Struttura Operativa Complessa di Anatomia Patologica

III COURSE ON RECENT ADVANCES IN ONCOLOGIC SURGICAL PATHOLOGY

Udine, 12-14 October 2008
Congress Center Hotel Là di Moret
Udine, Italy

MEETING PROGRAM
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Cover: Pittore di Area Veneta, XVII sec., Un angelo dona corone di fiori a Santa Cecilia e a San Valeriano. Particolare con tassello di pulitura / Detail with cleaned patch
COURSE DESCRIPTION

We are pleased to announce the 3rd edition of our course entitled “Recent Advances in Oncologic Surgical Pathology”. The course is organized by the Department of Anatomic Pathology, General Hospital, Udine (Italy) and shall provide the highest level of subspecialty instruction by a distinguished faculty drawn from internationally recognized experts.

The educational event shall include 2 days of slide seminars and conferences addressing issues related to lung and pleura, thymus, head and neck, melanocytic and non-melanocytic skin tumors, highlighting diagnostic challenges, illustrating potential pitfalls and how to avoid them, and presenting recently described entities in surgical pathology.

Course faculty will include Cesar A. Moran (M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston), Saul Suster (Medical College of Winsconsin, Milwaukee), Paul E. Wakely jr (Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio) and Mark R. Wick (Charlottesville, Virginia).

Early registrants will receive a personal glass slide set (about 25 HE stained recuts) for advance home study. Images on electronic support shall be provided to all the other registrants. An interactive outlay will be used to maximize participation and promote discussion.

The greatest educational feedback is expected for community hospital pathologists, young practitioners and pathology residents. The course goal is to provide participants with practical and meaningful information relevant to diagnostic task, prognostic assessment and therapy guidance of cancer patients. The course is intended for a broad audience; however, it is primarily designed for diagnosticians devoting most of their efforts to practical surgical pathology. The course organizers encourage the participation of anatomic pathology residents.

ENDORSEMENTS REQUESTED

Ministero della Salute
Regione Autonoma Friuli Venezia Giulia
Provincia di Udine
Comune di Udine
Azienda Ospedaliero-Universitaria S. Maria della Misericordia, Udine
Ordine dei Medici Chirurghi e degli Odontoiatri della Provincia di Udine
SIAPEC - Società Italiana di Anatomia Patologica e Citopatologia Diagnostica
Lega Italiana per la Lotta contro i Tumori - Sezione Friulana della Prov. di Udine
AIRC - Comitato Friuli Venezia Giulia
Arkadi M. Rywlin International Pathology Slide Seminar

Acknowledgments
MEETING PROGRAM

Sunday, October 12

17.00 – 18.00  Registration
18.00 – 18.15  Course introduction and welcome to Authorities
18.15 – 19.00  Inaugural Lecture
   Sentinel Lymph Node Biopsy in Melanoma: Lessons from Evidence Based Medicine
   Mark R. Wick, M.D.

Monday, October 13

Morning session:

7.30 – 8.15  Registration
8.15 – 8.30  Welcome address and introduction
   Stefano Pizzolitto, M.D.
8.30 – 9.15  Update on Laryngeal Carcinoma
   Paul E. Wakely, M.D.
9.15 – 10.45 Slide seminar (Cases 1 to 4)
   Paul E. Wakely, M.D.
10.45 – 11.15 Coffee break
11.15 – 12.15 Slide seminar (Cases 5 to 7)
   Paul E. Wakely, M.D.
12.15 – 14.00 Lunch break

Afternoon session

14.00 – 15.00  Benign melanocytic simulators of melanoma
   Mark R. Wick, M.D.
15.00 – 16.00  Slide seminar (Cases 8 to 10)
   Mark R. Wick, M.D.
16.00 – 16.30  Coffee break
16.30 – 17.30  Slide seminar (Cases 11 to 13)
   Mark R. Wick, M.D.
17.30  Adjournment
Tuesday, October 14

Morning session:

8.30 – 9.15 Update on Pleural Mesothelioma  
Saul Suster, M.D.

9.15 – 10.45 Slide seminar (Cases 14 to 17)  
Saul Suster, M.D.

10.45 – 11.15 Coffee break

11.15 – 12.15 Slide seminar (Cases 18 to 20)  
Saul Suster, M.D.

12.15 – 14.00 Lunch break

Afternoon session

14.00 – 15.00 Neuroendocrine carcinoma of lung  
Cesar A. Moran, M.D.

15.00 – 16.00 Slide seminar (Cases 21 to 23)  
Cesar A. Moran, M.D.

16.00 – 16.30 Coffee break

16.30 – 17.30 Slide seminar (Cases 24 to 26)  
Cesar A. Moran, M.D.

17.30 Closing remarks  
Stefano Pizzolitto, M.D.

CME questionnaire and filling of evaluation form

Lecture and slide seminar sessions include 5-10’ for questions and answers.
GENERAL INFORMATION

Meeting program: Conference titles and time blocks are outlined at pages 4, 5 and 8.

Location of the Course: The course will be held in Udine, Italy, a town of approximately 100,000 inhabitants in the center plain of the Friuli Venezia Giulia region of Northeast Italy. Udine is 95 kilometers south of Austria’s alpine belt and about 50 kilometers north of the Adriatic sea tip. It can be reached via train (line track Venice to Austria), car (Motorway Venice to Palmanova to Tarvisio, via A4-A23), or plane. Trieste International Airport is 38 kilometers away (Motorway Airport – Palmanova – Udine, via A4-A23) and has daily flights from Rome and Milan; international flights from London, Munich, Paris and several eastern European cities are also available. Nearby tourist spots include Venice (about 2 hours away by train) and Trieste (about 1 hour away by train and by car).

Meeting Venue: Congress Center, Hotel Là di Moret, Viale Tricesimo 276 - 33100 Udine, Italy. www.ladimoret.it

Registration: To register for the Course participants are kindly requested to fill in the registration form and send it back to the Organising Secretariat together with payment of the registration fee. The registration fee includes attendance to scientific sessions and a teaching set (a course syllabus, a CD-rom with case images and a glass slide box, if available). A reduced fee is available for members of the SIAPEC and the IAP/Italian Branch, as well as members of any world pathologic society. A special reduced fee is also available to pathology residents. Participation is limited to 80 registrants and enrollment is on a first-come, first-served basis. Early application is advised. Please mind that the Organising Secretariat will be closed for Summer Holidays from August 4th 2008 to August 24th 2008.

Registration fees (VAT included):

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A invoice/receipt shall be sent to the registrant’s fiscal address. The registrant should indicate the name of the institution to which the invoice/receipt should be addressed if such documentation is needed.

Mailing of the home study set (glass slide set or cd rom with case images):
Boxes containing about 25 glass slides along to a case history sheeth will be mailed after July 1st, 2008. For applicants residing in Italy, the teaching set will be mailed to the registrant’s address if registration is received before August 31st, 2008. For applicants living outside Italy, the set will be mailed to those who register before July 31st, 2008. After these dates the teaching set may be available only at the registration desk. Slide boxes are limited to 40 and available on a first-come first-served basis. CD rom with digital images may be available to all registrants.

Official language: The course will be taught in English. Simultaneous translation services will not be available.

Hotel Reservation: Fall is a busy season in Udine because of ongoing meetings, art exhibitions, and commercial fairs. Hotel availability is limited, and course organizers recommend that reservation be made far in advance. Hotel reservation can be arranged by filling in the hotel reservation form in all its sections and sending it to the Organising Secretariat, not later than July 31st, 2008, together with advanced payment of the deposit amounting to the cost for one night. The remaining charge shall be paid directly at the hotel which will issue invoice or receipt for the entire amount.

Hotel Charges (b&b, VAT included)

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No registration or request for hotel accommodation will be accepted before receipt of the corresponding fees.
Continuing medical education credits (for Italian participants only): Application for appropriate course credits is under consideration.

Cancellation and reimbursement policy: Cancellation will be possible only if a written request postmarked within September 30th, 2008, is submitted to the Organising Secretariat, via registered mail. Refund will be arranged after the meeting date with a deduction of € 50.00. No refund will be possible after September 30th, 2008.

Payments: Payments of fees and hotel deposits may be made as follows:
- with non transferable bank cheque to Nord Est Congressi s.r.l.;
- International bank transfer inclusive of bank charges to:
  Cassa di Risparmio del Friuli Venezia Giulia, sede di Udine
  IBAN: IT 73 Y 06340 12300 07401604606P
  BIC: CRUPIT2UXXX
  Please, indicate on your remittance “Oncologic Surgical Pathology”. Mail/Fax a receipt of the transaction with your registration form if the application fee is submitted through a bank;
- by Credit Card (VISA/MASTERCARD/CARTASì, only).

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Confirmed dates:

30, 31 March 2009

Urologic Pathology Update

Mahul Amin, M.D.

(Cedar Medical Center, Los Angeles)
Self-portrait with Necklace
Frida Kahlo, 1933