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Cytotechnologists across the country are experiencing a shift in professional practice. As the role of cytotechnologists continues to evolve, developing and enhancing new skills will be imperative to meet the growing demands of the field. This is the very reason we developed the Advanced Cytopathology Education Program (ACE).

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SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2017

7:00 am – 8:00 am Breakfast and Networking (with Vendors)
8:00 am – 8:05 am Welcome & Program Overview Patricia G. Wasserman, MD Columbia University Medical Center, New York, New York

Morning Moderator: Patricia G. Wasserman, MD
8:05 am – 8:20 am One Journey: Many Paths to the Future
My Winding Path – I Could’ve Never Imagined Where It Would Lead!
Kalyani Naik, MS, SCT(ASCP)
Michigan Medicine, Ann Arbor, Michigan

8:20 am – 9:20 am Pulmonary Cytopathology-Overview with Emphasis on Diagnostic Challenges and Recent Updates
Manon Auger, MD, FRCP(C)
McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

9:20 am – 10:20 am Telecty whole for ROSE
Oscar Lin, MD, PhD
Dorothy E. Rudomina, MBA, CT(ASCP)
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York, New York

10:20 am – 10:40 am Break with Vendors

10:45 am – 12:00 pm Management Workshops (During registration, please select which workshop you would like to attend)
Workshop # 1 Making Sense of Competency Assessment
Lynnette Savaloja Pineault, MBA, SCT(ASCP)
Regions Hospital, Saint Paul, Minnesota
Maria A. Friedlander, MPA, CT(ASCP)™
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York, New York

Workshop # 2 Unannounced But Not Unexpected - Maintaining Inspection Readiness
Janie Roberson, BS, SCT(ASCP)CMS
University of Alabama, Birmingham, Alabama
Barbara A. Crothers, DO
Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Bethesda, Maryland

12:00 pm – 1:30 pm Lunch with the Faculty
(An opportunity to interact with ACE Faculty)

Afternoon Moderator: Kalyani Naik, MS, SCT(ASCP)
1:00 pm – 1:15 pm One Journey: Many Paths to the Future
My Path to Pathology Operations
Lynnette Savaloja Pineault, MBA, SCT(ASCP)
Regions Hospital, Saint Paul, Minnesota

1:15 pm – 2:15 pm Cytologic Diagnosis and Testing for HPV in Head and Neck Cancer: What You Need to Know
William C. Faquin, MD, PhD
Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts

2:15 pm – 3:15 pm Pancreatic EUS-FNA: Pragmatic Approach to Maximizing the Interaction between Cytologist and Endoscopist to Enhance Diagnostic Accuracy
Renu K. Var, MD
Tamas A. Gonda, MD
Columbia University Medical Center, New York, New York

3:15 pm – 3:35 pm Break with Vendors

3:40 pm – 4:40 pm Cell Block Interpretation
Liron Pantanowitz, MD
University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

4:40 pm – 5:40 pm Reception with Vendors (Light Hors d’Oeuvres served)
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SUNDAY MAY 14, 2016

7:00 am – 8:00 am Breakfast and Networking (with Vendors)

Morning Moderator: Amber D. Donnelly, PhD, MPH, SCT(ASCP)
8:00 am – 9:00 am Thyroid FNA and the Revised Bethesda System for Reporting Thyroid Cytopathology
Edmund S. Cibas, MD
Brigham & Women’s Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts

9:00 am – 10:00 am The Paris System for Reporting Urinary Cytology
Eva M. Wojcik, MD
Loyola University Medical Center, Maywood, Illinois

10:00 am – 10:25 am Break with Vendors

10:30 am – 11:30 am Molecular Diagnostics in Thoracic Cytology
Angal Saiz, MD
Columbia University Medical Center, New York, New York

11:30 am – 11:45 am One Journey: Many Paths to the Future
Pathway to Professorship
Amber D. Donnelly PhD, MPH, SCT(ASCP)
University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, Nebraska

11:45 am – 2:00 pm Luncheon Discussion
Workgroup Discussion on Future of Cytology – Your Questions Answered
Moderator: Lynnette Savaloja Pineault, MBA, SCT(ASCP)
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2:00 pm END of Program

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