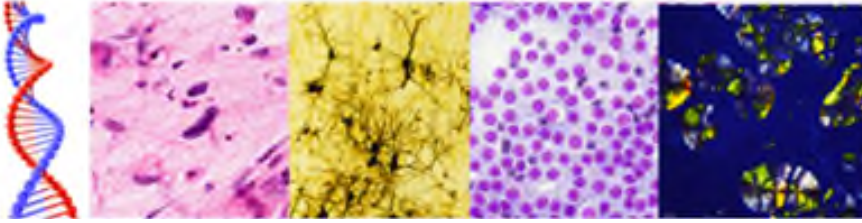


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Important Items

Mark Your Calendar!

- Annual Membership Survey Launch: **October 16, 2020**
- **November 1, 2020:**
 - 2021 Membership Renewal opens
- **December 1, 2020:** AANP Abstract Submission Site open for submissions
- **Spring 2021:** 97th Annual Meeting Registration opens – specific date to be announced
- **June 10 – 13, 2021:** 97th Annual Meeting

Reminders

- Renew your membership by **December 31, 2020** to ensure uninterrupted member benefits
- Complete the Annual Membership Survey by **November 20, 2020**



On the Horizon

2021 Membership Renewal

The 2021 Membership renewal is right around the corner and will launch on November 1, 2020. The AANP will be sending an e-mail with additional information and a direct link, for a streamlined renewal process. While completing your renewal, you will be able to update your contact information. If you have any questions please reach out to the AANP Office at aanp@aoeconsulting.com or (720) 372-0888.

Membership Survey

Each fall, the AANP requests that members complete the Annual Membership Survey which launched on October 16, 2020. We request that all AANP members participate, as the results inform future educational offerings at the Annual Meeting. The survey also helps to facilitate documentation of areas of educational need which is a requirement of the accreditation board, the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME).



Save the Date for the AANP's 97th Annual Meeting!

Mark your calendars for the 97th Annual Meeting, occurring at the Hyatt Regency St. Louis at the Arch in St. Louis, Missouri, on June 10-13th, 2021. Please keep an eye on your e-mail, as the AANP will be providing specific meeting updates over the next several months. With ever evolving circumstances as a result of COVID-19, the AANP will be making some changes for the 2021 Annual Meeting. At this time, based on COVID-19 and feedback following the 96th Annual Meeting, the AANP is planning to have a hybrid, in-person and live-streamed, meeting

for 2021. Additionally, in order to have a clearer picture of social distancing requirements, the AANP has decided to postpone Annual Meeting registration until spring 2021. More details to come!

We look forward a unique meeting experience!

96th Annual Meeting Review

Due to COVID-19, the AANP had to postpone our trip to beautiful Monterey, CA. In a quick timeframe, we pivoted to planning and implementing our first-ever virtual Annual Meeting, which occurred as planned from Thursday, June 11th-Sunday, June 14th, 2020. A large "thank you" to all who attended the virtual meeting. This meeting boasted record attendance and we hope that your experience was valuable, despite the unusual circumstances of 2020.

Additionally, we are excited to announce that we were able to work with the Hyatt Regency Monterey, and this will be the location of the AANP's 99th Annual Meeting in 2023.

The virtual meeting format did have a silver lining, in that the AANP, in conjunction with the R13 grant funds and sponsorship by the International Society of Neuropathology (ISN), was able award more trainee awards to eligible individuals than we'd originally expected! The AANP awarded the following:

- 13 Richard Davis Awards (10 funded from AANP and 3 from R13)
- 10 AANP Awards (7 funded from AANP and 3 from R13)
- 3 R13 Awards
- 10 Women and Diversity Awards (funded by R13)
- 4 ISN Awards (funded by the ISN)

The AANP was pleased to welcome an extremely interesting faculty lineup and range of topics. Despite the new virtual format, the AANP Annual Meeting followed the same structure as previous years, allowing attendees to choose from a number of Platform Sessions, occurring concurrently, as well as attend the Named Lectures, *Special Course* and the *Presidential Symposium*, as typical. There was even an opportunity to virtually view the posters that were selected for the 96th Annual Meeting.

WELCOME!		CLICK HERE FOR LIVE STREAM SESSIONS
FULL SCHEDULE		
VIRTUAL EXHIBIT HALL	PRODUCT SHOWCASE	POSTER GALLERY
 MY SCHEDULE	 CME INFO & DISCLOSURES	 AWARD RECIPIENTS



On Thursday, June 11th, 2020, the meeting began with the two-part *Special Course*, which was planned and implemented by Eileen Bigio, MD and Daniel Brat, MD, PhD. The theme of part-one of the *Special Course* was *Molecular Genetics in Neurodegenerative Disease*, and the topic for part-two was *Extra-Axial Neoplasms*. The Thursday lineup welcomed a number of engaging speakers and a captive audience. Presented within the *Special Course* on Thursday, was the first *What Every Neuropathologist Needs to Know (WENNTK)* lecture, *About Prion Diseases*, presented by Mark Cohen, MD, of Case Western Reserve University.

Threaded throughout the Annual Meeting, the AANP welcomed the Named Lecture speakers on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. On Friday, the *Parisi Lecture* was given by Henrik Zetterberg, MD, PhD from the University of Gothenburg, who presented on *Fluid Biomarkers in Neurodegenerative Disease*. Later that afternoon, Daniel Geschwind, MD, PhD of University of California, Los Angeles, presented the *DeArmond Lecture on Gene Networks Define the Molecular Pathology and Identify New Therapeutic Targets in Neuropsychiatric Disorders*. The *Korey Lecture, Pediatric Diffuse Gliomas*, occurred on Saturday and was presented by Cynthia Hawkins, MD, PhD, FRCPC, of The Hospital for Sick Children. Finally, the *Moore Lecture* occurred on Sunday, presented by David Capper, MD from Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin titled, *DNA Methylation Profiling of CNS Neoplasms*.

Saturday hosted a number of exciting events, including the second *What Every Neuropathologist Needs to Know* lecture, *Practical Aspects & Pitfalls in Molecular Diagnosis of Brain Tumors*, presented by Christiane Ida, MD from the Mayo Clinic. As normal, Saturday evening provided the 61st Annual *Diagnostic Slide Session*, hosted by Caterina Giannini, MD, PhD, DSS Moderator, and Rebecca Folkerth, MD, DSS Manager. In total, 11 cases were presented, chosen from 39 submissions ranging from tumor to neurodegenerative to developmental disorders.

Closing out the meeting, the *Presidential Symposium: Progress in the Molecular Classification of Diffuse Gliomas*, organized by the AANP 2020 President, Daniel Brat, MD, PhD, hosted outstanding content presented by experts in the field. Additionally, in light of COVID-19, a special addition was included on Sunday, focused on the pandemic. Rebecca Folkerth, MD, from the NYC office of the Chief Medical Examiner, Daniel Perl, MD, from Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Desiree Marshall, MD, of University of Washington and Avindra Nath, MD, from the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, presented on the *Neuropathology of COVID-19: Preliminary Report*. Lastly, R. Ross Reichard, MD from Mayo Clinic spoke regarding *Pandemic and Mass Fatality Planning and Management*.



Awards

The following awards were presented at the 96th Annual Meeting.

Hirano Award

Best Clinco-Pathologic paper in Neurodegeneration

Network-based spread of FTLD-TDP type C pathology.



Alexander Feldman, Eileen Bigio, Changiz Geula, Margaret Flanagan, Tamar Gefen, Sandra Weintraub, Marek-Marsel Mesulam, Qinwen Mao



Moore Award

Best Clinco-Pathologic paper in Neuropathology

Molecular Testing in Sudden Death Associated with Epilepsy in a Forensic Office: Preliminary Genotype-Phenotype Correlations



Michelle Stram, YingYing Tang, Jansen Seheult, Rebecca Folkerth




Moore Award

Best Clinco-Pathologic paper in Neuropathology

Honorable Mention:

CDKN2A deletion in supratentorial ependymoma with RELA alteration indicates a dismal prognosis.

Stephani Jeunger, Felipe Andreiuolo, Martin Mynarek, Evelyn Doerner, Anja zur Muehlen, Natalia Velez-Char, Katja von Hoff, Stefan Rutkowski, Monika Warmuth-Metz, Rolf-Dieter Kortmann, Beate Timmermann, Andre von Bueren, **Torsten Pietsch** 



Rubinstein Award

Best paper in Neuro-oncology

The G34R mutation alters the H3.3 interactome leading to impaired double strand break repair



Cynthia Hawkins, Byungjin Kim, Laura Canty, Brian Raugh, Eric Campos



Rubinstein Award

Best paper in Neuro-oncology

Honorable Mention:

Genome-wide haploidization is a distinctive mechanism of tumorigenesis in glioblastoma



Julieann Lee, Yalan Zhang, Nancy Ann Oberheim Bush, Jennie Taylor, Nicholas Butowski, Emily Sloan, Cathryn Cadwell, Biswarathan Ramani, Jeffrey Hofmann, Shawn Hervey-Jumper, Philip Theodosopoulos, Manish Aghi, Michael McDermott, Mitchel Berger, Andrew Bollen, Tarik Tihan, Arie Perry, Joseph Costello, Susan Chang, Annette Molinaro, Jennifer Clarke, David Solomon



Rubinstein Award

Best paper in Neuro-oncology

Honorable Mention:

Phenogenomic Characterization of Immunomodulatory Purinergic Signaling in Glioblastoma




Shannon Coy, Jia-Ren Lin, Sylwia Stopka, Jaeho Hwang, Prasidda Khadka, Phillipp Euskirchen, Pratiti Bandopadhyay, Patrick Wen, Peter Sorger, Nathalie Agar, Keith Ligon, Mehdi Touat, Sandro Santagata



Terry Award

Best Basic/Translational paper in Neurodegeneration

Increased Somatic Mutations in Alzheimer's Disease Neurons Illuminate Cascade of Events in Cellular Pathogenesis

 **Michael Miller**, August Huang, Michael Lodato, Junho Kim, Lariza Rento, Eduardo Maury, Bradley Hyman, Alice Lee, Christopher Walsh




Terry Award

Best Basic/Translational paper in Neurodegeneration

Honorable Mention:

APOE and TREM2 regulate amyloid responsive microglia in Alzheimer's disease

 **Aivi Nguyen**, Kui Wang, Gang Hu, Xuran Wang, Zhen Miao, Joshua Azevedo, EunRan Suh, Vivianna Van Deerlin, David Choi, Kathryn Roeder, Mingyao Li, Edward Lee



Weil Award

Best paper in Experimental Neuropathology

Mechanisms of Azetidine-2-carboxylic Acid (Aze)-Induced Oligodendroglipathy In Vivo and In Vitro

 **Raymond Sobel**, Megan Albertelli, Julian Hinojoza, Mary Eaton, Kevin Grimes, Edward Rubenstein



Diagnostic Slide Session

O.T. Bailey – Helena Riggs Award

2020 DSS Case 10


 **M. Adelita Vizcaino**, Howard Chang and Rachael Vaubel



Diagnostic Slide Session

For the Best Neurodegenerative Disease Case Presented at the 96th Annual Meeting

2020 DSS Case 4

 **Lucy Evans**, Edwin Stone, Robert Mullins, Budd Tucker, Katherine Gibson-Corley and Karra Jones



Meritorious Contributions to Neuropathology

The awards for Meritorious Contributions to Neuropathology recognize members who have made significant contributions to the advancement of knowledge in neuropathology and provided service to the American Association of Neuropathologists. Each recipient of the award is nominated by the President, in conjunction with the Nominating Committee, and with the approval of the Executive Council. This year's awards were presented to **Charles L. White, III, MD** and **Clayton Wiley, MD, PhD**. Congratulations!



Annual Business Meeting – June 2020

The following committee updates provide a high-level overview of the Committee Reports presented at the June 12, 2020 Annual Business Meeting, as well as other pertinent updates.

Committee Updates

Awards Committee

The Awards Committee, consisting of 15 total members, reviewed a record 246 abstracts for the 2020 Annual Meeting. Of the 246 abstracts, 64 were presented as platform sessions, and 182 were awarded poster presentations. The Committee conferred five awards and four honorable mentions for abstracts presented at the 96th Annual Meeting. See the [Awards](#) section in 96th Annual Meeting Review.

Program Committee

The slate of Annual Meeting program and review and selection of abstracts for presentation is the responsibility of the Program Committee. Each year, the Program Committee is responsible for selecting the AANP, Richard Davis and ISN Travel Awards; which even in the virtual setting were still presented as monetary awards to deserving recipients. This year the AANP, in conjunction with R13 grant funding, had the honor of selecting the standard awards for abstract submitters, as well as 3 R13 awards and 10 Women and Diversity Awards. Overall, 246 abstracts were submitted, as compared to 2019 and 2018 (234 and 218 abstracts, respectively) which equates to a 5% increase from 2019. The following chart shows the distribution of abstracts submitted across categories, noting, as typical, the most popular submission categories again being *Tumors and Neurodegenerative Diseases*.

Category	Abstracts (n)	Abstracts (%)	Platform (n)	Platform (%)
<i>Tumors</i>	128	52	26	40
<i>Neurodegenerative</i>	50	20	20	31
<i>Muscle, Nerve and Eye Pathology</i>	11	4	2	3
<i>Demyelinating/inflammatory</i>	10	4	3	5
<i>Infectious</i>	7	3	1	2

<i>Developmental/Pediatric</i>	18	7	7	11
<i>CTE/Trauma</i>	3	2	1	2
<i>Vascular/Stroke</i>	4	2	1	2
<i>Other</i>	15	6	3	5
<i>Total</i>	246	100	64	100

The Abstract Submission site will be open for submissions for the 97th Annual Meeting beginning December 1, 2020.

Nominating Committee

At the 2020 Annual Meeting, the Nominating Committee presented the following slate of nominees, approved by the Executive Council:

- President-Elect: Maria Beatriz S. Lopes, MD
- Vice President-Elect: Rebecca Folkerth, MD
- Vice President for Professional Affairs: Doug Anthony, MD, PhD
- Secretary-Treasurer: Jennifer Baccon, MD, PhD
- Assistant Secretary-Treasurer: Eddie Lee, MD, PhD
- Member-At-Large: Mark Cohen, MD and Peter Nelson, MD

Membership Committee

The Membership Committee, consisting of seven total members and chaired by Anne Buckley, MD, PhD, continued to focus on recruitment and retention efforts, by engaging members of the AANP and sending targeted e-mail correspondence, which additionally helped in the pursuit of database accuracy. Between July 2019 and May 2020, the Membership Committee reviewed and approved 50 new member applications.

New Active Members	New Junior Members	New Associate Members	Junior to Active Members
Mireille Bitar, MD	Tiffany Baker, MD, PhD	Deepa Rao, BVSc, PhD	Travis Danielsen, MD
David Davis, PhD	Eric Goold, MD		Sean Ferris, MD, PhD
Christiane Ida, MD	Pouya Jamshidi, MD		Michael Paolini, MD
Thomas Mitchell, VMD, PhD	Michael Miller, MD, PhD		Stefan Prokop, MD
David Pisapia, MD	Rhonda Mittenzwei, MD		Rachael Vaubel, MD, PhD
Ali Saad, MD	Maria Adelita Vizcaino		Christina Di Loreto, MD
Jaime Walker, MD, PhD	Villalobos, MD		Dibson Gondim, MD
Steven White, MD, PhD	Ekin Guney, MD		Richard Hickman, MD
Zhenggang Xiong, MD, PhD	Melanie Haker, DO		Melissa Umphlett, MD
Andrew Guajardo, MD	Jonathan Lavezo, MD		
Jason Huse, MD, PhD	John Moran		
Yuan Rong, MD, PhD	Alejandro Perez, MD		
Jie Chen, MD, PhD	Patricia Pittman, MD,		
Margaret Flanagan, MD	MBA		
Katherine Gibson-Corley,	Nabil Tabish, MD, MS		
DVM, PhD	Bartholomew White, MD		
Thomas Pearce, MD, PhD	Michael Williams, MD,		
Matthew Schniederjan, MD	MSc		
Silvia Siso, DVM, PhD	Samantha Champion, MD		
Nishant Tiwari, MD, MS	Jason Chen, MD, PhD		
Jianying Zeng, MD	Yevgen Chornenkyy, MD		
Qi Zhang, MD, PhD	Mohammad Haeri, MD,		
Lisandro Lopes, MD, PhD	PhD		
	Daniel Kirsch		
	Rachel Kolster, MD, PhD		
	Aivi Nguyen, MD		
	Emile Pinarbasi, MD, PhD		

	Astin Powers, MD Zachary Rabow Matthew Torre, MD		
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Election to Senior Membership

Irina Alafuzoff, MD, PhD
Nigel Cairns, PhD, FRCPath
Ronald Hamilton, MD
Hannah Kinney, MD
Patricia Kirby, MD, FRCPath
Rodney McComb, MD
Robert Mrak, MD, PhD
Joseph Parisi, MD
Harvey Sarnat, MS, MD, FRCPC

Michael Farrell, FRCPI, FRCPC
Gary Pearl, MD, PhD
Eileen Bigio, MD
Brian Harding, DPhil, FRCPath
John Hedreen, MD
Christine Hulette, MD
Anders Paetau, MD, PhD
Lothar Resch, MD, FRCPC
Elizabeth Wu, MD

“In Memoriam” - Members Reported Between the 95th Annual Meeting and 96th Annual Meeting

Asao Hirano, MD
Edward Stopa, MD
Joseph C. Parker, Jr, MD
Samuel K. Ludwin, MBBCh, FRCPC
J Hume Adams, MD, PhD, DSc
Serge Duckett, MD, PhD

Constitution & Bylaws Committee

The following provides a high-level overview of proposed amendments to the Bylaws that were presented at the 2020 Annual Business Meeting. The current Constitution and Bylaws are posted on the [website](#) for further review.

- Amendments to the By-Laws- *Article 2: Election of Members*
 - Section 2.5b: Add the phrase, “Candidates for active membership shall submit a completed web-based application form together with their curriculum vitae and a brief cover letter outlining their qualifications for active membership”
Rationale: Candidates for active membership are not required to be nominated by an active member of the Association
- Amendments to the By-Laws – *Article 6: Committees*
 - Section 6.10, Financial & Investment Committee: this section includes descriptions of membership, term and charge
 - **Rationale:** Creation of a permanent Finance and Investment Committee

The amendments were approved by membership on June 12, 2020 with the required two-thirds affirmative votes in the quorum of the AANP Annual Business Meeting (Article 1, Section 1.2).

Professional Affairs

The Professional Affairs Committee presented the 2019 AANP Membership Survey results at the 2020 Annual Business Meeting to focus on pertinent education regarding the changes and trends in the practice of neuropathology. A total of 107 individuals responded to the Fall 2019 AANP Membership Survey.

Annual Membership Survey Overview:

- Four long-term projects are in progress:
 - Creation of mechanism for sharing information about molecular testing
 - Member survey on current neuromuscular practices
 - Long-term workforce needs in neuropathology
 - AANP coordination with international meetings

- As a result of the survey, the AANP will continue efforts in:
 - Improve availability of MOC and CME options and information on requirements
 - Inform members about current practice needs and evolving training needs

The AANP Professional Affairs Committee aims to compile and launch an anonymous practice survey in late-2020/early-2021, for completion by the AANP membership. The survey will provide additional insight for the Committee in pursuit of the achievement of the long-term goals outlined above, as well as the areas of continued efforts.

Website Committee

The Website Committee continues to manage the website created for the AANP and had an *especially* busy year in 2020 with COVID-19! The Committee intends to maintain and implement several plans for the following year.

Highlights from the past year include:

- 120,000 more traffic hits to the AANP homepage from 2019 to 2020 (Furthermore, this is up 270,000 more hits since 2018)
- The Neuropathology Blog has been integrated on the website
- Continued success on social media – gaining followers on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn

Future Plans:

- Learning Management System
- Diagnostic Slide Session (DSS) Long-Term Plan
- Cyber Security Coverage

Make sure to visit the website regularly, www.neuropath.org, as it is continually updated with pertinent AANP information!

Archivist Report

Charles L. White III, MD, the AANP’s archivist, expressed a goal of cataloguing the materials in the archives in a database format. He also plans to digitize as much of the material as possible, and to identify an appropriate cloud-based means of storage. These efforts would facilitate access and retrieval and streamline fulfillment of requests for material.

A near-term goal will be to request CVs and photographs in a digital format from all current members.

JNEN Report

John (Jack) Lee, MD, PhD, Editor-in-Chief, reported that the *Journal of Neuropathology & Experimental Neurology (JNEN)* had an overall successful year with subscriptions increasing by approximately 3% from 2019 to 2020, and around an 11% increase of total manuscripts received for review. Dr. Lee and the *JNEN* are in negotiations regarding a continued partnership with **Oxford University Press** with the next five-year contract.

Education Committee



Self-Assessment Modules: The Education Committee has worked diligently to plan, develop and implement new SAMs. Visit the [AANP website](http://www.aanp.org) for a current listing of available SAMs which are registered with the America Board of Pathology through the ACCME for Maintenance of Certification Lifelong Learning and Self-Assessment.

As a reminder, as a result of a collaboration between the ACCME and Royal College of Physician and Surgeons of Canada (RCPSC), Royal College Fellows can now earn RCPSC Maintenance of Certification Program Section 3 credits through participation in AANP SAMs, which are registered for American Board of Pathology Maintenance of Certification.

In June 2020 the American Board of Pathology announced that self-assessment modules will no longer be required beginning in 2021. Diplomates who have to report to the ABPath in 2020 still have to document SAMs credits, however, beginning in 2021, SAMs credits will no longer be required. CME credit is still required. Please visit [this link](#) for more information. As a result of this change, the AANP will no longer be developing SAMs and the website which hosts SAMs will be retired after 12/31/2020. Additional correspondence will be sent to AANP membership and information will be posted to the AANP website.

96th Annual Meeting Recorded Content Posted and CME/SAM Credit Reminder:

The recorded content from the 96th Annual Meeting is now accessible via the event website. Recorded content includes the *Special Course*, Named Lectures, *What Every Neuropathologist Needs to Know* sessions, the *Diagnostic Slide Session* the *Presidential Symposium*, and the COVID-19 lectures. To view recorded content, select “Full Schedule.” Those sessions with a recording will have a film icon next to the session listing in the schedule. Click on a specific session listing and then select “Video” in the bottom right corner. Please note: Some lectures were not recorded and none of the platform presentations were recorded.

As a reminder, the platform for completing evaluations, claiming credit, completing post-tests for SAM-eligible credit and certificate generation is live. To access the platform, go to the event website. From the left-hand navigation select “Evals/Quizzes/Credit” to launch the platform. You must be logged in to the event website. You may only claim credit for your attendance at the live, 96th Annual Meeting.

The deadline for completing evaluations and SAM post-tests, claiming credit and generating a certificate is **December 31, 2020**. For ABPath Diplomates, completion information will be reported after this date. Access will no longer be permitted after 12/31/2020, so please ensure that you have completed all tasks and downloaded a copy of your certificate.

96th Annual Meeting Enduring Activity:

The American Association of Neuropathologists is excited to announce the launch of the 96th Annual Meeting enduring activity which will be available through June 14, 2021 at 11:59 PM Eastern Time. Activity content includes the *Special Course*, Named Lectures, *What Every Neuropathologist Needs to Know* sessions, the *Diagnostic Slide Session* the *Presidential Symposium*, and the special COVID-19 lectures. Please note: Some lectures were not recorded and none of the platform presentations were recorded.

This activity is only available to individuals who did **NOT** attend the live, virtual 96th Annual Meeting held June 11-14, 2020. To register please follow this link: <https://aanp.memberclicks.net/2020enduringactivity>. The cost for registration is as follows:

- AANP Member: \$300.00
- Non-Member: \$350.00
- Trainee: \$200.00

Once registered, an AANP representative will send you a separate e-mail to obtain access to the content via the event website. There is a slight delay as the registration form is checked once per day.

Reminder! – Education Committee Activities

Future Annual Meetings:

- 97th Annual Meeting: June 10 – 13, 2021 at the Hyatt Regency St. Louis at the Arch, St. Louis, MO



- 98th Annual Meeting: June 9 – 12, 2022 at the Hyatt Regency Coconut Point, Bonita Springs, FL
- 99th Annual Meeting: June 8 – 11, 2023 at the Hyatt Regency Monterey, Monterey, CA

Additional Updates

Diagnostic Slide Session

Moderator: Caterina Giannini, MD, PhD; Manager: Rebecca Folkerth, MD

The 61st Annual *Diagnostic Slide Session* was held on the evening of Saturday, June 13, 2020 at the 96th Annual Meeting, and in a new, virtual format, was a riveting success. Eleven cases were presented, chosen from 39 submissions covering a wide spectrum array of pathology including tumoral, infectious, neurodegenerative, inflammatory, muscle and developmental. Of these 11 cases, 9 were presented by neuropathology trainees, and, one by a medical student. These cases were considered for the Bailey-Riggs Award with an additional “Best Neurodegenerative Case” funded by the R13 grant (view winners in Awards section).



The 62nd Annual *Diagnostic Slide Session* is scheduled to occur during the 97th Annual Meeting in St. Louis, Missouri, on Saturday, June 12th, 2020 at 8:00 pm. The deadline for submissions for the 2021 Annual Meeting is Friday, January 8th, 2021. Acceptance of cases for the 2021 DSS will be communicated in early February 2021.

How to Submit a Case:

Please submit the following to Caterina Giannini:

- Brief clinical summary and key diagnostic points outlined in short PowerPoint or Word document.
- Single representative H&E stained, and one unstained slides sent via mail
- PLEASE write: EDUCATIONAL – DSS-2021 Submission

Please let the moderator know if the submitted case has sufficient tissue to prepare glass slides for the “glass slide boxes.” Small biopsies of interest are also welcome for consideration and will be posted using virtual microscopy.

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Notices

Upcoming Meetings of Interest

<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Meeting Dates and Location</i>
American Society for Investigative Pathology – PISA 2020 Annual Meeting	November 9-13, 2020 - <i>virtual</i>
Association for Molecular Pathology Annual Meeting	November 16-20, 2020 - <i>virtual</i>
Society of Neuro-Oncology Annual Meeting	November 19-22, 2020 - <i>virtual</i>

American Association of Clinical Chemistry Annual Meeting	December 13-17, 2020 - <i>virtual</i>
USCAP Annual Meeting	March 13-18, 2021 – <i>virtual</i>

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