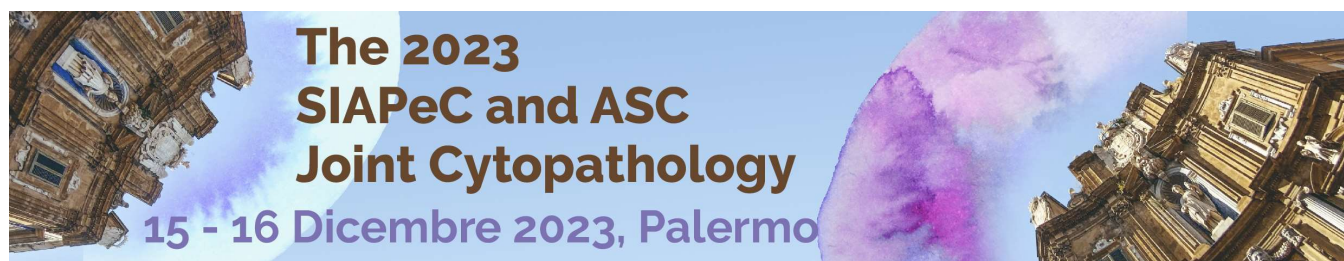


The 2023 SIAPEC and ASC Joint Cytopathology Workshop
Palermo, ITALY, December 15-16, 2023
Best Western Ai Cavalieri Hotel



Razionale Scientifico

Cytopathology is one of the most dynamic area in Diagnostic Pathology. Reporting terminologies and nomenclatures are continuously evolving in line with the cutting edge developments in molecular diagnostics and clinical management algorithms. The unique ability “to obtain more with less” has accorded Cytopathology a frontline position, thus playing a central role in accurate and timely patient management. Recent years have witnessed an exponential growth in ancillary techniques including various molecular tests, further enhancing the accuracy of a cytological diagnosis. Additionally there have been several significant revisions of tumor nomenclature and classifications in histopathology, which directly influence the cytological interpretations and overall risks of malignancy (ROMs). The new and updated role of HPV testing in cervical cancer screening as well as for oro-pharyngeal cancer is often poorly understood in Cytopathology. The tutorial will address key diagnostic issues and various timely and updated topics of significant and practical clinical importance. This comprehensive course will bring some of the world’s leading experts in cytopathology to Italy for a 2-day “Cytology immersion.”



Friday, December 15

- 10.15 Participant Registration
- 10.45 Opening Remarks and Course Introduction
S. Ali, F. Fraggetta, E.D. Rossi

HEAD AND NECK CYTOLOGY

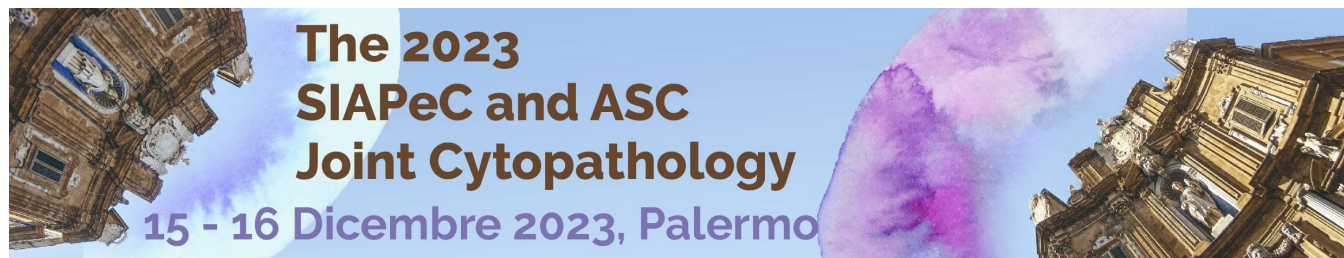
Chairman: **E.D. Rossi**

- 11:00 Thyroid: Terminology Update and Diagnostic Issues
S. Ali
- 12:00 Thyroid: Ancillary and Molecular Testing
G. Fadda
- 12.30 Salivary Gland: Terminology Update and Diagnostic Issues
E. D. Rossi
- 13:00 Miscellaneous Head and Neck Lesions
E. D. Rossi
- 13:30 Lunch Break

PULMONARY AND SEROUS EFFUSION CYTOLOGY

Chairmen: **A.M. Florena – G. Troncone- S. Roy-Chowdhuri**

- 14:30 Pulmonary Cytology: Terminology Update and Diagnostic Issues
M. Siddiqui
- 15:30 Serous Effusion Cytology: Uncovering Diagnostic Issues
S. Ali
- 16:30 Pulmonary Cytology: Ancillary and Molecular Testing
E. Vigliar
- 17:15 Break
- 17:30 Interactive Session Unknown Cases
S. Ali, G. Fadda, E.D. Rossi, M. Siddiqui
- 18:30 End of scientific sessions - Day I



Saturday, December 16

INTRA-ABDOMINAL, SOFT TISSUE CYTOLOGY AND NEW TECHNIQUES

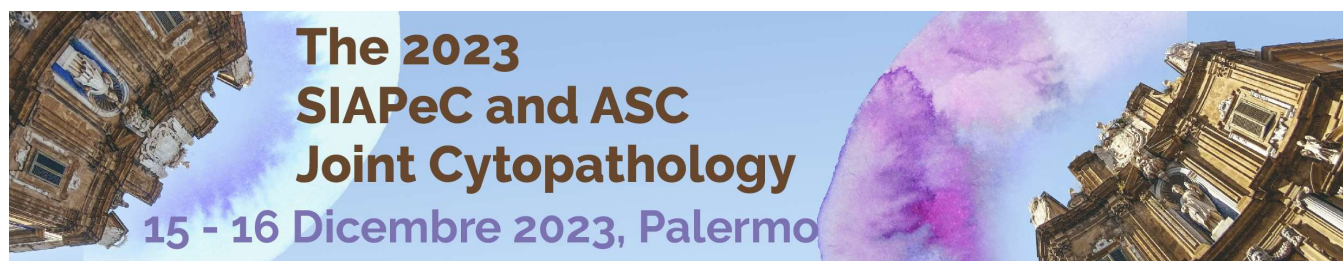
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| 09:00 | Pancreas: Solid Lesions S. Ali |
| 09:45 | Pancreas: Cystic lesions M. Siddiqui |
| 10.30 | Soft Tissue Cytology: Diagnostic Issues L. Pantanowitz |
| 11:15 | Break |
| 11.30 | Soft Tissue Cyto-Histological correlation J. Hornick |
| 12.00 | AI/Deep Learning in Cytology L. Pantanowitz |
| 12.20 | AI/Deep Learning in Cytology-Italian perspective. F. Fraggetta – L. Pantanowitz |
| 12.40 | Lunch |

GYNECOLOGIC CYTOLOGY

Chairmen: **S. Ali**

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| 13:30 | PAP Test: Update on Role of HPV Testing D. Mody |
| 14.15 | Gyn Cytology: Squamous Lesions D. Mody |
| 14:55 | Gyn Cytology: Glandular Lesions G. Negri |
| 15.40 | Interactive Session Unknown Cases (S. Ali, M. Siddiqui, L. Pantanowitz, D. Mody, G. Negri) |
| 16.30 | Q & A Session All Faculty |
| 16:45 | Conclusions and end of the workshop |



GENERAL INFORMATION

CHAIR OF THE JOINT CYTOPHATOGY WORKSHOP

ASC - Dr. Syed Ali - SIAPeC-IAP - Esther Diana Rossi

WORKSHOP DATES

15th – 16th December 2023

WORKSHOP VENUE

Best Western Ai Cavalieri Hotel
Via Sant 'Oliva 8 - 90141, Palermo Italy

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OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

The Workshop language will be English.

All invited faculty will present their material in English, no simultaneous translation will be provided.

CME PROVIDER (only for Italian participants)

Siapec Servizi - ID 4351

The Workshop will be granted by the Italian CME credits for the following categories:

- Pathologist (Medical Doctor specialized in anatomical pathology)
- Cytotechnician
- Biologist

Registration FEES

REGULAR PARTICIPATION (50 participants admitted)

| Category | Siapec Member | ASC Member | Non-Member |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Medical Doctor (Pathologist) | € 90,00+vat 22% | € 90,00+vat 22% | € 130,00+vat 22% |
| Biologist | € 80,00+vat 22% | € 80,00+vat 22% | € 120+vat 22% |
| TSLB & Cytotechnologist | € 70,00+vat 22% | € 70,00+vat 22% | € 110+vat 22% |
| Trainee Pathologist | € 60,00+vat 22% | € 60,00+vat 22% | € 80+vat 22% |

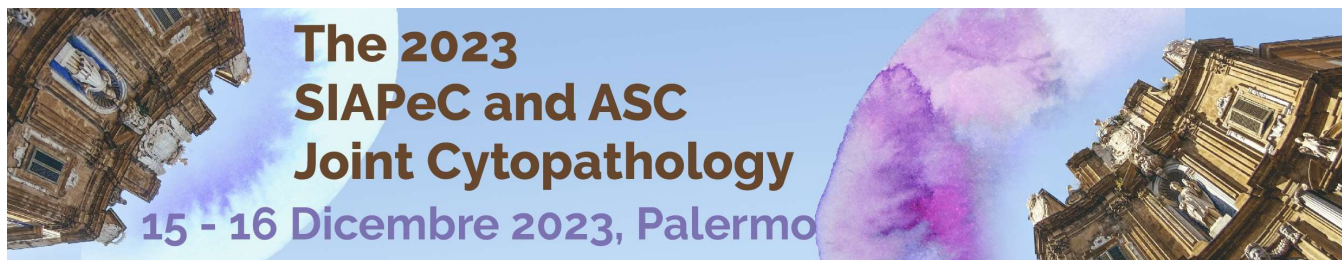
Fees are VAT 22% excluded.

VIRTUAL PARTICIPATION (200 participants admitted)

The organizers offer virtual participation for those how cannot come to Palermo.

| Category | Siapec Member | ASC Member | Non-Member |
|------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Medical Doctor (Pathologist) | € 120,00+vat 22% | € 120,00+vat 22% | € 160,00+vat 22% |
| Biologist | € 110,00+vat 22% | € 110,00+vat 22% | € 150+vat 22% |
| TSLB & Cytotechnologist | € 100,00+vat 22% | € 100,00+vat 22% | € 140+vat 22% |
| Trainee Pathologist | € 80,00+vat 22% | € 80,00+vat 22% | € 100+vat 22% |

Fees are VAT 22% excluded.



REGULAR PARTICIPATION FEES INCLUDE

- Admission to all scientific program
- Congress kit
- CME Credits only for Italian delegates
- Breaks and lunches as per program.
- Certificate of attendance (CME will be granted only after 90% attendance and after passing at least 75% of CME test)

VIRTUAL PARTICIPATION FEES INCLUDE

Participants are entitled to the following services:

- Admission to all scientific program via Zoom (a link will be provided from Dec 13th via email)
- Opportunity to participate to the Q&A Session as per program.
- Certificate of attendance only if there will be an 80% attendance.

HOW TO REGISTER:

ONLINE registration is mandatory throughout the following

<https://www.siapecmdp.it/2023/10/26/the-2023-siapec-and-asc-joint-cytopathology-workshop/>

To register you will need to sign into our Congress account system.

If you do not have an account, you will need to create one during the registration process.

This will take you two minutes to fill in.

Payment method: Paypal

The registration will stay open until the nr of admitted participants is available.

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