Teach Mob – Visiting Professors
Academic year 2015/2016

2nd term

COURSE TITLE
Pathology - from routine diagnostic to molecular studies

Scientific area
Pathology

Department of Medical Sciences

Language used to teach
ENGLISH

Course summary
The course will be focused on the impact of Pathological Anatomy in the diagnostic process. Specifically, different areas (Autopsy, Histopathology, Cytopathology) will be illustrated. Moreover, the course will deal with mechanisms of tumor development in individual organ systems and how tumors spread. Information about Molecular Pathology techniques as applied to clinical practice will be provided. During seminars, students will directly participate in the work-up of pathology cases.

Learning objectives
At the end of this rotation the student will:
Learn and be able to perform the basic histological and cytological techniques.
- Recognize the major sources of artefacts affecting preparations
- Understand the organization and finalities of a Laboratory of Pathological Anatomy
- Have knowledge of the molecular basis of disease and advances in technology of molecular pathology
- BeCOME familiar with the principles and techniques used in the design and validation of molecular tests
- Understand the specimen requirements for histologica, cytological and molecular tests

Visiting Professor Profile
The candidate needs to have extensive experience in cytopathology, diagnostic histopathology and molecular techniques applied to tissue and cells for diagnostic purposes. The candidate has to demonstrate extensive teaching experiences in official University Courses, either by official teaching courses or by Lectures. The candidate needs to possess a strong background and leadership within Laboratories of Diagnostic Histopathology and Molecular Pathology.

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