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*Diagnostic Pearls for the Practicing Pathologist*

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## ABOUT THE MEETING

This seminar is designated to be a comprehensive review of soft tissue, gastrointestinal, genitourinary, pancreaticobiliary and endocrine pathology. A focus will be on providing diagnostic pearls which allow for an accurate diagnosis as well as how to best avoid diagnostic pitfalls. There will be extensive discussion related to the most useful and pertinent diagnostic immunohistochemical and molecular genetic techniques as well as ample opportunity for interactive discussion between faculty members and the participants.

## Target Audience

This CME activity is primarily designed to educate practicing pathologists.

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## Educational Objectives

Attendees should, at the completion of this course, be able to:

- Develop an approach to common morphologic patterns seen in soft tissue tumors.
- Discuss the ancillary diagnostic approach to difficult soft tissue tumors including immunohistochemistry, molecular, and genetic diagnostic tests.
- Describe the most important diagnostic clues and patterns seen in soft tissue tumors which lead to a specific diagnosis.
- Explain the controversies regarding diagnostic criteria for Barrett's esophagus and Barrett's-related dysplasia.
- Discuss the effects of contemporary therapy on the pathology and management of patients with inflammatory bowel disease.
- Describe the role of the pathologist in helping to manage patients with IBD-related dysplasia and neoplasia.
- Apply risk stratification criteria for the prognostication of gastrointestinal stromal tumors.
- Discuss and recognize the succinate dehydrogenase-deficient gastrointestinal stromal tumor and understand the clinical significance of this category of GIST.
- Describe the transcription factors most useful for the identification of primary site location in metastatic carcinomas.
- Discuss the diagnostic markers for distinguishing hepatocellular carcinoma from metastatic carcinomas to the liver.
- Apply immunohistochemical markers to determine the primary site for metastatic well-differentiated neuroendocrine tumor.
- Accurately render a diagnosis of non-invasive follicular thyroid neoplasms with papillary-like nuclear features and recognize its mimics.
- Identify tumors with progression to poorly differentiated or anaplastic thyroid carcinoma.
- Recognize the morphologic spectrum of adrenal cortical carcinoma.
- Describe the features helpful in establishing a malignant diagnosis of prostate cancer on needle biopsy.
- Review the morphologic features essential in distinguishing benign mimickers from bladder cancer.
- Recognize unusual variants of common renal tumors and become familiar with more recently described renal tumors.
- Appreciate the subtle histomorphologic features that can help to distinguish well-differentiated ductal adenocarcinoma from reactive changes in the pancreas.
- Appreciate the anatomic and histologic compartments of the ampulla and their significance in the versatility and subclassification of ampullary tumors.
- Acquire knowledge of new concepts, terminology and histologic grading of pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors.

*No special educational preparation is required for this CME activity.*

## COURSE ORGANIZATION

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# PROGRAM

## Thursday, September 14, 2017

<b>7:00 – 8:00 AM</b>	<b>Registration and Continental Breakfast for Registrants</b>
8:00 – 8:10	Welcome and Introduction <i>John R. Goldblum, M.D.</i>
8:10 – 9:10	A Contemporary Update of Colitis-associated Dysplasia <i>Robert D. Odze, M.D., FRCPC</i>
9:10 – 10:10	The Evolution of Immunohistochemistry in Soft Tissue Tumor Pathology: From Differentiation to Molecular Genetics <i>Jason L. Hornick, M.D.</i>
<b>10:10 – 10:30</b>	<b>Coffee Break for Registrants</b>
10:30 – 11:30	Barrett's Esophagus: Controversial Diagnostic Issues Relevant to Pathologists <i>Robert D. Odze, M.D., FRCPC</i>
11:30 – 12:30 PM	Helpful Tips for Resolving Differential Diagnostic Consideration on Prostate Biopsy <i>Cristina Magi-Galluzzi, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
<b>12:30 – 1:30</b>	<b>Lunch On Your Own</b>

## Thursday, September 14, 2017 (Continued)

1:30 – 2:30	Mesenchymal Tumors of the Gastrointestinal Tract: An Update on GIST and Differential Diagnosis Using Immunohistochemistry <i>Jason L. Hornick, M.D.</i>
2:30 – 3:30	A Guide to Noninvasive Follicular Thyroid Neoplasm with Papillary-like Nuclear Features (NIFTP) <i>Justine Barletta, M.D.</i>
<b>3:30 – 3:45</b>	<b>Coffee Break for Registrants</b>
3:45 – 4:30	Update on Ampulla and Gallbladder Pathology <i>N. Volkan Adsay, M.D.</i>
4:30 – 5:15	Role of the Pathologist in Diagnosing and Managing Patients with IBD <i>Robert D. Odze, M.D., FRCPC</i>
5:15 – 6:00	Metastatic Carcinoma of Unknown Primary: Diagnostic Approach Using Immunohistochemistry <i>Jason L. Hornick, M.D.</i>
<b>6:00</b>	<b>End of Session</b>

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2017

7:30 – 8:00 AM	<b>Continental Breakfast for Registrants</b>
8:00 – 9:00	Diagnostic Pitfalls in Bladder Pathology <i>Cristina Magi-Galluzzi, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
9:00 – 10:00	Potential Pitfalls in Thyroid Pathology <i>Justine Barletta, M.D.</i>
10:00 – 10:15	<b>Coffee Break for Registrants</b>
10:15 – 11:15	The Trouble with Fat: Diagnostic Issues with Well-Differentiated Lipomatous Tumors <i>John R. Goldblum, M.D.</i>
11:15 – 12:15 PM	Neuroendocrine Tumors of the Gastrointestinal and Pancreatobiliary Tracts <i>N. Volkan Adsay, M.D.</i>
12:15 – 1:30	<b>Lunch On Your Own</b>

Friday, September 15, 2017 (Continued)

1:30 – 2:30	Common Renal Cell Neoplasms and Their Differential Diagnosis <i>Cristina Magi-Galluzzi, M.D., Ph.D.</i>
2:30 – 3:30	Common Morphologic Patterns in Soft Tissue Tumors, Part 1 <i>John R. Goldblum, M.D.</i>
3:30 – 3:45	<b>Coffee Break for Registrants</b>
3:45 – 4:30	Common Morphologic Patterns in Soft Tissue Tumors, Part 2 <i>John R. Goldblum, M.D.</i>
4:30 – 5:15	A Case-Based Approach to Tumors of the Adrenal Gland and Paraganglia <i>Justine Barletta, M.D.</i>
5:15 – 6:00	Differential Diagnosis of Pancreatic Tumors <i>N. Volkan Adsay, M.D.</i>
6:00	<b>End of Course</b>

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