



**55th Professor Janez Plečnik
Memorial Meeting**

Advances in Surgical Pathology

5–6/12/2024

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08.00–09.00	<i>Registration</i>
09.00–09.15	<i>Opening</i>

THORACIC PATHOLOGY

Chairpersons:		Cesar A. Moran (Houston, Texas), Izidor Kern (Golnik, Slovenia)
09.15–10.15	Cesar A. Moran	HOUSTON, TEXAS
Pleural malignant mesothelioma		
10.15–10.45	<i>Coffee break</i>	

GYNECOPATHOLOGY & GASTROINTESTINAL PATHOLOGY

Chairpersons:		Margareta Strojan Fležar (Ljubljana, Slovenia), Jera Jeruc (Ljubljana, Slovenia)
10.45–11.45	Anais Malpica	HOUSTON, TEXAS
Endometrial carcinoma - molecular classification, expectations and limitations		
11.45–12.45	Melissa W. Taggart	HOUSTON, TEXAS
Consensus and controversy in appendiceal lesions		
12.45–13.30	<i>Lunch</i>	

SKIN PATHOLOGY

Chairpersons:		Boštjan Luzar (Ljubljana, Slovenia), Jože Pižem (Ljubljana, Slovenia)
13.30–14.30	Carlos Torres-Cabala	HOUSTON, TEXAS
Update on primary cutaneous lymphomas		
14.30–14.50	<i>Coffee break</i>	

CASE PRESENTATIONS (GYNECOPATHOLOGY & GASTROINTESTINAL PATHOLOGY)

Chairpersons:		Margareta Strojan Fležar (Ljubljana, Slovenia), Jera Jeruc (Ljubljana, Slovenia)
14.50–15.05	Case 1 Anais Malpica	HOUSTON, TEXAS
15.05–15.20	Case 2 Anais Malpica	HOUSTON, TEXAS
15.20–15.35	Case 3 Miha Koren	LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
15.35–15.50	Case 4 Neža Lebič Belcijan	LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
15.50–16.05	Case 5 Melissa W. Taggart	HOUSTON, TEXAS
16.05–16.20	Case 6 Melissa W. Taggart	HOUSTON, TEXAS
16.20–16.35	Case 7 Nika Kojc	LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
16.35–16.50	Case 8 Branislava Ranković	LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
19.00	<i>Concert of Medical Doctors</i>	

THORACIC PATHOLOGY

Chairpersons: Izidor Kern (Golnik, Slovenia), Jože Pižem (Ljubljana, Slovenia)

09.00–10.00 **Cesar A. Moran** HOUSTON, TEXAS

Sarcomatoid carcinoma of the lung

10.00–10.30 *Coffee break*

GYNECOPATHOLOGY & DERMATOPATHOLOGY

Chairpersons: Margareta Strojan Fležar (Ljubljana, Slovenia), Boštjan Luzar (Ljubljana, Slovenia)

10.30–11.30 **Anais Malpica** HOUSTON, TEXAS

Pitfalls in the classification of ovarian tumors

11.30–12.30 **Carlos Torres-Cabala** HOUSTON, TEXAS

Skin pathology in immunosuppressed patients

12.30–13.15 *Lunch*

GASTROINTESTINAL PATHOLOGY

Chairpersons: Jera Jeruc (Ljubljana, Slovenia), Branislava Ranković (Ljubljana, Slovenia)

13.15–14.15 **Melissa W. Taggart** HOUSTON, TEXAS

Evolving concepts of gastroenteropancreatic neuroendocrine neoplasms

14.15–14.35 *Coffee break*

CASE PRESENTATIONS (THORACIC PATHOLOGY & DERMATOPATHOLOGY)

Chairpersons:		Izidor Kern (Golnik, Slovenia), Boštjan Luzar (Ljubljana, Slovenia)
14.35–14.50	Case 1 Cesar A. Moran	HOUSTON, TEXAS
14.50–15.05	Case 2 Cesar A. Moran	HOUSTON, TEXAS
15.05–15.20	Case 3 Gregor Vlačić	GOLNIK, SLOVENIA
15.20–15.35	Case 4 Miha Jerala	LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
15.35–15.50	Case 5 Carlos Torres-Cabala	HOUSTON, TEXAS
15.50–16.05	Case 6 Carlos Torres-Cabala	HOUSTON, TEXAS
16.05–16.20	Case 7 Matic Bošnjak	LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
16.20–16.35	Case 8 Daja Šekoranja	LJUBLJANA, SLOVENIA
16.35–16.45	<i>Closing remarks</i>	

Committee

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Info

Venue

LARGE LECTURE HALL
GROUND FLOOR OF THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE
Korytkova 2, Ljubljana, Slovenia

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Registration

You can register by e-mail:
tajnistvo.patologija@mf.uni-lj.si

You can register also **one hour before the meeting at the registration desk** in the lobby of the Faculty of Medicine.

There is no registration fee for attending the meeting.

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Certificate of Attendance

A Certificate of Attendance will be issued to participants at the registration desk. The Meeting has been accredited for 12 CME credits.

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Awards

Prof. Janez Plečnik Award

Awards for the best grades in anatomy, histology and embryology, and pathology will be awarded to the students:

Aljoša Gabor, Patrik Ganc, Anja Šerbec and Kamil Wahibi

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Award for significant contribution to the development and prestige of pathology through top professional and scientific achievements will be awarded to: **Assist. Prof. Barbara Gazić. MD**

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The awards will be presented at the Concert of Medical Doctors by Prof. Igor Švab, MD, PhD, the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Ljubljana and Prof. Jože Pižem, MD, PhD, the Head of the Institute of Pathology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Ljubljana.

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Concert of Medical Doctors

All participants are kindly invited to the 53rd Concert of Medical Doctors, which will be held on Thursday, December 5, 2024, at 19.00 in Slovenian Philharmonic.

Free tickets will be available one hour before the concert in Slovenian Philharmonic.

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