

2026 DIAGNOSTIC PATHOLOGY UPDATE

PRAGMATIC APPROACHES TO DAILY PRACTICE

JULY 12-17, 2026
PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC



29 CME Credits

Sunday July 12		
11:30 AM – 5:30 PM	REGISTRATION	
12:25 PM – 12:45 PM	Welcome and Introduction	Marisa Nucci, MD and Steven Billings, MD
12:45 PM – 1:45 PM	Pleural Mesothelioma – Is It Always Straightforward?	Cesar Moran, MD
1:45 PM – 2:45 PM	Prostatic Adenocarcinoma Grading: 2026 Update	Jesse McKenney, MD
2:45 PM – 3:45 PM	Biomarker Driven Breast Cancer Decisions: What a Pathologist Needs to Know	Kimberly Allison, MD
3:45 PM – 4:05 PM	BREAK	
4:05 PM – 4:35 PM	Mediastinal Mass – The Challenges in Interpretation (ARS)	Cesar Moran, MD
4:35 PM – 5:05 PM	Low-risk Oncocytic Renal Neoplasia (ARS)	Jesse McKenney, MD
5:05 PM – 6:05 PM	A Practical Approach to Uterine Smooth Muscle Tumors: How to Tell the Difference Between a Horse, a Zebra and a Zeedonk	Marisa Nucci, MD
6:05 PM – 7:30 PM	RECEPTION FOR REGISTRANTS AND GUEST	

Monday July 13		
7:30 AM – 8:00 AM	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	WHO Wants to Know the Latest? Tumours of the Breast 6th Edition Updates	Kimberly Allison, MD
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Papillary Proliferations and Pitfalls: Test Yourself! (ARS)	Kimberly Allison, MD
9:30 AM – 10:30 AM	Thymoma – The Yesterday of Today	Cesar Moran, MD
10:30 AM – 10:50 AM	BREAK	
10:50 AM – 11:20 AM	Intraductal Proliferations of the Breast: How's Your Diagnostic Agreement? (ARS)	Kimberly Allison, MD
11:20 AM – 12:20 PM	Flat Urothelial Lesions with Atypia: Difficult for Everyone!	Jesse McKenney, MD
12:20 PM – 1:50 PM	LUNCH INCLUDED	
1:50 PM – 2:50 PM	Melanocytomas, Spitz Tumors and More	Steven D. Billings, MD
2:50 PM – 3:50 PM	Germ Cell Tumors of the Testis: Classification with Emphasis on Morphology	Jesse McKenney, MD
3:50 PM – 4:10 PM	BREAK	
4:10 PM – 4:40 PM	From Biopsy to Resection: The Surprises (ARS)	Cesar Moran, MD
4:40 PM – 5:10 PM	Renal Neoplasms with Papillary Architecture (ARS)	Jesse McKenney, MD
5:10 PM – 5:40 PM	Histotyping of Endometrial Carcinoma: Is Morphology and Immunohistochemistry Sufficient? (ARS)	Marisa Nucci, MD



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Tuesday July 14		
7:30 AM – 8:00 AM	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Challenging Uncommon Primary Tumors of the Lung	Cesar Moran, MD
9:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Skeleton Key: Introduction to Bone Tumors	Meera Hameed, MD
10:00 AM – 10:20 AM	BREAK	
10:20 AM – 11:20 AM	Breast Cancer Risk Lesions and Precursors: Current Concepts and Conundrums	Kimberly Allison, MD
11:20 AM – 12:20 PM	Of Plagues and Potions: Updates in GI Tract Drug Injury and Infectious Diseases	Maria Westerhoff, MD
12:20 PM – 1:50 PM	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN	
1:50 PM – 2:20 PM	30 Minutes of Diagnostically Challenging Adnexal Tumors (ARS)	Steven D. Billings, MD
2:20 PM – 3:20 PM	Old Bones, New Tricks: Bone Tumor Pathology in Molecular Era	Meera Hameed, MD
3:20 PM – 3:50 PM	Labyrinth in Prague: A Maze of Systemic Disease Cases Involving the Tubular GI Tract (ARS)	Maria Westerhoff, MD
3:50 PM – 4:10 PM	BREAK	
4:10 PM – 5:10 PM	Squamous Proliferations Aren't Boring, I Swear It!	Ilan Weinreb, MD
5:10 PM – 5:40 PM	Giant Cell Rich Lesions of Bone and Soft Tissue (ARS)	Meera Hameed, MD

Wednesday July 15		
FREE DAY		

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Thursday July 16		
7:00 AM – 8:00 AM	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Soft Tissue Tumors as Primaries in Bone: Pearls and Pitfalls	Meera Hameed, MD
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Epithelioid Soft Tissue Tumors: Diagnostic Challenges (ARS)	Meera Hameed, MD
9:30 AM – 10:30 AM	The Most Up to Date Sinonasal and Skull Base Talk Ever!	Ilan Weinreb, MD
10:30 AM – 10:50 AM	BREAK	
10:50 AM – 11:50 AM	Vexing Vascular Tumors	Steven D. Billings, MD
11:50 AM – 12:20 PM	Salivary Gland Cancer in the Era of Next-Generation Sequencing: Case Vignettes (ARS)	Ilan Weinreb, MD
12:20 PM – 1:20 PM	A Pragmatic Approach to Diagnosing Medical Liver Biopsies, No Longer a "Kafka-Esque Experience"	Maria Westerhoff, MD
FREE TIME		

Friday July 17		
7:00 AM – 8:00 AM	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	"Is This the Real Life? Is This Just Fantasy?" Distinguishing HCC From Other Tumors While in Bohemia	Maria Westerhoff, MD
9:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Oral Low-grade Salivary Gland Lesions	Ilan Weinreb, MD
10:00 AM – 10:20 AM	BREAK	
10:20 AM – 10:50 AM	IPNB? ICPN? Alphabet Soup from Baba Yaga's Cauldron-Select Biliary and Gallbladder Neoplastic Cases (ARS)	Maria Westerhoff, MD
10:50 AM – 11:20 AM	Sinonasal Head Scratchers but with a Practical Approach (ARS)	Ilan Weinreb, MD
11:20 AM – 12:20 PM	A Sneak Peek into What's New in the Upcoming 6 th Edition of the WHO Classification of Female Genital Tract Tumours	Marisa Nucci, MD
12:20 PM	Closing Remarks	Steven D. Billings, MD