



September 26th – 28th 2024

**Altes Hallenbad & Stella Vorarlberg, Feldkirch
(AT)**

Joint Annual Meeting of SGPath and ÖGPath 2024

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Invitation

Dear colleagues,
Dear friends,

Almost every week, clinical pathologists are confronted in tumour boards with new therapies, especially therapeutic antibodies, constantly changing immune scores and regression grade systems after neoadjuvant tumour therapies and subsequent resection.

In addition to the benefits, however, we are increasingly seeing morphologically visible (side) effects to these therapies in the gastrointestinal tract, in skin biopsies, in liver biopsies etc. etc., which are not always easy to interpret and confront the diagnostician with many differential diagnostic challenges. The main topic of our joint autumn conference, will therefore be an detailed examination of iatrogenic changes in Pathology, which numerous experts in this field invited. On Friday and Saturday, we will then take a critical look together at whether digital pathology and "artificial" intelligence can help us in daily routine and what prerequisites are required to be able to apply this promising methodology.

Furthermore there will also be meetings of the Swiss (and Austrian too... that's new!) Institute Boards to facilitate coordination, particularly on this very issue of upcoming challenges in digital pathology.

Saturday afternoon will then be dedicated to a special, jointly organised slide seminar on the topic of iatrogenic pathology with numerous, challenging cases from almost all organ systems.

A highlight will also be the new form of poster presentation for our young colleagues, which has never been organised in this form in Austria before.

In order to be able to exchange ideas extensively aside from the busy congress schedule, there will be a get together on Thursday evening and a joint congress dinner on Friday in the beautiful alpine atmosphere of Feldkirch/Vorarlberg.

However, it is not only the mind that is taken care of, but also the body, with the traditional "Patho run" taking place on Saturday morning, with many, many participants.

We would particularly like to thank the main organisers of the event, Prim. Prof. Dr Rupert Langer and Prim. Prof. Dr Felix Offner and our office representatives, Mrs Verena Schachenhofer and Dr. Jae Kyoung Pak.

We are very much looking forward to the joint autumn conference 2024 of SGPath and OGPath/IAP Austria and hope to see you there!

With collegial greetings
Sylvia Höller and Alexander Nader



Programme Overview

Thursday, September 26th, 2024

Lecture Hall at Stella Musikhochschule		
14:00 – 15:45	Welcome/Iatrogenic Pathology – Clinical View/Liver/Kidney	
15:45 – 16:30	Break	
16:30 – 18:00	Tumor Regression after neoadjuvant Treatment – Current Developments	
Altes Hallenbad / Exhibition Hall	Library at Stella Musikhochschule	Stella Muskhochschule Erdgeschoss
18:00 Get together	18:10 – 18:50 Institute Directors Conference	18:10-18:50 Informelles Treffen der Österreichischen Institutsvorständ*innen zum Thema Digitalisierung

Programme Overview

Friday, September 27 th , 2024		
	Lecture Hall at Stella Musikhochschule	Library at Stella Musikhochschule
08:30 – 08:35	Welcome	
08:35 – 10:15	Iatrogenic Pathology – Skin / Lung / Mixed	
10:15 – 11:00	Break	
11:00 – 11:30	Industry Symposia I	
11:30 – 13:00	Digital Pathology – Bridge from development to application	
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch Break and Poster Session	
14:00 – 15:00	Industry Symposia Roche	
15:00 – 15:45	Iatrogenic Pathology – Gastrointestinal / Hematopathology / Ortho	
15:45 – 16:15	Industry Symposia Blueprint	
16:15 – 16:45	Break	
16:45 – 17:30	Iatrogenic Pathology – Gastrointestinal / Hematopathology / Ortho	
17:40 – 18:40	General Assembly SGPATH	
from 19:00	Congress Dinner at Restaurant Schattenburg	

Programme Overview

Saturday, September 28 th , 2024	
08:00 – 09:25	Patho Run
09:25 – 09:30	Welcome
09:30 – 10:00	Industry Symposia IV
10:00 – 11:30	Digital Pathology – Bridge from development to application
11:30 – 12:00	Industry Symposia V
12:00 – 13:15	Lunch Break
13:15 – 15:45	Slide Seminar – Iatrogenic Pathology

General Information

Organizer

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Congress Venue

Lecture Hall:

Private Musikhochschule Stella Vorarlberg

Reichenfeldgasse 9, 6800 Feldkirch

Industry Exhibition, Poster Exhibition, Coffee and Lunch Breaks:

Altes Hallenbad

Reichenfeldgasse 10, 6800 Feldkirch

It is a very short walk through a park (approx. 1 minute) between Stella Vorarlberg and Altes Hallenbad.

Congress Language

English

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General Information

Information for Speakers

Speakers are requested to submit their presentations at latest 2 hours before their lectures on an USB-Stick as MS Powerpoint.

DFP-Credits

This event will be registered for the advanced diploma education program (Diplom-Fortbildungs-Programm DFP) of the Austrian Medical Chamber.

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CPD-Credits

This event will be registered für CPD-Credits.



Swiss Credits

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Registration

online via <https://registration.maw.co.at/pathoherbst24>

Registration Fees

	Type	Regular Fee	Day Pass
Member*	Medical Doctor	€ 280,-	€ 160,-
	Medical Doctor Trainee or on Maternity Leave**	€ 90,-	€ 60,-
	Biomedical Analysts	€ 90,-	€ 60,-
Non-Member	Medical Doctor	€ 450,-	€ 250,-
	Medical Doctor Trainee or on Maternity Leave**	€ 160,-	€ 110,-
	Biomedical Analysts	€ 160,-	€ 110,-
Students**		Free	
Industry Staff member (of non-sponsoring company)		€ 600,-	
Social Dinner	Medical Doctor/Regular Fee		€ 50,-
	Medical Doctor Trainee or on Maternity Leave		€ 25,-
	Biomedical Analysts		€ 25,-
	Students		€ 25,-

* Please submit a written proof of your membership at your local society of pathology or the European Society of Pathology to oegpath@media.co.at

** Please submit a written proof of your trainee/student status to oegpath@media.co.at

General Information

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Payment via bank transfer not later than September 20th to the following bank account:

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Payment by credit card

After completing the online registration form you will be forwarded directly to the payment page for credit card payment.

Cancellation and Refund

Notice of cancellation must be made in writing by e-mail to office@oegpath.at.

For written cancellations up to 2 weeks prior to the congress date 100% of the registration fee will be refunded.

After this deadline, no refunds can be granted.

Certificate of Attendance

You will receive the Certificate of Attendance after the congress via e-mail. The certificates/credits are granted per day. Therefore please make sure to check-in at the registration desk once a day.

Registration Desk Opening Hours

Thursday, September 26th 1:00pm – 6:00pm

Friday, September 27th 7:30am – 6:00pm

Saturday, March 28th 8:00am – 3:00pm

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Photos

Please note that photos for documentary reasons will be made during the congress.

Get-together

Thursday, September 26th 2024

18:00 – 19:00 Welcome Drink at the Industry Exhibition
(Altes Hallenbad 1st floor)

19:00 Snacks and Drinks at “Pool” (Altes Hallenbad ground floor)

Society Dinner

Friday, September 27th 2024

7:00 pm at Restaurant Schattenburg
Burggasse 1, 6800 Feldkirch

Scientific Programme

THURSDAY 26th September 2024

- from 13:30 Registration
- 14:00 – 15:45 Iatrogenic Pathology – Clinical View / Liver / Kidney
- 14:00 – 14:10 Welcome
- 14:10 – 14:35 Clinical View
Alexander Moschen (Linz, Austria)
- 14:35 – 15:00 Iatrogenic Liver Pathology
Laura Rubbia – Brandt (Geneva, Switzerland)
- 15:00 – 15:25 Iatrogenic Renal Pathology
Renate Kain (Vienna, Austria)
- 15:35 – 15:35 Proffered Paper
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- 15:45 – 16:30 Break
- 16:30 – 18:00 Tumor Regression after neoadjuvant Treatment –
Current Developments
- 16:30 – 16:50 Gastrointestinal Tract
Rupert Langer (Linz, Austria)
- 16:50 – 17:10 Breast Cancer
Zsuzsanna Varga (Zürich, Switzerland)
- 17:10 – 17:30 Gynecopathology and Peritoneum
Tatjana Vlajnic (Zürich, Switzerland)
- 17:30 – 17:50 Lung Cancer
Dagmar Krenbek (Vienna, Austria)
- 17:50 – 18:00 Proffered Paper
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- from 18:00 Get together – Altes Hallenbad
- 18:10 – 18:50 SGPPath: Institute Directors Conference,
Library at Stella Musikhochschule
- 18:10 – 18:50 ÖGPath: Informelles Treffen der Österreichischen
Institutsvorständ*innen zum Thema Digitalisierung,
Stella Musikhochschule Erdgeschoss

Scientific Programme

FRIDAY 27th September 2024

- from 7:30 Registration
- 8:30 – 8:35 Welcome
- 8:35 – 10:15 Iatrogenic Pathology – Skin / Lung / GI
- 8:35 – 9:00 Iatrogenic Pathology – Skin
Bernhard Zelger (Innsbruck, Austria)
- 9:00 – 9:25 Iatrogenic Pathology – Lung
Sabina Berezowska (Lausanne, Switzerland)
- 9:25 – 9:50 Iatrogenic Pathology – Gastrointestinal Tract *Cord Langner (Graz, Austria)*
- 9:50 – 10:00 Proffered Paper
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- 10:15 – 11:00 Break
- 11:00 – 11:30 Industry Symposia Astra Zeneca 
- 11:30 – 13:00 Digital Pathology – Bridge from development to application
- 11:30 – 11:40 Proffered Paper
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- 11:40 – 12:00 Digital Pathology – Prostate
Rainer Grobholz (Aarau, Switzerland)
- 12:00 – 12:20 Digital Pathology – Gastrointestinal
Inti Zlobec (Bern, Switzerland)
- 12:20 – 13:00 Keynote Lecture
Faisal Mahmood (Boston, USA)
- 13:00 – 14:00 Lunch Break and Poster Session
- 14:00 – 15:00 Industry symposium Roche 
- 15:00 – 15:45 Iatrogenic Pathology – Surgery / Hematopathology
- 15:00 – 15:20 Pathology of Hernia Mesh Complications
Felix Offner (Feldkirch, Austria)
- 15:20 – 15:45 Hematopathology
Ana – Iris Schiefer (Vienna, Austria)

Scientific Programme

FRIDAY 27th September 2024

15:45 – 16:15 Industry Symposium Blueprint



16:15 – 16:45 Break

16:45 – 17:30 Iatrogenic Pathology –
Orthopedic Pathology / Gynecologic Pathology

16:45 – 17:05 Orthopedic Pathology
Veit Krenn (Trier, Germany)

17:05 – 17:30 Gynecologic Pathology
Sigurd Lax (Graz, Austria)

17:40 – 18:40 GA SGPATH GA ÖGPATH

from 19:00 Congress Dinner at Restaurant Schattenburg

SATURDAY 28th September 2024

- from 8:00 Registration
- 8:00 – 9:25 Patho Run
- 9:25 – 9:30 Welcome
- 9:30 – 10:00 Industry Symposium IV
- 10:00 – 11:30 **Digital Pathology –
Bridge from development to application**
- 10:00 – 10:20 Digital Pathology in Diagnostics –
the Geneva Experience
Doron Merkler (Geneva, Switzerland)
- 10:20 – 10:40 Digitalized Workflows in Pathology
Johann Feichtinger (Vienna, Austria)
- 10:40 – 11:00 Textmining and Data extraction by NLP and AI
Heimo Müller (Graz, Austria)
- 11:00 – 11:20 Digital Pathology: Connecting Students of Computer
Science and Medicine
Friedrich Feuerhake (Hannover)
- 11:20 – 11:30 Proffered Paper
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- 11:30 – 12:00 Industry Symposium V
- 12:00 – 13:15 Lunch Break
- 13:15 – 15:45 Slide Seminar - Iatrogenic Pathology

Speakers

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