HOTEL INFORMATION
We are pleased to provide the following information on hotels in the vicinity of Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center:

**Affinia Gardens Hotel**
215 East 64th Street (between 2nd and 3rd Avenue)
(212) 355-1230 (within US)
(800) 637-8483 (reservations)
www.affinia.com

**Marriott Courtyard Midtown East**
866 Third Avenue (between 52nd and 53rd Street)
(212) 644-1300 (within US)
(800) 637-8483 (reservations)
www.marriott.com

Additional hotel options can also be found at the following link:
http://www.mskcc.org/accommodations

Information regarding group hotel rates and optional cultural activities will be distributed to course registrants.

Educational Objectives
Participants will learn the current classifications and diagnostic criteria for tumors and tumor-like lesions of the selected subspecialty areas, including both common and unusual entities. The appropriate use of ancillary diagnostic techniques will be highlighted. Complete differential diagnoses will be discussed, and a practical, problem-oriented approach to the pathologic evaluation of specimens will be emphasized. Participants will learn about the clinical features of the various tumor entities along with pathologic and molecular prognostic factors and predictors of therapeutic responsiveness.

Goals of the Course
The purpose of this course is to review in depth selected topics in the pathology of neoplastic diseases, with an emphasis on clinical features, diagnostic criteria including the use of novel diagnostic modalities when applicable, prognostic factors, and assessment of therapy-related factors.

Course Design
This course consists of didactic lectures with question and discussion periods as well as case presentations and interactive slide seminars. The lectures are organized along the lines of the specific subspecialties to be covered this year, with 1-2 days devoted to each of three areas (Breast Pathology, Gynecological Pathology, and Head & Neck Pathology).

Registration Notes
A reduced rate of $775 ($650 before 3/15/16) is offered to pathologists-in-training; the registration must be accompanied by a letter from the residency or fellowship program director certifying the applicant’s status. Optional slide seminars are offered for an additional fee of $50 each. Seating is limited.

Registration fees include attendance at the course, handout materials, and meals. Written notices of cancellation must be received no later than April 1, 2016. Refunds are subject to a 35% administrative charge and will be processed after the conference. For more information, please contact the CME office at 646-227-2525. Fax: 212-557-0775. Address: 633 Third Avenue, 12th Fl., New York, NY 10017 or via e-mail brodheap@mskcc.org.

Please visit: www.mskcc.org/surgicalpathologycourse to register or for more information.

The Pathology of Neoplastic Diseases
May 2-6, 2016
THE PATHOLOGY OF NEOPLASTIC DISEASES

Monday, May 2, 2016

8:00-8:45  Ductal carcinoma in situ: diagnostic evaluation and problematic patterns
8:00-8:45  Breast
9:00-9:30  Ductal carcinoma in situ: imaging, oncologic, and controversies
9:00-9:30  Breast
9:30-10:00  Break
10:00-10:45  Immunohistochemistry: lessons learned in melanoma and possible connections to breast cancer
10:45-11:30  Cervicovaginal cytology
11:30-12:00  The morphologic spectrum of fibroepithelial lesions
12:15-1:30  The morphologic spectrum of fibroepithelial lesions
1:30-2:15  The morphologic spectrum of fibroepithelial lesions
2:15-3:00  The genetic landscape of fibroepithelial lesions
3:00-3:30  Break
3:30-4:15  Mammary spindle cell lesions
4:30-5:00  Muscle spindle cell lesions

Tuesday, May 3, 2016

8:00-8:45  PTAH, ADH, and LCIS: diagnostic challenges and management dilemmas
8:00-8:45  Key Fact, MD
8:45-9:30  In situ: diagnostic evaluation and problematic patterns
8:45-9:30  Key Fact, MD
9:00-9:30  Ductal carcinoma in situ: imaging, oncologic, and controversies
9:00-9:30  Key Fact, MD
9:30-10:00  Break
10:00-10:45  Immunohistochemistry: lessons learned in melanoma and possible connections to breast cancer
10:45-11:30  The morphologic spectrum of fibroepithelial lesions
11:30-12:00  The morphologic spectrum of fibroepithelial lesions
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1:30-2:15  The morphologic spectrum of fibroepithelial lesions
2:15-3:00  The genetic landscape of fibroepithelial lesions
3:00-3:30  Break
3:30-4:15  Mammary spindle cell lesions
4:30-5:00  Muscle spindle cell lesions

Wednesday, May 4, 2016

8:00-8:45  Carcinovascular cytology and screening
8:45-9:45  Staging cervical carcinomas
8:45-9:45  Key Fact, MD
9:45-10:30  Immunohistochemistry: lessons learned in melanoma and possible connections to breast cancer
10:30-11:15  The morphologic spectrum of fibroepithelial lesions
11:15-12:15  Current uses and optimization of cytology specimens in breast pathology
12:15-1:30  Non-palpable treatment of breast carcinomas: an update on pathology practice
1:30-2:15  Break
2:15-3:00  High grade endometrial carcinomas
2:45-3:15  Break
3:15-4:00  High grade endometrial carcinomas
4:00-5:00  Slide seminar: Cervical pathology
4:30-5:00  Slide seminar: Cervical pathology

Thursday, May 5, 2016

9:00-9:15  Problems and controversies in thyroid surgical and molecular pathology
9:15-10:00  Break
10:00-11:30  The interfaces between surgical and molecular pathology
10:00-11:30  Break
11:30-12:15  Frozen section diagnosis in head and neck
11:30-12:15  Ronald Ghossein, MD
12:15-1:15  Immunohistochemistry: lessons learned in melanoma and possible connections to breast cancer
12:15-1:15  Sarah Cook
1:15-2:00  Break
2:00-2:45  Non-palpable treatment of breast carcinomas: an update on pathology practice
2:45-3:15  Break
3:15-4:00  High grade endometrial carcinomas
4:00-5:00  Slide seminar: Cervical pathology
4:30-5:00  Slide seminar: Cervical pathology

Summary:
This four and one half day course will provide an up-to-date review of the pathology of selected subspecialty areas of neoplastic disease, including Breast, Gynecological, and Head & Neck pathology. Appropriate use of advanced diagnostic techniques such as immunohistochemistry and molecular pathology will be incorporated into the lectures, including the assessment of therapeutic biomarkers. Case presentations will also be integrated into the four sessions. Finally, there will be optional mini seminars, interactive slide seminar sessions on selected topics in Breast, Gynecological, and Head & Neck pathology (registration is limited, additional fee apply). The Department of Pathology at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center has produced a course on The Pathology of Neoplastic Diseases for over 30 years. With the 31st edition, we continue to expand the scope of the course to reflect the increasing contributions of cytology, immunohistochemistry, and molecular pathology. The course faculty will include the amazing pathology staff from Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center along with selected visiting lecturer. Continuing medical education credits will be available to physicians, including those who require Continuing Medical Education (CME) credits to continue their education. 

Accreditation Statement
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

CME Credit
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center designs this educational activity for a maximum of 37.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. An additional credit is available for participation in optional slide sessions. Self-assessment module (SAM) questions will be prepared to enable participants to earn up to 18 SAM credits.

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