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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Day 1 (7th August 2026)

TIME (Talk + Discussion)	TOPICS	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSONS
Workshop 1 : Placental, Perinatal Pathology and Autopsy			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Lavleen Singh			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Md. Ali Osama			
08:45 - 09:15 am (25+5 min)	Placental Gross Examination, Normal Placenta & Maturation Spectrum	Dr Lavleen Singh	Dr Ishani Gupta
09:20 - 09:50 am (25+5 min)	Maternal Vascular Malperfusion: Practical Recognition & Clinical Relevance	Dr Heather L Keir	Dr Ruchi Rathore
09:55 - 10:25 am (25+5 min)	Fetal Vascular Malperfusion: Beyond the blockage	Dr Rajeev Shukla	Dr Sabina Khan
10:30 - 11:00 am (25+5 min)	Placental Infections: Hidden Battles	Dr Uma Maheshwari	Dr Gunvanti Rathod
11:00 - 11:20 am (20 min)	Connect & Discuss at the Tea		
11:20 - 11:50 am (25+5 min)	Integrated Placental Reporting & Clinicopathological Correlation	Dr Ratna Gosain	Dr Kiran Aggarwal
11:55 - 12:30 pm (30+5 min)	Perinatal and Fetal Autopsy- Practical Approach and Dataset	Dr Lata Murlidhar	Dr Manupriya Sharma
12:30 - 01:00 pm (30 min)	Wet Lab Examination and Q/A followed by Group Photograph	All Speakers, Chairpersons & Delegates	
Workshop 2 : Fluorescent in situ hybridization (FISH) in Solid Tumors			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Adarsh Barwad			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Prerna Mahajan, Dr Paridhi Singh			
08:45 - 09:15 am (25+5 min)	Principles and Basics	Dr Mukund Sable	Dr Sandeep Mathur
09:20 - 09:50 am (25+5 min)	Probe Selection and Sample Preparation	Dr Adarsh Barwad	Dr Manjit Kaur
09:50 - 11:10 am (80 min)	Wet Lab Demonstration- Setup, Workflow & Microscopy	Dr Asit R Mridha, Dr Rachana Meena, Rajesh Tripathi	
11:10 - 11:30 am (20 min)	Connect & Discuss at the Tea		
11:30 - 12:00 Noon (25+5 min)	Interpretation and Sarcoma Case Snippets	Dr Balamurugan T	Dr Prashant Ramteke
12:05 - 12:35 pm (25+5 min)	Applications in Renal and Adrenal Tumors	Dr Aanchal Kakkar	Dr Devender K Yadav
12:40 - 01:10 pm (25+5 min)	Interpretation Challenges and Pitfalls	Dr Dinesh Rakheja	Dr V K Iyer
01:10 - 01:15 pm (5 min)	Q&A followed by Group Photograph	All Speakers, Chairpersons & Delegates	

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TIME (Talk + Discussion)	TOPICS	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSONS
Workshop 3 : Flow Cytometry (FCM) & Next Generation Sequencing (NGS) in Hematolymphoid Neoplasms			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Saumyaranjan Mallick			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Jayati Sarangi, Dr Surabhi Jain			
08:45 - 09:25 am (35+5 min)	Principles and Basic Concepts in Clinical Flow Cytometry	Dr Andrea N Marcogliese	Dr Tushar Sehgal
09:30 - 10:10 am (35+5 min)	Sample Preparation, Panel Designing & Workflow in FCM	Dr Jasmita Dass	Dr Sarika Singh
10:15 - 10:55 am (35+5 min)	Interpreting Flow Cytometry Cases- Tips & Tricks	Dr Jyotinder N Punia	Dr Ganesh KV
10:55 - 11:15 am (20 min)	Connect & Discuss at the Tea		
11:15 - 11:55 am (35+5 min)	Principles, Basic Concepts & Library Preparation in NGS	Dr Saumyaranjan Mallick	Dr Sanjeev Gupta
12:00 - 12:40 pm (35+5 min)	How to choose and use different NGS panels- Practical Guide	Dr Neeraj Arora	Dr Ranjit Sahoo
12:40 - 01:00 pm (20 min)	Q&A followed by Group Photograph	All Speakers, Chairpersons & Delegates	
Workshop 4 : Immunofluorescence in Kidney, Skin, Autoimmune Diseases & HLA Typing			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Anubhav Narwal			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Shilpi Thakur, Dr Sunil K Mallick			
08:45 - 09:25 am (35+5 min)	What the clinician expects from the pathologists?	Dr Narender Bagri, Dr Tummididi Santosh	Dr Pappathi Sadagopan
09:25 - 09:55 am (30 min)	Wet Lab- Set up, Workflow & Microscopy for Direct Immunofluorescence	Dr Anubhav Narwal	
09:55 - 10:45 am (50 min)	Hands on Workshop- Autoimmune Diagnostics : Practical Aspects & Troubleshooting	Bhumika Kumar	
10:50 - 11:15 am (20+5 min)	Indirect IF applications in autoimmune diseases	Dr Surbhi Goyal	Dr Jyotsna Suri
11:15 - 11:35 am (20 min)	Connect & Discuss at the Tea		
11:35 - 12:00 Noon (20+5 min)	Practical utility in renal diseases	Dr Sant Prakash	Dr Sudip Datta
12:05 - 12:30 pm (20+5 min)	Role in skin diseases	Dr Sonal Sharma	Dr Arti Bakshi
12:35 - 01:00 pm (20+5 min)	HLA typing: A primer for the pathologists	Dr Uma Kanga	Dr Geetika Singh
01:00 - 01:10 pm (10 min)	Q&A followed by Group Photograph	All Speakers, Chairpersons & Delegates	
01:00 - 01:45 pm (45 min)	Lunch and Exhibition walk		

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AFTERNOON WORKSHOP			
Workshop 5 : Grossing of tumor and non-tumor specimens- How to do it?			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Aanchal Kakkar			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Sunil K Mallick			
01:45 - 01:55 pm (10 min)	Sponsored talk	TBD	
02:00 - 02:30 pm (25+5 min)	Liver- Tumor & Non-tumor Specimens	Dr Sarangarajan Ranganathan	Dr K Rajeshwari, Dr Ipsita Dhal
02:30 - 03:00 pm (25+5 min)	Kidney & Adrenal Specimens	Dr Paromita Roy	
03:00 - 03:30 pm (25+5 min)	GI Specimens for Hirschsprung Disease	Dr Umadevi Srinivasan	
Workshop 6 : Live Slide Session- How to reach the diagnosis, structure the report & sign out the case?			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Ridhi Sood			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Surabhi Jain, Dr Paridhi Singh			
Part A			
03:35 - 04:35 pm (8+1 min) per case	Case 1	Dr Sarika Singh	Dr Sanjay Kumar, Dr Harendra Kumar
	Case 2	Dr Anila Sharma	
	Case 3	Dr Rakesh Gupta	
	Case 4	Dr Neha Nigam	
	Case 5	Dr Anju Khairwa	
	Case 6	Dr Shivali Sehgal	
Part B			
04:40 - 05:40 pm (8+1 min) per case	Case 7	Dr Shilpi Thakur	Dr Vandita Singh, Dr Jaseem Hasan
	Case 8	Dr Prerna Mahajan	
	Case 9	Dr Jayati Sarangi	
	Case 10	Dr Surabhi Jain	
	Case 11	Dr Sunil K Mallick	
	Case 12	Dr Paridhi Singh	
05:40 - 05:50 pm (10 min)	Sponsored talk	TBD	
05:50 pm Onwards	Group Photograph followed by Tea		

Day 2 (8th August 2026)

TIME (Talk + Discussion)	TOPICS	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSONS
08:00 - 08:30 am (30 min)	Platform & Poster Presentations		
08:30 - 09:00 am (30 min)	DMC Lecture Legal Issue in Medical Practice "Current Perspective"	TBD	Dr Neeraj Jain
09:05 - 09:50 am (45 min)	V V Joshi Oration : Landmark Autopsy Diagnosis- A Turning Point in Clinical Practice	Dr Nandita Kakkar	Dr V K Iyer
09:50 - 10:30 am (40 min)	Inauguration		
10:30 - 10:50 am (20 min)	High Tea, Poster & Exhibition Walk		
10:50 - 11:30 am (35+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 1 : Liver Allograft Rejection & Mimics	Dr Sarangarajan Ranganathan, Dr Mukul Vij	Dr Lipika Lipi, Dr Nishant Wadhwa
11:35 - 12:05 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 2 : Challenges in Pediatric Lymphomas	Dr Andrea N Marcogliese	Dr Seema Rao, Dr Aditya Gupta
12:10 - 12:40 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 3 : Disorders of Sex Development (DSD)	Dr Uttara Chatterjee, Dr Suravi Mohanty	Dr Shivani Kalhan, Dr Prabudh Goel
12:45 - 01:00 pm (15 min)	Sponsored talk	TBD	
01:00 - 01:45 pm (45 min)	Lunch and Exhibition walk		
01:45 - 02:00 pm (15 min)	Sponsored talk	TBD	
02:05 - 02:35 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 4 : Perinatal Ciliopathies- When to Suspect the Diagnosis	Dr Rajeev Shukla	Dr S P Sinhasan, Dr Ashok Singh
02:40 - 03:10 pm (25+5 min)	DP-AI in Paediatric Pathology- Myth or Reality	Dr Kalyani Patel	Dr Nadeem Tanveer, Dr Anila Sharma
03:15 - 03:50 pm (35 min)	Multidisciplinary Discussion: Pediatric Solid Tumors- Road to Diagnosis & Treatment	Moderator : Mukta Ramadwar Panelists : Dr Sandeep Agarwala, Dr Rachana Seth, Dr Sonia Badwal, Dr Zachariah Chowdhury, Dr Manisha Jana, Dr Ahitgni Biswas	
03:55 - 04:40 pm (40+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 5 : The Journey through Hidden Pathogens	Dr Bhuvaneshwari Kandalkar, Dr Pragati Sathe, Dr Leena Patwardhan, Dr Samina Ansari, Dr Annapurna Mane, Dr Swati Singh	Dr Charanjeet Ahluwalia, Dr Sharmila Dudani
04:45 - 05:00 pm (15 min)	Sponsored talk	TBD	
05:00 - 05:30 pm (30 min)	Tea, Poster Presentations & Exhibition Walk		
05:00 - 05:30 pm (30 min)	General Body Meeting (GBM)		
05:30 - 06:30 pm (60 min)	Cultural Fiesta: A Fusion of Vibrant Rhythms & Steps		
06:30 pm Onwards	Gala Dinner - Connect & Celebrate		

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Day 3 (9th August 2026)

TIME (Talk + Discussion)	TOPICS	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSONS
08:00 - 08:30 am (30 min)	Platform & Poster Presentations		
08:30 - 09:15 am (45 min)	Keynote Lecture : Germ Cell Tumours: Recent Advances & Clinical Correlates	Dr Uttara Chatterjee	Dr Nandita Kakkar
09:20 - 10:00 am (35+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 6 : Navigating the Native and Transplant Endomyocardial Biopsy	Dr Sarangarajan Ranganathan, Dr Sudheer Arava	Dr Ruma Ray, Dr Saurabh Gupta
10:05 - 10:35 am (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 7 : Fetal & Pediatric Autopsy Insights- When every case tells a story	Dr Heather L Keir	Dr Vandana Rana, Dr Neerja Gupta
10:40 - 11:10 am (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 8 : Pediatric Sarcomas- Emerging Entities	Dr Dinesh Rakheja	Dr Nita Khurana, Dr Sameer Rastogi
11:10 - 11:20 am (10 min)	Sponsored talk	TBD	
11:20 - 11:35 am (15 min)	Tea, Poster & Exhibition Walk		
11:35 - 12:05 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 9 : Biliary Atresia & Mimics- Sorting the truth	Dr Kalyani Patel	Dr Nalini Bansal, Dr Anjan Dhua
12:10 - 12:40 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 10 : Cytopenias- Clues to Diagnosing Inherited Bone Marrow Failure Syndromes	Dr Jyotinder N Punia	Dr Jyoti Kotwal, Dr Jagdish Meena
12:45 - 01:15 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 11 : Decoding Spitzoid Melanocytic Lesions	Dr Arti Bakshi	Dr Amit Yadav, Dr Shipra Agarwal
01:15 - 01:25 pm (10 min)	Sponsored talk	TBD	
01:25 - 02:00 pm (35 min)	Lunch and Exhibition walk		
02:00 - 02:30 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 12 : The GI Pipeline Grab Bag of Endoscopic Biopsies	Dr Jyotsana Madan	Dr Poonam Elhence, Dr Rohan Grotra
02:35 - 03:05 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 13 : Tangled to Curated CNS Lesions	Dr BH Srinivas	Dr Vaishali Suri, Dr Vaishali Walke
03:10 - 03:40 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 14 : Path Nuggets I Can't Forget	Dr Vidhyalakshmi Rangarajan, Dr Sunayna Misra, Dr Gaurav Khanna	Dr Sanjeet Singh, Dr Devajit Nath
03:45 - 04:35 pm (50 min)	Patho-Warriors : The Mastermind PG Quiz	Dr Priti Chatterjee, Dr Neha Bakshi, Dr Md. Ali Osama	
04:35 - 04:45 pm (10 min)	Sponsored talk	TBD	
04:45 pm Onwards	Valedictory function, Prize distribution, Group photograph & High tea		

Important Dates and Deadlines :

- Pre Conference Workshop Date : 07th August 2026
- Conference Dates : 08th - 09th August 2026
- Last date of Early Bird Registration : 31st May 2026
- Last date of Regular Registration : 31st July 2026
- Spot registration date : From 01st August 2026 Onwards
- Last date for submission of abstracts for platform presentation : 25th June 2026
- Last date for submission of abstracts for E-Poster presentation : 07th July 2026

REGISTRATION FEES

Category	Early Bird Registration (Till 31 st May 2026)		Regular Registration (01 st June 2026 - 31 st July 2026)		Spot Registration (01 st August 2026 onwards till the day of Conference)	
	APP Member	APP Non Member	APP Member	APP Non Member	APP Member	APP Non Member
Conference Only						
Faculty/Consultant/ Practicing Pathologist	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,500	₹ 5,500	₹ 6,000	₹ 6,000	₹ 6,500
Resident/Fellow	₹ 4,000	₹ 4,500	₹ 4,500	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,500
Foreign Delegate	\$ 50		\$ 60		\$ 75	
Conference + Workshop (Combo)						
Faculty/Consultant/ Practicing Pathologist	₹ 6,000	₹ 7,000	₹ 6,500	₹ 7,500	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Resident/Fellow	₹ 5,000	₹ 6,000	₹ 5,500	₹ 6,500	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
Foreign Delegate	\$ 65		\$ 75		Not Applicable	

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