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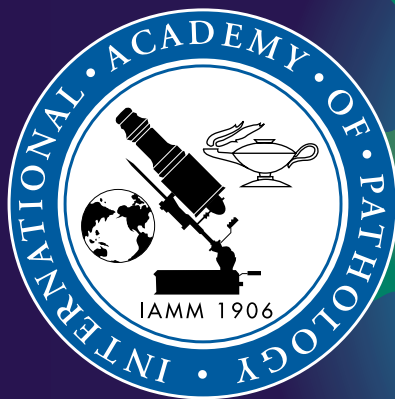
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# news

## Message from the President

Next year will mark the 40th anniversary of our Annual Scientific Meeting.

Since the inaugural meeting held in 1973, at the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital under the Presidency of Prof Vincent McGovern, the June meeting has remained at the heart of educational activity for Australian and New Zealand anatomical pathologists, and an important yearly opportunity to catch up with one other – embodied in the well-used phrase “See you at the IAP”.

A president who meddles with this successful formula does so at their own peril – yet we face a number of challenges and opportunities, and the Australasian Division needs to embrace change where it benefits the members and is in line with our charter: [http://www.iap-aus.org.au/about\\_us.html](http://www.iap-aus.org.au/about_us.html).

The first of these is our new resolve to expand the ASM program and invite three internationally renowned pathologists each year rather than two. It is clear from our recent survey that people want to be able to leave the meeting by late Sunday afternoon and that there is little enthusiasm for events after this. On the other hand, many pathologists have difficulty getting away from their microscope until late on Friday, a day traditionally reserved for companion meetings.



We cannot expand the program unless we have concurrent sessions, or extend the full program into the preceding weekdays.

Our solution for now is to have a third international speaker nominated by a companion club convener. The speaker becomes integrated into, and lectures at the Friday Companion Club program as well as providing a plenary lecture on Friday evening and contributing to the Saturday morning Masterclass. By this method, we can support international speakers in more specialised areas such as renal pathology and paediatrics without affecting the mainstream program for the weekend. In some cases the companion clubs or societies may also choose to run a concurrent symposium on the Saturday – as will be the case in 2013.

For 2012, A/Prof Wendy Cooper has successfully nominated Prof Keith Kerr from the University of Aberdeen. Prof Kerr will give a plenary lecture entitled “Lung Cancer – where are we now?” on Friday at 4pm, as well as a lecture on Pulmonary Neuroendocrine tumours to the Companion Club on Friday evening and actively participating in the Saturday morning Masterclass.

From this year, we are also asking all our invited speakers to present at, and to be actively involved in their respective companion club program.

As a result, the three companion clubs for which there is an international guest will become “featured” events, and take place in the main auditorium. The companion clubs themselves have expanded dramatically in the last 20 years, many coupling with their respective international society and some with their own sponsored international speakers.

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# 37th ASM Invited Speakers



## Elaine S. Jaffe



**E**laine studied for her first University degree at Cornell University, New York and spent another 2 years at the Cornell University Medical College. She obtained her MD from the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, the first medical school to be founded in the United States in 1765. She then moved to Washington and joined the staff of the Laboratory of Pathology, National Cancer Institute, the National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland in 1970. The NIH was given its present charter in 1930 and it is the best funded and most prestigious Medical Research Centre in the world. As a result it is an extremely stimulating environment in which to work, but the corollary of that is that it is extremely competitive. Elaine has spent her whole professional life in the NIH, moving steadily up the ranks until she became Head of the Haematopathology Section in 1980, a position she still holds. During this time Elaine has contributed very significantly to the understanding of tumours of the Haematopoietic and Lymphoid Tissues, describing some new entities in the process. She will be sharing some of this knowledge with us during the meeting. For a Researcher, publications are an integral part of their work. In this regard, Elaine has

been extremely active, having published over 500 articles in peer reviewed journals. She has also been the author of numerous book chapters and books. She has organized innumerable workshops, courses and other educational activities.

Two books should be mentioned in particular Elaine was an Editor for both the 2001 and 2008 editions of the "WHO Classification of Tumors of the Hematopoietic and Lymphoid Tissues." She is currently one of four series editors developing the 4th Edition Series of monographs for the classification of human tumors, under the auspices of the International Agency for Research on Cancer and the World Health Organization. She is the leading author for the book

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## Keith M. Kerr



**K**eith graduated BSc with First class Honours in Pathology, University of Edinburgh, in 1978 and MB ChB in 1981. MRCPPath, Royal College of Pathologists, 1988; FRCPath 1998; FRCP(Ed) 2006.

### **Present appointments:**

1989 – present; Consultant Pathologist, Aberdeen Royal Infirmary, Aberdeen, Scotland.  
1996 – present; Honorary Professor of Pulmonary Pathology, Aberdeen University Medical School.

Keith has had a career long interest in lung cancer and has research interests in pulmonary pre-neoplasia and carcinogenesis, lung tumour diagnosis and classification, and the identification of predictors of therapy response.

He has been a lecturer in numerous National and International Conferences.

He is a member of numerous lung cancer clinical advisory and research groups in the UK and served on panels for the 2004 WHO lung cancer classification.

He was a member of the NELSON International expert pathology review panel for European Lung Cancer screening trials. He was a core Member of the International Association for the Study of Lung Cancer (IASLC) that recently published a Lung

**Adenocarcinoma classification.**

Since 2006 he has been Pathology Chair for the European Organisation for Research and treatment of Cancer (EORTC) Lung Group. Since 2010 he has been Pathology lead on the Lungscape Translational research project and is a member of the International Mesothelioma Pathology panel. He is a member of the Pulmonary Pathology Society Council and is involved in a number of UK, European and North American initiatives looking at the introduction, operation and quality assurance of guidelines for management and molecular pathology testing in lung cancer. He has published over 100 papers in scientific journals and has contributed to a number of books.

**Stacey E. Mills**



Stacey had his undergraduate training in the historic city of Williamsburg, Virginia at the William and Mary College that was founded by King William III and Queen Mary II of England in 1693. It was the second institution of higher education after Harvard and it has become famous particularly for its Liberal Arts courses. For his medical training he moved to another historic city in Virginia, Charlottesville. He graduated MD in 1977 and has remained in that city in the University of Virginia ever since. He became Professor of Pathology in 1990 and Director of Surgical Pathology and Cytopathology at the University of Virginia Health Sciences Center in 1997. He is a prolific author, editor and reviewer and he covers a wide range of topics. I cannot count the exact number of his publications, and perhaps he can't either. Some of the cases he is presenting at this meeting feature in these publications. He edited Modern Pathology from 1995 to 2000. He took over as Editor of The American Journal of Surgical Pathology in 2000 and continues in that position. He has been a co author and main author of many books. He is currently the chief author and editor of two famous pathology textbooks. 'Sternberg's Diagnostic Surgical Pathology'

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This year we are privileged to have some of the world's most distinguished pathologists speaking. Prof Stacey Mills on Saturday will lecture on "Avoiding Pitfalls in Bone Pathology" as well as "Viral and Molecular insights in Head and Neck Pathology".

On Sunday, Prof Elaine Jaffe will be talking on "Overview of New Concepts in the 2008 WHO Classification and Beyond", as well as "Borderlands Between Hodgkin Lymphoma and Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma: Biological and Clinical Implications".

Prof Jaffe has been at the very leading edge of lymphoma pathology for decades and yet those who have heard Elaine speak will know that she has that rare ability to make complexity appear simple and elegant.

On Sunday morning the inimitable Phil Allen will present a soft tissue Masterclass subtitled "All consultants are occasionally wrong."

Phil has prepared a DVD of his lecture and this can be purchased from the Secretariat in Sydney for \$50.

Robin Cooke has prepared colour handouts for the slide seminars in conjunction

with the guest speakers. At the recent USCAP meeting in Vancouver Robin was honoured with the President's Award. The announcement was made by the President, Greg Fuller of the MD Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, Texas.

The President's Award was established in 2001 "to recognize an individual for outstanding service to the field of pathology." At the presentation Dr Fuller stated "You were chosen based upon my recommendation as President, with the full and enthusiastic approval of all five members the USCAP 2011-12 Executive Committee, based on the truly unique contribution to the USCAP that you have made through your photojournalistic documentation of the meetings, and your Editorship



of the IAP News Bulletin spanning two decades."

Congratulations Robin, the first non resident of the USA and Canada to receive this Award.

We are fortunate in the Australasian Division that Robin assists the guest speakers in producing colour slide seminar handouts of outstanding quality and every registrant would benefit from a having copy on their shelves for future reference.

The 2012 ASM promises to be as good as it gets - "see you at the IAP".

David Ellis, April 2012

Above: Robin Cooke received the President's award from Greg Fuller at the USCAP meeting in Vancouver 2012. Below: Members of the Australasian Division attending the USCAP meeting in Vancouver in March 2012. Anthony Gill, Betty Lin, Bastiaan de Boer, Robin Cooke, Ben Haagsma, Debra Jensen, Paul McKenzie, Warick Delprado.



# 37<sup>th</sup> ASM Scholarships

The Australasian Division of the IAP offers pathologists and trainee pathologists attendance scholarships for the Annual Scientific Meeting of the Division.

Scholarships have been offered by the Australasian Division of the IAP since 2006. The aim of these is to encourage attendance by pathologists from our region who would otherwise be unable to attend the meeting. Each year the membership of our Division is encouraged to nominate candidates, and the scholarships are also advertised on our website. Preference is given to pathologists and trainees from the South Pacific and other immediately neighbouring areas. A subcommittee of the executive of the Division makes offers after consideration of the merits of the candidates. In the past there have been generally 2 scholarships each year. Scholarships have gone to pathologists from *New Guinea, Fiji, Tonga, Palau, Malaysia and the Philippines*. The pathologists receive support for airfares and accommodation, as well as free registration for the meeting. Most have also spent a week as an observer in a laboratory in Sydney before or after the meeting.

This year there are five recipients of the 2012 Scholarships.

After the weekend IAP meeting all of the awardees will attend an Advanced Fine Needle Biopsy Cytology Tutorial that will be conducted by **Dr. Andrew Field** at St Vincent's Hospital, Sydney from Monday June 4 to Friday June 8. The IAP acknowledges Dr Field for his generosity in making these places available. Andrew and his team of International Cytopathologists have been conducting such courses in many underfunded countries, particularly in Africa, for some years now. This is the first time one of these courses has been conducted in Sydney. The Faculty includes Dr William Geddie, UHN, Toronto, Dr Matthew Zarka, Mayo Clinic, Scottsdale, Dr Martha Pittman, Harvard, Boston, Dr Andrew Field, St Vincent's, Sydney, Dr Elizabeth Salisbury, Prince of Wales Hospital, Sydney, Dr Syed Ali, Johns Hopkins, Baltimore.

## The IAP invited Scholars for 2012 are:

### Dr Rico P Lasaca

*Consultant and Head Pathologist Our Lady of Porziuncola Hospital Calbayog City, W Samar, Philippines and Senior Lecturer, Department of Medicine, University of the Philippines, School of Health Sciences, Palo, Tacloban City, Leyte.*

He is 37 years of age, and a board certified Anatomic Pathologist, by the Philippine Society of Pathologists. Some of his early pathology training was undertaken in the Philippine Heart Center.

He has worked as an Anatomic Pathologist for five years in Leyte and Samar. He is the only Anatomic Pathologist in the island of Samar which is the second largest island of the Philippines. Here he set up the first histopathology laboratory in this hospital and the first Fine Needle Aspiration Biopsy Clinic.

Every week he crosses to the island of Leyte, to teach Pathology and Histology in two Medical Schools in Leyte.

### Dr Virisila Ciri

*A 29 year old Registrar in the Colonial War Memorial Hospital, Suva, Fiji.*

In 2012 Virisila joined the Post Graduate Pathology Diploma Programme (PGPTH) at the Fiji National University in Suva.

This programme is being sponsored by the RCPA, and in the second week in April this year Dr. Stephen Weinstein from the Gold Coast and Prof. Konrad Muller from Tasmania visited Suva to help launch it.

**The three pathologists** from Papua New Guinea are graduates of the University of

Papua New Guinea Medical School. They are all in their fourth year of the five year training programme for the Master of Medicine Diploma in Pathology which is the specialist qualification in PNG.

They work at the Port Moresby General Hospital and the University of Papua New Guinea Medical School Papua New Guinea.

In the first half of last year they spent three months in Newcastle attached to the Hunter Area Pathology Service. During this time they attended the RCPA revision and mock exams, spent 2 weeks at the Nepean Hospital and attended the 'Viruses in May' Conference in Katoomba.

They are **Dr Seluia Mabone, Dr Josephine Chanoan** and **Dr Jacklyn Joseph**.

I encourage you to get to know our invited scholars in the course of the scientific sessions and the social events.

**Bob Eckstein,**  
**Asia Pacific Vice President, IAP**



## The 8th Asia Pacific IAP Congress

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He was a co author in the first edition in 1989 and he became the chief author and Editor of the fourth edition in 2004. A fifth edition appeared in 2010. He was Editor of the third edition of 'Histology for Pathologists' in 2007 and he has just completed reviewing the proofs of the next edition.

He has played an active role in many societies but particularly in the American Society of Clinical Pathologists, the USCAP and the College of American Pathologists. His main interests in these associations have been in Education and Quality Assurance Programmes..



Pathology Network is one of Stacey Mills' continuing education activities. He is Am. J. Surg. Path. editor.

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WHO Blue books on sale at the USCAP meeting in Vancouver 2012. Elaine Jaffe is one of the 4 series editors for the 4th Edition Series of these books.

Hematopathology (2011) by Elaine S. Jaffe, Nancy Lee Harris, James W. Vardiman, Elias Campo and Daniel A. Arber, published by Saunders, Elsevier.

Elaine has played an active role in many professional bodies including the IAP and the USCAP, of which she is a past President. Over the course of her life she has given lectures and conducted courses in numerous countries. However, this is her first visit to Australia. During the past 10 years the lectures have been more keynote lectures

and specially named orations. At the meeting of the USCAP in 2011 she delivered the prestigious Maude Abbott Lecture. At our meeting she will be delivering the Vincent McGovern Lecture that commemorates the New Zealand born pathologist who founded the Australasian Division of the IAP. In spite of this very busy professional life Elaine has made time to share it with a husband and two children and to help to advance the status of women. An interesting aspect of the latter was her admission in 1988 to a very exclusive club in Washington, the Cosmos Club. She was one of a small group of women who were the first females to be admitted. Soon after her admission she was appointed to the Board of Trustees of the Cosmos Club Foundation, on which she served until 2002. The Foundation is the 'charitable' component of the Club and it awards its honorary prizes and sponsors research etc. To give you some idea of the exclusivity of the membership of this Club, in one of their rooms they have a wall covered with photographs of members who have won Nobel Prizes, and on the opposite wall photos of members who have won Pulitzer Prizes for literature.

## Activities Gallery



**Above:** Dr Esther Myint with successful students she has tutored for the RCPA examinations in Anatomical Pathology in 2012. Esther trained in Burma and spent 5 years in the Hunter Pathology Service doing the Registrar training for the RCPA. Since graduating in 2010 she has been running courses for overseas trained pathologists studying for the RCPA examinations.

**Front:** Spinder Samra, Vanita Bhargava, Esther Myint, Lianne Lee. **Back:** Vas Kamath, Alexandra Allende, Lisa Lin, Martha Lehman.

**Right:** Sam Boros and Linda Shen who will be organising the Assembly of the Asia Pacific IAP Congress in Brisbane in 2015, and Soon Lee who will be President of the Australasian Division of the IAP in the lead up to that Meeting.



**Above:** Fiona Bonar, Bill Murray, Anita Muljono, Kasim Ismail, Betty Lin.

**Below:** Sean Chang, Karry Kasmeridis, Daniel Houghton, Georgina England.





*Above: Heather Smith, Orna Crainic, Brooke Beerksley.  
Below: Maurice Matich, Duncan Lamont, Mahendra Singh.*



*Above: Caroline Fung & Teresa Yung.*

*Above right: Anna Salkeld, Pessa Nikoli, Dan Gabriel Scripcaru.*

*Right: Ravi Mathew, Frances Petry, Daniel James, David Godbolt, Kris Kerr, Sujartha Fernando.*



*Below: Caroline Smith, Jill Lipsett, Craig James.  
Bottom: Kevin Trown, David Palmer, Maurice Matich.*



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From an economic perspective, South Africa has become an important economic power amongst developing countries, reflected by her recent inclusion with Brazil, Russia, India and China in the BRICS economic grouping that is becoming a dominant global economic force.

Those attending the congress will experience a mix of delegates from developed countries such as Australia, England, Europe, Japan and the United States with those from emerging economies, providing unique opportunities to advance their knowledge of pathology outside their traditional boundaries and for innovative marketing and sales initiatives from a business point of view.

Cape Town is arguably one of the most attractive, sought after destinations in the world, and offers a wonderful environment to combine business with pleasure. We look forward to welcoming you to IAP 2012.

**PROGRAMME**

The scientific programme includes a wide range of symposia, slide seminars, long and short courses, and workshops covering the entire spectrum of Anatomical Pathology, including Cytopathology, Molecular Pathology, Environmental Pathology, Computational and Telepathology, Paediatric Pathology, Education, and Infectious and Tropical Diseases. International experts in all the Anatomical Pathology subspecialties developed excellent programmes with a strong emphasis on current and future trends in surgical pathology of all the major organ systems. In addition, the programme caters for updates on autopsy pathology, immunohistochemistry, quality assurance in Anatomical Pathology, an authorship workshop, and surgical pathology slide seminars by the Arkadi M. Rywlin International Pathology Slide Seminar Club and the Association of Indian Pathologists in North America.

The Scientific Committee is also currently finalizing speakers for the plenary and symposia sessions. Information on these speakers will be available shortly.

The Call for Poster abstracts will open on 15 October 2011. Delegates interested in submitting abstracts will be able to do so online. All the details regarding the poster submissions will be available on the website from 15 October 2011.

**EXHIBITION AND SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

Companies and organisations are invited to view the invitation to exhibit and sponsor at IAP 2012 on the website: [www.iap2012congress.com](http://www.iap2012congress.com).

**IMPORTANT DATES**

- Poster Abstract Submission Opens 15 October 2011
- Online Registration Opens 30 October 2011
- Poster Abstract Submission Closes 30 March 2012
- Confirmation of Poster Abstract Acceptance 30 April 2012
- Early Bird Registration Closes 30 May 2012

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# COMPANION MEETINGS PROGRAM

Friday, June 1, 2012

ASM Principal sponsor:



**9:00 – 10:45 am**

## SOFT TISSUE AND BONE

Auditorium



Convenor: A/Prof. Richard Jaworski, *Douglass Hanly Moir Pathology, Macquarie Park, NSW*

### Cases 1-4

Dr Fiona Bonar, *Douglass Hanly Moir Pathology, Macquarie Park, NSW*

### Cases 5-7

Dr Fiona Maclean, *Douglass Hanly Moir Pathology, Macquarie Park, NSW*

### Case 8

Professor Stacey Mills, *Invited Speaker*

### Case 9

Dr Kenneth Lee, *Concord Hospital, Concord, NSW*

## BREAST

### Bayside Room 104

Convenor: A/Prof. Gelareh Farshid, *Consultant Pathologist, SA Pathology and Clinical Director, BreastScreen SA, Adelaide, SA*

- Dr Oana Crainic, *Canterbury Health Laboratories, Christchurch, NZ*  
**Primary angiosarcoma, postradiation angiosarcoma and atypical vascular lesion of the breast**
- Dr Gavin Harris, *Canterbury Health Laboratories, Christchurch, NZ*  
**Wide local excisions of the breast and the pathologist – are we missing something?**
- A/Prof. Sandra O'Toole, *Consultant Pathologist, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, NSW*  
**The molecular pathology of breast cancer**
- A/Prof. Gelareh Farshid, *SA Pathology and BreastScreen, SA*  
**Biopsy assessments of screen detected microcalcifications**

## LIVER

### Bayside Room 105

Convenor: Dr Bastiaan de Boer, *QE2 Medical Centre, Nedlands, Perth, WA*

#### 'Sweetbread Smorgasbord'

- Dr Ebo Oost, *Registrar, PathWest, QE2 Medical Centre, Perth, WA*  
**Case report: Pitfalls in the interpretation of ampullary lesions:**

#### not for the faint hearted

- Dr Siaw Ming Chai, *PathWest, QE2 Medical Centre, Perth, WA*  
**Ampullary lesions: a review of the PathWest experience and current issues in reporting**
- Dr David Chang, *Garvan Institute, Sydney*  
**Molecular pathological phenotypes and outcome in adenocarcinoma of the ampulla of Vater**
- Dr Bastiaan de Boer, *PathWest, QE2 Medical Centre, Perth, WA*  
**Case Report: Cystic mucinous duct lesion of the pancreas: ?a separate entity.**

**11:15 – 1:00 pm**

## LYMPHOMA – EBV LPD

Auditorium

Convenor: Dr Benhur Amanuel, *PathWest, QEII Medical Centre, Perth, WA*

### Case 1

Professor Elaine S Jaffe, *Invited Speaker, Clinical Professor of Pathology, George Washington University School of Medicine, USA*

### Case 2

Dr Chris Van Vliet, *PathWest, QEII Medical Centre, Perth, WA*

### Case 3

Dr Penny McKelvie, *St Vincent's Hospital, Melbourne, VIC*

### Case 4

A/Prof. John Miliuskas, *IMVS, Surgical Pathology, The Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Woodville, Adelaide, SA*

### Case 5

A/Prof. David Ellis, *SA Pathology and Clinpath Pathology, Adelaide, SA*

## GASTROENTEROLOGY

### Bayside Room 104

Convenor: Dr Priyanthi Kumarasinghe, *PathWest, QEII Medical Centre, Perth, WA*

#### Lectures:

- A/Prof. Robert Eckstein, *PaLMS, Royal North Shore Hospital, St Leonards, NSW*  
**The RCPA protocols for the structured reporting of gastrointestinal cancers – past achievements and future plans**
- Dr Ian Brown, *Envoi Pathology, Herston, QLD*  
**Malignant polyps: Issues for pathologists and clinicians**
- Dr Sheng Khor, *PathWest, QEII Medical Centre, Perth, WA*  
**Drug induced lesions of the GI tract**

#### Case presentations:

### Case 1

Dr Daniel Houghton, *PathWest, QEII Medical Centre, Perth, WA*

**A 35 year old female with metastatic gastric carcinoma; any chance?**

### Case 2

Dr Mark Bettington, *Envoi Pathology, Herston, Queensland*

**A 61 year old male with acute small bowel obstruction**

### Case 3

Dr Michael Texler, *PathWest, Fremantle Hospital, Perth, WA*

**A 59 year old man with a large sigmoid polyp. Whatever next?**

## NEUROPATHOLOGY

### Bayside Room 102

Convenor: Dr Peter Robbins, *PathWest, QEII Medical Centre, Perth, WA*

#### Lecture:

Dr Michael Buckland, *Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, NSW*

**An update on the molecular biology of gliomas: implications for diagnosis and treatment**

#### Case Presentations:

### Case 1

A/Prof. Michael Gonzales, *Royal Melbourne Hospital, Melbourne*

### Case 2

Dr Cesar M Salinas-La Rosa, *St Vincent's Hospital, Melbourne*

#### Lecture:

Dr Peter Robbins, *PathWest, QEII Medical Centre, Perth, WA*

**CNS Pseudotumours**

## PAEDIATRICS

### Bayside Room 105

Convenor: Dr Nicole Graf, *The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, NSW*

**Topic: Placental pathology update, including "commonly missed common things"**

#### Presenters:

- Dr Susan Arbuckle, *The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, NSW*
- Dr Amanda Charlton, *The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, NSW*
- Prof. Jane Dahlstrom, *ACT Pathology, Canberra, ACT*
- Dr Nicky Graf, *The Children's Hospital at Westmead, Sydney, NSW*
- Dr Jeanette McFarlane, *LabPlus, Auckland, NZ*
- Dr Ella Sugo, *SEALS Pathology, Randwick, NSW*

**2:00 – 3:45 pm**

## INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF GYNAECOLOGICAL PATHOLOGY (ISGYP)

Auditorium

Convenor: Dr Lyndal Anderson, *Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, NSW*

#### Guest Lecture:

Dr Susan Bigby, *Middlemore Hospital, NZ*

### Case 1

Dr Dariush Daneshvar, *Westmead Hospital, Sydney, NSW*

### Case 2

Dr James Scurry, *Hunter Area Pathology Service, Hunter New England*

### Case 3

Dr Felix Paulus, *Prince of Wales Hospital, Sydney*

### Case 4

Dr Tamazin Leecy, *Queen Elizabeth II*

Medical Centre, Perth

### Case 5

Dr Marcus Dabner, King Edward Memorial Hospital for Women, Perth

## ORELL FNA

### Bayside Room 102

Convenor: Dr Afaf Haddad, Dorevitch Pathology, Ormond, Victoria

#### Lectures:

- Dr Bill Murray, Peter MacCallum Cancer Institute, Melbourne, VIC  
**When all else fails, scrape!**
- Dr Reena Ramsaroop, Diagnostic Medlab, Auckland, NZ  
**Breast Implants and ALCL**
- Dr Rachael Chambers, Queensland Medical Laboratories, Brisbane, QLD  
**A Myxoid mix up**
- Dr Huw Llewellyn, The Canberra Hospital, Canberra, ACT  
**Hot granuloma- A diagnostic conundrum**

## RENAL

### Bayside Room 104

Convenor: Professor John Dowling, Monash Medical Centre, Clayton, VIC

- Dr Jonathan Zwi, Nephrologist, Auckland Hospital, NZ  
**FSGS in diabetic patients from South Auckland**
- Dr Alison Skene, Anatomical Pathology, Austin Hospital, Heidelberg, VIC  
**The molecular diagnosis of rejection in human kidney transplants**
- Dr Kim Oliver, Princess Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane, QLD  
**Case presentation for discussion**
- Prof. John Dowling, Monash Medical Centre, Clayton, VIC  
**Then and Now – a review of developments in the aetiology of selected renal diseases**

## ENDOCRINE PATHOLOGY

### Bayside Room 105

Convenor: Dr Anthony Gill, Royal North Shore Hospital, Sydney, NSW

#### Lectures:

- Dr Ann Marie McNicol, Molecular and Cellular Pathology, School of Medicine, The University of Queensland, Brisbane, QLD  
**Topic yet to be advised**
- Dr Angela Chou, SYDPATH, St Vincents Hospital, Darlinghurst NSW  
**Von Hippel Lindau syndrome – what pathologists need to know**
- Dr Priyanthi Kumarasinghe, PathWest Pathology, Perth, WA  
**Papillary thyroid carcinoma: aggressive features and variants**
- Dr Veli Marjoniemi, St George Hospital, Sydney NSW  
**An unusual pancreatic endocrine tumour**

#### Jeanette Philips Award presentations:

- Ricardo Vilain, HAPS pathology, John Hunter Hospital, Newcastle, NSW

### Another familial GIST syndrome

- Tristan Dodds, Royal North Shore Hospital, St Leonards NSW  
**Mutation specific immunohistochemistry for BRAFV600E in papillary thyroid carcinoma**

**4:05 – 5:00 pm**

## PLENARY LECTURE

### Auditorium

Professor Keith Kerr, University of Aberdeen, Scotland  
**Lung Adenocarcinoma – Where are we now?**

**5:15 – 7:15 pm**

## LUNG

### Auditorium

Convenor: A/Prof. Wendy Cooper, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney NSW

#### Lecture and case presentation:

A/Prof. Sandra O'Toole, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, NSW  
**Molecular testing in lung cancer – What do surgical pathologists need to know?**

#### Lecture:

Professor Keith Kerr, University of Aberdeen, Scotland  
**Update on Pulmonary Neuroendocrine Tumours**

#### Case presentations:

##### Case 1

Dr Julie Burn, Douglass Hanly Moir Pathology, Sydney, NSW

##### Case 2

Dr Kathleen Merrick, Healthscope Pathology, Sydney, NSW

##### Case 3

Dr Ju Ee Seet, National University Hospital, Singapore

##### Case 4

Dr Edwina Duhig, The Prince Charles Hospital laboratory group, Pathology Queensland

## INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF UROLOGICAL PATHOLOGY

(ISUP)

### Bayside Room 104

Convenor: A/Prof. Hema Samaratunga, Aquesta Pathology, Brisbane, QLD

#### Lectures:

- Prof. Guido Martignoni, Università degli Studi di Verona, Verona, Italy  
**PEComas: the past, the present, the future and....back**
- Prof. Brett Delahunt, Wellington School of Medicine and Health Sciences, University of Otago, Wellington, New Zealand  
**New directions in renal cancer grading**

#### Case presentations:

##### Case 1

Prof. James Kench, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, NSW

### Case 2

Dr Anitha Thomas, PathWest Laboratory Medicine, Perth

### Case 3

Dr Ruta Gupta, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney

### Case 4

Dr David Clouston, Focus Pathology, Melbourne, VIC

## DERMATOPATHOLOGY

### Bayside Room 105

Convenors: Dr Vicki Howard & Dr Jessamine Reddy, Douglass Hanly Moir Pathology, Sydney

#### Lectures:

- Dr Rooshdiya Karim, Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, NSW  
**Intraneural glomus tumour**
- Dr Mahdiah Gorji/Dr Vicki Howard, Douglass Hanly Moir Pathology, Sydney, NSW  
**Idiopathic palmoplantar hidradenitis**
- Dr Raghwa Sharma, ICPMR, Westmead Hospital, Sydney, NSW  
**Basal Cell Carcinoma colonising Melanoma – a conundrum**
- Dr Shaun Chou, ICPMR, Westmead Hospital, Sydney, NSW  
**Pemphigus gestationis**
- Dr Nathan Harvey, PathWest, QEII Medical Centre, Nedlands, Perth, WA  
**Cytogenetic testing on problematic melanocytic lesions**
- Dr Fiona Chan, St Vincent's Hospital, Melbourne, VIC  
**A spindle cell myxoid tumour**
- Dr Mae Ramirez, St George Hospital, Sydney, NSW  
**Mosaic cherry angioma**

## OPHTHALMIC

### Bayside Room 106

Convenor: Dr Jeanne Tomlinson, ICPMR, Westmead, NSW and A/Professor Sonja Klebe, SA Pathology/Flinders University, Adelaide SA

#### Lectures:

- Dr Alex Dempster, Southern Community Laboratories and Dr Paul Oei, IGENZ Ltd, NZ  
**Ocular melanoma genetics, the New Zealand Experience**
- Dr Gael Phillips, Director of Fetal and Paediatric Pathology, Pathology Queensland, Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital, Brisbane, QLD  
**Sampling and reporting retinoblastoma**
- Dr Tersia Vermeulen, PathWest, Royal Perth Hospital, WA  
**A Solitary Man  
Intraocular tumour – a sting in the tail?**
- Dr Svetlana Cherepanoff, SEALS, Prince of Wales Hospital, Sydney, NSW  
**An unusual case of lacrimal duct obstruction.**