

# **Diagnostic Histopathology of Breast Disease**

**12 – 15 May 2008**

**T**his four day long course on the Hammersmith Campus is designed for pathologists at Consultant and Senior Trainee level and suitable for the final examination for MRCPPath. The course will provide a comprehensive coverage of the histopathology of breast disease, with special emphasis on areas which pose diagnostic difficulties. The course is based, historically, on the extensive referral collection of Professor JG Azzopardi, to which has been added new cases from Charing Cross, Nottingham City and Addenbrooke's and Guy's Hospitals. The course will be slanted to practical diagnostic pathology with a specific session dealing with problems encountered in core biopsies and a special workshop dealing with the breast immunohistochemistry interpretation. The participants will be given ample time to study histological preparations, followed by illustrated discussions of the cases. In addition there will be several daily talks on specific topics, given by eminent breast pathologists and followed by discussions. The topics will include: problematic breast lesions, prognostic factors, dealing with the gross specimen, fibro-epithelial, spindle cell and papillary lesions, proliferative lesions including atypical ductal hyperplasia, flat epithelial atypia and carcinoma in-situ, dealing with sentinel lymph node biopsies and the impact of molecular genetics on diagnostic breast pathology.

**Course teachers will include:**

Dr Anthony Douglas-Jones	University Hospital of Wales
Professor Ian Ellis	Nottingham City Hospital
Professor Bharat Jassani	University Hospital of Wales, Cardiff
Dr Andrew Lee	Nottingham City Hospital
Professor Sarah Pinder	Guy's Hospital, London
Dr Jorge Reis-Filho	Institute of Cancer Research, London
Professor Sami Shousha	Charing Cross & Imperial College, London

**Course organiser:** Professor Sami Shousha

**Course fee:** **£550.00** (including catering)

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