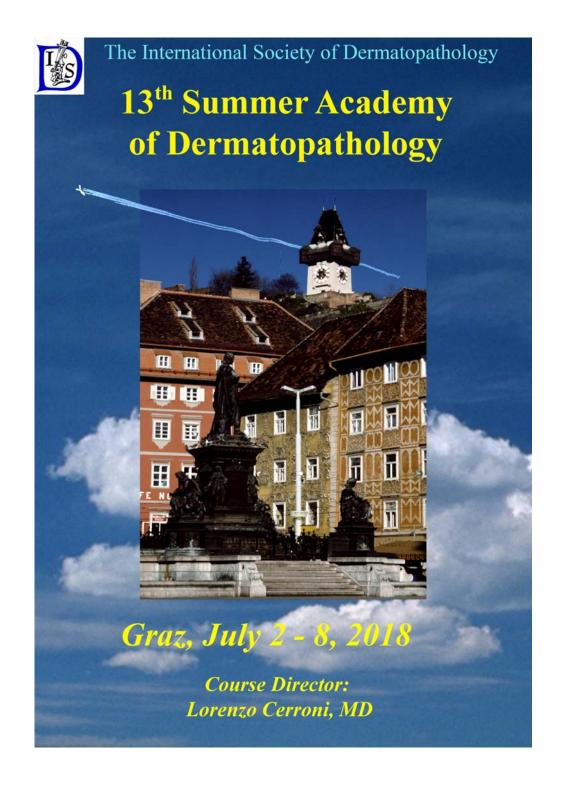
Summer Academy of Dermatopathology 2018

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Thirteenth Summer Academy of Dermatopathology Graz, July 2-6, 2018

The 13^{th} Summer Academy of Dermatopathology will be held July $2^{nd}-6^{th}$, 2018 at the Convention Center, Graz, Austria. The Course will feature sessions on inflammatory skin disorders with clinicopathologic correlation, melanoma and nevi, cutaneous lymphomas and pseudolymphomas, and other benign and malignant conditions of the skin.

The Summer Academy of Dermatopathology is a course restricted to a limited number of participants in order to maximize interaction between speakers and audience. Many "typical" presentations and unusual variants of skin diseases, as well as rare cases of skin pathology will be reviewed and discussed thoroughly during 5 days of full-time dermatopathology. In addition to routine stainings and clinical pictures, relevant ancillary techniques (immunohistology, molecular biology) will be presented and discussed as well.

The Summer Academy of Dermatopathology is a specialized Course meant for good-level dermatopathologists and for all those with interest in correlation of clinical and histopathologic features of skin diseases. At the end of the Course participants should be able to better diagnose skin disorders based on clinicopathological features, to select appropriate ancillary tests when needed, and to improve their knowledge of dermatopathological features of benign and malignant cutaneous diseases.

Course Location

All sessions will be held at the Convention Center, Schmiedgasse 2, Graz (www.mcg.at/congress). The Convention Center is conveniently situated in the center of the city and is within a walking distance from most major Hotels.

Accommodations

A list of Hotels and Pensions can be found in the Internet at www.graztourismus.at. Please contact Hotels directly for your reservation.

Travel

Graz can be reached easily by car, train, or plane. There are several daily flight connections from Frankfurt, Munich, Zurich, and Vienna. By car the city can be reached by the A2 and A9 highways. A parking is situated near the Convention Center.

Website

General information on the Course are available on the website of the International Society of Dermatopathology at http://www.intsocdermpath.org/

Continuing Medical Education

Application for European CME points has been made.

Course Director:

Lorenzo Cerroni, MD

Faculty:

Lorenzo Cerroni, MD (Graz)
Heinz Kutzner, MD (Friedrichshafen)
Luis Requena (Madrid)
Noreen Walsh (Halifax)
Thomas Wiesner (Vienna)
Laila El Shabrawi-Caelen (Graz)
Isabella Fried (Graz)
Steven Kaddu, MD (Graz)

General Information

Registration Information

Tuition fee: €900

The fee includes access to the 5-day Course, Course material, Lunch (Tuesday 3rd through Thursday 5th), Social Dinner (Thursday 5th), and Coffee breaks.

Collect Badge & Course Material:

Monday, July 2, 12:00 - 14:50

Pre-registration is mandatory.
On-site registration is not possible!

The aim of this Course is to provide information that can be applied immediately to dermatopathology practice, as well as to discuss problematic and controversial aspects that represent a daily conundrum in this field. The interactive outlay of the Course will maximize active participation of all registrants and allow continuous discussion and comments.

All Self-Assessment cases will be provided prior to the Meeting in electronic form in order to maximize the educational value. Handouts will be available after each session of the Course in electronic format as well.

On July 5th there will be a dinner at a restaurant on the "Schlossberg", offering a magnificent view of Graz. The restaurant can be reached walking (several steps, steep slope!) or by the "Schlossbergbahn", a funicular trundling up and down its tracks on a 61% gradient since 1894.

Graz is a lively city, and many cultural and entertaining activities are scheduled daily. The format of the Course will allow participants to visit our city and enjoy, besides and beyond dermatopathology, cultural activities programmed in this period. We hope that you will come and join us in the friendly atmosphere of Graz's summer!

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Lorenzo Cerroni, MD

Course Schedule

Monday, July 2, 2018

14:50 - 15:00 Welcome (*L. Cerroni*)

15:00 - 16:20 Interactive clinicopathologic conference (*L. Cerroni*)

16:20 - 16:50 *Coffee break*

16:50 - 18:00 Interactive session – slide seminar (1) (I. Fried)

Tuesday, July 3, 2018

9:00 - 10:15 New observations in vascular tumors (H. Kutzner)

10:15 – 10:30 Questions & answers

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 - 12:15 Pitfalls in mycosis fungoides (L. Cerroni)

12:15 – 12:30 Questions & answers

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:10 Unusual observations 1 (*L. El Shabrawi-Caelen*)

15:10 – 15:20 Questions & answers

15:20 - 15:50 *Coffee break*

15:50 - 17:00 Interactive session – Cases from Halifax (N. Walsh)

Wednesday, July 4, 2018

9:00 - 10:15 Update on Merkel cell carcinoma (*N. Walsh*)

10:15 – 10:30 Questions & answers

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 - 12:15 Molecular pathology of cutaneous tumors (*T. Wiesner*)

12:15 – 12:30 Questions & answers

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:10 Unusual observations 2 (S. Kaddu)

15:10 – 15:20 Questions & answers

Wednesday, July 4, 2018 (cntd.)

15:20 - 15:50 Coffee break

15:50 - 17:00 Interactive session – Cases from Madrid (*L. Requena*)

Thursday, July 5, 2018

9:00 - 10:15 New observations in epithelial tumors (*L. Requena*)

10:15 – 10:30 Questions & answers

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 12:15 Cutaneous lymphoproliferative disorders (*L. Cerroni*)

12:15 – 12:30 Questions & answers

12:30 - 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:10 Challenging melanocytic tumors 1 (*L. Cerroni*)

15:10 – 15:20 Questions & answers

15:20 - 15:50 Coffee break

15:50 – 17:00 Interactive session – Cases from Friedrichshafen (H. Kutzner)

19:30 Social Dinner (registration required)

Friday, July 6, 2018

9:00 –10:15 Challenging melanocytic tumors 2 (*L. Cerroni*)

10:15 – 10:30 Questions & answers

10:30 - 11:00 *Coffee break*

11:00 – 12:30 Interactive session – slide seminar (2) (*I. Fried*)

12:30 *Good-bye*