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**32nd Congress of the
European Society of Pathology**
and
**XXXIII International Congress of the
International Academy of Pathology**
Glasgow 2020: A Vision for the Future

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Scottish Event Campus, Glasgow, UK

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**Preliminary
Programme**

**Call for
Abstracts**

jointly organised by
▶ European Society of Pathology
▶ British Division of the IAP

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Welcome Address

The 32nd Congress of the European Society of Pathology and the XXXIII International Congress of the International Academy of Pathology will, as in 2016, be organised as a joint venture between the ESP and the BDIAP. It will be held from 5–9 December 2020 in the Scottish Event Campus in Glasgow, Scotland. Glasgow is Scotland's largest city and is located on both sides of the River Clyde. The University of Glasgow, established in 1451, is one of the oldest and largest universities in Europe. Glasgow is a major cultural centre for Scotland and was the European City of Culture in 1990.

On behalf of the International Academy of Pathology and the European Society of Pathology we would like to invite you to join us in Glasgow for an exciting and stimulating congress that will reflect recent developments in diagnostic and molecular pathology.

The motto of the Congress – **Glasgow 2020: A Vision for the Future** – will reinforce the future role of pathology as a strong partner for the different clinical specialties. The scientific programme will include science, translational research and clinical application to provide delegates with information on recent research findings, new technologies and up-to-date education.

In addition to providing an interesting scientific and educational programme, the ESP/IAP 2020 meeting will serve as a get-together for pathologists and scientists from all over the world in a friendly atmosphere. The delegates are warmly invited to explore the city and surrounding areas to appreciate the hospitality of the local population and enjoy the extensive facilities.

We are looking forward to welcoming you and spending a great time in Glasgow!

Holger Moch & Ray McMahon
Congress Presidents 2020



Holger Moch



Ray McMahon

Committees and Organisers

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2. Breast Pathology

ESP Convener: Z. Varga, Switzerland
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3. Cardiovascular Pathology

ESP Convener: G. D'Amati, Italy
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4. Cytopathology

ESP Convener: P. Vielh, France
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ESP Convener: E. Calonje, UK
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6. Digestive Diseases Pathology

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BDIAP Convener: N. Shepherd, UK
International Convener: R. Chetty, Canada

► Liver

ESP Convener: C. Sempoux, Switzerland
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J. Wyatt, UK

► Pancreas

ESP Convener: I. Esposito, Germany
BDIAP Convener: F. Campbell, UK

7. Electron Microscopy

ESP Convener: G. Cennacchi, Italy
BDIAP Convener: B. Wagner, UK

8. Endocrine Pathology

ESP Convener: J.-Y. Scoazec, France
BDIAP Convener: S. Johnson, UK

9. Gynaecological Pathology

ESP Convener: S. Stolnicu, Romania
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10. Haematopathology

ESP Convener: D. de Jong, The Netherlands
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11. Head and Neck Pathology

ESP Convener: T. R. Helliwell, UK
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12. History of Pathology

ESP Convener: G. Nesi, Italy

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13. Infectious Diseases Pathology

ESP Convener: G. Gorkiewicz, Austria

BDIAP Convener: S. Lucas, UK

14. IT (Computational)

ESP Convener: G. Kayser, Germany

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ESP Convener: G. Höfler, Austria

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International Convener: HK Ng, Hong Kong

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ESP Convener: I. Colmenero, Spain

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20. Pathology in Favour of Developing Countries

ESP Convener: S. Guzzetti, Italy

BDIAP Convener: D. Berney, UK

21. Pulmonary Pathology

ESP Convener: F. Calabrese, Italy

BDIAP Convener: A. Nicholson, UK

22. Soft Tissue and Bone Pathology

ESP Convener: F. Le Loarer, France

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23. Thymic and Mediastinal Pathology

ESP Convener: P. Ströbel, Germany

BDIAP Convener: M. den Bakker, The Netherlands

24. Urology

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► ESP/IAP 2020 APP

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in August 2020



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- Send questions to the chairman during a session.
- Quickly find your way through the most up-to-date congress schedule.
- Mark your favorite sessions and personalise your experience.
- Access vital information around the congress.

The App is completely free and provides iPhone/iPad and Android users at the 32nd Congress of the ESP and XXXIII International Congress of the IAP in Glasgow with on-the-go access to the congress' most exciting interactive features.



The ESP/IAP 2020 App is powered by GLOBIT GmbH in cooperation with esanum GmbH.

About the ESP and the BDIAP

► BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE ESP

The European Society of Pathology (ESP) was founded by a small group of eminent pathologists in 1963. The Society was officially registered in Brussels, Belgium as an international non-profit organisation on 7th November 1964. The ESP is a leading force in European pathology and, as such, is pivotal to the future of the specialty in Europe and beyond. As a scientific society, the ESP has, as its primary aim, the promotion of high-quality diagnostic practice, applied and translational research and under- and post-graduate education in the field of human pathology. This is achieved through its congresses, its journal *Virchows Archiv* and various other activities. The ESP interacts with national pathology societies in Europe and has developed links with other EU bodies in close collaboration with UEMS (Union Européenne des Médecins Spécialistes) and EAPCP (European Association of Pathology Chairs and Programme Directors).

The European School of Pathology under the auspices of the ESP and with the support of 20 Working Groups and 5 Affiliated Societies representing different fields of pathology is involved in the organisation of courses to meet the needs of young pathologists. The ESP Foundation provides external quality assessment (QA) programmes for several biomarkers. Diagnostic laboratories worldwide participate in the ESP Foundation QA schemes, such as Lung and Colon.

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► BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE BDIAP

The BDIAP is the British Division of the International Academy of Pathology. The International Academy of Pathology (IAP) is a global organisation that promotes the advancement of pathology through education by organising an international congress biennially, by organising lectures and seminars and by providing educational grants. The IAP has numerous Divisions across the world which provide pathology education in their particular regions. Although the BDIAP is called the 'British' Division it is made up of members from the Republic of Ireland, the Netherlands, Belgium as well as Great Britain.

The aims of the BDIAP are the advancement of pathology through:

- Organisation of educational symposia and courses in histopathology
- Collaboration with professionals in allied healthcare sciences
- Promotion of research in pathology and development of pathologic techniques
- Publication of reviews and original research work in pathology and related fields
- Organisation of scientific meetings and congresses for exchange of information and ideas

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► COLOURS AND ABBREVIATION CODES OF SESSIONS

Working Group Sessions

AUT	Autopsy pathology	HIST	History of pathology
BREAST	Breast pathology	INFE	Infectious diseases pathology
CARD	Cardiovascular pathology	IT	IT in pathology
CYTO	Cytopathology	MOPA	Molecular pathology
DERM	Dermatopathology	NEPH	Nephropathology
DEVEL	Pathology in favour of developing countries	NEURO	Neuropathology
DIGE	Digestive diseases pathology (GI, Liver, Pancreas)	OPHTH	Ophthalmic pathology
EM	Electron microscopy	PAED	Paediatric and perinatal pathology
ENDO	Endocrine pathology	PULM	Pulmonary pathology
GYNAE	Gynaecological pathology	SO-TI	Soft tissue and bone pathology
HAEMA	Haematopathology	THYM	Thymic and mediastinal pathology
H&N	Head and neck pathology	URO	Uropathology

Special Sessions

KEYNOTE	Keynote lecture
SPEC	Special session European Society of Pathology
SPEC	Special session BDIAP
TR	Trainees' session
MD	Two-Day Molecular Pathology Diagnostics Symposium
CP	One-Day Computational Pathology Symposium
VA	Virchows Archiv

BM	► Business Meeting
KNL	► Keynote Lecture
LC	► Long Course
OFP	► Oral Free Paper Session
SC	► Short Course
SPEC	► Special Session
SS	► Slide Seminar
SY	► Symposium
VA	► Virchows Archiv Session
VM	► Videomicroscopy

► ASSOCIATIONS/SOCIETIES COLLABORATING IN THE SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

- European Crohn's and Colitis Organisation (ECCO)
- European Association of Urology, Section of Uropathology (ESUP)
- European Confederation of Neuropathological Societies (Euro-CNS)
- European National Societies affiliated to the ESP
- Gastrointestinal Pathology Society (GIPS)
- International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC)
- International Collaboration on Cancer Reporting (ICCR)
- International Society of Gynaecological Pathologists (ISGyP)

Programme Schedule ► SATURDAY, 5 DECEMBER 2020

16:00 – 20:00 Registration

19:00 – 22:00
OPENING CEREMONY
 and
NETWORKING RECEPTION

20:00 – 22:00 Technical Exhibition

Programme Schedule ▶ TUESDAY, 8 DECEMBER 2020

Breakfast Industry Symposia																			
07:15 - 08:15	SS	DIGE (GI)	SPEC	BDIAP	SY Joint	ENDO&CYTO	LC	URO	LC Joint	PAED&DERM	OFF	SY	HIST	SY+BM	AUT	OFF	MD	TWO DAY SYMP	
		Mimics of neoplasia in the GI tract	Genomics for all cancer patients (NHS England)	Genomics for all cancer patients (NHS England)	Diagnosis of thyroid nodules: an integrated multidisciplinary approach	Update in uropathology post-WHO 2016	Melanocytic lesions in children and adolescents		Melanocytic lesions in children and adolescents			The art of pathology		Quality of medical autopsies					
Coffee Break & Posters 09:30 - 10:30																			
08:30 - 12:00	Keynote Lecture Carolyn Compton (USA) Using tissues and biomarkers well																		
12:15 - 13:00																			
13:00 - 14:30	Luncheon Industry Symposia																		
09:00 - 17:15 Technical Exhibition												IAP International Council Meeting (13:00 - 15:30)							
	SC Joint	DIGE (GI) & ECCO	SC	SO-TI	SC	ENDO	VM	URO	SS	Nat Soc	SC Joint	HEN & OPHTH	SY Joint	CYTO & DEVEL	SC Joint	CARD & AUT	SY Joint	IT & MOPA	TWO DAY SYMP
14:45 - 16:45		Challenges in colorectal inflammatory disease	What's new in the WHO 2020 of soft tissue tumours?	Diagnosing challenges in endocrine and neuroendocrine pathology or: how I diagnose it?	Diagnostic pitfalls in uropathology	Histologic or molecular (flip-flop) diagnosis	Epithelial tumours of lacrimal tract and the salivary glands	The role of cytology in low-resources settings	Detection of myocardial infarction at autopsy: current diagnostic tools, interpretation pearls and potential pitfalls	IT and molecular pathology – what can we learn from common grounds?									
16:45 - 17:15	Coffee Break																		
Best Poster Sessions												Evening Industry Symposia							
	SY	DIGE (Pancreas)	SC	SO-TI	SC	ENDO	VM	PULM	SC+BM	URO	OFF	SC	SS Joint	DEVEL	SY	AUT & INFE	OFF	MD	TWO DAY SYMP
17:15 - 19:15		Heterogeneity in pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma	What's new in the WHO 2020 of bone tumours?	Lesions at the threshold of malignancy in endocrine organs	Rare thoracic tumours	New developments in uropathology													
19:30 - 20:30																			

Programme Schedule ▶ WEDNESDAY, 9 DECEMBER 2020

08:00 – 17:30 Registration		SC	DIGE SY (GI)	URO	SPEC	BDIAP	SS	SO-TI	SPEC	Trainees	SY	CYTO	SY	CARD	SC+BM	HIST	SPEC	ESP/IAP	
08:30 – 12:00	09:30 – 10:30 Coffee Break & Posters	Developments in gastrointestinal tumours and the WHO blue book	Prostate cancer pathology	The practice of digital pathology in the countries of the BDIAP	Cases illustrating changes in the WHO 2020 of bone and soft tissue tumours	Tweets, posts, blogs – pathology and social media	Updates in cytopathology	Update on cardiovascular disease	Origins and impact of pathology organisations	Education strategies in pathology for the next decade									
12:00 – 13:00		ESP General Assembly																	
13:00 – 14:00	✕ Lunch	Trainees' Assembly																	
14:00 – 16:00		SS (Pancreas)	DIGE Joint	URO & SO-TI	Virchow's Archiv	SS	Diffuse lung disease in paediatric patients: children are not small adults	PAED	SPEC	Pathology and public task force	SY Joint	IT & Nat Soc	SS	CARD	SY	INFE	SPEC	Trainees	
16:00 – 16:30	Coffee Break	Pitfalls in pancreas pathology	Spindle cells lesions	Challenges in lung and thoracic pathology	Diffuse lung disease in paediatric patients: children are not small adults	Pathology and public task force	Digital pathology: from theory to daily routine	Endomyocardial biopsy: challenging cases	latrogenic infections	Mastering the trickery of dermatopathology									
16:30 – 17:15		ESP Symeonidis Lecture Fátima Carneiro (Portugal) Do we need pathologists for gastric cancer diagnosis?																	
17:15 – 18:45		Plenary Oral Free Paper Session																	
18:45 – 19:00		Closing Ceremony																	
20:00 – 24:00		Congress Party Merchant Square																	

Further Sessions

▶ ONE-DAY COMPUTATIONAL PATHOLOGY SYMPOSIUM (CP)

The Computational Pathology Symposium will be organised in conjunction with the ECP in 2020 for the fifth time. Previous versions attracted an audience consisting of pathologists, scientists and technicians from hospitals, academia and industry.

The symposium aims to be a forum for discussion and exchange of knowledge in the area of computational pathology. We bring together key speakers from both academia and industry to facilitate such interaction in the broadest possible manner. Topics of interest are algorithm develop-

ment and validation, regulatory and usability issues, and clinical value. Panel discussions and demonstrations may be part of the program in addition to invited speakers and submitted talks. This year, for the first time, we will hand out a 'best paper award' to the highest ranking submitted abstract.

The symposium is organised by Jeroen van der Laak, Darren Treanor, Nasir Rajpoot, and Geert Litjens.

Further information will soon be available online at www.esp-congress.org/www.iap2020.com.

▶ TWO-DAY MOLECULAR PATHOLOGY DIAGNOSTICS AND TRANSLATIONAL RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM (MD)

We are pleased to invite you to the sixth "Two-Day Symposium on Molecular Pathology Diagnostics and Translational Research". Our programme for 2020 includes molecular approaches with clinical applications in oncology as well as newest developments of modern technologies, like parallel sequencing and the analysis of new biomarkers.

The major goals for scientists working together with pathologists and clinicians in the field are to provide high-quality molecular diagnostics, but at the same time to translate basic research discoveries into clinical practice. The symposium will address and discuss current advances, but also challenges and problem-solving approaches in the field of molecular pathology. Not only molecular biologists, but also pathologists and other participants are more than welcome to join this symposium! Get the latest insights in precision medicine and how they directly impact testing and treatment decisions.

The symposium will cover the following topics:

- ▶ Update on molecular pathology of lung cancer
- ▶ PARP inhibition and beyond: resistance, BRCAness and HRD
- ▶ NGS – from targeted to comprehensive testing
- ▶ Update on molecular pathology of breast cancer
- ▶ Joint Session with WG Molecular Pathology: Case presentations by pathology trainees and/or young molecular biologists

Organisers:

- ▶ Erik Jan Dubbink, The Netherlands
- ▶ Frederick Klauschen, Germany
- ▶ Carina Heydt, Germany
- ▶ Marjolijn Ligtenberg, The Netherlands
- ▶ Sabine Merkelbach-Bruse, Germany
- ▶ Bastian Tops, The Netherlands

Further information will also be available online at www.esp-congress.org/www.iap2020.com.

▶ REGISTRATION FEES

(For ESP/IAP Congress delegates the symposia are included in the registration fee)

Registration and payment received	by 6 October 2020 EUR	after 6 October 2020 EUR
Two-Day Molecular Pathology Diagnostics and Translational Research Symposium (7/8 Dec 2020)	160,00	220,00
One-Day Computational Pathology Symposium (6 Dec 2020)	90,00	120,00

Call for Abstracts

► SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS

The Scientific Committee invites you to participate actively in this congress which will be an extraordinary occasion for the exchange of thoughts and experiences. We look forward to receiving abstracts online for consideration and inclusion in the scientific programme as oral or poster presentation or E-Poster.

The submitted abstracts should give a brief description of the title and topic. All abstracts will be reviewed by members of the Working Groups and/or the Scientific Committee.

The reviewers will judge the abstracts according to the relevance to ESP/IAP, standard of English, objectivity of statement, description of what was done, suitability of methods to aims, conclusions confirmed by objective results, ethics, scientific value, potential clinical value, originality of work and overall impression.

All accepted abstracts will be published in an abstract book which is a digital supplement to Virchows Archiv, and online on the congress website.

The deadline for abstract submission is **4 March 2020**.

► GUIDELINES FOR PREPARATION OF ABSTRACTS

- Please choose a title that clearly indicates the content of the contribution.
- Please avoid abbreviations in the title (exception: scientific terms). Abbreviations may be used in the text if they are defined when first used.
- Please make sure to use proper English language.
- Please refrain from spelling abstract titles and co-authors' names in capital letters.
- The author's name (full first name, family name) and place of work (institution, city, country) should be indicated in the respective form fields, not in the abstract title or text.
- Degrees, titles, street addresses and acknowledgements of support should be omitted in the abstract title and text.

To provide maximum information in the abstract please

- state the specific **background & objective** of the study
- state the **methods** used, if pertinent
- summarise the **results** obtained
- state the **conclusions** reached
- ensure that the abstract does not contain spelling, grammar or scientific errors, as it will be reproduced exactly as submitted.

► GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS

- A maximum of **5 abstracts** per author will be accepted for submission. Additional submissions will not be considered (without further notice).
- An abstract which has been previously published cannot be submitted, unless there are new methods, findings, updated data or other acceptable reasons for submitting.
- Abstracts are to be submitted in English, the official language of the 32nd Congress of the ESP/XXXIII International Congress of the IAP, should not exceed 250 words (in total) and be structured in the following specified subtitles: **background & objective, methods, results and conclusion**. Please stick to the indicated maximum amount of words in each section.
- Authors need to select whether they are submitting a Case Report, a Case Report Series or Original Research. Case Reports should also be structured as much as possible following the aforementioned categories. If not possible, the authors should upload the abstracts using the most appropriate categories (in the respective text boxes in the submission form).
- **The abstract submission constitutes a formal commitment by the author to present the corresponding presentation in the session and time slot assigned by the Scientific Committee.**
- Changes in authorship should be communicated to the Congress and Exhibition Office at esp-iap-2020@cpo-hanser.de in order to ensure correct appearance in the printed programme. Changes will be accepted up until the submission deadline (**4 March 2020**).
- Should the first author, who is considered the presenter, turn out to be unable to present his/her poster or have more than two presentations on one day, one of the co-authors should take over this responsibility. A change of the presenting author needs to be communicated to the Congress and Exhibition Office at esp-iap-2020@cpo-hanser.de and will only be processed after acceptance of abstracts. Presenter changes, which are being addressed to the Congress and Exhibition Office before the official acceptance notification, will not be considered.
- Registration to the congress is mandatory to be able to present the abstract and get it published in the abstract book – and must be completed by **7 September 2020**. If the speaker fails to register and pay before 7 September 2020, his/her abstract will be excluded from the scientific programme and publication in Virchows Archiv.
- If a delegate has registered upon the condition that his/her abstract is accepted and the abstract is rejected, the registration fee will be refunded. The acceptance of abstracts by the Scientific Committee does not imply any financial assistance or fee reduction.
- Notification of acceptance or rejection by the Scientific Committee will be emailed to the first author. Detailed information in which format the abstract is accepted

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(oral or poster presentation or E-Poster), guidelines and recommendations for each abstract type as well as time allotment, date, hour, and venue will be sent in due time to registered first authors.

► TOPICS

When submitting an abstract, please choose one of the following topics:

1. Two-Day MD Symposium
2. One-Day CP Symposium
3. Autopsy Pathology
4. Breast Pathology
5. Cardiovascular Pathology
6. Cytopathology
7. Dermatopathology
8. Digestive Diseases Pathology – GI
9. Digestive Diseases Pathology – Liver
10. Digestive Diseases Pathology – Pancreas
11. Electron Microscopy
12. Endocrine Pathology
13. Gynaecological Pathology
14. Haematopathology
15. Head and Neck Pathology
16. History of Pathology
17. Infectious Diseases
18. IT in Pathology
19. Molecular Pathology
20. Nephropathology
21. Neuropathology
22. Ophthalmic Pathology
23. Paediatric and Perinatal Pathology
24. Pathology in Favour of Developing Countries
25. Pulmonary Pathology
26. Soft Tissue and Bone Pathology
27. Thymic and Mediastinal Pathology
28. Uropathology
29. Other Topics

► BURSARIES FOR THE CONGRESS

The ESP and IAP will provide a limited number of bursaries to support the attendance of residents and trainees in pathology at the congress in Glasgow. Bursaries include a free registration to the congress and a monetary grant of € 150.

Membership of the ESP or IAP and submission of an abstract are required. A CV, proof of residency and a supporting letter – to explain why the bursary is needed – have to be submitted during the application process.

Please visit www.esp-congress.org/www.iap2020.com to apply for a bursary.

The application deadline is **4 March 2020**.

Alternative sources of bursary funding are available for those eligible for BDIAP and Central IAP funding. For further information, please visit www.bdiap.org and www.iapcentral.org

Poster Sessions Continuing Medical Education (CME)

► POSTER SESSIONS

Poster sessions will be held from Sunday, 30 August to Wednesday, 2 September 2020 in Hall 4 of the Scottish Event Campus.

These sessions offer an effective forum for the exchange of information and a means to communicate ideas, research, and programmes. Poster authors will be required to be available for questions and further information at their poster board during the morning session break (09:30–10:30) from Sunday to Wednesday. At this congress, posters will be grouped by topic for the convenience of those attending the sessions.

► CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION (CME)

An application will be made to the UEMS EACCME for accreditation of this event. The UEMS EACCME credits are recognised by the American Medical Association towards the Physician's Recognition Award (PRA). More detailed information will become available prior to the congress on the congress website www.esp-congress.org/www.iap2020.com.

Congress Registration

► REGISTRATION FEES

Registration and payment received	by 18 August 2020 EUR	by 6 October 2020 EUR	after 6 October 2020 EUR
ESP Member *	450,00	560,00	670,00
IAP Member *	450,00	560,00	670,00
Non-Member	610,00	710,00	820,00
Resident, PhD student **	200,00	260,00	370,00
Accompanying Person			
► of an ESP/IAP Member	60,00	60,00	60,00
► of a Non-Member	80,00	80,00	80,00

* In good standing (membership fee for 2020 paid)

Please note that the member fee can only be granted if you are a member of the ESP/IAP at the time of registration.

If you are not a member yet, you need to apply for membership first, and once you have received your ESP membership confirmation, you can register at the member fee.

** For residents/PhD students under 40 (i.e. born after 29 August 1980—to be proven by ID card/passport). The resident/student status must be confirmed by a formal declaration from the head of department or the responsible for the training programme. All documents need to be uploaded during the registration process.

Please register online for the 32nd Congress of the ESP and XXXIII International Congress of the IAP.

Registration Fee for ESP/IAP Members, Non-Members, Residents and PhD students includes:

- Admission to all scientific sessions
- Admission to Opening Ceremony and Networking Reception
- Admission to poster exhibition and technical exhibition
- Coffee breaks and lunches from Sunday to Wednesday
- Congress material (delegate bag, final programme, abstract book USB drive, etc.)
- Public transportation pass

Registration Fee for Accompanying Persons includes:

- Admission to Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception
- Half-day city sightseeing tour of Glasgow
- Public transportation pass

Please note that accompanying persons do not have access to the scientific sessions, the poster exhibition and the technical exhibition.

Participants who would like to register on-site are advised to arrive early. On-site registration does not necessarily entitle the participants to receive a delegate bag and an abstract USB drive. On-site registration will be handled on a first-come, first-served basis; priority will be given to pre-registered delegates.

► CONFIRMATION

Upon receipt of the registration and the corresponding payment, the congress office will send a confirmation to the participant, which also serves as an invoice. Please present this confirmation of registration at the congress counter when picking up your congress material.

► PAYMENT

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▶ CONGRESS VENUE

Scottish Event Campus (SEC)

Exhibition Way
G3 8YW Glasgow
UK

▶ CONGRESS COUNTER

The Congress Counter will be located in the front part of the exhibition hall (Hall 4).

Opening hours

Saturday, 5 December 2020 ▶ 16:00 – 20:00
Sunday, 6 December 2020 ▶ 07:30 – 18:00
Monday, 7 December 2020 ▶ 08:00 – 18:00
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Wednesday, 9 December 2020 ▶ 08:00 – 17:30

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The ESP/IAP Congress 2020 will be accompanied by a major technical exhibition taking place in Hall 4 of the Scottish Event Campus. Potential exhibitors can request an exhibition/sponsoring brochure from the exhibition office, CPO HANSER SERVICE GmbH.
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Exhibition hours

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Sunday, 6 December 2020 ▶ 09:00 – 17:15
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▶ FINAL PROGRAMME AND ABSTRACTS

The final programme and abstracts will be published on the internet at CO CONGRESS ONLINE® prior to the congress. This enables each participant to create her/his personal congress programme schedule. Abstracts will be published in an abstract book which is a digital supplement to Virchows Archiv and online on the congress websites www.esp-congress.org/www.iap2020.com. There will be no printed version of the abstract book.

▶ CONGRESS WEBSITES

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Congress Information

► CONGRESS LANGUAGE

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The congress organisation will be pleased to send a formal letter of invitation to delegates requesting an invitation letter for visa purposes. You can apply for an invitation letter online during the registration process on the congress website. The letters will be sent as e-mail attachments. It is understood that such an invitation is intended to help potential delegates to raise funds or to obtain a visa. This does not imply a commitment from the congress organisers to provide any financial support.

► VISA

The entry formalities for Great Britain/Scotland vary according to the country of origin. Congress delegates are asked to address enquiries about entry and vaccination requirements to the travel agent or to the local British consulate in the home country. More information can be found at www.scotland.org. (Link: <https://www.scotland.org/about-scotland/visa-and-immigration>)

► INSURANCE

The congress fee does not include insurance. All participants should arrange their own insurance. Health and accident insurance is recommended and has to be purchased in your country of origin.

► CURRENCY

The official currency of Great Britain is the British Pound (GBP). Prior to the congress, payments will only be accepted in EURO.

► CLIMATE IN GLASGOW

Despite its northerly latitude, Glasgow's climate is classified as oceanic. The day-time temperature in December ranges between 3 and 7 °C. Rain is possible.

► CITY OF GLASGOW

Glasgow is a vibrant and compact city with plenty to offer to delegates outside of conference sessions. The city has a range of cultural attractions, including many museums and art galleries offering free entry, such as the stunning Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum and the award-winning Riverside Museum. Visitors can explore the works of artist and architect Charles Rennie Mackintosh, walk the city centre Art Mural Trail, or take a stroll through one of the many parks and green spaces.

Glasgow is a UNESCO City of Music with over 150 live music events per week, plus a full calendar of other exciting events and festivals throughout the year. The food and drink scene offers something for everyone, from traditional whisky pubs to fine dining, in a variety of lively neighbourhoods, including Finnieston (SEC), the City Centre, the West End and Merchant City.

Delegates can look forward to a warm welcome in a city voted 'the world's friendliest city' by Rough Guides. If you are extending your stay, Glasgow has excellent travel connections for exploring Scotland and an exciting selection of year-round tours leaving daily for the Scottish Highlands.



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Travel to Glasgow/Hotels in Glasgow

► AIR TRAVEL TO GLASGOW

Glasgow Airport is only 15 minutes away from the city centre and offers direct flights to 150 scheduled destinations, both national and international.

A shuttle bus operating every 10 minutes, with stops at major hotels, offers 24-hour service.

An alternative is to arrive in Edinburgh: The airport is conveniently connected either by a bus shuttle (leaving every 30 min from the airport) or by train (leaving every 15 min from Edinburgh Haymarket station). The travel time to Glasgow city centre is less than one hour.

► JOURNEY TO GLASGOW BY CAR

Glasgow is linked to Edinburgh with the M8, England on the M74, Stirling with the M80 and the West Coast of Scotland with the M77. The city's venues and hotels are comfortably accessed by road.

► TRAVEL TO GLASGOW BY FERRY

The closest ferry connection is Amsterdam - Newcastle. From Newcastle, Glasgow can be reached by car in approx. 2 hours and 40 minutes.

► TRAVEL TO GLASGOW BY RAIL

Glasgow Central Station links Glasgow by rail to all UK cities south of Glasgow. Glasgow Queen Street Station operates routes mainly to Central and Northern Scotland.

There are more than 20 direct trains per day from London (travel time 4 hours 10 min) as well as direct trains from Edinburgh (travel time 50 min) every 15 mins on weekdays.

► HOW TO GET AROUND

Glasgow is an easy city to find your way around. Built on a grid system, it is compact to navigate, either on foot or public transport.

The Subway is the easiest way to get around the City Centre and West End of Glasgow. Running every 5 minutes at peak times, it takes just 24 minutes to complete a circuit of the 15 stations.

In addition to the subway system, over 100 bus routes are operated across the city.

► HOW TO GET TO THE CONVENTION CENTRE

By train

The SEC has its own dedicated railway station – Exhibition Centre – allowing easy access from the city centre and suburbs. There are six trains an hour (around every 10 minutes) from Glasgow Central station, departing from Platform 17 (low level).

By bus

The bus stop closest to the SEC is “SEC Bus Stance” – served by the Riversider 100.

The X19 Stagecoach service operates near to the Scottish Event Campus, stopping on Finnieston Street only a few minutes' walk from the SEC.

By taxi

There is a Glasgow Taxis pick-up and drop-off point outside the SSE Hydro, which is located opposite the SEC main entrance.

The distinctive black cabs can accommodate five or six people. If their yellow light is on they can be flagged down on the street.

► HOTELS IN GLASGOW



CPO HANSER SERVICE GmbH has reserved a large number of rooms in various hotels in Glasgow, in different price categories. The majority of the hotel rooms are located close to the SEC.

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Social Programme



► OPENING CEREMONY AND NETWORKING RECEPTION

Saturday, 5 Dec 2020 ▶ 19:00 – 22:00
Scottish Event Campus

Join the official Opening Ceremony of the 32nd Congress of the ESP and the XXXIII International Congress of the IAP in the SEC Armadillo Auditorium. During the ceremony, there will be words of welcome by the Congress Presidents and the Lord Provost of Glasgow, and an entertainment act.

The Opening Ceremony will be followed by a Networking Reception in the Exhibition Hall.

► CONGRESS CONCERT

Monday, 7 Dec 2020 ▶ 20:00 – 22:00
Venue TBC

► CONGRESS PARTY

Wednesday, 9 Dec 2020 ▶ 20:00 – 24:00
Merchant Square Glasgow

Join the Grand Finale of the ESP/IAP Congress at Merchant Square, the heart of Glasgow's historic Merchant City!

In recent years Merchant City has enjoyed a renaissance and is home to some of the city's most exciting independent bars, restaurants, galleries and boutiques.

Dating back to the 1800s, Merchant Square is housed in part of Glasgow's Old Fruitmarket.

Once a merchant's market, it is now a stylish and sophisticated destination for eating, drinking and entertainment. During the ESP/IAP Congress Party, you can enjoy food from the various restaurants which Merchant Square is home to – and learn to dance Ceilidh....

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IAP 2022 Sydney Confirmed Plenary Speakers

Prof. Tan Puay Hoon

Senior Consultant Histopathologist and Chairman, Division of Pathology, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore



Prof. Tan Puay Hoon, Chairman, Division of Pathology and Senior Consultant, Department of Anatomical Pathology at Singapore General Hospital (SGH) enjoys the rare distinction of being the first woman from Singapore to be a volume editor of the World Health Organisation's Classification of Tumours of the Breast.

In addition Prof. Tan Puay Hoon has can also be credited with being the first Chairman of the Division of Pathology at one of Singapore's leading hospitals.

She has active interests in breast, urologic and renal pathology, and was a Volume Editor of the 2012 WHO Classification of Tumours of the Breast.

Prof. Barry Marshall AC

Nobel Prize Laureate in Physiology or Medicine, Professor of Clinical Microbiology at the University of Western Australia, Australia



Prof. Marshall has received many honors for his work on *Helicobacter pylori*, most notably they include, the Nobel Prize for Medicine or Physiology in 2005, The William Beaumont Prize in 2006 (American Gastroenterology Association), in 1995 the Albert Lasker Award (Albert & Mary Lasker Foundation), and in 1998 the Dr. A. H.

Heineken Prize for Medicine (The Alfred Heineken Foundation, Amsterdam).

In the past few years Prof. Marshall's laboratory has developed enhanced methods for non-invasive studies on the molecular epidemiology of *H. pylori*, notably rapid breath test methods and retrieval of the organism (and culture) from a swallowed string.

Prof. Jason Hornick

Director of Surgical Pathology, and Director of the Immunohistochemistry Laboratory at Brigham and Women's Hospital, Professor of Pathology at Harvard Medical School, USA



Prof. Jason Hornick trained as a resident in Anatomic Pathology and pursued subspecialty fellowships in soft tissue pathology and gastrointestinal pathology at Brigham and Women's Hospital, where he is now the Director of Surgical Pathology and Director of Immunohistochemistry.

He is a Professor of Pathology at Harvard Medical School and a consultant at the Dana Farber Cancer Institute.

Prof. Hornick is Chair of the USCAP Education Committee, past Chair of the USCAP Abstract Review Board and Assignment Committee, and past Chair of the Immunohistochemistry Committee for the CAP.

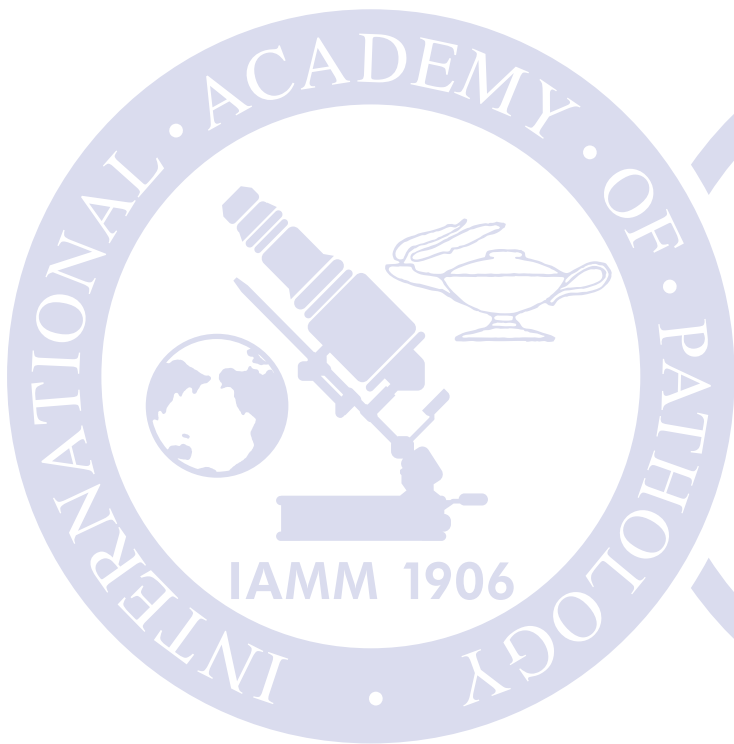
Prof. Elizabeth Murchison

Group Leader, Reader in Comparative Oncology and Genetics, Wellcome Trust Investigator, University of Cambridge, Department of Veterinary Medicine, United Kingdom.



Prof. Elizabeth Murchison is Reader in Comparative Oncology and Genetics at the University of Cambridge, Department of Veterinary Medicine. Her research group works on transmissible cancers in dogs and Tasmanian devils.

Prof. Murchison grew up in Tasmania and performed her undergraduate studies in genetics and biochemistry at the University of Melbourne. In 2009, she was awarded an NHMRC Overseas Biomedical Fellowship to travel to the Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute, UK, where she was involved in sequencing the Tasmanian devil genome as well as genetic analysis of Tasmanian devil facial tumour disease (DFTD) and CTVT. Prof. Murchison moved to the University of Cambridge, Department of Veterinary Medicine in 2013.



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18 August 2020	First deadline for early registration fees
7 September 2020	Registration deadline for abstract authors with accepted abstracts
6 October 2020	Second deadline for early registration fees
5 December 2020	Opening Ceremony and Networking Reception of the 32 nd Congress of the ESP and XXXIII International Congress of the IAP