

Los Angeles Society of Pathologists, Inc. Newsletter

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NOVEMBER ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Tuesday, November 14th, via Zoom

Register in advance for this meeting:

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“Non-neoplastic Bone Pathology: Daily Practice”



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Dear Readers,

We hope you had a spooktacular Halloween twilight that will go down in the annals of (clinical) history!

The Board sends a special thank you note to Kaiser Permanente pathologists Drs. **David Cassarino, Mehran Taherian, Dandan Wang, and Winnie Wu** for presenting highly edifying and very interesting cases at the LASOP Fall Slide Seminar last month! Thank you to Dr. **Christopher Hale** for moderating this session!

Our next meeting is on Tuesday, November 14th. Dr. **Nooshin K. Dashti**, our invited lecturer from Dartmouth Health and Geisel School of Medicine, will present a seminar titled "Non-neoplastic Bone Pathology: Daily Practice".

We hope you can join this virtual meeting from the comfort of your home or office. The talk, as usual, will begin promptly at 6:30 PM.

Use the following link to register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAqcu6qrjooG9wat1NOyCwrLwVQ0nKmtWyg>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. Add Zoom information to your personal or work calendar so you won't miss the meeting. Also, feel free to share this email with new residents and colleagues. Remember, LASOP monthly educational seminars are free and open to all LA-area trainees and practicing pathologists. However, CME credits are only available to LASOP members.

We hope this newsletter finds you and your families safe and healthy. The holidays are approaching, and we will celebrate Thanksgiving later this month. One way to give thanks is by joining or renewing your membership with the LASOP! You may do so by emailing Shirley Jacke at LASOPMD@gmail.com. Please look up the [LASOP website](#) for more information.

Sincerely,

The Board

November 14th, 2023
Nooshin K. Dashti, MD, MPH
"Non-neoplastic Bone Pathology:
Daily Practice"

Dartmouth Health and Geisel
School of Medicine at Dartmouth

December 12th, 2023
57th Annual George Kypridakis
Lecture
C. Blake Gilks, MD, FRCPC
"What's New in GYN Pathology"
Vancouver Coastal Health

January Program 2024
Save the Date!
January 27th, 2024
Dr. Anil Parwani
Dr. Zaibo Li
The Ohio State University
"27th Annual Current Topics in
Pathology – Digital Pathology
and Pathology Informatics"
Meeting will be virtual and
*Registration information is
coming soon!*

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Job Description: Clinical Laboratory Scientist (Part-Time)

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Summary of Major Functions:

Performs only those moderately complex to highly complex tests that are authorized by the Laboratory Director. Each individual performing procedures must follow the laboratory's procedures for specimen handling and processing, tests analysis, reporting and maintaining records of patient test results. Maintains records that demonstrate that proficiency-testing samples are testing the same manner as patient samples; adhere to the quality control policies of the laboratory, document all quality control activities, instrument and [procedural calibrations and maintenance performed. Follows the laboratory's established corrective action policies and procedures whenever tests systems are not within the laboratory's acceptable levels of performance.

Qualifications:

Clinical Laboratory Scientist by Degree of CLS equivalent according to the guidelines of the state of California Laboratories and CLIA 88 JC Standards. Must be Board Certified.

Salary Range: \$42/Hour

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Membership Information

The following memberships were approved during the last board meeting:

No new memberships received/approved

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 lasopmd@gmail.com

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



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Local Grand Rounds Schedule

- **Cedars-Sinai Medical Center**
<https://www.cedars-sinai.edu/education/continuing-medical.html>
- **City of Hope**
<https://cme.cityofhope.org/>
- **Harbor-UCLA**
<https://www.harbor-ucla.org/internal-medicine/monthly-conference-schedule/>
- **Loma Linda University**
<https://medicine.llu.edu/faculty/continuing-medical-education/continuing-medical-education-upcoming-courses>
- **UC Irvine**
<http://www.healthaffairs.uci.edu/som/pathology/residencyProgram.html>
- **UCLA**
<https://www.cme.ucla.edu/pages/index>
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<https://keck.usc.edu/pathology/events/>

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