13th International
Surgical Pathology Symposium

May 2-5, 2006

The Hotel Maggior Consiglio
Treviso, Italy

A jointly sponsored program of
Mayo Medical Laboratories
and Treviso Regional Hospital
CONFERENCE DESCRIPTION

The 13th International Surgical Pathology Symposium addresses unique challenges and problems encountered in today’s surgical pathology practice. The hands-on format allows participants and faculty to simultaneously review case histories, examine case images by virtual microscopy, and formulate a diagnosis. The unique subtleties and differentiating characteristics of each diagnosis are then highlighted. Faculty and participants will also discuss the patient management strategy used in each case.

The symposium format features three or four specialty areas each day. Throughout the four-day conference, 38 cases will be presented and discussed. Faculty will present cases in the following specialty areas: bone, breast, gastrointestinal, genitourinary, gynecologic, head and neck, liver, neuropathology, pulmonary, and soft tissue pathology.

CONFERENCE LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to:

- Diagnose and differentiate ovarian stromal tumors
- Identify specific soft tissue tumors based on their pathogenesis, clinical indications, histopathologic findings, and prognostic factors
- Recognize the important diagnostic features of selected head and neck tumors, and describe their clinical characteristics and treatment implications
- Differentiate between various giant cell containing lesions of bone
- Diagnose and differentiate problematic breast tumors
- Differentiate primary bone neoplasms from metastases
- Evaluate the use and limitations of fine needle aspiration cytology in the diagnosis of neuroendocrine tumors of the lung
- Describe the clinical, morphologic, and immunophenotypic features of difficult ocular lesions that occur in the routine surgical pathology practice
- Identify morphologic features and the use of ancillary studies in the differential diagnosis of pleural effusions
- Describe the clinical, imaging, and morphologic features of selected primary brain tumors
- Identify unusual neuronal and glioneuronal neoplasms and describe their clinical implications

Attendance at this Mayo Medical Laboratories course does not indicate nor guarantee competence or proficiency in the performance of any procedures which may be discussed or taught.

INTENDED AUDIENCE

This course is designed for practicing surgical pathologists. Other medical laboratory scientists or physicians interested in enhancing their delivery of care also may benefit from this program.
This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essential Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through the joint sponsorship of Mayo Clinic College of Medicine and Treviso Regional Hospital. Mayo Clinic College of Medicine is accredited by the ACCME to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Mayo Clinic College of Medicine designates this educational activity for a maximum of 19 category 1 credits toward the AMA Physician’s Recognition Award. Each physician should claim only those credits that he/she actually spent in the activity.

The American Medical Association has determined that non-US-licensed physicians who participate in this CME activity are eligible for AMA PRA category 1 credit.

To register, complete the attached registration form and return by mail or fax. The registration fee, $875 for physicians and $750 for medical residents, includes tuition, comprehensive course syllabus, virtual microscopy DVD, break refreshments, and the conference reception Tuesday evening for each attendee and one guest. Additional reception tickets may be purchased for $40 each.

Preregistration is required and must be received by March 1, 2006. Although it is not Mayo Medical Laboratories’ policy to limit the number of registrants for a course, conference room facilities may necessitate closing of enrollment; therefore, early registration is strongly advised. A letter of confirmation will be sent upon receipt of payment and completed registration form. Please do not confirm travel arrangements until you have received the course confirmation letter. Please present the confirmation letter when checking in at the meeting registration desk.

Attendees will be provided with DVDs containing the scanned images of each case in the virtual microscopy format. A computer demonstration area will be available to view the cases by virtual microscopy throughout the symposium. Enrollment is limited; early registration is strongly advised.

Your registration fee, less a $75 administrative fee, will be refunded when written notification is received by Mayo Medical Laboratories’ Education Department by fax at 507-284-8016 on or before April 3, 2006. No refunds will be made after April 3, 2006.

The 13th International Surgical Pathology Symposium will be held at the Hotel Maggior Consiglio in Treviso, Italy. Treviso is a bustling, prosperous small city that is centered in the northern Veneto region. It seems to have changed little from its early days as a medieval market town and much of the city had to be rebuilt after severe World War II damage.

Water characterizes the town intersected by the Sile River, which penetrates the intricate medieval urban web with its canals. Enclosed by the 16th century town walls, the picturesque porticoed houses (from 1400 to 1500) almost fully preserve the late Gothic and Renaissance outer frescoes.

Just a few kilometers from Venice, Treviso is also the provincial capital of a wealthy province, which alone includes 10 fascinating historic and art centers. Compared with other Italian regions, villas abound in the Veneto Region, dotting the region’s rural landscape.
The Hotel Maggior Consiglio, a Boscolo First Class Hotel, is a four-star property which has everything needed to make your stay enjoyable. The hotel is located at a perfect point of departure for touring the lavish Veneto villas in the area. The Hotel Maggior Consiglio is located 30 kilometers from the Marco Polo Airport in Venice, Italy.

The Hotel Maggior Consiglio has extended the following special conference room rates:

**Classic room rate**

- €100 Single room, double room for single use
- €110 Double room

**Deluxe room rate**

- €120 Double room for single use
- €130 Double room

Upon registration for the conference, you will receive an e-mail confirmation which will include the hotel reservation form. This form must be completed and returned directly to the Hotel Maggior Consiglio. To ensure accommodations and the discounted rate, please make your reservations by March 3, 2006. The Hotel Maggior Consiglio has a total of 120 sleeping rooms available per night. Once the hotel has confirmed these 120 rooms, it will offer a booking at a nearby four-star hotel at the same price.

*Exchange rate as of 11/01/05 was €1.00 = $0.833751.*

**TRAVEL**

Treviso is served by the San Giuseppe Airport (www.trevisoairport.it), located about 3 kilometers from town, an approximately 10- to 15- minute drive. It is served only by a limited number of airlines flying from Bruxelles Charleroi, Paris Beauvais, London Stansted, London Luton, Liverpool, Frankfurt Hahn, Rome Ciampino, Gerona, and Amsterdam. The average cost at present for a public taxi is €20 to €25.

Venice is served by the Marco Polo Airport (www.veniceairport.it), located about 30 kilometers from Treviso (approximately 30- to 45- minute drive subject to traffic conditions). It is well connected with 78 international and domestic destinations and also direct flights from the United States via Boston, Philadelphia, and New York JFK. The average cost at present for a public taxi is €60 to 70.

For travel arrangements, contact Lori Munsen at Corporate Travel at 800-526-4540 or 507-287-7462 (direct); 507-282-9020 (fax); lori@ctsrst.com (e-mail).

Identify yourself as attending Mayo Medical Laboratories 13th International Surgical Pathology Symposium.
CONFERECE SCHEDULE

The following specialties will be discussed throughout the conference: bone, breast, gastrointestinal, genitourinary, gynecologic, head and neck, liver, neuropathology, pulmonary, and soft tissue pathology.

TUESDAY, MAY 2, 2006

6:30 – 7:15 AM  Registration and Breakfast
7:15 – 7:30 AM  Welcome and Introduction to Symposium
7:30 – 10:00 AM  Presentation and Discussion of Cases 1-5
10:00 – 10:30 AM  Refreshment Break
10:30 – 1:00 PM  Presentation and Discussion of Cases 6-10
1:00 PM  Adjourn
6:30 – 8:00 PM  Conference Reception

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 2006

6:30 – 7:30 AM  Breakfast
7:30 – 10:00 AM  Presentation and Discussion of Cases 11-15
10:00 – 10:30 AM  Refreshment Break
10:30 – 1:00 PM  Presentation and Discussion of Cases 16-20
1:00 PM  Adjourn

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2006

6:30 – 7:30 AM  Breakfast
7:30 – 10:00 AM  Presentation and Discussion of Cases 21-25
10:00 – 10:30 AM  Refreshment Break
10:30 – 1:00 PM  Presentation and Discussion of Cases 26-30
1:00 PM  Adjourn

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2006

6:30 – 7:30 AM  Breakfast
7:30 – 10:00 AM  Presentation and Discussion of Cases 31-35
10:00 – 10:30 AM  Refreshment Break
10:30 – Noon  Presentation and Discussion of Cases 36-38
Noon  Adjourn
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FACULTY DISCLOSURE

As a provider accredited by ACCME, Mayo Clinic College of Medicine (Mayo School of CME) must ensure balance, independence, objectivity, and scientific rigor in its educational activities. Course director(s), planning committee, faculty, and all others who are in a position to control the content of this educational activity are required to disclose all relevant financial relationships with any commercial interest related to the subject matter of the educational activity. Safeguards against commercial bias have been put in place. Faculty also will disclose any off-label and/or investigational use of pharmaceuticals or instruments discussed in their presentation. Disclosure of these relevant financial relationships will be published in course materials so those participants in the activity may formulate their own judgments regarding the presentation.
OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES

MONDAY, MAY 1, 2006

Pre-Conference Tour of The Lagoon Islands (full day) 10:00 - 5:00 PM

This excursion will take us to the Lagoon Islands of Murano and Burano separated from the sea by the Lido. The tour will include a visit to one of the oldest glass blowing factories in Murano, world famous for the artistic Venetian glass blowing art passed from father to son for generations.

€157 per person for tour, value added tax (VAT) included. Cost includes private escorted motor coach, local guides in Venice, and private motorboat in Venice to visit the islands. Lunch will be at your own expense.

TUESDAY, MAY 2, 2006

Treviso Sightseeing Tour (half day) 1:30 - 4:30 PM

€46 per person, VAT included. Cost includes private motor coach and local guide.

Conference Reception 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Attendees and their guest(s) are cordially invited to join the course faculty for the conference reception on Tuesday, May 2, 2006. This casual reception welcomes you to Treviso, Italy, officially opens the course, and offers you the perfect opportunity to connect with colleagues. Preregistration is requested. Price for attendee and one guest is included in course registration fee. Each additional guest is $40.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 2006

The White Wine Road 1:30 - 6:30 PM

The tour will pass through quaint villages reaching Valdobbiadene, known mainly for its production of Prosecco, and the wine called Cartizze. This land is renowned for its production of excellent wines. The hills that extend from Conegliano to Valdobbiadene are scattered with gentle scenery including old parish churches and abbeys. Our tour will include a stop at a local winery for a visit and tasting.

€71 per person and includes a private motor coach, local guide, and Prosecco tasting.

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2006

Excursion to Venice 1:30 - 7:30 PM

Venice is considered the “Jewel of the Adriatic”, built on more than 100 islands with 400 bridges and 150 canals. Tour guides will take the group to St. Mark’s Basilica, an 11th century building of Byzantine and Western style, at St. Mark’s Square.

€102 per person, VAT included. Cost includes private escorted motor coach, local guide in Venice, and round-trip bus terminal transfers to St. Mark’s by private motorboat.
Villa Pisani is the grandest villa of the Riviera. Built in the 18th century, it was commissioned by the Venetian Pisani family, owner of numerous estates in that area. Work was begun as early as 1735 and had been commissioned by Doge Pisani to the Padua architect Girolamo Fringimelica who, however, only carried out the stables and a number of decorations in the garden. In fact, the real project was completed by architect Francesco Maria Preti. The building has a rectangular layout with two inner courtyards divided by a colonnade supporting the majestic dance hall.

€79 per person, VAT included. Cost includes private escorted motor coach and local guide in Padua, admission to Villa Pisani, and admission to Scrovegni Chapel.

OR

Excursion to Villas and Asolo (half day) 12:30 PM - 5:30 PM

The tour will take us to visit some of the beautiful Venetian villas. We start with Villa Barbaro, a mansion built by Andrea Palladio between 1550 and 1560 for Daniele Barbaro, patriarch of Aquileia, and his brother Marcantonio, Ambassador of the Venetian Republic. Villa Barbaro was transformed from an old medieval palace into a splendid country house for the study of the arts and intellectual contemplation. We will then proceed to Villa Emo which is one of the most accomplished of the Palladian villas. The residence is framed by two colonnaded wings which originally housed agricultural activities.

€62 per person, VAT included. Cost includes private motor coach, local guide, and admission to Villa Barbaro, and Villa Emo.

POST-CONFERENCE BICYCLE TRIP – MAY 5-14, 2006

Hindriks European Bicycle Tours is organizing a 10-day post conference tour in north Italy. The bicycle ride will be in Tyrol and Trento, the very northern part of Italy not far from the Austrian border. The route starts in the mountains very close to Austria near Merano and continues south to pass through Bolzano and Trento and end at the Lago di Garda. Highlights are the magnificent views of the mountains, apple orchards, great local wines, the historical towns along the way like Bolzano and Trento along with the lesser known like Merano, Calgaro, Roverito and many more which deserve some time out of the saddle. There are countless castles, which were built to control the ancient trade routes across the mountains. Terrain is easy to moderate, with some strenuous hills in the beginning and toward the end of the trip. With our usual two bicycle guides, routes will be offered for both the more ambitious and the less ambitious riders. Accommodations are outstanding and the meals will be excellent.

Trip price is $2,700, single supplement $500. Included are bus transfers on beginning and end of trip, comfortable hotels, all dinners and breakfasts, some lunches, hybrid bikes, two bicycle guides and support van, and several extras like welcome drinks and a farewell party.

For more information or to register, please contact Fay Grassi at Hindriks Tours
Phone 800-852-3258 or email at fay@hindrikstours.com
OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES REGISTRATION FORM
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DDP Incentive Management is pleased to offer the tours described in this brochure for course participants and guests. Preregistration is required and must be received by March 1, 2006. Please fax registration form along with the conference registration form to Mayo Medical Laboratories Education Department at 507-284-8016.

Credit card payment of tour fees will be processed directly by DDP Incentive. DDP Incentive will provide you with a confirmation of your activities.

Please print or type all information. You may duplicate this form for multiple registrations.

Name __________________________________________________________________________________________
First Name                                             Middle Name or Initial                                               Last Name
Company/Institution __________________________________________________________________________
E-mail (Required) ________________________________________________________________________________
Which do you prefer to be your mailing address:  ☐ Work/Business  ☐ Home
Work Address ______________________________________________________________________________________
City _______________________________________ State/PV ____________  ZIP/PC ____________
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Fax ( ______ )___________________________________
☐ Please check if you have special accommodation or dietary needs and indicate specific need(s):
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OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES

Monday, May 1, 2006
☐ Excursion to the Lagoon Islands, 10:00 - 5:00 PM (€139 per person) ___ # attending

Tuesday, May 2, 2006
☐ Tour of Treviso, 1:30 - 4:30 PM (€46 per person) ___ # attending

Wednesday, May 3, 2006
☐ The White Wine Road, 1:30 - 6:30 PM (€71 per person) ___ # attending

Thursday, May 4, 2006
☐ Excursion to Venice, 1:30 - 7:30 PM (€102 per person) ___ # attending

Friday, May 5, 2006 (choose only one)
☐ Padua and Villa Pisani Visit, 12:30 - 6:30 PM (€79 per person) ___ # attending
☐ Excursion to Villas and Asolo, 12:30 - 7:00 PM (€62 per person) ___ # attending

Total payment for activities enclosed

All tours require a minimum of 20 people.

Guest Registration
(Please complete this section if a guest(s) will accompany you to any of the group activities)

Name __________________________________________________________

Name __________________________________________________________

Payment Method
☐ Credit Card: ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard

☐ Card Number  Expires Mo/Yr

Signature ____________________________           Date _____________
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REGISTRATION DEADLINE:  MARCH 1, 2006

Please print or type all information. You may duplicate form for multiple registrations.

Name ____________________________________________________________
First Name                                             Middle Name or Initial                                               Last Name

Degree:  [ ] MD [ ] PhD [ ] Other

Company/Institution __________________________________________________

Medical Speciality __________________________________________________

E-mail (required) __________________________________________________

Which do you prefer to be your mailing address:  [ ] Work/Business  [ ] Home

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Int’l Telephone ( Country Code ) ______ ( City Code ) _____ Telephone __________________
Fax  ( ______ ) _______________________________________________________________________

Do you plan to attend the conference reception Tuesday evening?  [ ] Yes  [ ] No
Guest  [ ] Yes  [ ] No

[ ] Please check if you have special accommodation or dietary needs and indicate specific need(s):
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REGISTRATION FEE

Physicians $875 $ __________
Medical Residents $750 $ __________
Conference Reception (more than attendee and one guest) $40 per person $ __________
Total Payment Enclosed $ __________

PAYMENT METHOD

[ ] Check Enclosed:  (Make checks payable to Mayo Medical Laboratories)
[ ] Credit Card:  [ ] Visa or  [ ] MasterCard

Card Number ____________________________ Expires Mo/Yr

Signature ____________________________ Date ____________________________
“The problem before us is so to exchange information, and so to educate . . . through travel, that there shall develop a final, cosmopolitan system of medicine which will combine the best elements to be found in all countries”

Charles H. Mayo  
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