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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Members.

Namaskar.

This is the third Newsletter of this year. I am happy to note that almost from the beginning of the year many institutions from all over the country are conducting CMEs and worksohps, for the benefit of Postgraduate students and Pathologists alike, be it a Practicing Pathologist or Teaching Pathologist.

Now again the season for Regional State Conferences is going to start and you must be gearing for that. However do not forget about the National Conference (APCON 2002), which is at Kolkata from 13th to 15th December 2002 with preconference CMEs and Workshops from 10th to 12th December 2002. The APCON 2002 program is in this News Bulletin. The Conference brochure contains all the details. It is also available on website (www.iapm.net). Please remember all the deadline dates. Register yourself at the earliest and send your paper abstract within the deadline to avoid last minute disappointment. Dr. Subir Dutta, Organising Secretary and the Organising Committee of APCON 2002 are doing their best. So register for the Conference in large numbers and attend the Conference.

I congratulate Dr. D.N. Lanjewar, Secretary of ICP for arranging to conduct the 2nd examination of MRCPath at Mumbai in September 2002. With regards,

Dr. Prakash V. Patil

FROM SECRETARY'S OFFICE

Dear Friends.

I am sure most of you must be preparing to attend APCON 2002 with a great zeal and enthusiasm. The tentative programme of the Conference is being printed in this News Bulletin. The guidelines for submission of abstracts for APCON 2002 have also been given. Please go through these guidelines and submit three copies of the abstracts to the Organizing Secretary, Prof. S. K. Dutta, Department of Pathology, University College of Medicine, 244BC AJC Bose Road, Kolkata-700020 before 31-8-2002. The announcement for various IAPM awards was made in the last News Bulletin of IAPM. I would appreciate if the senior members and scientists of the association encourage their colleagues to contest for such awards every year.

I have observed that many previous newsletters have been undelivered and returned to me due to change in the address of members. I therefore appeal to all the members to intimate immediately either to the Secretary or the Treasurer of IAPM regarding change of their address so that the mailing list is updated from time to time.

I look forward to meeting you all in Kolkata.

With warm regards,

Dr. B.D. Radotra

NOMINATION FOR ELECTION OF IAPM OFFICE BEARERS

Nominations on plain typed sheets are invited from the members for the election to following posts of the office bearers of IAPM. 1. President (2003). 2. Vice President (2003) and 3. Editor (2003-2007). The nomination shall be signed (proposed and seconded) by two members of IAPM. A signed consent and a brief curriculum vitae of the nominee must accompany each nomination duly proposed and seconded. The nominee, the proposer and the seconder must be regular members of IAPM with no subscription dues. The nominee should go through the rules printed in the address book for eligibility criteria to contest the election. In the curriculum vitae (CV) please mention the number of published papers in indexed journals as these will only be shown in the CV of the nominee. The nominations must be sent by registered/Speed post to Dr. B.D. Radotra, Secretary IAPM, House No. 91, Sector 24A, Chandigarh-160 023.

Time Table of Election

Receipt of nomination on or before

21-8-2002

Withdrawal of Nomination

16-9-2002

Return of marked ballot papers within 40 days of dispatch of ballot paper.

GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS IN THE 51ST ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF IAPM

- 1. Delegates are requested to stick to the delineated format. Abstracts not conforming to the standards may not be
- 2. Indicate the choice of presentation (oral or poster) and the system or speciality preferred for presentation clearly.
- 3. Presenting authour has to be a member of IAPM.
- 4. Instructions for typing
- Type on the original form in english only. Bold and clear photocopy of the original form may also be used.
- Abstract must fit within the designated space.
- In case of computer typed abstract, adjust margins properly. Use inkjet or laser or other high quality printer. Avoid dot matrix printing.
- Please type titles in bold or capitals and underline presenting author's name.
- Font size should be 12 to 14
- Organize the abstract. Abstract for papers should be 5. formulated under the following headings.

- (a) Objectives (b) Material and methods (c) Results (d) Conclusions
- Poster abstract format should also be on the same lines. For case reports split into three subheadings as background, case summary and inference or conclusion.
- 6 Title should not have more than 40 characters.
- 7. Abstract should not exceed more than 200 words.
- 8. Avoid use of vague terms and abbreviations either in title or abstract text.
- 9. Fax/ E-mail of the abstract will not be accepted.
- 10. Each delegate will be allowed to present one paper only (oral or poster).
- 11. The abstract of only those authors who register for the conference latest by 31st Oct. 2002 will be printed in the abstract book. Post three copies to Organizing Secretary, Dept. of Pathology, University College of Medicine, 244B. AJC Bose Road, Kolkata-700 020

Session

Sections in Session 6

- 1. Haematology General Pathology
- 2. Microbiology В Heart and Blood Vessels (CVS)
- 3. Immunology
- 4. Cytology & F.N.A.C. D
- Clinical & Chemical Pathology
- 6. Histopathology

- C Respiratory System
- Gastrointestinal System
- E Hepatobiliary System & Pancreas Genitourinary System F
- G Reticuloendothelial System

- H Breast and Gynae Pathology
- CNS, Peripheral Nervous System. Musculoskeletal and Special senses,
- Bone and Soft Tissues
- Dermatopathology
- **Endocrine System**
- M Paediatric Pathology
- N Miscellaneous

(ANNOUNCEMENTS)

2nd National CME cum Workshop in Hemato-Oncopathology October 3-5, 2002

Dr. Rajive Kumar (Chairman).

Dr. Paresh Jain (Organizing Secretary)

Room No. 8, ground floor, Laboratory Oncology Unit, IRCH, AIIMS, New Delhi-110 029

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This CME cum Workshop is aimed at pathologists and hematologists. The purpose of the CME is to improve the diagnostic skill and awareness in hematological malignancies, Gray areas in hemato-oncopathology will be illustrated with suitable case studies. The basic principles of flow cytometry will be discussed in detail and participants will have an opportunity to analyze and interpret the typical and atypical flow cytometry patterns seen in different types of leukemias.

REGISTRATION CHARGES

Rs. 1000 (till 15-8-2002), Rs 1500 (till 15-9-2002). Rs. 2000 (after 15-9-2002 and at spot). Registration is limited only to participants outside AIIMS

Payment should be made by Demand Draft payable at New Delhi and drawn in favor of "CME cum Workshop in hemato-oncopathology". Registration forms may be downloaded from the website www.aiims.ac.in

ANNOUNCEMENTS)

27th ISBTI

NATCON -2002

9-11 November 2002

Organised by

Indian Society of Blood Transfusion & Immunohaematology Rajasthan Chapter

Venue

Birla Auditorium Statue Circle, Jaipur (Raj.)

Registration Fee

Upto 30th September 2002

Rs. 1000/-

Upto 31st Oct.2002

Rs. 1500/-

Spot Registration

Rs. 2000/-

Organising Chairman: Dr. V.P. Gupta (Chairman -ISBTI Raj. chapter)

Organising Secretary: Dr Haresh Saxena

Prof. of Pathology,

Incharge Blood Bank, SMS Medical College, Jaipur. Tel.: 0141-560291/434110

Tentative Programme of Gold APCON-2002 51st ANNUAL CONFERENCE **GOLD APCON-2002**

Preconference CME's

10th-12th Dec. 2002

& Workshop

IAP-ID Annual meeting 51st IAPM Conference

12th Dec. 2002

13th-15th Dec.2002.

CME cum Workshop in APCON 2002 Venue: Transasia Hall

10-12-02

9 am to 5 pm

: Three parallel Sessions

1. HISTOPATHOLOGY

A. Pathology of liver revisited (Prelunch)

•Viral hepatitis - Dr. N C Nayak

Metabolic liver diseases -Dr. S Duttagupta

• Drug-induced liver diseases-Dr. S Duttagupta Common problems in liver biopsy diagnosis-

Dr. N C Nayak

B. Recent Advances in Gynecological Pathology (post lunch)

Dr. Raji Ganeshan (Birmingham)

C. Slide Seminar - Dr. Soumitra Baneriee (Manchester)

No. of participants Restricted to 500 only. Reg. Fee Rs. 400 only.

2. MICROBIOLOGY

Workshop on Molecular Techniques Useful in Identification and Characterisation of Enteric Pathogen Organised by NICED, Calcutta No. of Participants: 20 candidates only. Reg. Fee Rs. 500 only.

3. HAEMATOLOGY

Workshop on Molecular Diagnosis of Haematological Diseases By Dr.

Geeta Talukdar, VIMS, Kolkata.

No. of Participants: 30 candidates only. Reg. Fee Rs. 500 only.

11-12-02

9 am to 5 pm : Two Parallel Sessions

1. CYTOLOGY & HEAMATOLOGY

A. Cytology of salivary gland lesions

•FNAC of Nonneoplastic Lesions and Benign Tumours-Dr. R F Chinoy

•FNAC of Malignant Tumours - Dr.Kusum Kapila

•FNAC of Ectopic Gland Tumours and Tumours Simulating Salivary Glands- Dr. A Mandal

Diagnostic Pitfalls and accuracy of FNAC of Salivary Gland Lesions- Dr. A Rajwanshi

B. Automation in haematology - Transasia Bio Medicals Ltd.

C. Haemophilia - Dr. Karanjakho Ghose

No. of Participants: 500 candidates only. Reg. Fee Rs. 400 only.

2. MICROBIOLOGY

Workshop on Modern Modalities in Lower

Respiratory Tract Infection. Organised by CMRI & BM Biral HRC

 Overview of Difficult Pulmonary Infections and Role of Laboratory Medicine - Dr. A.C. Mehta, Ohio, USA

Discussion of Clinical Cases- Dr. A. Sengupta

• Emerging LRT Infection in Immunocompromised Patients -Dr. A Chakraborty

•Role of PCR in Chest Infections - Practical Sessions and Panel Discussion.

No. of Participants: 20 candidates only. Reg. Fee Rs. 500 only.

12-12-02

9 am to 5 pm : Parallel Sessions

1. CYTOGENETICS

Workshop on Molecular and Cytogenetic Basis of Mental Retardation

: Rajabazar Science College, Kolkata. No. of Participants: 20 candidates only. Reg. Fee Rs. 500 only.

2. IAP-ID ANNUAL MEETING

Venue : Science City

Programme of the IAP-ID Annual Meeting 2002

Venue Science City, Kolkata 8-00 am to 8-45 am Registration

8-45 am to 9-15 am Inauguration

9-15 am to 10-15 am Guest Lecture - Dr. Sunil R Lakhani.

London, UK

10-15 am to 10-45 am Tea

10-45 am to 12-45 pm Slide Seminar " Chest Wall Tumours'

Moderator Dr. Asitava Mandal, Kolkata

12-45 pm to 1-30 pm Lunch 1-30 pm to 3-30 pm Symposium

Topic "Leukaemias from Diagnosis to

Prognosis Current Trends"

Lt Col D K Mishra, Pune Moderator

3.30 pm to 4-30 pm General Body Meeting of the IAP-ID

4-30 pm Tea

Executive Council Meeting

: Science City Venue

10-30 am to 11-30 am : ICP Executive Council Meeting 11-30 am to 12-45 pm IAPM Executive Council Meeting

12-45 pm to 1-30 pm Lunch

1-30 pm to 2-30 pm ICP Faculty Meeting

3-30 pm to 4-30 pm IAP-ID General Body Meeting

51st IAPM Conference Tentative Programme

: Science City Auditorium, Kolkata Venue

13-12-02

8-00 am Registration

9-10 am Dr. B. K. Aikat Memorial Oration by

President, IAPM-Prof. Prakash V. Patil

10-00 am to 10-30am Plenary session - Best paper award Guest lecture by Dr Antonio Llombart 11-30 am to 12-30 pm

Bosch, Professor & Head of Pathology,

University of Valencia, Spain.

TOPIC: SYT/SSX Sarcomas, Morphological heterogeneity & biological behaviour.

12-30 pm to 2-00 pm Lunch

2-00 pm to 3-30 pm Free Paper Sessions/Session on

Pathology of Tropical Diseases.

Topic Chronic Arsenic Toxicity & Human

Diseases by Dr. D.N. Guha Mazumdar,

Kolkata.

3-30 pm to 3-45 pm Tea

3-45 pm to 5-00 pm Free Paper Sessions/ Session on

> Pathology of Tropical Diseases Oral Submucosal Fibrosis by

Topic

Dr. R.R.Paul, Kolkata

2-00 pm to 5 pm Poster Presentation

5-00 pm General Body Meeting of IAPM

8-00 pm Dinner

14-12-02

9 am to 11 am Pathology Slide Seminar

Topic **Endoscopic Gastrointestinal Biopsy** Dr. Arun Chitale, Bombay Hospital, Moderator

Mumbai

11-00 am to 11-30 am

11-30 am to 1-00 pm Dr. Gayaprasad Memorial Symposium Granulomatous Lesions of Skin Topic

Dr. Manoj Singh, AIIMS, New Delhi Moderator

1-00 pm to 2-00 pm Lunch 2-00 pm to 3-30 pm

Free Paper Sessions

Clinical Pathology Session

Topic

Problems in Diagnosis of Malaria by

Dr. Amitava Nandy, Kolkata

3-30 pm to 3-45 pm

3-45 pm to 5-00 pm

Free Paper Sessions

Clincal Pathology Session

Quality Control Programme in Clinical

Pathology.

Speaker

Topic

Dr. A.S. Kanagasabhapathy, Vellore.

2-00 pm to 5-00 pm

Poster Presentation

5-00 pm to 6-00 pm

Medi Quiz by Dr. M.K. Baruah

7-00 pm onwards

Banquet

9 am to 11 am

Dr. Usha Hardas Microbiology

Symposium

15-12-02

Topic

Leptospirosis

Moderator

Dr. S.B. Pati, SCB Medical College.

Cuttack

9 am to 11 am

Invited Lectures in Pathology

1.Paleopathology by Prof. Enrique

Gerszten, Virginia, USA

2. Non Hodgkin's Lymphoma by

Dr. Soumitra Banerjee, Manchester.

11am to 11.30 am

Tea

11-30 am to 12-30 pm

TamilNadu Oration

Topic

Update on Ulcerative Colitis

by Dr. Panchanadar A aranago

Rtd. Dir & Proport Pathology Medical College, Chennai.

12-30 to 1 pm

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1 pm onwards

Lunch

ANNOUNCEMENT

8th International CME on Surgical Pathology February 13-15, 2003, New Delhi - 110 029

Organised by

Department of pathology, AIIMS, New Delhi

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Format: Lectures & Slide Seminars

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