AMP Announces Results of 2018 Leadership Elections

BETHESDA, Md. – July 26, 2018 – The Association for Molecular Pathology (AMP), the premier global, molecular diagnostics professional society, today announced the results of its recent elections for 2019 Leadership positions. AMP is an organization driven by the dedication of its volunteers and looks forward to working with these newly elected leaders.

President-Elect
Karen E. Weck, MD
University of North Carolina School of Medicine - Chapel Hill

Program Committee Chair- Elect
Jane S. Gibson, PhD
University of Central Florida College of Medicine

Clinical Practice Committee Chair
Dan Jones, MD, PhD
The Ohio State University

Membership Affairs Committee Chair
Midhat S. Farooqi, MD, PhD
Children’s Mercy Hospital

Program Committee Technical Topics Representative
Renee Webb, BS
Texas Children’s Hospital, Houston, TX

GENETICS

Genetics Subdivision Chair
Thomas W. Prior, PhD
Center for Human Genetics, Case Western University

Genetics Clinical Practice Committee Representative
Pinar Bayrak-Toydemir, MD, PhD
University of Utah School of Medicine

Genetics Program Committee Representative
R. Tanner Hagelstrom, PhD, MBA
Illumina Clinical Services Laboratory, Illumina
Genetics Nominating Committee Representative
Qiulu Pan, PhD
*Weill Cornell Medical College*

Genetics Training and Education Committee Representative
Alanna Church, MD
*Children’s Hospital Boston*

**HEMATOPATHOLOGY**

Hematopathology Clinical Practice Committee Representative
Marian H. Harris, MD, PhD
*Children’s Hospital Boston*

Hematopathology Program Committee Representative
Mark D. Ewalt, MD
*University of Colorado School of Medicine*

Hematopathology Nominating Committee Representative
Keyur Pravinchandra Patel, MD, PhD
*University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center*

Hematopathology Training and Education Committee Representative
Kristin Hunt Karner, MD
*University of Utah*

**INFECTIONOUS DISEASES**

Infectious Diseases Subdivision Chair
Frederick (Rick) S. Nolte, PhD
*Medical University of South Carolina*

Infectious Diseases Clinical Practice Committee Representative
Daniel N. Cohen, PhD, MD
*Baylor College of Medicine*

Infectious Diseases Program Committee Representative
Esther Babady, PhD
*Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center*

Infectious Diseases Nominating Committee Representative
Blake W. Buchan, PhD
*Medical College of Wisconsin*
*Wisconsin Diagnostic Laboratories*
Infectious Diseases Training and Education Committee Representative
Erin Graf, PhD
The University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine

INFORMATICS

Informatics Subdivision Chair
Somak Roy, MD
University of Pittsburgh Medical Center

Informatics Clinical Practice Committee Representative
Annette Leon Meredith, MSc, PhD
Brigham and Women’s Hospital

Informatics Program Committee Representative
Angshumoy Roy, MD, PhD
Baylor College of Medicine

Informatics Nominating Committee Representative
Nefize Sertac Kip, MD, PhD
Mount Sinai Hospital

Informatics Training and Education Committee Representative
Sabah Kadri, PhD
University of Chicago

SOLID TUMORS

Solid Tumors Clinical Practice Committee Representative
Jonathan SL Earle, MD
Hartford Pathology Associates

Solid Tumors Program Committee Representative
Rajyasree (Raj) Emmadi, MD
University of Illinois, Chicago

Solid Tumors Nominating Committee Representative
Anna Yemelyanova, MD
University of Alabama Birmingham

Solid Tumors Training and Education Committee Representative
Christian A. Kunder, MD, PhD
Stanford University Medical Center
ABOUT AMP
The Association for Molecular Pathology (AMP) was founded in 1995 to provide structure and leadership to the emerging field of molecular diagnostics. AMP’s 2,400+ members practice in the various disciplines of molecular diagnostics, including bioinformatics, infectious diseases, inherited conditions, and oncology. They include individuals from academic and community medical centers, government, and industry; including pathologist and doctoral scientist laboratory directors; basic and translational scientists; technologists; and trainees. Through the efforts of its Board of Directors, Committees, Working Groups, and members, AMP is the primary resource for expertise, education, and collaboration in one of the fastest growing fields in healthcare. AMP members influence policy and regulation on the national and international levels, ultimately serving to advance innovation in the field and protect patient access to high quality, appropriate testing. For more information, visit www.amp.org. Follow AMP on Twitter: @AMPath.

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