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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Dear Friends

Season's Greetings. After a hot summer, we welcome the showers and get back to our academic programme.

The Mid year Teaching Programme was organized by the Department of Pathology, MVJ Medical College & Research Hospital, Hoskote, Bangalore. Prof. Shameem Shariff chose the theme of the session as Pathology of Endometrium and ovary and invited many reputed National and International faculty as Guest Speakers. She designed the programme with guest lectures and slide sessions to make the scientific sessions very useful to one and all. It was good to see members participating actively in the CME and take advantage of this great opportunity.

The Annual CME is being hosted by Dr. Vibha Dutta at AFMC, Pune on cutting edge in Pathology. The scientific programme covers all the recent trends in Pathology and Dr. Vibha has spared no effort to present a scientific feast.

I urge all the members of IAP-ID to participate in both the programmes and benefit from them. I wish both the events a grand success. I look forward to meet all of you in the annual conference of IAP-ID to be held in Jamnagar in December.

With kind personal regards,

Dr. C. Sundaram

Membership Fees 2012

Please send your **Annual Membership Fees** of Rs. 400/- by Demand Draft payable at "Trivandrum" or Rs. 430/- if by cheque

5 years Membership Fees

Membership fees for 5 years are now being accepted. The fees are Rs. 2000/- by Demand Draft payable at "Trivandrum" or Rs. 2075/- if by cheque

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GUEST SPEAKER FOR IAP-ID ANNUAL MEETING 2012

This year for the IAP-ID Annual Meeting 2012 at Jamnagar, Gujarat, on 13th December our invited Guest Speaker will be Prof. Dr. Neil A. Shepherd, DM, FRCPath, Professor & Head of Gastrointestinal Pathology and Consultant Histopathologist at Gloucestershire Royal and Cheltenham General Hospitals, Gloucestershire, UK. The IAP-ID is deeply honoured and happy to have Prof. Neil Shepherd, who is also the present President of the British Division of the IAP, attend the Meeting. A brief biodata of Neil A. Shepherd is given here under for the benefit of the members:

Prof. Dr. NEIL A SHEPHERD, DM, FRCPath



Professor Neil A Shepherd is Professor of Gastrointestinal Pathology and Consultant Histopathologist at Gloucestershire Royal and Cheltenham General Hospitals, Gloucestershire, UK. He is based in the Gloucestershire Cellular Pathology Laboratory in Cheltenham and the Head of Department until December 2012. He was appointed Consultant in May 1988. He qualified from St Bartholomew's Hospital, London, in 1979 and trained in pathology at St Bartholomew's and St Mark's Hospitals, London. He was Senior Lecturer and Honorary Consultant in the ICRF Colorectal Cancer Unit and at the two aforementioned hospitals from 1986 to 1988.

He has clinical and research interests in Gastrointestinal (GI) Pathology. He is a co-author and lead editor of Morson & Dawson's Gastrointestinal Pathology, the flagship UK textbook of GI pathology. He has written five other books, over 30 chapters and more than 150 original articles and reviews, mainly on GI pathology. His current research interests are in the influence of pathology on the treatment of colorectal cancer and the clinical and molecular pathology of Barrett's oesophagus. He has authored national guidelines on the reporting of the pathology of oesophageal and gastric cancer, colorectal cancer, colorectal cancer screening polyps, Barrett's oesophagus and chronic inflammatory bowel disease.

He is President of the British Division of the International Academy of Pathology (BDIAP) (2010-12). Until April 2009, he was the General Secretary of the BDIAP (for nine years). He is the Royal College of Pathologists' representative for gastrointestinal pathology. He has been Regional Specialty Advisor for Histopathology, Regional Director of Training, Chairman and Secretary of the Pathology Section of the British Society of Gastroenterology, the group that leads GI pathology in the UK, and Chairman of the South West Gastroenterology Society, the regional representation of the British Society of Gastroenterology. He is an examiner for the Royal College of Pathologists.

He is GI Pathology Specialist Editor for the BDIAP's journal *Histopathology*. He is a member of the editorial boards of four other international medical journals. He has wide involvement in education at local, regional, national and international levels and has given more than 150 invited lectures at national and international symposia (on 5 continents) on GI pathology. He holds an Honorary Clinical Professorship at Cranfield University.

He is the Regional Pathology Lead for the bowel cancer screening programme (BCSP) and a Member of the National Pathology Committee for BCSP, for whom he leads on IT issues and EQA processes. He has established and runs an 'Expert Board' to deal with difficult cases generated through BCSP and to promote research into BCSP pathology.

IAP-ID Mid Year Teaching Programme 2012, Bangalore



The Inaugural function of the Mid Year Teaching Programme

The Mid Year Teaching Programme was held on 29th and 30th June at the Hotel Atria in Bangalore on the topic "Endometrial and Ovarian Pathology" and was organized by Dr. Shameem Shariff (Professor of Pathology) who was the Organizing Secretary and the Department of Pathology, M. V. J. Medical College & Research Hospital, Hoskote, Bangalore.

The CME was inaugurated by Prof. Dr. Michael Wells (Professor of Gynaecological Pathology, University of Sheffield Medical School, United Kingdom, and, Vice President, Royal College of Pathologists, UK) in the distinguished presence of Dr. M. J. Mohan (Secretary & Corrospendent, Venkatesha Education Society and Chairman, MVJ Medical College and Research Hospital), Dr. P. Mohan Rao (Executive Director, MVJ Medical College), Prof. C. Sundaram (President, IAP-ID), Dr. S. Vasantha Kumar (Principal, MVJ Medical College), Mrs. Dharani (Chief Administrative Officer, MVJ Medical College), Dr. Krishna Prasad (Vice Principal, MVJ Medical College) and Dr. Shameem Shariff (Organizing Secretary and Professor of Pathology, MVJ Medical College). Dr. Krishna Balachandra Nair (Secretary & Treasurer IAP-ID) and Dr. Francisco Couto (Immediate Past President IAP-ID) were also in attendance. The scientific programme was of extremely high standards and had a distinguished Faculty both from India and abroad. The programme had 8 scientific sessions each having 2 lectures and diseases of the Endometrium and Ovary were extensively covered. The sessions included lectures on "Gynaecological Pathology: The Present Scene", "Overview of Cancer Scene in India and Disease Informatics", "Pathology of Gestational Trophoblastic Disease", "Stromal Tumours of the Uterus", "Pathology of the Endocervix", "Sex Cord Stromal Tumours of the Ovary", "Borderline Ovarian Tumours", "Non Neoplastic Lesions of the Ovary", "Challenges in Reporting of Endometrial Curettage", "Hormone Therapy in Abnormal Uterine Bleeding". There were 3 interesting Slide Seminars presented by Dr. Mittal Khushbakhat, Dr. Nafisa Wilkinson and Dr. I. Praseeda. Besides there was an extremely interesting and lively debate on "Frozen Section – A necessity

in Ovarian Neoplasia" moderated very ably and well by Prof. Michael Wells and with participation from Dr. Suzy Kurian (Proponent of motion) and Dr. Chatura K.R (Opponent of motion) as the speakers. There was also a poster paper presentation session wherein participants displayed Posters of various Scientific material which were later awarded prizes by the Organizers. The distinguished Faculty included Prof. Michael Wells (Professor of Gynaecological Pathology, University of Sheffield Medical School, United Kingdom, and Vice President, Royal College of Pathologists, UK), Dr. Nafisa Wilkinson (Consultant Gynaecological Pathologist, St. James University Hospital, Leeds, UK), Dr. Mittal Khushbakhat (Director of Surgical & Gynecologic Pathology, NYU Lagone Medical Centre, New York, USA), Dr. Padmini Jeyachandran (Professor & Head of Pathology, MVJ Medical College, Bangalore), Dr. A. Nanda Kumar (Director-in-charge, National Centre for Disease Informatics and Research, Bangalore), Dr. Suzy Kurian (former Chief of Pathology, Christain Medical College, Vellore and currently at Tata Hospital, Kolkata), Dr. Chatura K. R (Professor of Pathology, JJMMC, Davangere), Dr. Rajendiren (Professor of Pathology, Sri Ramachandra University, Porur, Chennai), Dr. I. Praseeda (Associate Professor of Pathology, TD Government Medical College, Allepy, Kerala), Dr. Dayananda S. Bigili (Professor of Pathology, Bangalore Medical College & Research Institute, Bangalore), Dr. Shameem Shariff (Professor of Pathology, MVJ Medical College, Bangalore) and Dr. Narayanan (Consultant Obstetrician & Gynaecologist, Bangalore). The scientific content of the meeting was encapsulated in a Proceedings cum Abstract Book which was distributed to the delegates. The CME was excellent and extremely well organized and was heavily attended. There were more than 407 delegates from all over the country and some from abroad and the delegates found the CME very useful. At the short Valedictory function, on behalf of the IAP-ID, Dr. Francisco Couto (Immediate Past President IAP-ID) thanked Dr. Shameem Shariff and her team organizing the excellent CME.



Dr. Shameem Shariff with some of the dignitaries and participants at the poster paper session

INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF PATHOLOGY – INDIAN DIVISION

Annual Conference 2012

Jamnagar

13th December 2012

PROGRAMME

7.45 am	-	8.30 am	Registration
8.30 am	-	9.00 am	Inauguration
9.00 am	-	10.00 am	Guest Lecture “Improving the quality of pathological reporting: lessons from colorectal cancer practice” Prof. Dr. Neil A. Shepherd , United Kingdom (UK)
10.00 am	-	10.30 am	Tea
10.30 am	-	12.30 pm	Slide Seminar “Pre Cancerous lesions of Gastro Intestinal Tract” Moderator : Dr. S. Datta Gupta , New Delhi
12.30 pm	-	1.30 pm	Lunch
1.30 pm	-	2.30 pm	Slide Seminar “Novel colorectal pathology” Prof. Dr. Neil A. Shepherd , United Kingdom (UK)
2.30 pm	-	4.30 pm	Symposium “Parasitic Diseases of Gastro Intestinal Tract” Moderator: Dr. Pradeep Vaideeshwar , Mumbai
4.30 pm	-	5.30 pm	General Body Meeting of IAP-ID
5.30 pm	-		Meeting concludes and Tea

APCON 2012 JAMNAGAR

The conjoint Conference of the International Academy of Pathology – Indian Division (IAP-ID) and the Indian Association of Pathologists & Microbiologists (IAPM) is being held at Jamnagar in December this year.

Dates of Conference : IAP-ID on 13th December 2012
IAPM from 14th to 16th December 2012

Conference Secretariat:

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IAP-ID 15th Annual CME 2012 Pune

The IAP-ID 15th Annual CME will be held on 15th and 16th September 2012 at the Armed Forces Medical College (AFMC), Pune, on the theme “Cutting Edge in Pathology”. The Organizing Secretary is Brig. Vibha Dutta. The brochures for the CME will be dispatched at due time before the CME to members by the Organizers.

For further details contact:

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IAP-ID Associate Members

Membership of the IAP-ID as Associate Members has been started for Post Graduate students in Pathology and others. These Associate Members would have no voting rights or other statutory rights of full members and would have to become full members of the IAP-ID on attaining their post graduate qualification. The Annual Membership fee for Associate Member is Rs. 250.

For further details contact:

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IAP - ID Academic Activities 2013

The IAP-ID has the following programmes during the course of the year:

- Mid Year Teaching Programme (usually a Workshop)
- IAP-ID Annual CME
- Annual Meeting (usually held in conjunction with IAPM Meeting) having a Symposium and Slide Seminar.

Those members desirous of organizing and hosting the Mid Year Teaching Programme 2013 or the 16th IAP-ID Annual CME 2013 should send their concrete proposals with the theme of the meeting to the Secretary & Treasurer, Dr. Krishna Balachandran Nair.

For the Annual Conference 2013 (held along with the IAPM Conference), those desirous of being Moderators for the Symposium or Slide Seminar should send in their names along with the proposed title of the Symposium and Slide Seminar to the Secretary & Treasurer, IAP-ID. Also as per the decision of the General Body of the IAP-ID certain topics may have been suggested as possible subjects for the Slide Seminar and Symposium. Members desirous of being Moderators for any of these topics should send their names to the Secretary & Treasurer, IAP-ID. However, as per the decision of the Council and General Body of the IAP-ID, the person selected as the moderator shall be the one who is felt to be best suited to be for the particular topic of the Symposium or Slide Seminar.

All proposals should reach the Secretary & Treasurer, IAP-ID, by 15th November 2012, so as the same proposals could be discussed and approved by the Council and General Body of the IAP-ID.

The proposals should be sent to: Dr. Krishna Balachandran Nair, Secretary & Treasurer, IAP - Indian Division, Gayathri, TC 15/511, USRA 56, U. S. Road, Vellayambalam, Trivandrum – 695010, Kerala

CD on “Interstitial Lung Diseases”

A CD with the proceedings and discussion of the IAP-ID Symposium on “Interstitial Lung Diseases”, moderated by Dr. Kusum Joshi (PGIMER, Chandigarh), is available for a fee of Rs. 200 paid by Demand Draft in favour of “Secretary / Treasurer, IAP - Indian Division” payable at “Trivandrum”.

CD on “Neuromuscular Disorders”

A CD with the proceedings and discussion of the IAP-ID Symposium on “Neuromuscular Disorders”, moderated by Dr. C. Sundaram (NIMS, Hyderabad), is available for a fee of Rs. 200 paid by Demand Draft in favour of “Secretary / Treasurer, IAP - Indian Division” payable at “Trivandrum”.

CD on “Unusual Tumour and Tumour like Lesions of Lung”

A CD with the proceedings and discussion of the IAP-ID Slide Seminar on “Unusual Tumour and Tumour like Lesions of Lung”, moderated by Dr. PradeepVaideeshwar (Seth G. S. Medical College & KEM Hospital, Mumbai), is available for a fee of Rs. 200 paid by Demand Draft in favour of “Secretary / Treasurer, IAP - Indian Division” payable at “Trivandrum”.

CD on “Patterns of Glomerular Injury”

A CD with the proceedings and discussion of the IAP-ID Slide Seminar on “Patterns of Glomerular Injury”, moderated by Dr. Kusum Joshi (PGIMER, Chandigarh), is available for a fee of Rs. 200 paid by Demand Draft in favour of “Secretary / Treasurer, IAP - Indian Division” payable at “Trivandrum”.

Any one CD fee is Rs. 200

Any two CDs together fee is Rs. 350 **OR** Any three CDs fee is Rs. 500 **OR**

All four CDs together fees is Rs. 700

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US Canadian Academy of Pathology (USCAP)

Extensive Educational material, proceedings of scientific meetings, etc., are made available on the USCAP website for members of the Indian Division of the IAP. The IAP-ID Newsletter is also featured on this site.

The website address is: www.uscap.org

IAP-ID SLIDE SEMINAR ON “PRE CANCEROUS LESIONS OF GASTRO INTESTINAL TRACT”

At the Annual Conference 2012 at Jamnagar the Slide Seminar will be on “Pre Cancerous lesions of Gastro Intestinal Tract” to be Moderated by Prof. Dr. S. Datta Gupta (New Delhi). As GI biopsies are generally very small and production of multiple slide boxes is not feasible CDs of the Slide Seminar will be available to those interested on payment of cost. Those desirous of buying the CD should contact Dr. S. Datta Gupta, Moderator, latest by 31st October 2012.

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Secretary & Treasurer’s Column



My warm greetings and best wishes to you all. I extend a warm welcome to all the new members of IAP-ID who have joined recently. I look forward to their active participation and contribution to the activities of the Division.

The IAP-ID always focuses to have interesting and excellent academic activities and this attracts increasing number of new members. The members are the strength of the Division, and they make the Division grow and develop.

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Dr. Shameem Shariff and her team for all their efforts. On behalf of IAP-ID I also thank all the faculty members and I earnestly request all the members to attend the programme in large numbers.

Later this year we are going to have the 15th Annual CME on 15th and 16th of September at the Armed Forces Medical College Pune on the theme “Cutting Edge in Pathology”. The Organizing Secretary is Brig. Vibha Dutta. Let me take this opportunity to thank Brig. Vibha Dutta and the team for organizing the CME, and I wish CME all success. I sincerely request the members to attend the CME.

Our annual conference will be held at Jamnagar on December 13th along with APCON 2012. I look forward to meet you all at Jamnagar.

I do hereby sincerely request all members who have not yet paid the membership fees for this year or are in arrears to kindly pay their dues immediately.

Let me conclude by sending warmest good wishes to you and your families.

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MEETINGS

Hong Kong Division of International Academy of Pathology

Fall Scientific Meeting
Lymphoma Pathology
1 – 2 September, 2012
Faculty: Prof. Elaine S. Jaffe

Contact:

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Oxford Pathology Series - Autumn 2012 Meeting Head and Neck or Gynaecological Pathology

Fri 21 to Sun 23 September 2012
Wadham College, Oxford, UK.

Contact:

Prof. RunjanChetty (email: Runjan.Chetty@orh.nhs.uk)
Website: www.oxfordbrc.org/professional/events/pathology

XXIX Congress of the International Academy of Pathology

29 September to 5 October 2012
Cape Town International Convention Centre
Cape Town, South Africa
Website: www.iap2012congress.com

3rd SGH Breast Pathology Course 2012

8th to 9th October 2012
Singapore
Venue: Department of Pathology
Singapore General Hospital, Singapore
Course Directors:
Dr Angela Chong
Dr Puay Hoon Tan
Course website: <http://www.sgh.com.sg/BreastPathologyCourse2012>

International Anatomical Pathology Update 2012

Take Challenges, Keep Abreast and Elevate Pathology
23rd to 25th November 2012
Sunway Medical Centre,
Bandar Sunway, Selangor, Malaysia
Course Director: Dato Dr. NorainKarim
WASPaLM Education Secretariat Coordinator:
Dr. Robby Bacchus

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8th Asia Pacific Congress of the International Academy of Pathology

5th September to 8th September 2013
Busan, Korea
Website: ww.apiap2013.org

Editor's Column

I am very happy to present this issue of IAP-ID Newsletter Vol 15, No 2, July 2012 incorporating all the events in the Indian Division of IAP as well as providing information on the forthcoming activities.

As you all know Newsletters keeps all the members updated about the activities of the organization I earnestly request all the members to send in the inputs to me so that relevant material can be put in.

The Newsletter needs to be self financing so as not to drain the corpus fund of IAP-ID. I earnestly appeal to all the members to use your capacity to arrange sponsors for the Newsletter. The sponsors /advertisers should send their advertisement material and demand drafts in favour of 'SECRETARY & TREASURER, IAP INDIAN DIVISION' payable at 'TRIVANDRUM' and send it to the following address: Dr Krishna Balachandran Nair, Secretary and Treasurer IAP-ID, Gayathri, USRA 56, US Road, Vellayambalam, Trivandrum 695010, Kerala. I wish you all pleasant reading.



Dr Krishna Balachandran Nair
Editor, IAP-ID News letter

IAP-ID Thanks

Dr. John Marshall Johnson



The IAP-ID expresses its deep gratitude and thanks to Dr. John Marshall Johnson (Bangalore) for having started and maintained (at his own cost) the IAP-ID website for more than a decade providing an invaluable service to the members of the IAP-ID. Dr. John Marshall Johnson started the IAP-ID website in 2003 as www.pathoindia.com/iapid and later in 2005 he converted it into a full fledged separate website www.iapid.org. Now due to other important and pressing preoccupations Dr. Johnson will be handing over the maintenance of the website to the IAP-ID. At the Council and General Body meetings of the IAP-ID at Patiala on 1st December 2011 Dr. Francisco Couto (Immediate Past President IAP-ID) briefed the members about the history of the website and the role of Dr. Johnson in this and lauded the tremendous contribution of Dr. John Marshall Johnson to the IAP-ID in this regards. Dr. Francisco Couto moved a resolution, which was unanimously adopted by the Council and General Body of the IAP-ID, that Dr. John Marshall Johnson be thanked for his services to the IAP-ID and his sterling contribution be placed on record of the IAP-ID.



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**The 8th
Asia Pacific IAP Congress**
Sept. 5(Thu) - 8(Sun), 2013 Busan, Korea

Website: www.apiap2013.org

