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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Members of the IAPM family

Please accept warm wishes for all the forthcoming festive occasions. Knowledge of pathology is advancing by leaps and bounds, particularly for the molecular basis of various tumors affecting different organ systems. With so much advancement, there is point being a 'Jack of all trades' especially in large medical institutes. Recognizing this, many of the institutes have started fellow ship courses in various sub-specialties. Furthermore registries and societies have also sprung up leading to splintering of the vast subject of Pathology. We have been receiving communications to restrict the academic activities of the APCON with exclusion of certain areas such as hematology, blood banking and cytopathology. But we need to understand that APCON by and large caters to post-graduates who need to understand all specialties (which are all in the syllabus) and who may not be in position to attend all sub-specialty conferences. I do hope the APCON 2019 fulfills the aspirations of all post-graduates.



Dr. Pradeep Vaideeswar

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

The Dear Members

Happy Ganesh Festival to all of you!

All of us are now gearing up and looking forward to our annual conference APCON 2019 at Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education & Research (PGIMER), Chandigarh.

Many of the instructions for the conference were uploaded on our IAPM website, long before they appeared in print. It is unfortunate that there is always a last minute rush for not only registering for the conference or uploading the abstracts, but even for IAPM membership! Each process takes time and takes a toll on the office-bearers' responsibilities. Please register for conference in large numbers and enjoy academic feast



Dr Sharada Rane



REPORT OF JOINT SECRETARY

Andhra Pradesh Chapter- Midterm CME was held on 17.3.19 in NRI Medical College, Guntur under guidance of Dr. Prema Latha & Dr. I.V.Renuka. 267 delegates attended it and the topic covered was “Non-gynecological cytology-An update”.

UP Chapter- CME on “ Pediatric pathology: Current trends & perspective” was held on 16.3.19 CME on Hematolymphoid malignancies was held on 17.4.19 with 4 credit hours awarded to each.

North East Regional Chapter-Midterm CME on “Breast pathology & Hematology” with attendance of 130 delegates in Assam Medical College & Hospital on 28.4.19 . it covered different aspects of breast cancer with new guidelines. Hematology covered automation in hematology with recent developments in diagnosis and management.



Chhatisgarh Chapter-1.CME on nucleic acid testing & voluntary blood donation was done on 14.6.19 on world blood donor day.2.7th Hematology update was held by Chhatisgarh chapter at J.L.N. Hospital, Bhilai on 30.6.19 & attended by 100 delegates.3. A two days workshop on NABH accreditation on blood bank was held in J.L.N.Hospital & Research center

Karnataka Chapter-The academic activities held by Karnataka chapter were-
1.Guest lecture by Tumkur Pathologists Association, a unit of KCIAPM at Tumakuru on 12th Jan 2019 to honour Dr. Santhosh. K.V.2. VIII Annual KCIAPM state level Pathology Postgraduate Quiz held at BMC on 8th February 2019. Dr Raghavi and Dr Rutuja from ESI, Bengaluru won the First place and Dr Yashika & Dr Aparna from KIMS, Bangalore got second prize.3. KCIAPM Interactive slide seminar conducted by Anand Diagnostic Laboratory on 16th Feb 2019.4. CME on Molecular Pathology on 23 February 2019 at Ramaiah Medical College, Bengaluru.5. KCIAPM Interactive slide seminar conducted by Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Trauma & Orthopedics, Bangalore on 16th March 2019. 6. 3rd KCIAPM interactive slide seminar on 5th May 2019 hosted by R.V METROPOLIS DIAGNOSTIC & HEALTH CARE CENTER at M.S. Ramaiah Memorial Hospital, New BEL Road, Bangalore.7. National Hands-on Workshop on Breast cytology and Guided FNAC” on 14th and 15th June 2019 at Adichunchanagiri Institute of Medical Sciences, B G Nagara.



Odisha Chapter- Conducted Annual CME on “Core needle biopsy of breast lesions and case based studies” & workshop on “Grossing techniques of modified radical mastectomy” by Dr Sunati Sahoo, Professor, Pathology, Dallas, Texas, USA on 7.7.19 in S.C.B.Medical College, Cuttack. Prof. B.K.Nanda inaugurated the CME & Workshop with 200 delegates attending it.



Tamilnadu & Puducherry Chapter- Annual conference was held from 11th July till 13th July at Hotel Ramada plaza GUINDY, Chennai . Pre-conference workshop was held on 11.7.19 on grossing techniques of different cancers. Conference was held on 12th & 13th July covering various aspects of pathology. Dr. Pradeep Vaideeswar, President, IAPM attended it as the guest faculty with attendance of 300 delegates.





ANNOUNCEMENTS 2019

IAPM INVITATIONS FOR 2019

1. Invitation for Executive Committee of IAPM on 6th December 2019

All Executive Council members (all elected office bearers of IAPM, past presidents of IAPM and state chapter chairpersons) are cordially invited to attend the Executive Committee meeting. They are all requested to forward points for inclusion in the agenda before 1st November 2019.

2. Invitation for General Body Meeting of IAPM on 7th December 2019

All the honorable IAPM members are cordially invited to attend the General Body meeting of our association in large numbers. Kindly plan to participate actively in different discussions for which you are requested to provide matters that may be included in the agenda. Please write or email to the honorary secretary before 1st November 2019 so that the final agenda will be circulated to the executive council members

3. All the state chapter chairpersons are requested to send in their annual report to the joint secretary for publication in news letter. Not more than two high-resolution pictures are permissible.

IAPM ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR 2020

1. **Proposals** are invited for **APCON-2020** Conference by email on or before **1st November 2019** for the following:

1. Gaya Prasad Memorial Pathology Symposium
2. Topics for eight to Twelve parallel CMEs (in all sub-branches of pathology including Slide Seminars, Symposia, Lab.Medicine, IHC, molecular pathology and pathology education)

The moderator should have been a **life-member** of the IAPM for at least **five years**. The moderator should put forward **NO** more than **two** proposals. The topic chosen should not have figured in the programs of the past five APCONs and they should be contemporary and of current importance. The selection of the moderator should be based on the person's experience, past work and/or publications in that field of the suggested topic. As a principle, to give wide scope to members from all over the country, proposing members should not have moderated any session in the APCON in the past two years. If the topics are not received on the stipulated time, topics (which have not figured in the programs of the past five APCONs) will be selected during the General Body Meeting.

68th IAPM conference 2019 5th to 8th December 2019

5th Dec, 2019 – IAP-ID meet

6th-8th Dec. 2019 – APCON 2019

Venue : postgraduate institute of Medical Education and Research (PGIMER), Chandigarh

Conference secretariat:

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Workshops:

1. Next Generation sequencing
2. Autopsy short course
3. Immunofluorescence
4. Fluorescent in Situ Hybridization
5. Electron Microscopy
6. Research methodology and teaching Aids



INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF PATHOLOGY - INDIAN DIVISION
Annual Conference 2019
Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education & Research (PGIMER)
Chandigarh 5th December 2019

7.45 am - 8.30 am	Registration
8.30 am - 9.00 am	Inauguration
9.00 am - 10.00 am	<p>Guest Lecture by Invited Foreign Guest Speaker Topic: "The evolution of breast cancer management: The pathologist's contribution" Speaker: Prof. Dr. Jane Dahlstrom Chair and Professor of Pathology, College of Health and Medicine, Australian National University Canberra, Australia</p>
10.00 am - 10.30 am	Tea
10.30 am - 12.30 pm	<p>Slide Seminar Topic: "Paediatric soft tissue tumours" Moderator: Dr. Uttara Chatterjee Kolkata</p>
12.30 pm - 1.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm - 2.30 pm	<p>Slide Seminar by Invited Foreign Guest Speaker Topic: "Practical Approach to Placental Pathology" Speaker: Prof. Dr. Jane Dahlstrom Chair and Professor of Pathology, College of Health and Medicine, Australian National University Canberra, Australia</p>
2.30 pm - 4.30 pm	<p>Symposium Topic: "Pathology in the era of Immunomodulators" Moderator: Dr. Anita Borges Mumbai</p>
4.30 pm - 5.30 pm	General Body Meeting of IAP-ID Time
5.30 pm	Meeting concludes and Tea



APCON 2019 – Chandigarh IAPM Program

Day 01(Thursday, 5th December 2019)

6.30 pm onwards: Inauguration

Day 02 (Friday, 6th December 2019)

8.00 am to 10.00 am: Registration

8.30 am to 9.30 am: Breakfast Session

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| 1. Avenues after post-graduation | Dr BD Radotra
Chandigarh |
| 2. Basic terminologies in molecular pathology | Dr Prateek Bhatia
Chandigarh |
| 3. Verrucous lesions of skin | Dr Sudhir Arava
Delhi |
| 4. Significance of IELs and eosinophils in endoscopic biopsies | Dr Prasenjit Das
Delhi |

9.30 am to 10.00 am: Buffer time

10.00 am to 10.45 am:

Dr BK Aikat Memorial Presidential Oration

Dr. Pradeep Vaideeswar, President, IAPM

10.45 am to 12.30 pm: Plenary Papers Session

Dr KC Basu Mallick Award Session
Best Paper Award Session

12.30 pm to 2.00 pm: Lunch with poster evaluation

2.00 pm to 2.40 pm: Guest Lecture

Unusual melanocytic Lesions

Dr. S.S. Banerjee (Manchester, UK)

2.40 pm to 4.10 pm: Five Parallel CMEs (along with three to four oral papers)

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| 1. Artificial intelligence in Pathology | Dr Amit Dinda(Delhi)
[9868178801(dindaaaiims@gmail.com)] |
| 2. Predicting Thrombotic risk | Dr K. Gayatri (Hyderabad)
[9246262526 (gaya3k2002@gmail.com)] |
| 3. Glass slide CME on Uropathology | Dr Santosh Menon (Mumbai)
Dr Murali Varma(UK)
(9820695093,mensantosh@gmail.com) |



4. Triple Negative Breast Cancers

Dr Asawari Patil (Mumbai)
[9769976909 (asawaripatil@gmail.com)]

5. Proteomics, Transcriptomics, Genomics simplified for Surgical Pathologists

Dr Sanjay Navani (Mumbai)
[9821039790; (sanjay.navani@gmail.com)]

4.10 pm to 4.30 pm: Tea break

4.30 pm to 5.30 pm: Free Paper Session

4.30 pm to 5.30 pm: Poster Review

5.00 pm to 6.00 pm: Editorial Board Meeting of IJPM

6.00 pm to 8.00 pm: Executive Committee Meeting of IAPM

8.00 pm onwards: Dinner

Day 03 (Saturday, 07 December 2019)

8.30 am - 9.30 am Breakfast Sessions

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| 1. Papillary lesions of breast | Dr Ajit Nambiar
Kochi |
| 2. Pseudotumors of CNS | Dr Nandeesh,
Bengaluru |
| 3. Diagnostic dilemma in frozen section | Dr M C Sharma
Delhi |
| 4. Approach to amyloidosis | Dr Manoj Jain
Lucknow |

9.30 am to 10.30 am: ICP Oration in Memory of Dr Thangavelu

When Pathology meets Evolutionary Biology Dr K. P. Aravindan (Trivandrum)

10.30 am to 11.30 am: Dr. Gaya Prasad Memorial Pathology Symposium

Sino-nasal Neoplasms: Gp Capt Arijit Sen (Bengaluru)
[7507977841 (aseniaf@gmail.com)]

11.30 am to 12.00 pm: Debate

Guided Fine Needle Aspirates is better than needle core biopsies
Dr Radhika Srinivasan (Chandigarh): For the motion
Dr Anita Borges (Mumbai): Against the motion

11.30 am to 1.00 pm: ICP – Executive Committee Meeting

12.00 pm to 1.30 pm: Free Paper Session



1.00 pm to 2.00 pm: Lunch with poster evaluation

2.00 pm to 3.00 pm: Dr. CI Jhala Oration

“Elimination of Polio in India: A success story of Indian Pathologists” Dr D.N. Lanjewar (Bhuj)

3.00 pm to 3.30 pm: Guest Lecture: Subtypes of HCC-What's new? Dr.Dhanpat Jain (USA)

3.00 pm to 4.00 pm: ICP – General Body Meeting

3.30 pm to 5.00 pm: Five Parallel CMEs (along with three to four oral papers)

1. Male Infertility Testing: What does the Physician and the Patient want to know from the Pathologist?
Dr Sachin Kale (Aurangabad)
[9823244033(drsskale@gmail.com)]
 2. Renal involvement in monoclonal gammopathies with emphasis on MGRS
Dr Megha Uppin (Hyderabad)
[9866322182 (drmsuppin@gmail.com)]
 3. Follicular T helper cell proliferations
Dr Sumit Gujral (Mumbai)
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 4. Multiple Endocrine Neoplasia
Dr Narendra Krishnani (Lucknow)
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 5. Interstitial Lung Disease
Dr Amanjit Bal (Chandigarh) &
Dr Ritu Kulshrestha(Delhi)
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5.00 pm to 6.00 pm: Free Paper session

4.30 pm to 6.00 pm: Poster Review

6.00 pm to 8.00 pm: General Body Meeting of IAPM

8.00 pm onwards: Dinner



Day 04 (Sunday, 08 December 2019)

8.30 am to 9.30 am: Selected Poster Presentations

9.30 am to 10.30 am: Tamil Nadu-Puducherry Oration

Practice of Pathology- A Vanishing Past??An Emerging Future?

Dr A.V.Shanti (Chennai)

10.30 am to 11.00 pm: Guest Lecture

Histiocytic Lung Disorders

Dr Nagarjun Rao (USA)

11.00 am to 11.30 am: Panel Discussion

MCI Competency Based Curriculum for Undergraduate Pathology

Dr S. Datta Gupta (New Delhi)

11.30 pm to 1.00 pm: Online Quiz session

Dr N Jayaram (Bengaluru)

1.00 pm to 1.30 pm: Valedictory Function

1.30 pm onwards: Lunch
