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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Day 1 (7th August 2026)

TIME (Talk + Discussion)	TOPICS	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSONS
Workshop 1 : Placental, Perinatal Pathology and Autopsy (Venue : LT 2)			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Lavleen Singh			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Md. Ali Osama			
08:15 - 08:45 am (30 min)	Registration		
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 & Q/A followed by Group Photograph	All Speakers, Chairpersons & Delegates	

Workshop 2 : Fluorescent in situ hybridization (FISH) in Solid Tumors (Venue : LT 1)			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Adarsh Barwad			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Prerna Mahajan, Dr Paridhi			
08:15 - 08:45 am (30 min)	Registration		
08:45 - 09:15 am (25+5 min)	Principles and Basics	Dr Mukund Sable	Dr Manjit Kaur
09:20 - 09:50 am (25+5 min)	Probe Selection and Sample Preparation	Dr Adarsh Barwad	Dr Sandeep Mathur
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 (Venue : JLNA)			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Saumyaranjan Mallick			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Jayati Sarangi, Dr Surabhi Jain			
08:15 - 08:45 am (30 min)	Registration		
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 (Venue : Conference Hall)			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Anubhav Narwal			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Shilpi Thakur, Dr Sunil K Mallick			
08:15 - 08:45 am (30 min)	Registration		
08:45 - 09:20 am (30+5 min)	What the clinician expects from the pathologists?	Dr Narender Bagri	Dr Pappathi Sadagopan
09:25 - 09:50 am (20+5 min)	Indirect IF applications in autoimmune diseases	Dr Surbhi Goyal	Dr Jyotsna Suri
09:50 - 10:40 am (50 min)	Hands on Workshop- Autoimmune Diagnostics : Practical Aspects & Troubleshooting	Bhumika Kumar	
10:40 - 11:15 am (35 min)	Wet Lab- Set up, Workflow & Microscopy for Direct Immunofluorescence	Dr Anubhav Narwal	
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 & Exhibition walk		

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TIME (Talk + Discussion)	TOPICS	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSONS
AFTERNOON WORKSHOP (Venue : JLNA)			
Workshop 5 : Grossing of tumor and non-tumor specimens- How to do it?			
Supervising Faculty : Dr Aanchal Kakkar			
Coordinating Faculty : Dr Jayati Sarangi			
01:45 - 01:55 pm (10 min)	Scientific Approach for Storage of Blocks and Slides	Avadesh Pandey	Dr K Rajeshwari Dr Ipsita Dhal
02:00 - 02:30 pm (25+5 min)	Liver- Tumor & Non-tumor Specimens	Dr Sarangarajan Ranganathan	
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 Annapoorani V			
Part A			
03:35 - 04:45 pm (7+2 min) per case	Case 1	Dr Sarika Singh	Dr Sanjay Kumar Dr Sant Prakash
	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	
	Case 7	Dr Prashant Ramteke	
Part B			
04:50 - 05:50 pm (7+2 min) per case	Case 8	Dr Shilpi Thakur	Dr Vandita Singh Dr Jaseem Hasan
	Case 9	Dr Prerna Mahajan	
	Case 10	Dr Jayati Sarangi	
	Case 11	Dr Surabhi Jain	
	Case 12	Dr Sunil K Mallick	
	Case 13	Dr Paridhi	
05:50 pm Onwards Group Photograph followed by Tea			

Day 2 (8th August 2026) | (Venue : JLNA)

TIME (Talk + Discussion)	TOPICS	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSONS
08:00 - 08:20 am (20 min)	Registration		
08:20 - 08:50 am (25+5 min)	DMC Lecture Legal Issue in Medical Practice "Current Perspective"	Dr Neeraj Jain	Dr Tummidhi Santosh Dr Harendra Kumar
08:50 - 09:40 am (50 min)	Inaugural Ceremony		
09:45 - 10:30 am (45 min)	V V Joshi Oration : Landmark Autopsy Diagnosis- A Turning Point in Clinical Practice	Dr Nandita Kakkar	Dr V K Iyer Dr Uttara Chatterjee
10:30 - 10:50 am (20 min)	High Tea & 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 : Disorders of Sex Development (DSD)	Dr Uttara Chatterjee Dr Suravi Mohanty	Dr Shivani Kalhan Dr Prabudh Goel
12:10 - 12:40 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 3 : Challenges in Pediatric Lymphomas	Dr Andrea N Marcogliese	Dr Seema Rao Dr Aditya Gupta
12:45 - 01:00 pm (15 min)	Expanding Awareness at Subcellular Resolution at the Patient Bedside	Dr Roberto Banchi	
01:00 - 01:45 pm (45 min)	Lunch & Exhibition Walk		
01:45 - 02:00 pm (15 min)	Overview of Diagnostic Immunohistochemical Markers in Hematolymphoid Neoplasms	Dr Kinjal Blyani	
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 : Dr Mukta Ramadwar Panelists : Dr Sandeep Agarwala, Dr Rachana Seth, Dr Sonia Badwal, Dr Zachariah Chowdhury, Dr Manisha Jana, Dr Ahtagni 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 Ahlwalia Dr Sharmila Dudani
04:40 - 05:00 pm (20 min)	Tea & 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		

Day 3 (9th August 2026) | (Venue : JLNA)

TIME (Talk + Discussion)	TOPICS	SPEAKERS	CHAIRPERSONS
08:20 - 09:05 am (45 min)	Keynote Lecture : Germ Cell Tumours: Recent Advances & Clinical Correlates	Dr Uttara Chatterjee	Dr Nandita Kakkar Dr Sandeep Mathur
09:10 - 09:50 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
09:55 - 10:25 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
10:30 - 11:00 am (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 8 : Pediatric Sarcomas- Emerging Entities	Dr Dinesh Rakheja	Dr Nita Khurana Dr Sameer Rastogi
11:00 - 11:20 am (20 min)	High Tea & Exhibition Walk		
11:20 - 11:35 am (15 min)	Hamamatsu and Sentier	TBD	
11:40 - 12:10 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 9 : Biliary Atresia & Mimics- Sorting the truth	Dr Kalyani Patel	Dr Nalini Bansal Dr Anjan Dhua
12:15 - 12:45 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
12:50 - 01:20 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 11 : Decoding Spitzoid Melanocytic Lesions	Dr Arti Bakshi	Dr Amit Yadav Dr Shipra Agarwal
01:20 - 02:00 pm (40 min)	Lunch & Exhibition Walk		
02:00 - 02:15 pm (15 min)	Digital Pathology and AI in Practice- Bridging Bench to Clinic in a Multi-city Network	Dr Reena Nakhra	
02:20 - 02:50 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
02:55 - 03:25 pm (25+5 min)	Case Vignette Session 13 : Tangled to Curated CNS Lesions	Dr BH Srinivas	Dr MC Sharma Dr Charanjeet Ahluwalia
03:30 - 04:00 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
04:05 - 04:55 pm (50 min)	Patho-Warriors : The Mastermind PG Quiz	Dr Priti Singh, Dr Neha Bakshi, Dr Md. Ali Osama	
04:55 pm Onwards	Valedictory function, Prize distribution, Group photograph & 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 (31 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	
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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
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