

DUBAI: Mohammed Bin Rashid University of Medicine and Health Sciences 14 NOVEMBER: Main Conference 15 NOVEMBER: ASCP Middle East Career Clinic ABU DHABI: Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi 16 NOVEMBER: Main Conference 17 NOVEMBER: ASCP Middle East Career Clinic

DUBAI - Tuesday 14/11/2017

07:30 - 08:30	Registration
	Room Location: Auditorium
08:30 - 09:00	Welcome and Overview of the Day
09:00 - 10:00	A Path Towards Optimal Integration of the Clinical Laboratories (Workflow, Automation, Analytics, Algorithms, System-Level Orchestration and the LIS) Dr. Ulysses G. Balis MD, Professor, Informatics; Director, Division of Informatics; Director, Informatics Fellowship, Department of Pathology,
	Michigan Medicine, University of Michigan, USA
10:00 - 10:30	Opening Ceremony
	Dr. Ahmad bin Kalban, CEO, Hospital Services Sector, Dubai Health Authority, UAE Dr. William E. Schreiber M.D, President, American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP), Professor, Dept. of Pathology & Lab Medicine, UBC; Director, Clinical Chemistry, LifeLabs Medical Laboratories, Canada
10:30 - 11:00	ASCPi Advisory Board Awards
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee Break and Dedicated Exhibition Hall Time
	Lab Management & Leadership Moderator: Dr. Aaron Han
11:30 - 12:00	Burnout and Stress Management in Laboratory Environment Dr. Laila Abdel Wareth M.D, BMMCh, FRCPc, FCAP, EMHCA, Chief of Clinical Pathology, Medical Pathology & Laboratory Medicine Institute, Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi, UAE
12:00 - 12:30	Effective Utilization of Quality Measures and Benchmarking in Laboratory Medicine

12:30 - 13:30	Dr. Rana Nabulsi PhD, FACHE, CP Networking Lunch and Prayer	HQ, SSGB, Head of Quality, Patholo	gy and Genetics Department , Dubai	Health Authority, UAE
13:30 - 15:30	Hematology & Transfusion Medicine - Auditorium Moderator: Dr. Kathleen Meehan	Microbiology - Case Method Hall Moderator: Prof. Samir Awadallah	Workshop: Leadership - Lecture Hall 3 Session closed to student attendees	Workshop: Pathology Informatics & Pre Analytics - Lecture Hall 4 Moderator: Dr. Mohammad Jamali Session closed to student attendees
13:30 - 14:00	Myelodysplastic Syndromes Diagnostic Challenges, Benign Mimickers and Helpful Hints Dr. Rania Medhat Seliem M.D., Consultant Hematopathology, Head of Pathology Section, Rashid Hospital, Pathology and Genetics Department, Dubai Health Authority, UAE		Leadership Workshop - Reacting to Change Dr. Rana Nabulsi PhD, FACHE, CPHQ, SSGB, Head of Quality, Pathology and Genetics Department , Dubai Health Authority, UAE Nael M. Soudi MS, CT(ASCP)(MAC), CPHQ, Chief	Pathology Informatics Workshop Dr. Ulysses G. Balis MD, Professor, Informatics; Director, Division of Informatics; Director, Informatics Fellowship, Department of Pathology, Michigan Medicine, University of Michigan, USA
14:00 - 14:30	Spurious Results on Hematology Analyzers: Challenges for the Hematology Laboratory Dr. Shalinder Kaur Hooda MBBS, M.D., Clinical Pathologist, Dubai Health Authority, UAE	Application of Automated Mass Spectrometry (MALDI-TOF Technology) in Microbiology Laboratory Dr. Marthinus Pitout MBBCh, Consultant Microbiologist, Sheikh Khalifa Medical City, UAE	Quality Officer (CQO), MedLabs Consultancy Group, Jordan Catherine Stakenas MA, Senior	Session closed to student attendees.
14:30 - 15:00	Laboratory Testing for Stem Cell Banking Dr. Theofanis Chatzistamatiou PhD. Director, Dubai Cord Blood & research Center (DCRC), Pathology and Genetics, Dubai Health Authority, UAE	Recent Advances in the Diagnosis of H.Pylori Dr. Sushma Ravindra Umrao, Specialist, Clinical Pathology,	Session closed to student attendees.	The Cost Effectiveness of Pre- Analytical Standards and Quality Improvement Workshop Dr. Sumedha Sahni, Head of Medical Affairs - EMA Preanalytical Systems, Becton, Dickinson and Company
15:00 - 15:30	Benchmarking in Blood Transfusion Services Dr. Ranjita Sharma, Senior Physician, Dubai Blood Donation Center, Dubai Health Authority, UAE	All Aspects of Antibacterial Resistance in Microbiology Laboratory Dr. Anju Nabi M.D., Head, Microbiology & Infection Control Unit, Pathology & Genetics Department, Rashid Hospital, UAE		. ,
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Molecular Genetics - Case

Workshop: Cytology - Lecture Workshop: Hematology -

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Chemistry - Auditorium

	<u> </u>	Method Hall Moderator: Dr. Sabitha Murthy	Hall 3 Session closed to student attendees	Lecture Hall 4 Session closed to student attendees
0 - 16:30	Toxicology Dr. William E. Schreiber M.D, President, American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP), Professor, Dept. of Pathology & Lab	An Overview on Preimplementation Genetic Diagnosis, Services and Diagnostic Update Dr. Ali Hellani PhD, Founder and Managing Director, Viafet Genomic Center, UAE	Cytology 101 - Practice and Current Status Nael M. Soudi MS, CT(ASCP)(MAC), CPHQ, Chief Quality Officer (CQO), MedLabs Consultancy Group, Jordan Session closed to student attendees.	Challenges Facing Scientists in the Hematology and Coagulation Laboratory Dr. Shalinder Kaur Hooda MBBS, M.D., Clinical Pathologist, Dubai Health Authority, UAE Dr. Lamya Ibrahim M.D., Consultant Pathologist and Laboratory Director, Advanced Center for Day Care Surgery, UAE Dr. Rand Adnan Hussein M.D., Specialist Pathologist, Head of Pathology Department and Laboratory Director, Ain Al Khaleej Hospital, UAE Session closed to student attendees.
0 - 17:00	Dr. Fayha Salah Ahmed MBBS, MSc, FRCPath, CCST, IFCAP, Head of Biochemistry Unit, Consultant in Clinical Biochemistry	The Use of Next Generation Sequencing in Clinical Diagnostics Dr. Hemad Yasaei M.D., Specialist Geneticist, Dubai Genetics Center, Dubai Health Authority, UAE	Adoption of Co-Testing by Reference Laboratories - Prospects and Challenges Dr. Osman Ortashi, Senior Consultant, Gynecology & Gynecological Cancers, Advanced Gynecology & Laparoscopic Surgeon, Mediclinic Hospital - Al Ain, UAE Dr. Saeeda Al Marzooqi, Associate Professor and Chair, Pathology, College of Medicine & Health Sciences, United Arab Emirates University, Consultant Histopathologist, Tawan Hospital, UAE Session closed to student attendees.	

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The Validity of Prostate Health Index and Prostate Pro-PSA in the Diagnosis of Prostate Cancer

Dr. Nafila Al Riyami MD FRCPC, DABL, Department of Clinical Biochemistry, Sultan Qaboos University Hospital, Oman Microdeletion and
Microduplication Syndromes:
Clinical Applications of
Chromosomal Microarray
Dr. Sabita K. Murthy PhD, FCCMG,
FRCPS, Head, Dubai Genetics
Center and Head, Molecular
Cytogenetics Unit, Pathology &
Genetics Department, Dubai Health
Authority, UAE

Contemporary Challenges in the Implementation of Point-of-Care Diagnostics: the Simplicity, Simplexity and Complexity of ISO 22870:2016

Dennis Mok MAICD CSci MIBMS MIHRM(HK) CAHRI CMgr FCMI FIML FNZIMLS, Medical

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Management Consulting, Australia

17:30 - 17:45

Closing Remarks