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Summary



Mark Your Calendars!

- November 1, 2016:
 - Membership Renewal Launches
 - o 93rd Annual Meeting Registration Launches
- Annual Membership Survey Launch: End of October
- December 1, 2016: AANP Abstract Submission Site open for submissions
- June 8 11, 2017: 93rd Annual Meeting



Reminders

- Renew your membership by December 31, 2016 to ensure member benefits
- Complete the Annual Membership Survey by November 18, 2016

On the Horizon

SAMs Bundle Purchasing

AANP is excited to announce a new option for purchasing self-assessment modules (SAMs). In conjunction with 2017 membership renewal, AANP members will have the option to purchase a SAMs bundle for \$150.00. Purchasing the SAMs bundle provides access to <u>all available SAMs</u> from December 1, 2016 through December 31, 2017. The Education Committee will launch a minimum of 10 SAMs per year, inclusive of annual meeting SAMs.

Please note that SAMs will still be available for individual purchase at \$25.00 per SAM.

2017 Membership Renewal

We are excited to also announce that 2017 Membership Renewal will occur through our new website hosted by MemberClicks. This transition automates the renewal process. While the Website Committee and AOE Consulting have spent a significant amount of time reviewing and testing renewal processing, as with any new system, there may be slight unexpected challenges. We sincerely appreciate your patience during this time. For more detailed information regarding 2017 Membership Renewal, please see 2017 Membership Renewal 101 found below.

Membership Survey

The Annual Membership Survey will launch by the end of October 2016. We kindly ask that you take time to complete this survey as it is vital to meeting the educational needs of our membership. The data collected from the annual membership survey is used to document educational need, which is crucial to maintaining our accreditation with the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME). For more information, see the Professional Affairs Committee update below.

93rd Annual Meeting

We have officially started counting down to the 93rd Annual Meeting of the American Association of Neuropathologists! The meeting will be held in Garden Grove, CA, on June 8-11, 2017, at the Hyatt Regency Orange County. Registration for the annual meeting launches Tuesday, November 1, 2016. Watch for an email blast with the link for registration as well as a link to book your hotel room. Abstract submission for the annual meeting will begin Thursday, December 1, 2016. We can't wait to see you in California!





232 days until June 8, 2017

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92nd Annual Meeting Review



The 92nd Annual Meeting took place June 16 – 19, 2016 in Baltimore, MD with over 350 attendees. The meeting was capped by the Special Course on Thursday and the Presidential Symposium on Sunday. Friday and Saturday consisted of platform sessions, named lectures, and poster viewing.

Matthew Frosch, MD, and Rebecca Folkerth, MD, organized the day-long *Special Course: Updated WHO Classifications of Tumors and Chronic Traumatic Encephalopathy*.

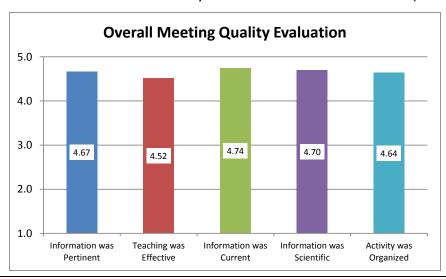
The Presidential Symposium, organized by Dr.

Suzanne Powell, focused on amyotrophic lateral sclerosis and included presentations by Dr. Ian R. Mackenzie, Dr. Neil Cashman, and Dr. Edward Lee.

This year's Parisi Lecture, CNS White Matter Disorders with Viral Causation and Association, was given by Bette K. Kleinschmidt-DeMasters, MD, of the University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus. Eric Huang, MD, PhD, presented the DeArmond Lecture: FTD and ALS: Genes, Circuits and Therapeutic Targets. The Korey Lecture, The FTLD-ALS Connection, was given by Eileen H. Bigio, MD, of Northwestern University, and Ted M. Dawson, MD, PhD, of John Hopkins Medicine, presented the Moore Lecture: Unlocking the Secrets of Parkinson's.

Saturday evening hosted the annual Diagnostic Slide Session moderated by Caterina Giannini, MD, PhD, and Rebecca Folkerth, MD.

Overall the meeting was well received. The figure below displays the mean ratings for each of the five questions assessing the quality of the workshop. As can be seen, all ratings are uniformly high indicating that participants felt that (1) the information presented was pertinent to their professional needs, (2) the teaching and learning methods were effective, (3) the information presented was current, (4) the information was presented in a fair and balanced manner with scientific rigor, and (5) the activity was well organized and managed (Response scale ranges from "1-Strongly Disagree" to "5-Strongly Agree"). Additionally, participants indicated that this activity was free from commercial bias (100%).



Awards

Terry Award

Best Basic/Translational paper in Neurodegeneration

Abstract 20

Beclin 1/BECN1 sorts cell-surface amyloid precursor protein for lysosomal degradation.

Edward Plowey¹, Wan Zhu¹, Gayathri Swaminathan¹ ¹Stanford University School of Medicine

Hirano Award

Best Clinco-Pathologic paper in Neurodegeneration

Abstract 99

New Ultrasensitive Tests for Diagnosis and Differentiation of Human Prion Diseases

Jiri Safar¹, Aaron Foutz¹, Brian Appleby¹, Mark Cohen¹, Jianxin Xiao¹, Clive Hamlin¹, Yvonne Cohen¹, Wei Chen¹, Janis Blevins¹, Pierluigi Gambetti¹, Andrew Hughson², Lawrence Schonberger³, Byron Caughey²





Moore Award

Best Clinco-Pathologic paper in Neuropathology (except neurodegeneration: Hirano)

Abstract 2

Neuropathological aspects of congenital Zika virus infection in Brazil



Leila Chimelli¹; Adriana S O Melo ^{2,3}; Fernanda Tovar-Moll⁴; Patricia S Oliveira-Szejnfeld⁵; Aline H S Camacho¹; Giovanna C Gomes¹; Fabiana O Melo²; Alba G M Batista³; Heloisa N Machado⁶; Elizabeth Awad⁶; Thales A Ferreira⁷; Rodrigo D Andrade⁸; Roberto J V Mello⁹; Monica B Arruda¹⁰; Rodrigo M Brindeiro¹⁰; Rodrigo Delvechio¹⁰; Amilcar Tanuri¹⁰



Rubinstein Award

Best paper in Neuro-oncology

Abstract 92

The Genetic And Clinical Landscape Of Pediatric Low Grade Gliomas



Cynthia Hawkins¹, Michal Zapotocky¹, Alvaro Lassaletta¹, Scott Ryall¹, Anthony Arnoldo¹, Matthew Mistry¹, Ana Guerreiro-Stucklin¹, Natalyia Zhukova¹, Vijay Ramaswamy¹, Eric Bouffet¹, Uri Tabori¹

¹The Hospital for Sick Children



Rubinstein Award Best paper in Neuro-oncology

best paper in recard once

Honorable mention:

Abstract 91

Lowered H3K27me3 and DNA hypomethylation define poorly prognostic pediatric posterior fossa ependymomas

Jill Bayliss¹, Piali Mukherjee², Chao Lu³, Siddhant U. Jain⁴, Daniel Martinez⁵, Ashley S. Margol⁶, Melike Pekmezci⁷, Chan Chung¹, Richard C McEachin⁸, Marcin Cieslik⁹, Benjamin A. Garcia¹⁰, Benita Tamrazi¹¹, Gaspare La Rocca¹², Mariarita Santi⁵, Peter W. Lewis⁴, Ari Melnik², C. David Allis³, Craig B. Thompson¹², Arul M. Chinnaiyan^{1, 9}, Alexander R. Judkins¹³, Sriram Venneti



Weill Award Best paper in Experimental Neuropathology

Abstract 75

Alpha-Endosulfine (ARPP-19e) Expression in Experimental Rat Stroke

Rupal Mehta¹, Svetlana Ivanova², Vladimir

Gerzanich², J Marc Simard²





The Rubenstein Award, Honorable Mention, being presented to Sriram Venneti, MD, PhD



The Weil Award being presented to Rupal Mehta, MD.

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 **Dennis W. Dickson, MD,** and **Barbara J. Crain, MD, PhD.**





Trainee Luncheon: The annual Trainee Luncheon hosted by Bette K. Kleinschmidt-DeMasters, MD, was well attended. Peter C. Burger, MD, and Barbara J. Crain, MD, presented *Reflections on Successful Careers:* What Might Be Helpful to Trainees. Additionally, travel award winners were announced and books were raffled.

<u>Travel Awards:</u> The American Association of Neuropathologists presented six \$1000.00 travel awards to the following recipients: Cheddhi J. Thomas, MD, Joseph Kellum, BS, Kevin F. Bieniek, PhD, Pallavi Gopal, MD, PhD, David Irvin, MS, and Emily Chan, MD, PhD.

Annual Business Meeting – June 2016

The following committee updates provide a high-level overview of the committee reports presented at the June 2016 Business Meetings as well as pertinent updates.

Committee Updates

Awards Committee

This year the Awards Committee reviewed 178 abstracts, 64 of which were presented as platform sessions and 114 of which were poster presentations. Awards were presented as noted in the 92nd Annual Meeting Review section above.

Sandra Camelo-Piragua, MD, fulfilled her term as Chair of the Award Committee and is succeeded by Fausto Rodriguez, MD.

Program Committee

This year a new abstract submission website was utilized. Overall, 178 abstracts were submitted, 85 of which were submitted by trainees. This represents a five-percent decrease from 2015 (188 abstracts submitted) and an 11-percent decrease from 2014 (200 abstracts submitted). The following chart shows the distribution of abstracts submitted across categories.

Category	Abstracts (n)	Abstracts (%)	Platform (n)	Platform (%)
Tumors	69	39	24	38
Neurodegenerative	49	28	21	33
Infectious	8	4	1	2
Ophthalmic	1	1	0	0
Demyelinating/inflammatory	10	6	1	2
Pediatric	15	8	8	13
Peripheral nerve/Muscle	16	9	7	11
Vascular	6	3	0	0
Trauma	4	2	2	3
Total	178	100	64	100

For <u>information</u> regarding abstract submission for the 2017 Annual Meeting, please see the "On the Horizon" section above.

Nominating Committee

At the 2016 Annual Meeting, the Nominating Committee announced the following Executive Council Nominations:

President-Elect: Elizabeth Cochran, MD Vice President-Elect: Daniel Brat, MD, PhD VP for Professional Affairs: Kathy Newell, MD Secretary-Treasurer: Karen Weidenheim, MD

Assistant Secretary-Treasurer: R. Ross Reichard, MD

Member at Large: Rebecca Folkerth, MD

Constitution & Bylaws Committee

The following provides a high-level overview of changes to the Bylaws and Constitution that were reviewed, voted upon, and approved at the 2016 Annual Business Meeting. The updated Bylaws are posted on the website for further review.

- Section 2.2a: Trainees no longer have to complete one year of training to be considered for Affiliate membership.
- Section 6.5 to 6.9: Addition of Affiliate members to following committees: Constitution & Bylaws, Education, Membership, Professional Affairs, and Program.

- Section 2.4: To be considered for Senior membership, an individual must be retired. Reaching 25 years of membership or 65 years of age are no longer qualifiers on their own.
- Section 2.5c: New members and status changes take effect immediately upon approval by Executive Council and the two-thirds vote by membership is no longer required.
- Section 3.2: Executive Council clearly defined.
- Section 4.1: Election of Executive Council: Clarity regarding Member at Large provided.
- Section 4.2: Nominating Committee is responsible for nominating Member at Large and Councilors to the International Society of Neuropathology
- Section 7.2: Clarity regarding election and duties of Councilors to the International Society of Neuropathology
- Article 5: Duties of the Officers: Section 5.1: President will select recipients for the Award for Meritorious Contributions to Neuropathology.

Professional Affairs

The Professional Affairs Committee shared the results of the Winter 2016 Membership Survey at the Annual Business Meeting, Saturday, June 18, in Baltimore. Currently, the Professional Affairs Committee is working in collaboration with the Education Committee to finalize the Fall 2016 Membership Survey, which is expected to launch the last week of October.

What is the purpose of the annual membership survey?

The annual membership survey serves to...

- Gauge educational need amongst AANP members which is utilized in planning annual meetings
- Provide an opportunity for membership to express interest in specific topics
- Address ACCME requirements for CME such as documentation of professional practice gaps
- Collect information that helps AANP support our members as we are the only professional society for neuropathologists in the United States.

Did members already complete a membership survey in 2016?

You completed a redacted membership survey in January 2016 for the purposes of educational planning for the 2017 Annual Meeting. The Fall 2016 Membership Survey will support educational planning for the 2018 Annual Meeting.

Survey responses are anonymous. We ask that you please complete the survey by **November 18, 2016.**

Website Committee

The Website Committee was formed in 2014 and has worked diligently over the past two years to launch a new website this past June. The new website (www.neuropath.org) provides increased functionality for both site visitors (open access) and AANP members (with login required). AANP self-assessment modules will continue to be hosted through the previous webpage host, Dayspring, accessible at www.neuropath-education.org.

Highlights of the new website include:

- Jobs Board
- Enhanced members-only area with editable profile and searchable member directory
- Announcements & Upcoming Events sidebar menu
- Membership renewal and event registration capability

Membership Committee

Dr. Murat Gokden, MD, fulfilled his term as Chair of the Membership Committee and is succeeded by Peter Pytel, MD. Between November 2015 and July 2016, the Membership Committee received 21 applications.

New Active Members	New Affiliate Members	Affiliate to Active
Clare Bryce	Tejus Bale	Kenneth Clark
Chandana Buddhala	Leomar Ballester	Annie Hiniker
Patrick Cimino	Kevin Bieniek	Jesse Kresak
Karra A. Jones	Areli Cuevas-Ocampo	Jo Elle G. Peterson
Greg Moes	Alexander Feldman	David Solomon
MacLean Nasrallah	Andrea R. Gilbert	
Aydin M. Sav	Debra Hawes	
	Maher Kurdi	Membership Reinstatement
	Giselle Lopez	Peter Canoll
	James Stephen Nix	
	Melike Pekmezci	
	Vivian Snyder	
	Rachael A. Vaubel	
	Jose Velazquez	
	Blazej Zbytek	

Election to Senior Membership

Election to Semon Membership		
Dimitri Agamanolis	Claudia Greco	Sverre Mork
Lee C. Ang	Rosa Haiffe	Joseph Parker
Mark Cohen	William Halliday	Henry Powell
Lillian Colon	James Henry	Gary Ross
Barbara Crain	Asao Hirano	Ralf Schober
Connie D'Amato	Tzongwen Edgar Huang	Peter Spencer
William Ellis	Edward Johnson	James Swenberg
Blas Frangione	Hannu Kalimo	Analia Taratuto
Jonathan Fratkin	Mario Kornfeld	
Pierluigi Gambetti	Sunhee C Lee	

Five deaths were reported:

Dr. Justin L. Parr, University of Pennsylvania

Dr. Gabriele Zu Rhein, University of Wisconsin; former AANP President

Dr. F. Stephen Vogel, Duke University, former AANP President

Dr. Friedrich Klutzow, University of South Florida

Dr. Henry Urich, not a member but well known to AANP

Education Committee



ABP SAMs Audit: The American Board of Pathology recently completed an audit of AANP's SAMs. Overall the feedback was positive. However, in order to continue being an ABP-approved SAMs Provider, the Education Committee is working to bring AANP's SAMs questions into alignment with ABP requirements.



ACCME Reaccreditation: AANP is currently going through reaccreditation with the ACCME (Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education). Reaccreditation is a multi-step process that includes submission of a Self-Study Report and Performance-in-Practice files as well as an interview. Remaining accredited ensures that AANP can continue to certify activities for *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit*TM.



On the Horizon – Education Committee Activities

- We have several SAMs in development and will send an e-mail announcement once they become available.
- Future Annual Meetings: Three-year contract with Hyatt Regency (2017 2019)
 - 93rd Annual Meeting: June 8 11, 2017 at the Hyatt Regency Orange County
 - 94th Annual Meeting: June 7 10, 2018 at the Hyatt Regency Louisville
 - 95th Annual Meeting: June 6 9, 2019 at the Grand Hyatt Atlanta
- Four-year contract with PSAV for audio-visual services (2016 2019)

Additional Updates

Diagnostic Slide Session

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

The DSS website, including a complete archive (dating back to 1959) of cases with a searchable database, is kindly hosted by the University of Pittsburgh. The DSS website is available via a link under "Education" on the new AANP website.

Eleven cases were selected for the Diagnostic Slide Session at the 2016 Annual Meeting. The cases were selected from 29 new submissions that covered a wide spectrum of pathology with a predominance of tumors.

The Diagnostic Slide Session, moderated by Dr. Caterina Giannini, will be held on Saturday June 10, 2017 at 8:00 PM. Case submissions for the Diagnostic Slide Session at the 2017 Annual Meeting must be submitted before **January 21, 2017**. Contributors will be notified of the presentation decisions in early February.

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 slide
- One unstained slide sent via mail

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.

Caterina Giannini, MD, PhD Mayo Clinic Pathology Department 200 First Street SW Rochester, MN 55905 Phone: 507-538-1181

Giannini.Caterina@mayo.edu

If selected for presentation...

If selected for presentation, contributors should submit all slides having studies necessary for diagnosis indicating which ones should be made available for whole slide imaging before the session and which, by virtue of giving away the diagnosis, should be posted after the meeting. Whole slide images will be posted to the DSS website along with the protocol.

Additional Announcements

Upcoming Meetings of Interest

Meeting	Meeting Dates and Location	Abstract Submission
		Deadline
106 th USCAP Annual Meeting	March 4 – 10, 2017 in San Antonio, TX	Not available
World Congress of Neurology (WCN 2017)	September 16 – 21, 2017 in Kyoto, Japan	April 5, 2017
College of American Pathologists Annual Meeting	October 8 – 11, 2017 in National Harbor, MD	Not available
International Congress of Neuropathology	September 23 – 27, 2018 in Tokyo, Japan	Not available
European Congress of Neuropathology	June 3 – 6, 2020 in Odense, Region of Southern	Not available
	Denmark	

JNEN Editor-in-Chief Search

Applications for the position of Editor-in-Chief of the *Journal of Neuropathology and Experimental Neurology* (*JNEN*), our society's flagship journal since 1942, were due October 1, 2016. AANP President, Arie Perry, and current *JNEN* Editor-in-Chief, Ray Sobel, are currently reviewing qualified applicants.

AOE Consulting

Earlier this year we featured the AOE Consulting team in order to put faces with names. While many of you met the AOE team on-site in Baltimore during the annual meeting, we wanted to once again provide an overview of our roles.

Meet the AOE Team



Annika (Gill) Borvansky, AANP Executive Director

Annika provides team leadership and oversight across Association Management, Meeting Planning and CME Compliance.



Carlye Armstrong, AANP Program Manager

Carlye provides direct support to the following:

- Executive Council
- Awards Committee
- Constitution Committee
- Nominating Committee
- Professional Affairs Committee
- Program Committee
- JNEN
- DSS



Sarah Schott, AANP Program Manager

Sarah provides direct support to the following committees:

- Membership Committee
- Education Committee

She oversees membership communication as well as CME coordination across accredited activities, including self-assessment modules.



Paula Bessire, AANP Program Manager

Paula provides direct support to the following committee:

Website Committee

She also serves as the lead Meeting Planner, overseeing Annual Meeting planning, logistics, budget, and compliance.

2017 Membership Renewal 101

Membership renewal will take place through our new website hosted via MemberClicks. The system will automatically send your invoice along with two renewal notifications. This transition helps to automates the renewal process. While the Website Committee and AOE Consulting have spent a significant amount of time reviewing and testing renewal processes, as with any new system, there may be slight unexpected challenges. We sincerely appreciate your patience during this time.

By what date should I renew my membership?

In order to ensure that you maintain your membership benefits, you should renew by <u>December 31, 2016</u>. If you have a *JNEN* subscription, this will ensure that your Subscriber ID remains the same and that your subscription is not interrupted. <u>Please note: If you do not renew before December 31, 2016, your *JNEN* <u>subscription will be cancelled in accordance with the Bylaws of AANP.</u></u>

What if I forget to renew before December 31?

There is a grace period from January 1, 2017 through March 31, 2017. If you renew during the grace period, a new *JNEN* subscription will be activated. This means that you will receive a new subscriber ID and be required to once again set-up online access with Oxford University Press.

Why should I renew my membership?

There are real benefits of membership including:

- Free online subscription to the Journal of Neuropathology and Experimental Neurology
- Reduced registration at the annual meeting
- Access to and listing in the directory of neuropathologists (if desired)
- Sponsorship of abstracts submitted to the annual meeting
- Ongoing AANP communication via e-mail and newsletters

How do I renew my membership?

The e-mail notifications, which will begin November 1, include directions on how to renew. You will be provided a link to renew online, which should only take a few minutes.

Otherwise, if you prefer to pay by check, you will be directed to complete a form and mail it to the following address along with a check payable to: American Association of Neuropathologists.

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How do I log-in?

<u>Username</u>: Each member's username is the email you used to register with AANP, and the one we use to communicate with you. You have received this email at the address we have on file, and it is your username in the format: <u>emailname@host.edu</u>

<u>Password:</u> If you have not previously logged in to your Member Profile, you will need to set-up a new password by clicking the "forgot password" link. Instructions for changing/resetting your password will be sent to your email address, and you can use this function at any time in the future.

What else do I need to know about renewal?

Whether renewing online or via a paper form/check, there will be several optional add-ons

- Print JNEN Subscription: The print edition of the JNEN is \$50.00.
- <u>Self-Assessment Modules (SAMs) Bundle:</u> For \$150.00 you can receive access to all available self-assessment modules from December 1, 2016 through December 31, 2017.
- <u>Donate:</u> You will be provided with an opportunity to donate to AANP's general fund or to specific funds.

What if I do not renew before March 31, 2017?

If you do not renew before March 31, 2017, your membership will be terminated. If you wish to rejoin AANP, you will need to go through the application process.

What if I am a Senior member?

As a senior member you are not required to pay membership dues, however, we would like to confirm that we have the correct contact information. Additionally, we would like to confirm whether or not you would like a free online-only subscription to the *Journal of Neuropathology & Experimental Neurology* or if you would prefer to pay \$50.00 for the print edition.

In order to confirm your contact information and indicate your *JNEN* subscription preference we will be sending you an e-mail with a link to a form. We ask that you complete the form which will only take a few minutes.

Website FAQs

How do I log-in? Will my old username and password work?

To log-in to the new website, select "Member Login" in the top right corner. Your old website username and password will **not** work. Your new login information is as follows:

<u>Username</u>: Each member's username is the email you used to register with AANP, and the one we use to communicate with you. You have received this email at the address we have on file, and it is your username in the format: emailname@host.edu

<u>Password:</u> Each member will need to set-up his/her new password by clicking the "forgot password" link. Instructions for changing/resetting your password will be sent to your email address, and you can use this function at any time in the future. Once you have logged in, you will see a new menu item appear on the far right hand side of the menu bar named "My AANP".

What is the Member Profile? How can I access my Member Profile?

The Member Profile is an individual member's profile consisting of contact information and payment history since 2014. To access your Member Profile, select "My AANP" on the far right-hand side of the blue menu bar at the top of the website.

What if my member information is incorrect?

Members can edit the following portions of their Member Profile: title, primary e-mail, primary phone, fax, secondary e-mail, secondary phone, and online.

Members *cannot* edit the following portions of their Member Profile, and should reach out to aanphelpdesk@aoeconsulting.com with inquiries and requests for changes: member number, full name, contact name, organization, department, primary address, city, state, zip, and date paid and amount for 2014, 2015, 2016.

To edit your Member Profile, select "Edit" in the top right corner. Make any necessary changes and click "Save."

A couple of notes regarding the Member Profile:

- You may notice that your AANP Member ID no longer starts with "A." This is accurate as the letter A had to be removed for database purposes. The numeric portion of your ID has remained the same.
- Online refers to the online directory viewable by other AANP members. If you do not wish to be listed in the directory, please edit the "Online" field of your Member Profile so that it reads "no."

How can I find other AANP members?

The My AANP tab has pull-down access to the membership directory. You can locate any member by last name or by state. (Note: The "Last Name" search can also be used to search text strings in the last name of the directory.)

How can I get back to the home page when I have navigated to another page?

You may return to the Home Page by clicking on the image in the upper left corner of every page. As your mouse pointer hovers over this image, it will indicate that this image is clickable. Clicking it will return you to the Home page of the AANP website.

Where can I access self-assessment modules (SAMs)?

At this time, our new website is unable to host SAMs. We are diligently looking into possible, future solutions. For the time being, you will find the current SAMs under the Education tab. When you click on a specific SAM, you will be taken to: www.neuropath-education.org. You will need to type in your old SAM username and password to access the SAM and take the test.

Can I use my mobile device to access the website?

Yes. You should be able to access the website through your mobile device. However, on mobile devices, or for narrow windows on your desktop computer, the menu bar may not be displayed across the top. Instead, in these narrow displays, the menu bar appears as three horizontal bars, and will drop down when clicked.

Who should I contact if I see an error on the website, or if there is something that needs to be removed immediately?

A "Webmaster" button appears at the bottom of every page. When you click that button it should create an email to a website author who can remove errors or other objectionable material.