



Belfast Pathology 2017

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Pathological Society of Great Britain & Ireland
20 – 23 June 2017

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Queen's University Belfast and Department of Tissue Pathology
Belfast Health and Social Care Trust

Venue

Belfast Waterfront, 2 Lanyon Place, Belfast BT1 3WH

Companion Sessions

Association of Clinical Electron Microscopists
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British Association of Gynaecological Pathology
British Association of Urological Pathologists
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Important Deadlines

Abstract Submission

Monday 13 March 2017 (midnight)

Early Bird Registration

Monday 15 May 2017 (midnight)

Advance Registration Deadline

Monday 5 June 2017 (midnight)

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COVER PHOTOGRAPHS

Front — **Top:** Belfast City Hall ¹ **Middle:** Queens University Belfast ²

Bottom: The Titanic Centre ¹

Back — **Top:** Belfast Waterfront ¹ **Middle four:** Conference and Exhibition facilities ³

Bottom left: The Giant's Causeway ¹ **Bottom right:** Belfast Waterfront at night ¹

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08.00 Registration and Coffee		
08.00–08.55 Trainees' Breakfast Session: <i>MTE Interstitial Lung</i>		
08.00–08.55 Prof A Nicholson, London		
09.00–11.55 GU/BAUP Companion Meeting Visit www.path.org.uk for programme details	09.00–10.20 Symposium: <i>What's New in Interstitial Lung Disease</i> 09.00–09.05 Speaker to be announced <i>Introduction</i> 09.05–09.30 Dr D Rassl, Cambridge <i>Organising Pneumonia and PPFE</i> 09.30–09.55 Dr A Fabre, Dublin <i>Cystic Lung Disease</i> 09.55–10.20 Prof A Nicholson, London <i>UIP, NSIP and their Differential Diagnoses</i> 10.20–10.40 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition	09.00–11.55 Digital and Computational Pathology for Tissue Imaging and Analytics <i>Programme details to be confirmed</i>
	10.40–11.55 Symposium: <i>Managing the Revolution in Thoracic Cancer Management</i> 10.40–11.05 Prof D Gonzalez de Castro, Belfast <i>Genomic Medicine in Lung Cancer</i> 11.05–11.30 Prof JR Gosney, Liverpool <i>Immunomodulatory Therapy in NSCLC – A Year into Clinical Practice</i> 11.30–11.55 Dr R Attanoos, Cardiff <i>Prognostic Markers in Mesothelioma</i>	

08.00 Registration and Coffee		
09.00–11.55 100,000 Genomes Project Visit www.path.org.uk for programme details	09.15–11.55 Undergraduate Engagement Forum 09.15–09.30 Dr RJ Byers, Manchester and Mr C Slater, Manchester <i>Introduction</i> 09.30–10.00 Mr C Kirk, Belfast <i>The Undergraduate Network and How Aspiring Histopathologists Can Enhance Their CV as Undergraduates</i> 10.00–10.30 Dr M Moore, Belfast <i>The Application Process and Specialty Training in Histopathology</i> 10.30–10.45 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition 10.45–11.20 Dr J Houghton, Belfast <i>Do You Have the Potential to be a Pattern Recognition Expert?</i> 11.20–11.55 Prof M Salto-Tellez, Belfast <i>Molecular Pathology</i>	09.00–11.55 BAGP Joint Symposium: <i>Hot Topics in Gynaecological Cancer</i> 09.00–09.30 Prof WG McCluggage, Belfast <i>The Emerging Spectrum of Non-HPV Related Cervical Adenocarcinomas</i> 09.30–10.00 Dr R Soslow, New York, USA <i>Moving Towards a Combined Morphological-Molecular Classification of Endometrial Cancers</i> 10.00–10.30 Dr N Singh, London <i>How Do We Assign Primary Site in Extrauterine High Grade Serous Carcinoma?</i> 10.30–10.55 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition 10.55–11.25 Dr B Gilks, Vancouver, Canada <i>The Clinical Significance of Stratifying Vulval Squamous Carcinoma into HPV and Non-HPV Related Variants</i> 11.25–11.55 Dr V Sumathi, Birmingham <i>The Overlap Between Gynaecological and Soft Tissue Pathology: Importance of Working Together</i>

<p>12.00–13.00 BDIAP Kristin Henry Lecture: <i>Pathological Subtyping of Ovarian and Endometrial Cancers – A Story of Success or Failure</i> Prof WG McCluggage, Belfast</p>		
<p>13.00–14.00 Lunch, Poster Viewing and Trade Exhibition</p>		
<p>13.30–17.00 GU/BAUP Companion Meeting</p> <p>Visit www.path.org.uk for programme details</p>	<p>14.00–17.00 Oral Presentations:</p> <p>15.00–15.30 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p>	<p>14.00–16.55 Symposium: <i>Molecular Diagnostics for Histopathologists</i></p> <p>14.00–14.30 Dr A Oniscu, Edinburgh <i>Tissue is the Issue: Sample and Practical Challenges in Molecular Pathology Testing</i></p> <p>14.30–15.00 Dr D Gonzalez de Castro, Belfast <i>The Impact of Tumour Assessment in Genomics</i></p> <p>15.00–15.15 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p> <p>15.15–15.55 Dr A Seller, Oxford <i>Title to be announced</i></p> <p>15.55–16.25 Dr R Butler, Cardiff <i>Clinical Implementation of Circulating Tumour DNA Analysis by Digital Droplet PCR for NSCLC</i></p> <p>16.25–16.55 Prof J Kreigsmann, Trier, Germany <i>MALDI TOF Mass Spectrometry in Routine Diagnostic Pathology</i></p>
<p>17.00–18.00 Public Lecture: <i>From Nora Barnacle to Barack Obama – A Personalised Journey Through Precision Medicine</i> Prof M Lawler, Belfast</p>		
<p>19.00–20.15 Welcome Reception and Tours, Belfast City Hall (see page 22 for details) 18.30–19.15 Belfast City Hall Tours (at 18.30–19.00 and 18.45–19.15) – places are limited. 19.00–20.15 Welcome Reception.</p>		

<p>14.00–17.00 Undergraduate Engagement Forum</p> <p>14.00–14.05 Dr RJ Byers, Manchester <i>Introduction</i></p> <p>14.05–14.20 <i>Platform 1</i></p> <p>14.20–14.35 <i>Platform 2</i></p> <p>14.35–14.50 <i>Platform 3</i></p> <p>14.50–15.05 <i>Platform 4</i></p> <p>15.05–15.20 <i>Platform 5</i></p> <p>15.20–15.45 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p> <p>15.45–15.50 Presentation: Undergraduate Essay Prize Winner 2016</p> <p>15.50–16.05 <i>Platform 6</i></p> <p>16.05–16.20 <i>Platform 7</i></p> <p>16.20–16.35 <i>Platform 8</i></p> <p>16.35–16.50 <i>Platform 9</i></p> <p>16.50–17.00 Presentation: Undergraduate Research Awards</p>		<p>14.00–16.55 BAGP Joint Meeting: <i>The Perils and Pleasures of Biopsy Pathology Reporting</i></p> <p>14.00–14.40 Prof WG McCluggage, Belfast <i>Cervical and Vulvovaginal Biopsies</i></p> <p>14.40–15.20 Dr R Soslow, New York, USA <i>Endometrial Biopsies</i></p> <p>15.20–15.35 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p> <p>15.35–16.15 Dr R Ganesan, Birmingham <i>Biopsies of Mesenchymal Lesions</i></p> <p>16.15–16.55 Dr B Gilks, Vancouver, Canada <i>Omental, Peritoneal and Ovarian Biopsies</i></p>

08.00 Registration and Coffee	
09.00–11.55 Symposium: <i>Gastrointestinal Pathology</i>	09.00–11.55 Oral Presentations
09.00–09.05 Dr M Loughrey, Belfast <i>Welcome</i>	10.30–10.55 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition
09.05–09.30 Dr M Loughrey, Belfast <i>Microscopic Colitis: A Term in Evolution</i>	
09.30–09.55 Prof RM Feakins, London <i>Ulcerative Colitis Versus Crohn's Disease: Is Biopsy Useful?</i>	
09.55–10.20 Prof K Sheahan, Dublin <i>Drug-Induced Gastrointestinal Disease</i>	
10.20–10.40 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition	
10.40–11.05 Prof M Novelli, London <i>Pathology of Ileoanal Pouch</i>	
11.05–11.30 Dr SL Meijer, Amsterdam, The Netherlands <i>Diagnostic Dilemmas in Barrett's Oesophagus</i>	
11.30–11.55 Dr AC Bateman, Southampton <i>Gastrointestinal Tract Involvement by Systemic Disease</i>	
12.00–12.45 The Pathological Society's CL Oakley Lecture: <i>Improving Outcomes in Colorectal Cancer – The Importance of Rigorous Pathological Quality Control</i> Dr NP West, Leeds	
12.45–14.00 Lunch, Poster Viewing and Trade Exhibition	

09.00–11.55 Symposium: <i>NGS for Tissue Pathologists</i>	09.00–11.55 Oral Presentations	09.00–11.55 Symposium: <i>Dermatopathology</i>
09.00–09.40 Dr J Hadfield, Cambridge <i>Overview of Next Generation Sequencing Technologies and Bioinformatics in Cancer</i>	10.30–10.55 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition	09.00–09.40 Dr E Calonje, London <i>Update on Cutaneous Vascular Tumours</i>
09.40–10.10 Dr A Stenzinger, Heidelberg, Germany <i>The Heidelberg Precision Medicine Programme</i>		09.40–10.20 Dr B Luzar, Ljubljana, Slovenia <i>Malignant Cutaneous Sweat Gland Tumours</i>
10.10–10.40 Dr M Ross, Great Chesterford <i>Genomes for Medicine: 100KG Programme and CRUK-SMP2</i>		10.20–10.35 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition
10.40–10.55 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition		10.35–11.15 Dr S Billings, Ohio, USA <i>Myxoid Tumours of the Skin</i>
10.55–11.25 Dr T Forshew, Cambridge and London <i>Using NGS in Circulating Tumour DNA</i>		11.15–11.55 Dr A De La Fouchardiere, Lyon, France <i>Update on the Clinico-Pathological and Molecular Diagnosis of Melanocytic Lesions</i>
11.25–11.55 Dr M Gerlinger, London <i>Intro-Tumour Heterogeneity and Genomic Evolution in Cancer</i>		

<p>14.00–17.00 Symposium: <i>Hepatobiliary</i></p> <p>14.00–14.05 Prof S Hubscher, Birmingham <i>Introduction</i></p> <p>14.05–14.35 Prof R Goldin, London <i>Update on Fatty Liver Disease</i></p> <p>14.35–15.05 Prof S Hubscher, Birmingham <i>Update on Autoimmune Biliary Disease</i></p> <p>15.05–15.35 Dr J Wyatt, Leeds <i>Update on Cholangiocarcinoma</i></p> <p>15.35–16.00 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p> <p>16.00–16.30 Prof F Campbell, Liverpool <i>Pitfalls in Pancreatic Pathology</i></p> <p>16.30–17.00 Prof CS Verbeke, Oslo, Norway <i>Pathology of Non-Neoplastic Pancreatic Diseases</i></p>	<p>14.00–17.00 Oral Presentations</p> <p>15.30–16.00 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p>	<p>14.00–17.00 Symposium: <i>Journal of Pathology ARI – Genetics of Disease</i></p> <p>14.00–14.30 Dr D Nava Rodrigues, Surrey <i>The Molecular Underpinnings of Prostate Cancer – Impacts on Management and Pathology Practice</i></p> <p>14.30–15.00 Speaker to be confirmed <i>Cancer Predisposition Syndromes – Lessons for Truly Precision Medicine</i></p> <p>15.00–15.30 Prof M O'Driscoll, Sussex <i>The Pathological Consequences of Impaired Genome Integrity in Humans – Disorders of the DNA Replication Machinery</i></p> <p>15.30–16.00 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p> <p>16.00–16.30 Dr M Rocha, Newcastle <i>The Genetics and Pathology of Mitochondrial Disease</i></p> <p>16.30–17.00 Prof S Brown, Dundee <i>Molecular Mechanisms in Atopic Eczema – Insights Gained from Genetic Studies</i></p>
<p>17.00–18.30 Poster Viewing and Chairman's Rounds</p>		

<p>14.00–17.00 Symposium: <i>Head and Neck</i></p> <p>14.00–14.20 Prof TR Helliwell, Liverpool <i>HPV-Associated Head and Neck Cancers – An Update</i></p> <p>14.20–15.00 Prof K Harrington, London <i>Evolving Evidence from Clinical Trials and Personalised Therapy for Patients with Head and Neck Cancer</i></p> <p>15.00–15.30 Dr M Toner, Dublin <i>Thinking Outside the Mouth – Diagnostic Challenges of Systemic Disease Presenting in the Oral Cavity</i></p> <p>15.30–16.00 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p> <p>16.00–16.30 Ms C Schilling, London <i>Sentinel Nodes in Oral and Head and Neck Cancers – The Surgeon's Perspective</i></p> <p>16.30–17.00 Dr S Thavaraj, London <i>Sentinel Node Biopsy and the Head and Neck Pathologist – Pearls and Pitfalls</i></p>	<p>14.00–17.00 Symposium: <i>Haematopathology</i></p> <p>14.05–14.25 Dr SA Feeney, Belfast <i>EBV Quantitation in Health and Disease</i></p> <p>14.25–15.05 Prof H van Krieken, Radboud, The Netherlands <i>Inflammatory Bowel Disease and EBV Related LPD in GIT</i></p> <p>15.05–15.35 Dr J Woodward, Cambridge <i>Refractory Coeliac Disease</i></p> <p>15.35–16.00 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition</p> <p>16.00–16.40 Prof L Quintanilla-Martinez de Fend, Tubingen, Germany <i>Pathological Spectrum of Refractory Coeliac and EATL/NK T-Lymphoma in GIT-Information from the New Technologies</i></p> <p>16.40–17.00 Prof F Fend, Tubingen, Germany <i>Potential Application of New Technologies to Lymphoproliferative Diseases in FIT – with Special Reference to Marginal Zone Lymphoma</i></p>

08.00 Registration and Coffee	
08.30–12.00 Symposium: <i>Breast</i>	08.30–13.00 Symposium: <i>Renal Pathology</i> <i>Including Renal Pathology EQA and Renal Transplant EQA</i>
08.30–09.00 Dr R Deb, Derby <i>An Update on Recent Guidelines (Diagnosis and Management of B3 Lesions, Operative and Non-Operative Breast Specimens) – What's New?</i>	<i>I Learned Something New from that Case – Six Presentations of Educational Renal Biopsies</i>
09.00–09.30 Dr E Provenzano, Cambridge <i>Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy in Breast Cancer – Practical Aspects of Specimen Handling and Recent Advances</i>	08.30–10.00 Dr M Soares, Oxford <i>Case 1</i>
09.30–10.00 Prof SE Pinder, London <i>What Do Breast Pathologists Find Difficult? Learning from My Referral Practice</i>	Dr S Coley, Glasgow <i>Case 2</i>
10.00–10.20 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition	Dr K Skordilis, Birmingham <i>Case 3</i>
10.20–10.50 Dr C Vreuls, Utrecht, The Netherlands <i>Digital Pathology in Breast Specimen Reporting – Barriers to Implementation and How to Overcome Them. What Can We Learn from the Utrecht Experience?</i>	Prof T Dorman, Dublin <i>Case 4</i>
10.50–11.20 Prof IO Ellis, Nottingham <i>Research in Breast Cancer – Where Are We Now and What's Next?</i>	Dr B Doyle, Dublin <i>Case 5</i>
11.20–12.00 Slide Seminar	Dr D O'Rourke, Belfast <i>Case 6</i>
	10.00–10.30 Dr C Roufosse, London <i>Banff 2017 Report</i>
	10.30–11.00 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition
	11.00–11.30 Dr I Bajema, Leiden The Netherlands <i>2016 Update of Lupus Nephritis Classification</i>
	11.30–11.45 Prof M Sheaff, London <i>RCPATH/Renal Registry Issues</i>
	11.45–12.30 Prof ISD Roberts, Oxford <i>Renal Pathology EQA</i>
	12.30–13.00 Dr D Neil, Birmingham <i>Renal Transplant EQA</i>

09.00–12.00 Oral Presentations	12.00–13.00 The Pathological Society's Annual General Meeting	09.00–12.00 Symposium: <i>Cancer Immunology for TPs</i>
10.30–11.00 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition		09.00–09.10 Prof G Thomas, Southampton <i>Welcome and Introduction</i>
		09.10–09.45 Prof G Thomas, Southampton <i>Cancer Immunology and Cancer Stroma</i>
		09.45–10.20 Dr Y Yuan, London <i>Deciphering the Tumour Ecosystem Using Machine Learning for Pathology</i>
		10.20–10.40 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition
		10.40–11.15 Dr JPC Le Quesne, Leicester <i>Macrophage Class Switching and Targeting of Tumour Immunology in Lung Cancer</i>
		11.15–11.50 Prof M Salto-Tellez, Belfast <i>Digital Pathology and Cancer Immunology Testing</i>

13.00–14.00
Lunch, Poster Viewing and Trade Exhibition

14.00–16.30
Plenary Oral Presentations

15.00–15.30
 Refreshment Break and Trade Exhibition

16.30–17.15
The Pathological Society's Doniach Lecture: *Fields of Carcinogenesis in Breast and Oesophagus*
 Dr JJ Going, Glasgow

19.30–23.00
Conference Dinner
 including musical entertainment

13.15–14.00
Trainees' Meet The Experts: *Placental Pathology for the Generalist*
 Prof NJ Sebire, London
 Separate lunch will be provided

08.00 Registration and Coffee	
09.50–12.00 Cytology-BAC: <i>Interventional Cytopathology</i> Visit www.path.org.uk for programme details	09.00–12.00 Trainees' Symposium: <i>Autopsy</i> 09.00–09.40 Prof J Crane, Belfast <i>Forensics, When To Call Them In/Refer</i> 09.40–10.20 Prof ISD Roberts, Oxford <i>Digital Post-Mortem</i> 10.20–10.40 Refreshment Break 10.40–11.20 Prof MN Sheppard, London <i>Cardiac Post-Mortem Pathology</i> 11.20–12.00 Dr M Jamal-Hanjani, London <i>Use of Autopsy Within Research – The PEACE Study</i>
12.00–13.00 Lunch	12.00–13.00 Trainees' Networking Lunch
13.00–16.30 Cytology-BAC: <i>Interventional Cytopathology</i> — <i>continued</i>	13.00–15.30 Trainees' Slide Seminar Discussion 14.30–14.50 Refreshment Break 14.50–15.30 Prof M Salto-Tellez, Belfast <i>How to Train in Molecular Pathology</i>
17.00 End of Conference	

09.00–12.00 ACEM Meeting (Association of Clinical Electron Microscopists) Visit www.path.org.uk for programme details	09.00–12.00 DIE Cardiac Group Meeting Visit www.path.org.uk for programme details	09.00–12.00 Digital Pathology for Clinical Diagnostics – Drivers for Change <i>Programme details to be confirmed</i>
12.00–13.00 Lunch		
13.30–17.00 ACEM Meeting (Association of Clinical Electron Microscopists) — <i>continued</i>	13.00–17.00 DIE Cardiac Group Meeting — <i>continued</i>	13.00–16.00 Digital Pathology for Clinical Diagnostics – Drivers for Change — <i>continued</i>

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION FEES UNTIL MIDNIGHT ON MONDAY 15 MAY 2017			
Delegate Type	Fee Categories	Per Day or Part Day	Conference Dinner
BDIAP or Pathological Society Member	Ordinary Member, Consultant and/or equivalent position	£ 125	£ 60
BDIAP or Pathological Society Concessionary Member	Biomedical Scientist; Honorary or Senior Member; PhD Student; Post-Doctoral Fellow, Technician and Trainee	£ 40	£ 60
Pathological Society Undergraduate Student Member	Undergraduate Student	Free	£ 30
Non-Member	Consultant and/or equivalent position	£ 180	£ 60
Non-Member Concessionary *	Biomedical Scientist; PhD Student; Post-Doctoral Fellow, Technician and Trainee	£ 55	£ 60
Non-Member Undergraduate Student *	Undergraduate Student <i>See special offer below</i>	£ 55	£ 60
Companion Groups (except ACEM) <i>See list of eligible groups</i>	All categories	£ 125	£ 60

ELIGIBLE COMPANION GROUPS

British Association of Cytopathology, British Association of Gynaecological Pathology, British Association of Urological Pathologists, Dutch Irish English (DIE) Cardiac Group, Renal EQA, 100,000 Genomes Project.

*** CONCESSIONS**

Delegates from categories: *Non-Member Undergraduate Student* and *Non-Member Concessionary* must provide an identification document as proof of their student or trainee status, including NTN's where applicable. Proof must be by way of a statement from the Head of Department.

Please email to: julie@pathsoc.org (see registration website for template wording).

SPECIAL OFFER: Non-Member Undergraduate Students (UK and Ireland)

Join the **Royal College of Pathologists** and get free membership of the **Pathological Society** to benefit from free meeting registration for Belfast Pathology 2017 and all future Pathological Society scientific meetings.

For more information use the URLs below:

<https://www.rcpath.org/discover-pathology/are-you-an-undergraduate-.html>

<http://www.pathsoc.org/index.php/about/undergraduates>

LATE REGISTRATION FEES FROM MIDNIGHT ON TUESDAY 16 MAY 2017			
Delegate Type	Fee Categories	Per Day or Part Day	Conference Dinner
BDIAP or Pathological Society Member	Ordinary Member, Consultant and/or equivalent position	£ 190	£ 80
BDIAP or Pathological Society Concessionary Member	Biomedical Scientist; Honorary or Senior Member; PhD Student; Post-Doctoral Fellow, Technician and Trainee	£ 70	£ 80
Pathological Society Undergraduate Student Member	Undergraduate Student	Free	£ 30
Non-Member	Consultant and/or equivalent position	£ 260	£ 80
Non-Member Concessionary *	Biomedical Scientist; PhD Student; Post-Doctoral Fellow, Technician and Trainee	£ 85	£ 80
Non-Member Undergraduate Student *	Undergraduate Student <i>See special offer below</i>	£ 85	£ 80
Companion Groups (except ACEM) <i>See list of eligible groups</i>	All categories	£ 190	£ 80

REGISTRATION

Registration is **online only** via: www.path.org.uk

ADVANCE REGISTRATION

Advance registration will close on Monday 5 June 2017 (midnight).

After this date all delegate fees will increase by £15.00 per day (including Undergraduate Members).

CANCELLATIONS

A cancellation fee of £20 will be deducted from any refund due for cancellations received in writing by Thursday 1 June 2017.

No refunds will be made after Thursday 1 June 2017.

REFRESHMENTS

All refreshments, including lunch, are included in the daily registration fee.

DELEGATE ENROLMENT (AT THE MEETING)

Enrolment at the Delegate Reception Desk will take place from 08.00 hrs each day unless stated otherwise.

VENUE LOCATION

Belfast Waterfront, 2 Lanyon Place, Belfast BT1 3WH.

FREE PAPER SESSIONS**ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

Presentations will be allocated 15 minutes each, to include discussion. These will be selected on the basis of the written abstracts. *Those papers not selected for oral presentation will be required to be presented as posters.*

PLENARY ORAL SESSION

There will be a Plenary Oral Session in which the highest ranking submitted oral abstracts will be presented.

Prize

A prize for the best Plenary Oral Presentation will be awarded by the *Journal of Pathology* at the Conference Dinner.

Poster Viewing and Poster Rounds

Official Poster Chairman will review the posters as shown in the Programme Summary. A drinks reception will also be held. It is requested that posters remain on display until Thursday 22 June.

POSTER PRIZES**BDIAP POSTER PRIZES**

Awarded for the best 3 posters relevant to diagnostic pathology.

PATHOLOGICAL SOCIETY POSTER PRIZES

Pathological Society's Sir Alastair Currie Prize and second and third poster prizes

NEW — CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY PRESS PRIZES

Poster Prizes for Trainees and Undergraduates.

WINNERS

Winners will be announced at the Conference Dinner on Thursday 22 June.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS**Publication of abstracts in the *Journal of Pathology On-Line Supplement***

The presenting author (or another author) must attend the meeting to present the poster during their allocated poster round in order for the abstract to be published in the *Journal of Pathology On-line Supplement*.

SLIDE SEMINAR COMPETITION AND REVIEW SESSION**VIEWING**

Digital slide images of all cases will be available for preview on the website in advance of the meeting.

DISCUSSION SESSION

Friday 23 June.

PRIZE

A £250 Amazon Voucher.

The winner will be announced at the Conference Dinner on Thursday 22 June.

SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS – DEADLINE

Monday 13 March 2017 (midnight)

Abstracts must be submitted online via: www.path.org.uk

Unless otherwise instructed by the authors, all abstracts will be published in the *Journal of Pathology On-line Supplement* at the discretion of the Meetings Secretaries and the Editor.

Presenters must register for the meeting in advance.

TRADE EXHIBITION

There will be a Trade Exhibition at the meeting adjacent to the poster and catering areas.

TRAVELLING TO THE BELFAST WATERFRONT

For travel information please visit: www.path.org.uk

ACCOMMODATION

Hotel accommodation has been reserved for delegates, please visit: www.path.org.uk

INTERNET ACCESS

Wi-Fi internet access will be available for delegates at the meeting.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

TUESDAY 20 JUNE

Welcome Reception ([Belfast City Hall](#)).

Reserve your free ticket when registering online. Please visit: www.path.org.uk

Belfast City Hall Tours

There are two 30-minute tours (at 18.30 and 18.45) with a maximum of 50 people per tour. Please book when you register. The fee is £5.00.

THURSDAY 22 JUNE

Conference Dinner (Titanic Belfast) including musical entertainment provided by *The Bentley Boys*. Tickets are £60 (**price increases to £80 after 15 May**) and £30 for Undergraduates. Please reserve your ticket when registering online.

Delegates wishing to visit the [Titanic Belfast Experience](#) can obtain a discounted entrance fee of £14.50 (normally £17.50) – *for the duration of the conference*. Please quote the following code when booking via the website or on arrival at the ticket office: **CONFDELS2017**.

LOCAL PLACES OF INTEREST

For information please visit this link:

Places of Interest

ENQUIRIES

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CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (CPD)

ROYAL COLLEGE OF PATHOLOGISTS

The Royal College of Pathologists has approved the Conference as detailed below. This is for the main Conference only and therefore for the BAUP, BAC and DIE Meetings delegates should refer to their individual programmes for CPD information.

	Full Day*
Tuesday 20 June	7 credits
Wednesday 21 June	6 credits
Thursday 22 June	6 credits
Friday 23 June	6 credits

* The Society is not permitted to issue certificates for less than full day attendance. Delegates should use their reflective notes section of their CPD Portfolio to self-accredit if attending less than full days.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS

Please ensure that all relevant information regarding this Meeting is passed on to any non-members who wish to participate.

DISCLAIMER

The British Division of the IAP and Pathological Society of Great Britain & Ireland cannot be held responsible for any injury or loss sustained during the Meeting.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Any further information or amendments to this programme will be posted on the meeting website: www.path.org.uk

Please note all timings, titles and speakers are subject to alteration.

