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Innovations in Lung Pathology
Joint meeting
Swiss Lung Pathology Group (SLPG) &
Working Group Thoracic Pathology of the German Society of Pathology (AG Thoraxpathologie, DGP)
February 7th-8th 2020 in Bern
Institute of Pathology
University of Bern
DEAR COLLEAGUES,

We cordially invite you to the joint "winter meeting" of the working group thoracic pathology of the German Society of Pathology (DGP) and the Swiss Lung Pathology Working Group (SLPG) in Bern, on February 7th-8th, 2020.

Under the umbrella term of "innovations in lung pathology", not only will we update immuno-oncological and molecular aspects of our rapidly developing field. We will also cover newly emerging technologies, e.g. digitalization and the promises of including artificial intelligence into diagnostics, novel DNA-based techniques as the methylation-classifier, being here to help us in challenging cases, and organoid cell culture as a promise for personalized drug screening. Step down to the cellular level and appreciate innovations of using cytological material for comprehensive analyses. Think out of the box and let yourself be introduced into the possibilities of lung-on-chip technology, which models the physical stress of a breathing lung, and innovative MALDI Imaging Mass Spectrometry for tissue-based research.

Get actively involved in the meeting and present your scientific work and exciting or mysterious cases on stage during the innovative "two-minutes" poster presentation.

Please join us also for the social part of the meeting! Increase your knowledge on medieval Bern and tighten the bonds between Swiss and German lung pathologists enjoying excellent Italian cuisine on Friday evening.

We are very much looking forwards to host you in Bern,

Yours sincerely,

PD Dr. Sabina Berezowska
Local Organizer

PD Dr. Spasenija Savic-Prince
President of the SLPG

Prof. Dr. Iver Petersen
Chairman of the AG Thoracic Pathology, DGP

PROGRAM

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH 2020

15:00 h  Registration and Coffee
15:30 h  Welcome
Sabina Berezowska, Bern

I. Diagnostics goes Digital
Chairs: Gian Kayser, Freiburg & Inti Zlobec, Bern
15:35 h  Synoptic reporting in lung pathology
Ekkehard Hewer, Bern
15:50 h  Current AI Applications in Thoracic Radiology
Lukas Ebner, Bern
16:10 h  Computational Pathology: Towards Precision Medicine
Andrew Janowczyk, Lausanne
16:40 h  Coffee-Break and poster viewing

II. Innovative methods in Lung research & diagnostics
Chairs: Fabian Mairinger, Essen & Alex Soltermann, Neuchâtel
17:00 h  Lung-on-chip
Olivier Guenat, Bern
17:35 h  MALDI Imaging Mass Spectrometry for tissue-based research in lung pathology
Axel Walch, München

18:10 – 22:00
Guided tour through Bern, a fascinating medieval new town with a baroque face with Armand Baeriswyl, historian and medieval archaeologist
https://de.wikipedia.org/wiki/Armand_Baeriswyl
Dinner at "Verdi"
Gerechtigkeitsgasse 7, 3011 Bern

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH 2020

8:45 h  Members meeting of the "AG Thoraxpathologie der DGP"

III. Innovations in thoracic neoplasms
Chairs: Korinna Jöhrens, Dresden & Lukas Bubendorf, Basel
9:00 h  Methylation-classifier in lung cancer diagnostics
Philipp Jurmeister, Berlin
9:30 h  Innovations in predicting response to ICI and targeted therapy
Reinhard Büttner, Köln
10:00 h  Predictive immunocytochemistry in NSCLC
Spasenija Savic-Prince, Basel
10:30 h  Coffee-Break and poster viewing
11:00 h  Organoid cultures and drug screening
Marianna Kruthof-de Julio, Bern

IV. Poster presentations
Chairs: Iver Petersen, Gera & Sabina Berezowska, Bern
11:30 h  „Two-minutes-session“ poster presentations
12:30 h  Lunch and poster viewing

V. Innovations in non-neoplastic lung diseases
Chairs: Ludger Fink, Wetzlar & Igor Letovanec, Lausanne
13:30 h  Innovations in ILD-treatment
Manuela Funke, Bern
13:50 h  Comprehensive Approaches to Pulmonary Pathology
Danny Jonigk, Hannover
14:30 h  Molecular Profiling of Vascular Remodeling in Chronic Pulmonary Disease
Paul Borchert, Hannover
14:45 h  Farewell