



# The 12th Arkadi M. Rywlin International Pathology Slide Seminar Symposium in Anatomic Pathology



**Venice, Italy, 22<sup>nd</sup>- 24<sup>th</sup> May 2023**

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## HISTORY:

THE ARKADI M RYWLIN (AMR) INTERNATIONAL PATHOLOGY SLIDE SEMINAR SYMPOSIUM IN ANATOMIC PATHOLOGY IS A SERIES OF INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS SPONSORED AND ORGANIZED BY THE ARKADI M. RYWLIN INTERNATIONAL PATHOLOGY SLIDE CLUB, AN ORGANIZATION DEVOTED TO THE EXCHANGE OF INTERESTING AND CHALLENGING CASES AND TO THE EXCHANGE OF IDEAS AMONG ITS MEMBERS COMPOSED OF A VOLUNTARY GROUP OF ACADEMIC PATHOLOGISTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. THE FIRST MEETING WAS HELD IN SAN GIOVANNI ROTONDO, ITALY, IN 2002. THESE MEETINGS HAVE BEEN HELD AT VARIOUS COUNTRIES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, INCLUDING THE CZECH REPUBLIC, MEXICO, JAPAN, SWEDEN, TURKEY, ISRAEL, SLOVAKIA, POLAND, AND PORTUGAL. FOR THE 12<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM, WE HAVE DECIDED TO RETURN TO ITALY WHERE IT ALL STARTED. THE MEETINGS ARE BASED ON SHORT PRESENTATIONS BY THE CLUB MEMBERS OF INTERESTING AND CHALLENGING CASES WHICH ALLOW US TO EXPLORE NEW TOPICS ON CONTROVERSIAL AREAS IN PATHOLOGY IN DETAIL. IN ADDITION TO THE CASE PRESENTATIONS AND THE PLENARY LECTURES BY EXPERTS ON TIMELY TOPICS, THERE WILL BE A COMPETITION AND PRIZES FOR THE ATTENDEES WHO GET THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF CORRECT DIAGNOSES FROM THE WHOLE SLIDE SCANS THAT WILL BE POSTED ONLINE PRIOR TO THE MEETING. PRIZES WILL BE HANDED OUT TO THE FIRST WINNERS IN TWO CATEGORIES: PATHOLOGY RESIDENTS, AND FULL PATHOLOGISTS. WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL JOIN US FOR THIS EXCITING EDUCATIONAL EVENT IN BEAUTIFUL VENICE.

## COURSE OBJECTIVES

After the course, the participants should be able to:

- ◆ Evaluate current criteria for diagnosis in various subspecialty areas in surgical pathology;
- ◆ Recognize the proper application of immunohistochemical and other ancillary techniques for the diagnosis of problematic cases;
- ◆ Become familiar with advances in terminology and classification of neoplastic and non-neoplastic disorders.

## **ARKADI M. RYWLIN, M.D.**



The *Arkadi M. Rywlin Pathology Slide Seminar* was founded by Dr. Saul Suster in 1991 to honor the memory of his mentor and teacher, the late Professor Arkadi M. Rywlin (1923– 1987).

Professor Rywlin was born in the free city of Danzig and completed his medical training at the University of Geneva, Switzerland. He immigrated to the United States in 1953 and served as the Director of Pathology & Laboratory Medicine at the Mount Sinai Medical Center of Greater Miami and as Professor of Pathology at the University of Miami School of Medicine until his untimely death in 1987. Professor Rywlin attained international recognition for his expertise and numerous publications in the pathology of the bone marrow. He was the author of more than 100 original articles spanning a variety of subjects in pathology and achieved international recognition with the publication of his textbook on *Histopathology of the Bone Marrow* (Little, Brown & Co., Philadelphia, 1974). Professor Rywlin was an outstanding educator and trained hundreds of residents and fellows. He combined a classical education in pathology with a strictly logical and critical approach to solving problems in pathology. The club was founded to honor the memory of this master of Pathology and to celebrate and promote the spirit of critical thinking that was the legacy of Professor Rywlin to his students.

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## PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

**Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023**

07:30 Welcome and introduction

**Tiziana Salviato, Luca Reggiani Bonetti**

07:40 Short History of the Arkadi M. Rywlin Pathology Slide Seminar Club

**Saul Suster**

08:00 **Gynecologic and Breast Pathology**

**Session Chairs: A. Malpica and M. Perez**

08:00 – 09:30 Cases 1 – 6

09:30 – 10:00 *Coffee Break*

10:00 – 11:00 Cases 7 – 10

11:00 **Gastrointestinal and Liver Pathology**

**Session Chairs: F. Carneiro and V. Adsay**

11:00 – 12:00 Cases 11 – 14

**12:00 – 12:10 commercial symposia (not eligible for ECMEC<sup>®</sup>s)**

“Instant digital pathology evaluation of EUS-FNB from solid and cystic pancreatic lesions”

**A. Crescenzi**

12:10 – 13:30 *Lunch*

13:30 – 15:00 Cases 15 – 20

15:00 – 15:30 *Coffee Break*

### **PLENARY LECTURES**

**15:30 – 16:10 First lecture: Prof. Manuel Sobrinho Simões**

“Update on the new changes in the 2023 WHO classification of thyroid tumors”

**16.30 – 17.10 “Luca Minelli in Concert”**

*songs from the last album “LA VOCE È MUSICA”*

**17.30 Welcome Cocktail**

**Tuesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023**

08:30 **Head and Neck Pathology**

**Session Chairs: V. Nose and T. Salviato**

08:30 – 10:00 Cases 21 - 26

10:00 – 10:15 *Coffee Break*

10:15 – 11:15 Cases 27 – 30

**11:15 Thoracic Pathology:**

Session Chairs: A. Cavazza and A. Marchevski

11:15 – 12:00 Cases 31 – 33

12:00 – 13:30 *Light Lunch*

13:30 – 15:15 Cases 34 – 40

15:15 – 15:30 *Coffee Break*

**PLENARY LECTURES**

**15:30 – 16:10 Third Lecture: Prof. A. Craig Mackinnon**  
“Advances in Molecular Pathology in Human Neoplasia”

**16:10 – 16:50 Fourth Lecture: Prof. Thomas Krausz**  
“The journey, not the arrival, matters”

**Wednesday, May 24th, 2023**

**08:30 Soft Tissue and Bone**

Session Chairs: A. Agaimy and M. Miettinen

08:30 – 10:00 Cases 41 – 46

10:00 – 10:15 *Coffee Break*

10:15 – 12:30 Cases 47 – 55

12:30 – 14:00 *Lunch*

**14:00 Urologic and Miscellaneous:**

Session Chairs: G. Elmberger and P. Wakely

14:00 – 17:00 Cases 56 – 67

17:00 – 17:15 *Coffee Break*

**PLENARY LECTURE**

**17:15 – 17:55 PM: Fifth Lecture in memory of Ondrej Hes, M.D. - Kiril Trpkov, M.D.**

17:55 – 18:30 CLOSING – General discussion and Announcement of the **AMR PRIZE WINNERS**  
(First Prize + Three Honorable Mention Awards)



## Congress Venue

### M9 Museum of the 20th Century

#### *The Auditorium*

Via Giovanni Pascoli, 11

30171 Venezia Mestre

<https://www.m9museum.it/en/visit-m9/>



Courtesy M9 - Museo del '900 / ph. Alessandra Chemollo

## Travel Information (How to reach the Congress Venue)

### From Marco Polo Venice Airport to Venezia Mestre railway station

ACTV bus line 15 (AVM/Actv is the main public transport provider for the urban area of Venice)

<https://actv.avmspa.it/sites/default/files/attachments/pdf/UM/U-15.pdf>

ATVO MESTRE EXPRESS Shuttle (ATVO provides a fast connection from Venice Airport "M. Polo" to Venice, no stop, and Mestre), Line Venice Marco Polo Airport - Mestre railway station (Fly Bus - express service)

<https://www.atvo.it/en-venice-airport.html>

Journey time: about 20-25 minutes.

### From Venezia Mestre railway station to M9

From the Venezia Mestre railway station

Tram Line 2, direction Mestre center to the Villa Erizzo stop

Dalla Stazione Ferroviaria di Venezia Mestre

Tram Linea 2, direzione Mestre centro fino alla fermata Villa Erizzo

### From Venice to M9

**TRAM:** From P.le Roma, you can take Tram Line 1, towards Favaro, get off at the Mestre Centro stop, in P.le Cialdini, and walk the last stretch on foot.

**Total travel time, 15 minutes.**

TRAM: Da P.le Roma, puoi prendere il Tram Linea 1, direzione Favaro, scendere alla fermata Mestre Centro, in P.le Cialdini, e percorrere l'ultimo tratto a piedi.

Tempo totale del tragitto, 15 minuti.

**BUS:** Alternatively, you can use the rubber lines (7, 7E, 4L, 4) which converge from P.le Roma towards the center of Mestre.

**Total travel time, 20 minutes.**

AUTOBUS: In alternativa, puoi servirti delle linee su gomma (7, 7E, 4L, 4) che da P.le Roma convergono verso il centro di Mestre.

Tempo totale del tragitto, 20 minuti.

## Arriving at M9 by car

Google Maps will provide you with the necessary information.

The closest car parks to M9 are Costa Parking (tel. 0412722352/168), P.le Candiani Parking (tel. 041985616),

P.le L. Da Vinci Parking, Umberto I Parking (tel. 0412722352/168).

Once the car has been parked, the last stretch can be easily covered on foot, through the pedestrian paths in the central area of Mestre.

Google Maps ti fornirà le indicazioni necessarie.

I parcheggi più vicini a M9 sono: Parcheggio Costa (tel. 0412722352/168), Parcheggio P.le Candiani (tel. 041985616),

Parcheggio P.le L. Da Vinci, Parcheggio Umberto I (tel. 0412722352/168).

Una volta parcheggiata l'autovettura, l'ultimo tratto può essere percorso facilmente a piedi, attraverso i percorsi pedonali dell'area centrale di Mestre.

## Registration fees

### Early bird registration fee\*

until January 31<sup>st</sup> 2023 (Payment deadline: February 7<sup>th</sup>)

Total € 366,00 VAT 22% included (€ 300,00 + VAT 22%)

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from February 1<sup>st</sup> to April 15<sup>th</sup> (Payment deadline: April 22<sup>nd</sup>)

Total € 398,00 VAT 22% included (€ 326,23 + VAT 22%)

\*The fee includes a congress kit, access to all slides in advance until May 15<sup>th</sup>, participation in all scientific sessions, and access to the digital case studies handouts, Welcome cocktail on 22<sup>nd</sup> May, coffee breaks and light lunches, certificate of attendance, and UEMS EACCME® attendance.

Participants will have access to the online platform only after confirmation of the payment of the registration fee. Please note that access to the digital platform is not immediate and it will take a few days. You will receive instructions to access the online platform in your e-mail.

### Accompanying persons\*\* until April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 (Payment deadline: April 22<sup>nd</sup>)

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