

# PATHOLOGY

# 2015

## AGENDA



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**This meeting draws together international experts to discuss current techniques and research involved in cellular and molecular pathology.**

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(Invited Talk times include 5 – 10 minutes for question; Oral presentations include 2-3 minutes for questions)

### Day 1: Molecular and Cellular Pathology

09:00 – 10:00	<b>Exhibitions open</b>	Registration and Refreshments
10:00 – 10:50	<b>Introduction by the Chair</b>	<i>Dr Fanyin Meng</i> , Assistant Professor, Digestive Disease Research Center, Scott & White Hospital, Texas A&M HSC College of Medicine, Texas, USA
	<b>Functional role of microRNAs in alcoholic liver diseases</b>	
10:50 - 11:30	<b>Targeting PPARbeta/delta in lung disease</b>	<i>Dr Louise Mackenzie</i> , School of Life and Medical Sciences, University of Hertfordshire, Hatfield, UK
11:30 – 12:00	<b>Group Photo and Session Break</b>	Refreshments, Poster viewing, Sponsors exhibition
12:00 – 12:20	<b>Oral Presentation</b> <b>APPLICATION OF CISH FOR HPV GENOTYPING</b>	<i>Ekaterina Kldiashvili</i> , Executive Director, Georgian Telemedicine Union (Association), Tbilisi, Georgia
12:20 – 13:00	<b>Cortical minicolumn: from executive control to executive dysfunction</b>	<i>Dr Ioan Opris</i> , Wake Forest University School of Medicine, North Carolina, USA
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Session Break</b>	Lunch, Poster viewing, Sponsors exhibition
14:00 – 14:40	<b>Aging-associated fiber-specific muscle atrophy is marked with novel Proteasome activity probes</b>	<i>Dr Vered Raz</i> , Department of Human Genetics, Leiden University Medical Centre, Leiden, Netherlands
14:40 – 15:00	<b>Oral Presentation</b> <b>HOW MUCH RESEARCH DO UK ROUTINE BIOMEDICAL LABORATORIES SUPPORT?</b>	<i>Darren Ames</i> , Affiliated to the University of Newcastle, Nightingale House, Whiston Hospital, St Helens and Knowsley NHS Teaching Trust, Merseyside, UK
15:00 – 15:30	<b>Session Break</b>	Refreshments, Last poster viewing Last Sponsors exhibition
15:30 – 16:10	<b>The challenge of early cancer detection</b>	<i>Professor Ian A Cree</i> , Yvonne Carter Professor of Pathology, Warwick Medical School, Clinical Sciences Building, University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire, London, UK
16:10 – 17:00	<b>QUESTION TIME</b>	
17:00	<b>Chairman's Summing Up</b>	<b>Close of Session</b>

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### Day 2: Disease Pathology and Diagnostics

09:00 – 09:45	<b>Exhibitions open</b>	Registration and Refreshments
09:45 – 10:30	<b>Introduction by the Chair</b>	<i>Professor Marian Dmochowski</i> , Poznan University of Medical Sciences, Poznan, Poland
	<b>Dematitis herpetiformis is, first and foremost, a cutaneous disease</b>	
10:30 – 11:05	<b>Diagnostic dilemmas in lupus anticoagulant detection</b>	<i>Dr Gary Moore</i> , Consultant Biomedical Scientist, Head of Diagnostic Haemostasis & Thrombosis Laboratory, London, UK
11:05 – 11:35	<b>Group Photo and Session Break</b>	Refreshments, Poster viewing, Sponsors exhibition
11:35 – 12:10	<b>Endothelial dysfunction in diabetic heart; from phenotypic changes to associated molecules</b>	<i>Dr Lucia-Doina Popov</i> , Ph.D., biochemist. Head of Pathophysiology and Pharmacology Department of « N. Simionescu » Institute of Cellular Biology and Pathology of the Romanian Academy
12:10 – 12:45	<b>Cardiovascular pathology from tobacco smoke</b>	<i>Dr Aurelio Leone</i> , Independent Researcher, Castelnuovo Magra, Italy
12:45 – 13:00	<b>Oral presentation</b>	
	<b>PATHOLOGICAL STUDIES IN GOATS FED ACACIA SALIGNA RAISED IN THE EGYPTIAN DESERT</b>	<i>Professor Soad Nasr</i> , Department of Parasitology and Animal Diseases, National Research Centre, Giza, Egypt
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Session Break</b>	Lunch, Poster viewing Sponsors exhibition
14:00 – 14:35	<b>Diffuse axonal injuries</b>	<i>Professor Mårten Risling</i> , Karolinska Institutet, Department of Neuroscience, Stockholm, Sweden
14:35 – 15:10	<b>An actionable molecular test as cost-effective risk predictor of oral cancer progression</b>	<i>Dr Catherine F. Poh</i> , University of British Columbia, BC Cancer Agency, Canada
15:10– 15:40	<b>Session Break</b>	Refreshments, Last poster viewing, Last Sponsors exhibition
15:40 – 16:15	<b>Talk title to be confirmed</b>	<i>Dr Madhuri Warren</i> , Pathology Diagnostics Ltd., UK
16:15 – 16:50	<b>New decalcification methods applied to bone and teeth tissues using nanomaterials</b>	<i>Dr. Gerardo Rivera Silva</i> , University of Monterrey, NL, Mexico
16:50– 17:00	<b>QUESTION TIME</b>	
17:00	<b>Chairman's Summing Up</b>	<b>Close of Session</b>

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### Day 3: Cancer Pathology

09:00 – 09:45	<b>Exhibitions open</b>	Registration and Refreshments
09:45 – 10:30	<b>Introduction by the Chair</b>  <b>IKK alpha is a novel target for ER positive breast cancer</b>	<i>Dr Joanne Edwards</i> BSc, PhD, FRCPath, Senior Lecturer, Wolfson Wohl Cancer Research Centre, Institute of Cancer Sciences, University of Glasgow, Garscube Estate, Glasgow, Scotland, UK
10:30 – 11:00	<b>The clinical value of epigenetics in breast cancer</b>	<i>Olafur Andri Stefansson</i> , University of Iceland, Iceland
11:00 – 11:30	<b>Group Photo and Session Break</b>	Refreshments, Poster viewing, Sponsors exhibition
11:30 – 12:00	<b>Imaging in cancer immunology: Phenotyping of multiple immune cell subsets in-situ in FFPE tissue sections</b>	<i>Roslyn Lloyd</i> , Quantitative Pathology Applications, PerkinElmer, USA
12:00 – 12:30	<b>Tissue pathology and pathways in chronic human lymphatic insufficiency</b>	<i>Stanley G. Rockson</i> , Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, CA, USA
12:30– 12:50	<b>Oral Presentation</b> <b>ADENOCARCINOMA ARISING IN BARRETT'S OESOPHAGUS</b>	<i>Dr Zakaria Eltahir</i> , GI & Lymphoma Clinical Trials, Translational laboratory, Histopathology Dep, Chelsea, London, UK
12:50 – 13:50	<b>Session Break</b>	Lunch, Poster viewing Sponsors exhibition
13:50 – 14:35	<b>Introduction by the Chair</b>  <b>Mitochondriome and Cholangiocellular Carcinoma</b>	<i>Professor Consolato Maria Sergi</i> , Department of Lab. Medicine and Pathology, University of Alberta, Canada
14:35 – 15:15	<b>QUESTION TIME</b>	
15:15 – 15:45	<b>Session Break</b>	Refreshments
15:45 – 16:15	<b>The aneuploidy paradox in malignant tumours: let us consider parasexual processes</b>	<i>Dr. H.M Jekaterina Erenpreisa</i> , Latvian Biomedical Research & Study Centre, Riga, Latvia
16:15 – 16:45	<b>Patient-derived xenografts reveal that Intraductal Carcinoma of the prostate is a prominent pathology in BRCA2 mutation carriers with prostate cancer and correlates with poor prognosis</b>	<i>Professor Gail Risbridger</i> , Research Director, Monash Partners Comprehensive Cancer Consortium (MpCCC), Monash University, Victoria, Australia
16:45	<b>Chairman's Summing Up</b>	<b>Close of Event</b>

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# About the Speakers

**Darren Ames**, Affiliated to the University of Newcastle, Nightingale House, Whiston Hospital, St Helens and Knowsley NHS Teaching Trust, Merseyside, United Kingdom

Now on Secondment bringing genomic Research Developments expediently into the Routine Laboratory after a career rising from Laboratory Junior to Manager. As a Lab Manager Darren integrated four laboratories successfully taking full accountability for the Operational Strategy and Service Delivery of the Department across two Trusts. The Biochemistry and Immunology Screening Services produces over 7 million test results per year on 0.7 million patient samples on a 24 hour basis with 35 staff.

Darren is also active with the IBMS Specialist Advisory panel in Clinical Chemistry and a UKAS Peer Assessor

**Ian A Cree**, Yvonne Carter Professor of Pathology, Warwick Medical School, Clinical Sciences Building, University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire, London, UK

Ian Cree is a Molecular Pathologist at University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire, and a Visiting Professor at Coventry University. He is Chair of the Research Committee Pathology for the Royal College of Pathologists. Trained first in medicine, and then as a general pathologist with a PhD in immunology, Ian's research career has been based on investigating disease mechanisms to improve diagnosis and treatment, particularly for cancer. He has developed a number of molecular diagnostics methods and leads the Early Cancer Detection Consortium. Previous studies have included infectious disease, asthma, and ophthalmology. He has published over 230 papers, and two books.

**Marian Dmochowski**, Poznan University of Medical Sciences, Poznan, Poland

Marian Dmochowski, M.D., Ph.D., specializes in dermatology and STDs. He is an active member of the Society for Investigative Dermatology. Currently, he works as Professor and Director of Autoimmune Blistering Dermatoses Section, Department of Dermatology, Poznan University of Medical Sciences, Poland. He published extensively in numerous international journals, including Journal of Investigative Dermatology, Autoimmunity, Clinical and Experimental Dermatology, Polish Journal of Pathology, Experimental Dermatology. His areas of expertise include clinical and pathological aspects of autoimmune blistering dermatoses, relationship between cutaneous autoimmunity and cutaneous inflammation, hair follicle pathology, skin aspects of connective tissue diseases and relationship between autoimmunity and malignancy.

**h.m Jekaterina Erenpreisa**, Latvian Biomedical Research & Study Centre, Riga, Latvia

JE obtained MD in 1968 in Riga, in 1971 a PhD degree in the Latvian Institute of Experimental and Clinical Medicine, in 1991 the degree of Dr med sci in Kijev Institute of Carcinogenesis ("Chromatin organisation in normal and tumour cell nuclei"), Dr hab med of the Latvian Republic. She was a Latvian leader of bilateral projects with UK, Germany, USA, and Japan scientists and continues wide international collaboration. JE is a head of the Cancer Cell Biology lab. JE published 110 scientific articles, a book, and is a Member of the Latvian Academy of Sciences.

**Joanne Edwards**, BSc, PhD, FRCPath, Senior Lecturer, Wolfson Wohl Cancer Research Centre, Institute of Cancer Sciences, University of Glasgow, Gartnavel Estate, Glasgow, Scotland, UK

Dr Joanne Edwards gained a BSc from the University of Glasgow and later a PhD from the University of St Andrews. She is a senior lecturer at the University of Glasgow, who leads a translational cancer research team focusing on endocrine resistance in breast and prostate cancer within the Wolfson Wohl Translational Cancer Research Centre. Her contribution to the field of biomarkers and histopathology has recently resulted in her being awarded status as a Fellow of the Royal College of Pathologists. Her current research focus is on the interactions between steroid receptors and IKK $\alpha$  in both breast and prostate cancer.



**Zakaria Eltahir**, GI & Lymphoma Clinical Trials, Translational laboratory, Histopathology Dep, Chelsea, London, UK

Zac has completed his PhD at Swansea University, College of Medicine in 2009 in Medical and Healthcare Studies. Thereafter, he has joined the college as Postdoctoral researcher. In 2010 Zac has moved to work in London for the Royal Marsden Hospital as Clinical Research Scientist within the GI & Lymphoma group.

He has interest in Molecular Pathology and personalise Cancer Medicine research. He works with clinical fellows on their MDs & PhDs from the Institute of Cancer Research and the Royal Marsden Hospital. Currently Zac is responsible for the Translational Research Laboratory for the GI & Lymphoma units at the Royal Marsden Hospital

**Ekaterina Kldiashvili**, Executive Director, Georgian Telemedicine Union (Association), Tbilisi, Georgia

Kldiashvili Ekaterine, Ph.D. holds a MSc in Biology (1995) and Ph.D. in Histology, Cytology and Embryology (2003) from the Tbilisi State University. Ekaterine works as Executive Director in Georgian Telemedicine Union and Associate Professor in the New Vision University, managing NATO Networking Infrastructure Project, BSEC tender, telemedicine pilot actions, whole activity of GTU and also creation of eHealth network in Georgia. Prior to joining GTU Ekaterine worked at department of Pathology of Central Clinic of Tbilisi State Medical University, establishing and leading the electron microscopy laboratory. She was trained in cytological diagnosis of malignant tumors at department of Oncology of the Tbilisi State Medical Academy and LBC of cervical smears by HOLOGIC Inc. Ekaterine also acted as Clinical Cytologist at department of pathology of Central Clinic of Tbilisi State Medical University and Virologist at Republic Center of AIDS and Clinical Immunology. She participated as researcher in Neuroscience project funded by Soros foundation. Ekaterine Kldiashvili represented GTU's activity and pilot actions at Med-e-Tel (2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2010); Telemedicine Week 2005 (Institute of Tropical Medicine, Antwerp, Belgium); II International Seminar on Telemedicine (Ukraine, 2006); Telemedicine Conference in South Africa (2006); Digital Pathology Conference in USA (2013); The Pathology 2014 in UK (2014).

**Aurelio Leone**, Independent Researcher, Castelnuovo Magra, Italy

Aurelio Leone, born in Roma, Italy on July 21, 1942, Physician and Researcher, he had his first job at the Pathological, Anatomy Institute of The University of Roma, Italy. In 1969 he worked as a Medical Researcher in Pisa, Italy, at the CNR Institute of Clinical Physiology and then as a clinical Cardiologist in La Spezia, Italy, from 1973 to 1985. Director of the Medical Division of Pontremoli City Hospital, Italy, from 1985 to 1999, he was chief of the Department of Internal Medicine of City Hospital in Massa, Italy, from 1999 to 2002. At present, he is an independent researcher, fellow of the Royal Society for Promotion of Health, London, UK (FRSPH), and Fellow of the American Society of Hypertension (FASH), as well as member of the World Heart Federation (WHF).

**Roslyn Lloyd**, Quantitative Pathology Applications, PerkinElmer, USA

Roslyn has worked within quantitative pathology for over 10 years and is a specialist in cancer immunotherapy applications. A senior applications scientist within PerkinElmer, Roslyn has a multidisciplinary background including pathology, marine microbiology and surface/interface science and engineering.

**Fanyin Meng**, Assistant Professor, Digestive Disease Research Center, Scott & White Hospital, Texas A&M HSC College of Medicine, Texas, US

Dr. Fanyin Meng is an assistant professor (PI) at Digestive Diseases Research Center, Scott & White Healthcare, Texas A&M HSC College of Medicine. He has made unusual contributions to the field of microRNA and gastroenterology. His unique work on microRNA regulation of alcoholic liver disease (ALD) and hepatobiliary oncogenesis is outstanding because it touches upon critical issues while developing a unique and novel framework. His theories on microRNA regulation of ALD and HCC tumor growth have helped in the development and identification of the translational mechanism of which has shed novel light on the therapeutic potentials on ALD/liver cancer patients.

**Gary Moore**, Consultant Biomedical Scientist, Head of Diagnostic Haemostasis & Thrombosis Laboratory, London, UK

Dr Gary Moore is the Consultant Scientist for the Viapath Diagnostic Haemostasis and Thrombosis Laboratories at Guy's and St. Thomas' Hospitals in London, UK. His main research interest is lupus anticoagulant detection and he has published numerous papers and reviews in the area. He was a co-author for the recent BSCH antiphospholipid syndrome guideline update and vice-chairman for the first CLSI guideline on lupus anticoagulant detection, which was published in April 2014. He is Chief Examiner in Haematology for the Institute of Biomedical Science in the UK and a member of their Haematology Advisory Panel.

**Professor Soad Nasr**, Department of Parasitology and Animal Diseases, National Research Centre, Giza, Egypt

Dr. Soad M. Nasr

Professor of Pathology & Clinical pathology.

Specialist: uses of natural products and plant extract for treatment and determination of bio-tests in the Lab animals for determination its safety and diagnosis of diseases in animals.

From Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Cairo University, I had Ph.D.(2001), MVSc (1995) and BVSc (1986).

At Desert Research Center: Clinical Pathologist (1990-1998), Assistant Researcher (1998-2001), Researcher (2001-2004), Head of Toxicology & Environmental Pollution Unit (1/7/2001–31/7/2004). At NRC, Researcher (2004-2006), Assistant Professor (2006-2011), Professor (2011-till now).

Reviewer in many international journals.

Supervisor: (14 MSc, MVSc, Ph.D.Theses).

Publications: 43 articles (32 articles in International journals).

**Catherine F. Poh**, University of British Columbia, BC Cancer Agency, Canada

Dr. Poh is an Associate Professor, Faculty of Dentistry, University of British Columbia and a Clinician Scientist of the British Columbia Cancer Agency. She is an Oral Maxillofacial Pathologists, certified in Canada and U.S. She is an active member of the Oral Oncology Department (BC Cancer Agency) and the Oral Mucosal Disease Program (Vancouver General Hospital). Her primary research involves application of molecular and imaging tools for community screening, early detection, and management of cancerous and precancerous oral lesions.

**Lucia-Doina Popov**, Ph.D., Biochemist. Head of Pathophysiology and Pharmacology Department of « N. Simionescu » Institute of Cellular Biology and Pathology of the Romanian Academy

Main scientific achievements: Identification of albumin binding proteins of cardiomyocyte sarcolemma, interaction between circulating AGE-albumin and the capillary endothelium in experimental diabetes mellitus, the structural and functional alterations of interstitial capillaries in diabetic nephropathy, identification of DNA-bound Advanced Glycation End-products, diabetic hypercoagulability (platelets signalling pathways), protein tyrosine phosphatases involvement in insulin resistance and diabetic cardiovascular remodeling, an original model for type 2 diabetes: the hamster fed a hypercaloric diet enriched in saturated fatty acids, disturbances in signal transduction pathways beyond diabetes-induced phenotypic changes of vascular endothelium and smooth muscle cells.

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Ph.D. advisor in biology (2001), Member of the Romanian Academy (2001) and of Romanian Academy for Medical Sciences (1993), Editorial Board member „Archives of Physiology and Biochemistry” (Informa Healthcare, UK, din 2005) and Assistant Editor-in-Chief, „Proceedings of the Romanian Academy”, Series B.

**Gail Risbridger**, Research Director, Monash Partners Comprehensive Cancer Consortium (MpCCC), Monash University, Victoria, Australia

Professor Gail Risbridger is an NH&MRC Research Fellow, career academic and researcher who has > 25 years experience in Prostate Cancer research and Men's Health. She graduated from, and taught at Monash University, until becoming a founding member of the Monash Institute of Medical Research (MIMR). Currently she heads the Prostate Cancer Research Group in the Dept of Anatomy & Developmental Biology at Monash University leading an internationally recognised research team of scientists and clinicians working on prostate

cancer and Andrology related projects. She currently holds the positions of Deputy Dean, Strategic Projects, Research Director of Monash Partners Comprehensive Cancer Consortium (MpCCC) and Chair, Faculty Research Centres & Institutes Committee as well as advisory roles in Andrology Australia and the Freemason's Foundation Centre for Men's Health. She is one of Australia's leading prostate cancer researchers, has authored over >200 publications, and has received more than \$22.9 million in National and International grant funding since 2003. Her awards include an International Fulbright Senior Scholar Award, British Endocrine Society Asia-Oceania Medal and Honorary Life Member of Endocrine Society of Australia.

**Mårten Risling**, Karolinska institutet, Department of Neuroscience, Stockholm, Sweden

He got his PhD 1983 Karolinska institutet and MD 1984 Karolinska institutet. Became senior lecturer of Anatomy and associate professor 1986 at Karolinska institutet.

He was working at the Swedish Defence Research Agency (FOI) between 2000 and 2008. Now professor of Anatomy, Karolinska institutet.

From 2010 he is Editor-in-chief for Frontiers in neurotrauma.

**Dr Stanley G. Rockson**, Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, CA, USA

DR ROCKSON is the Allan and Tina Neill Professor of Lymphatic Research and Medicine at Stanford University School of Medicine. His basic research involves the investigation of disease pathogenesis and identification of biomarkers of lymphatic diseases, as well as research into molecular and pharmacologic therapeutics. Dr. Rockson serves Chief of Consultative Cardiology and Director of the Stanford Center for Lymphatic and Venous Disorders. Dr Rockson is Editor-in-Chief of Lymphatic Research and Biology. Dr. Rockson has authored more than 150 scientific papers, reviews, book chapters and books devoted to various aspects of lymphatic biology and disease, vascular biology, and cardiovascular medicine.

**Vered Raz**, Department of Human Genetics, Leiden University Medical Centre, Leiden, Netherlands

**Consolato Maria Sergi**, Department of Lab. Medicine and Pathology, University of Alberta, Canada

EDUCATION: 2006 MSc Public Health, UMIT, Hall i.T., Austria, 2004 PhD/Habilitation, University of Innsbruck, Austria, 2001 Board of Pathology, University of Heidelberg, Germany, 1993 Board of Pediatrics, University of Genoa, Italy, 1989 MD with Honors, University of Genoa, Italy. AREAS OF INTEREST: Clinical: Neonatal, Pediatric and Adult Cholestasis, Perinatal and Pediatric Liver Disease, Congenital Heart Disease, Metabolic Diseases, Ultrastructural (TEM/SEM) and Multi-Signaling-related (IF, CFLM) Analysis of Pediatric Diseases, Fetal, Perinatal and Pediatric Autopsy, Relevance of Teamwork and Quality Assurance in Diagnostic Services. Educational: Translation Medicine, Pediatric Histopathology and Signal Transduction Identification with Clinico-Pathological Correlation.

**Gerardo Rivera Silva**, University of Monterrey, NL, Mexico

Dr. Silva is professor and researcher at the University of Monterrey, Monterrey, Mexico. He studied human medicine and pediatrics in Mexico from 1984-1995. He completed his PhD in morphology and neurosciences in Salamanca, Spain from 2000-2004; molecular biology in Paris (Pasteur Institute), France (2002); postdoctoral studies: biotechnology in Quebec, Canada from 2005-2006 and nanotechnology applied in medicine in Chicago, USA from 2007-2009. He is the director of Laboratory for Tissue Engineering and Regenerative Medicine at University of Monterrey, Mexico.

## ABOUT THIS EVENT

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