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FEBRUARY ACADEMIC PROGRAM



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Dear Readers,

We hope you had the opportunity to attend the day-long virtual event of LASOP 25th Annual Current Topics in Pathology on January 22nd. Please join us in thanking **Dr. Elizabeth Montgomery** from the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine and **Dr. Vikram Deshpande** from Harvard Medical School/MGH for sharing their deep knowledge and valuable insights in challenging topics in Gastrointestinal pathology. As promised those who attended this program will receive their CME certificate by the end of February.

It is LASOP's mission to promote and improve the practice of Pathology for the benefit of patients, Society's members, and the local pathology community. To this end, LASOP organizes year-round educational programs covering all aspects of the practice of Pathology. Our next scientific program will feature a Hematology seminar by **Dr. Reza Setoodeh** from Cedars-Sinai Medical Center. This event will be held on March 8th, 2022, at 6:30 pm via our Zoom meeting platform and more information will be provided in our next newsletter.

Each new year brings changes to the LASOP leadership. Please join us in thanking the departing LASOP president **Dr. David Lu** for his able leadership during a turbulent year. We extend a hearty welcome to the incoming LASOP president **Dr. Christopher Hale**. We also thank the departing Board member **Dr. Rachel Rangwala** for her service to the Society and welcome the incoming member **Dr. Xiaodong Li** to the Board!

The pandemic has brought personal and professional hardship to each of us. Meetings and conferences, which are the lifeblood of camaraderie and continuing education in our profession, have taken a particular hit. But we hope that even in the virtual format, LASOP educational programs have been helpful to all of us and have afforded some opportunities at socializing. Please consider joining or renewing your memberships to the LASOP. You may do so by visiting our website at www.lasop.org, and if you have any questions, please get in touch with Shirley Jacke at LASOPmd@gmail.com

And as always, we hope this newsletter finds you and your families safe and in good health.

Sincerely, The Board

February 8th, 2022
No Meeting in February

March 8th, 2022
Reza Setoodeh, MD
Hematopathology
Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

April 12th, 2022
Spring Slide Seminar
Kaiser Permanente

May 10th, 2022
49th Annual Resident/Fellow
Symposium
Information coming soon

June 14th, 2022
Summer Slide Seminar
LAC+USC

July & August
No Meetings - Hiatus

September 13th, 2022
Shefali Chopra, M.D.
Liver
LAC+USC

Keck School of Medicine of USC

The USC Gynecologic Pathology Symposium

Saturday, May 14, 2022

Aresty Conference Center, USC
Los Angeles, CA

This one-day fully accredited CME course will present the latest in diagnosis in gynecologic pathology. Featuring an exciting interactive program and a world-renowned guest faculty, the symposium will provide pathologists with varying experience levels a chance to hone their diagnostic skills and deepen their knowledge. The course will offer both in person and virtual attendance.

Faculty Speakers include:

Course Director: Dr. Joseph Carlson, USC

Dr. Anais Malpica, MD Anderson Cancer Center

Dr. Joseph Rabban, UCSF

Dr. Fabiola Medeiros, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

Dr. Oluwole Fadare, UCSD

Full program brochure coming soon!

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PATHOLOGY FELLOWSHIP OPENINGS:

- Cytopathology (2024 - 2025) (*ACGME-accredited*)
- Dermatopathology (2024 - 2025) (*ACGME-accredited*)
- GI/Liver Pathology (2024 – 2025) (*ACGME-accredited*)
- Hematopathology (2024 – 2025) (*ACGME-accredited*)
- Molecular Genetic Pathology (2024 – 2025) (*ACGME-accredited*)
- Renal Pathology (2023 – 2024, 2024 - 2025) (**Non-ACGME accredited**)
- Surgical Pathology (2024 - 2025) (**Non-ACGME accredited**)
- Transfusion Medicine (2024 – 2025) (*ACGME-accredited*)

Click [here](#) for more information

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Membership Information

There were five new memberships approved during the last board meeting:

Membership applications are received on a continual basis and are reviewed at the next monthly Board Meeting.

For more information, please contact the Society's Administrator, Shirley Ann Jacke, at lasopmd@gmail.com

Membership applications are available at:
<http://www.lasop.org/pgs/application.htm>



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Local Grand Rounds Schedule

- **Cedars-Sinai Medical Center**
In process of being updated
- **City of Hope**
<http://www.cityofhope.org/education/continuing-medical-education/cme-grand-rounds>
- **Harbor-UCLA**
<http://www.harborucla.org/cme/calendar.htm>
- **Loma Linda University**
In process of being updated
- **UC Irvine**
<http://www.healthaffairs.uci.edu/som/pathology/residencyProgram.html>
- **UCLA**
<http://www.imedseminar.com/>
- **USC**
<http://keck.usc.edu/pathology/events/>