Registration
Participants are kindly requested to fill in the registration form and mail or fax it back to the Organization Office together with the receipt of payment of the registration fee. The participants will receive a confirmation in writing of registration.

Registration fee
€ 360,00 which includes attendance at the course, handouts and breaks.

Payment information
Payment may be made as follows:
⇒ credit transfer
⇒ non transferable bank cheque
Both should be made to:
Account Holder: Comitato Assistenza Malati dell’Ing Perioli
Account Number: 464314/85
Bank: Cassa di Risparmio di La Spezia
Bank Address: Piazza Verdi, 43 – 19121 La Spezia
Bank Code: ABI 06030 – CAB 10702
IBAN: IT58D0603010702000046431485
BIC: CRFIIT2S331

Cancellation
Refunds must be requested in writing prior to April 30, 2013.
Reimbursement will be arranged once the course has finished with a deduction of € 50,00.

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of the Medical College of Wisconsin and Anatomia Patologica–Ospedale S. Andrea La Spezia-Italy. The Medical College of Wisconsin is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Designation of Credit Statement:
The Medical College of Wisconsin designates this live activity for a maximum of 16 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.
Tuesday, May 14, 2013

12.00 Registration
13.00 Welcome and Introduction
13.15 Inflammatory dermatopathology: a survival kit for surgical pathologists, Part 1
   S.D. Billings MD
15.15 Coffee break
15.30 Inflammatory dermatopathology: a survival kit for surgical pathologists, Part 2
   S.D. Billings MD
17.30 Adjournment

Wednesday, May 15, 2013

09.00 Common morphologic patterns in soft tissue tumors
   J.R. Goldblum MD
11.00 Coffee break
11.15 Barrett’s esophagus and Barrett’s-related dysplasia
   J.R. Goldblum MD
12.15 Fibrohistiocytic tumors
   J.R. Goldblum MD
13.15 Light Lunch
14.15 Superficial/cutaneous vascular tumors
   S.D. Billings MD
15.15 Slide seminar
   S.D. Billings MD
16.15 Slide seminar
   J.R. Goldblum MD
18.15 Adjournment

Thursday, May 16, 2013

09.00 Inflammatory bowel disease and IBD-related dysplasia
   J.R. Goldblum MD
10.00 Cutaneous pleomorphic spindle cell tumors
   S.D. Billings MD
11.00 Coffee break
11.15 Cutaneous soft tissue tumors of uncertain histogenesis
   S.D. Billings MD
12.15 Slide seminar
   J.R. Goldblum MD
13.15 Conclusive remarks

Learning Objectives

The course is designed to help pathologists:

- Update current knowledge of Soft Tissue histopathology with particular attention to Fibroblastic and Vascular tumors.
- Review pathological features of dysplasia in Barrett’s esophagus and inflammatory bowel disease.
- Describe criteria for diagnosis in Inflammatory Dermatopathology in order to compare different entities which may pose relevant difficulties in today’s practice.
- Utilize practical slide seminar sections to discuss and compare morphological criteria applied to Diagnostic Pathology.

Auditorium S. Apollonia - Via San Gallo, 25

Accommodation in Florence:


GENERAL INFORMATION

The Department of Pathology of La Spezia will hold a three day course focusing on an update in Inflammatory Dermatopathology and Gastrointestinal Pathology and Soft Tissue Tumors.

Official language: English

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Location:
Auditorium S. Apollonia
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Admittance: The course is for pathologists. The participant number will be limited and therefore early application is advised.