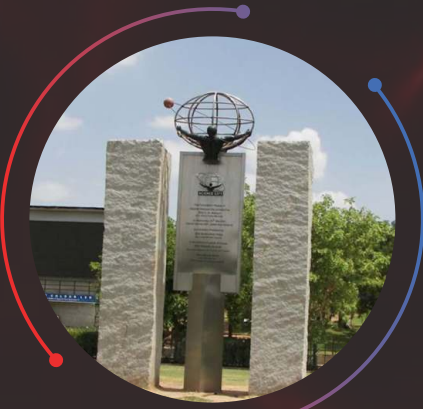
AutoWorld Museum



“Auto World” is a part of one of the most important collections of Antique Vehicles, Cars, Motorcycles, Utility Vehicles, Buggies etc. built by family of Shri Prantal Bhogilal over the last century. It represents several of the greatest marques of cars from all over the world, of all types and ages. “Auto World” showcases that time of history when an automobile was not a mere means of transport but a symbol of wealth, power & style; the mighty ceremonial limousines, the romantic convertibles & the snappy Sports Cars, cars specially coach built like Railway Saloons, Horse drawn carriages, Boat tailed Wooden Speedsters, Shooting Brakes-Cars built for the rich & famous. Cars to see and be seen in. “Auto World”, various pavilions built on acres of verdant grounds showcase more than 100 of the finest cars in the world such as Rolls-Royces, Bentleys, Daimlers, Langondas, Mercedeses, Maybach, Packards, Cadillacs,

Buicks, Auburns, Cord, Lancias, Lincolns, Chryslers and many other distinguished makes from USA, UK & Europe. Most of the cars are coach built by renowned coach builders like Hooper, Barker, Gurney-Nutting, Fleetwood, Labaron etc. They are all hand built to individual specifications of the buyer. Here are special cars like Limousines & Grand open Tourers for ceremonial Occasions, there are convertible cars for evening drives, there are station wagons like boats as well as like a horse drawn carriage especially built for the family’s evening drives in the Dastan estate. Facilities at Auto World include an auditorium & souvenir shop, a cafeteria & station for fun drives in vintage cars. Witness the triumph of human creativity-the best of science & technology combined with sublime Art & Aesthetics - All at “Auto World” the largest and finest Automobile collection of India & one of the best in the world.

Science City



Located off the Sarkhej Gandhinagar Highway, Science City is an ambitious initiative of the government of Gujarat to trigger an inquiry of science in the mind of a common citizen with the aid of entertainment and experiential knowledge. Covering an area of more than 107 hectares, the idea is to create imaginative exhibits, virtual reality activity corners, and

live demonstrations in an easily understandable manner. Currently the 3D Imax theater, musical dancing fountain, energy park and simulation rides interest visitors. It is hoped that as this place develops, the investment helps to create awareness and sensitivity to better care for our ecology and people through the appropriate use of science and technology.

Adalaj Vav



Set in the quiet village of Adalaj, this vav has served as a resting place for hundreds of years for many pilgrims and caravans along their trade routes. Built in 1499 by Queen Rudabai, wife of the Vaghela chief, Veersinh, this five-storey stepwell was not just a cultural and utilitarian space, but also a spiritual refuge. It is believed that villagers would come everyday in the morning to fill water, offer prayers to the deities carved into the walls and interact with each other in the cool shade of the vav. There is an opening in the ceilings above the landing which allows the light and air to enter the octagonal well. However, direct sunlight does not touch the flight of steps or landings except for a brief period at noon. Hence some researchers say that the atmosphere inside the well is six degrees cooler than the

outside. Another remarkable feature of this stepwells in Gujarat, it is the only one with three entrance stairs. All three stairs meet at the first storey, underground in a huge square platform, which has an octagonal opening on top. The vav is a spectacular example of Indo-Islamic architecture and design. The harmonious play of intricate Islamic floral patterns seamlessly fusing into Hindu and Jain symbolism embody the culture and ethos of those times. All the walls carved by ornamentation, mythological scenes along with everyday scenes of women churning buttermilk, dancers accompanied by musicians, women adorning themselves and a king sitting on a stool.

Akshardham Temple



A specimen of fine craftsmanship, the Akshardham temple in Gandhinagar is one of the largest and most prominent temples in the entire state of Gujarat. Located in Gandhinagar city, the famous Akshardham temple is a place, which consists of a number of things under one roof like art, education, architecture, exhibitions and research. It is truly an architectural masterpiece. Established in the year 1992, the Akshardham temple was built in the dedication of Lord

Swaminarayan. The credit for laying the foundation of the famous Akshardham temple at Gandhinagar goes to the Bochasanwasi Akshar-Purushottam Swaminarayan Sanstha (BAPS). The highlights of the temple consist of the seven feet long idol of Lord Swaminarayan, the chief deity at the Akshardham temple. Made by using tonnes of pink stones, Akshardham temple is one of the most magnificent edifices of modern India.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

AIPNA-ICP CME Meeting, Ahmedabad
January 31, 2020

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00 am to 9:35 am	Dr. Nagalotimath Oration	Dr. Vijay Joshi
9:40 am-10.00 am	Eminent Indian Pathologists: Dr R K Gadgil	Dr D N Lanjewar
	Tea Break	
10:20 am to 11:20 am	Endocervical adenocarcinoma classification	Dr. Robert Soslow
11:20 to 11:55 am	Am I missing something: Updates in Gynecologic Pathology	Dr. Srinivas Mandavilli
12 am to 12:35 pm	TBA	Dr. Anita Borges
1240-140	LUNCH	
2:00 pm to 2:35 pm	Fibroepithelial lesions of the breast	Dr. Dilip Giri
2:40 pm to 3:15 pm	Triple Negative breast cancer	Dr. Ajit Nambiar
3:20 pm to 3:55 pm	Intraductal lesions of the breast	Dr Dilip Giri
	TEA BREAK	
4:15 pm to 4:50 pm	EUS-FNA in cystic lesions of Pancreas	Dr. Nirag Jhala
4:50 pm to 5: 25 pm	EBUS-FNA in Lung cancer and role of PDL-1	Dr. Darshana Jhala

February 01, 2020

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00 am to 10:00 am	Curiosa et exotica (4 cases) Slide Seminar (each speaker 15 minutes)	Dr Sandeep Mathur (AIMS) Dr Nuzhat Husain (RMLIMS) Dr Megha Uppin (NIMS) Dr Paromita Roy (TMC)
10:00 am to 10:35 am	Diagnosis of prostate cancer on core needle biopsy: A 3-step approach	Dr. Rajal Shah
10:35 am to 11:10 am	H&N pathology A pastiche of Head & Neck Tumors	Dr. Anil Prasad

11:10 am to 1 pm	Recent concepts: Game Changers in GI Pathology	Drs. Sanjay Kakar, Amitabh Srivastava, Dhanpat Jain
	LUNCH	
2:00 pm to 2:35 pm	GU PATHOLOGY Essentials of Gleason grading of prostate cancer: An update	Dr. Rajal Shah
2:35 pm to 3:10 pm	WHO Updates in GI pancreatic endocrine neoplasms	Dr. Sanjay Kakar
3:10 pm to 3:45 pm	WHO Updates in liver tumors	Dr. Dhanpat Jain
	TEA BREAK	
4:00 pm to 4:35 pm	WHO updates in GI tumors	Dr. Amitabh Srivastava
4:35 pm to 5:10 pm	CNS Infections	Dr. Bishan Radotra

February 02, 2020

Time	Topic	Speaker
8:30 am to 9:05 am	Case discussion session in malignant hematologic diseases	Dr. Bakul Dalal
9:05 am to 9:40 am	Molecular Pathology of small B-cell lymphomas and leukemias	Dr. Adam Bagg
9:40 am to 10:15 am	Flow cytometry of non-malignant hematologic diseases	Dr. Bakul Dalal
10:15 am to 10:50 am	Molecular Pathology of aggressive B-call lymphomas	Dr. Adam Bagg
10:50 am to 11:50 am	An update on Coagulopathies: Von Willebrand Disease Hemophilias	Dr Jasmina (PGI Chandigarh) Dr Sukesh Nair (CMC Vellore)
11:45 am to 1:30 pm	Panel Discussion of Cases: Molecular and Flow cytometry in Hemeonc- balancing need and benefits in the Indian context	Moderator: Dr Sumeet Gujral (TMH) Panelists: Dr D K Mishra (TMC), Dr Khaliq ur Rahman (SGPGIMS) Dr.Bhavin Shah (HOC Vedanta)

Registration Details

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Note: • PG Students have to submit a certificate from HOD.

• **No Spot Registration will be Allowed.**

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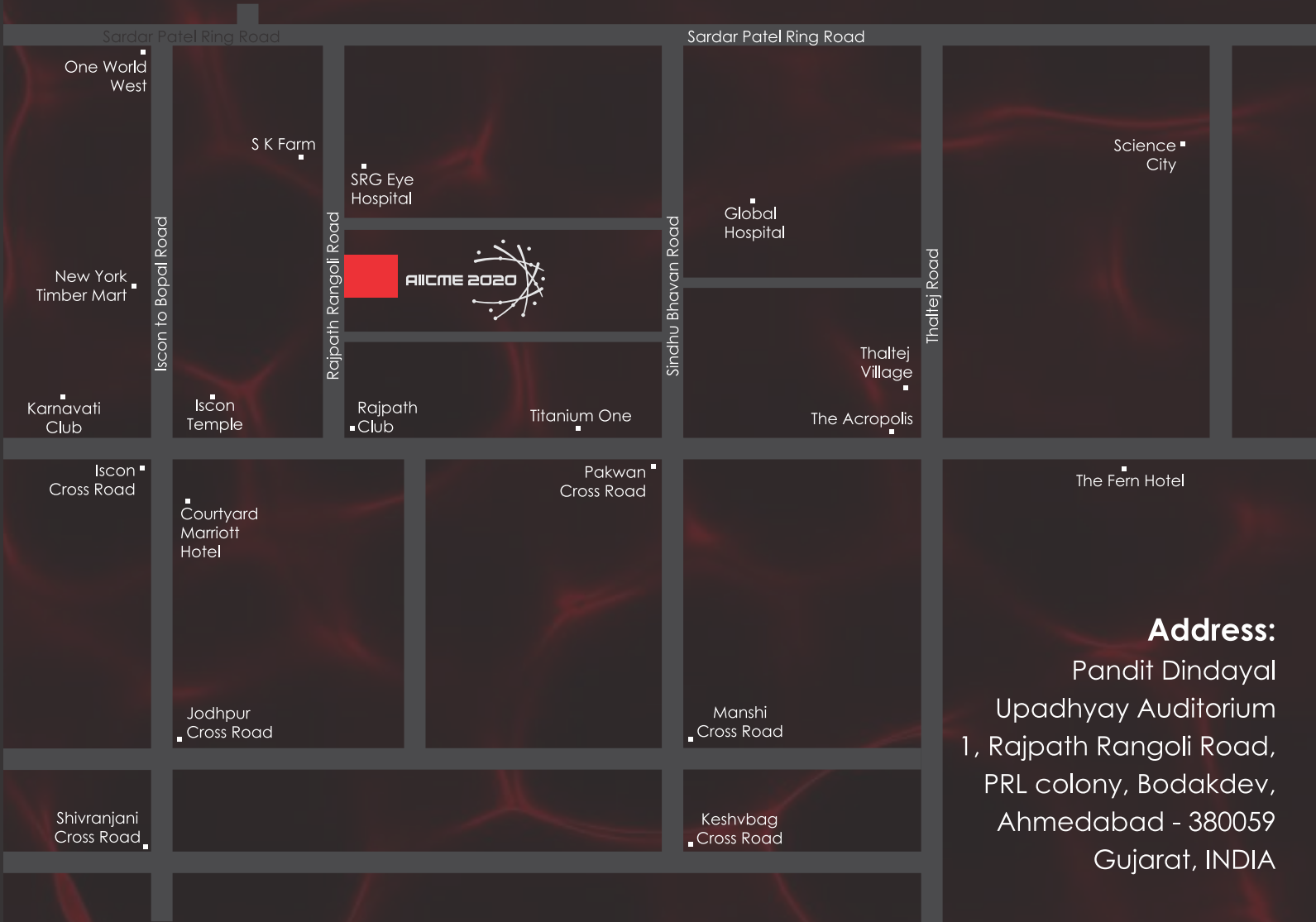
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- The abstract should include Title, Presenting author, coauthors and Institutional affiliation.
- The abstract should be structured (Introduction, Methods, Observations, Conclusion) and limited to aximum of 250 words, using Times New Roman size 16.
- Evaluation and marking of the posters will be done by international faculties.



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