

# Los Angeles Society of Pathologists, Inc. Newsletter

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## SEPTEMBER ACADEMIC PROGRAM

**Tuesday, September 11, 2018**

Sequoia Room 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Moseley Salvatori Conference Center  
637 South Lucas Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90017

### *Inflammatory Skin Disorders: It's About Clinicopathological Correlation!*



**Suzan Kavusi, MD**

Dermatopathologist

Foothill Dermatology, Glendora California

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*Dear Readers,*

*Welcome back from the summer hiatus! I hope you are as excited as we are for another year of awesome and illuminating talks and seminars!*

*We kick off our return from hiatus with a talk by Suzan Kavusi, M.D. of Foothill Dermatology in Glendora, who will be discussing dermatopathology in a talk entitled "Inflammatory Skin Disorders: It's About Clinicopathological Correlation!". As our talks are generally held the second Tuesday of every month, our September meeting will unfortunately occur during Rosh Hashana, on September 11, 2018; we apologize in advance to anyone affected by the date conflict. The talk will be held at our usual place at Good Samaritan's Moseley Salvatori Conference Center, with the pre-program reception starting at 5:30pm, and the talk starting promptly at 6:30pm.*

*As always, please remember to renew your LASOP membership! You may do so in person at any of our monthly meetings, through email by contacting Shirley Jacke at [LASOPMD@gmail.com](mailto:LASOPMD@gmail.com), or on our website at [www.lasop.org](http://www.lasop.org).*

*We'll see you on Tuesday, Sept 11<sup>th</sup>!*

*Sincerely,  
The Board*

**September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
**Dr. Suzan Kavusi**  
Dermatopathology

**October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
**Fall Slide Seminar**  
Pathology Faculty from  
Cedars Sinai Medical Center  
TBA

**November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
**William H. Yong, MD**  
UCLA  
Neuropathology

**December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018**  
*52<sup>nd</sup> Annual George Kypridakis  
Lecture*  
**Dr. Parakrama Chandrasoma**  
LAC/USC

**January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Current Topics  
in Pathology**  
Dr. Theonia Boyd  
Dr. Drucilla Roberts  
*Placental Pathology*  
(as requested by our members)

*Additional Information &  
Registration details Coming Soon!*

**February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019**  
**Michael N. Koss, MD**  
Keck School of Medicine of USC  
Renal Pathology

## Classified Ads

### **LASOP Junior Board Member (Volunteer Position)**

The Los Angeles Society of Pathologists, Inc. is seeking a Pathology Resident or Fellow to join the Board as the Resident Representative for the 2017-2018 academic year, holding the position of Junior Board Member. This is a great opportunity to be involved in a local society, to network with colleagues from other institutions, and to develop important leadership and management skills.

Expected roles and responsibilities of the junior board member include:

- Attendance at the monthly Board meetings and participation in discussions pertaining to activities of the Society.
- Attend the LASOP Monthly Academic Program (lectures and seminars) promoted by the Society.
- Commitment to attend and assist with the planning and execution of the 2018 LASOP Annual Current Topics in Pathology all day program on January 20th
- Assist in writing the monthly newsletter.
- Function as the ambassador for Residents and Fellows, voicing their needs and concerns.

Board meetings and LASOP Monthly Academic Programs are held at the Good Samaritan Hospital (Moseley Salvatori Conference Center, 637 South Lucas Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90017) from 5:15 - 8:00 pm, every second Tuesday of the month with the exception of July and August (no meetings - summer hiatus). The 2018 LASOP Annual Current Topics in Pathology will take place at City of Hope (Cooper Auditorium, 1500 E. Duarte Road, Duarte, CA 91010) on Saturday January 20th and is an all-day program.

Interested applicants are asked to:

- Hold a current junior LASOP membership (free for residents/fellows)

Submit for consideration of the Executive Board:

- Current C.V.
- Brief statement: please indicate why you are interested in becoming a junior board member, what features and/or experience you possess that make you a good candidate, and what contributions you could potentially make if you are chosen for this position.
- Provide a letter from your program Director indicating you are in good standing with your training program

CVs and statements from all interested will be reviewed and voted on by the Executive Board. The Resident or Fellow with the most votes will be invited to join the board.

Please send an email with your CV and statement to Shirley Jacke at [lasopmd@gmail.com](mailto:lasopmd@gmail.com) and type "Junior Board Member Applicant" in the subject field.



This course is designed to address continuing problematic areas and to eliminate a variety of practice gaps in diagnostic surgical pathology. Examples include the categorization of proliferative breast lesions, and small glandular proliferations in the prostate. Specialty areas that will be included are breast, GI, GYN, prostate, lung, head & neck and soft tissue.

Participants may take the full 4-day course or elect to register for one 2-day session. The full 4-day course qualifies for 32 AMA/PRA Category 1 Credits or 24 SAM credit hours.

Course link:

<https://interactive.uscap.org/courses/interactive-microscopy-october-26-29-2018>

Registration link:

<https://uscap.myshopify.com/products/uscap-arthur-purdy-stout-society>

## Membership Information

The following Junior Membership was approved at our last meeting:

- Ahmad Ibrahim – USC

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 310-746-7212 or [lasopmd@gmail.com](mailto:lasopmd@gmail.com)

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



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[http://coroner.co.la.ca.us/htm/Coroner\\_Home.htm](http://coroner.co.la.ca.us/htm/Coroner_Home.htm)

## 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/>

### Directions to Moseley Salvatori Conference Center: (Adjacent to Good Samaritan Hospital)

All academic programs will be held on the second Tuesday of each month, with the exception of the January All-Day Program.

The pre-program reception is held between 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. The academic program will be held in the Sequoia Room beginning at 6:30 p.m. Location of reception/program is the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Moseley Salvatori Conference Center (upstairs from the auditorium), **637 South Lucas Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90017**, (213) 977-2555. Parking is \$7.00 per car.

#### Parking & Directions

Parking is provided in the Conference Center Parking Structure located directly across from the Center on Lucas Avenue. Parking is not valet but the lot is patrolled. Present your parking ticket to the LASOP receptionist in the lobby for a \$1.00 discount, if the ticket is not validated in this manner, the parking charge is \$7.00 as you leave the structure.

From the HARBOR FREEWAY (110) SOUTHBOUND: Take the "Downtown Exit/Wilshire Blvd." off ramp. Take Wilshire Blvd. Turn right onto Wilshire. Proceed West to Lucas Avenue. Turn Right. Parking Structure will be on the right.

From the HARBOR FREEWAY (110) NORTHBOUND: Take the 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Exit. Turn Left at Beaudry Avenue. Turn Right at 6<sup>th</sup> Street. Turn Left on Lucas. Parking Structure is on the left.

OR  
Take the 6<sup>th</sup> Street Exit. Turn Right on Flower Street. Turn Right on Wilshire Blvd. Turn Right on Lucas. Parking structure is on the right.

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