

European School of Pathology (EScoP) course for Genitourinary Pathology



Venue: Sheraton Istanbul City Center

Address: Hacı Ahmet Mah. Kurtuluş Deresi Cad. No:23 Beyoğlu, Beyoglu,
34440 Istanbul, Turkey

Dates: 18-20 June 2025

Faculty:

Prof. Dilek Ertoy Baydar, Turkey

Prof. Arno von Leenders, The Netherlands

Prof. Kiril Trpkov, Canada

Prof. Andrew Acosta, USA



Attendance: This course is with on-site attendance only and will not be recorded

Course language: The course will be provided in English

Registration fees:

For the course programme only*:

ESP members (with active membership for 2025): **300 Euro**

Non-ESP members: **350 Euro**

For both the course programme and the social event (networking buffet dinner at the course venue):

ESP members (with active membership for 2025): **350 Euro**

Non-ESP members: **400 Euro**

There is no option for on-site registrations/payments.

The available slots will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Deadline to register: **26 May 2025**

*Registration for the course programme includes access to the course venue, coffee breaks and lunches, access to the online platform with the course material and a personalised certificate of attendance.

For any questions, contact the ESP HQ, at admin@esp-pathology.org having as email subject “**ESCoP Istanbul 2025**”.

This ESCoP course is available for both board-certified pathologists and those in training. Clinical colleagues, Laboratory Scientists, Technicians and Molecular Biologists are welcome to register.

Course participants are welcome to submit cases of Genitourinary Pathology to be discussed during the slide seminar sessions. All cases have to be submitted in advance of the course. The deadline to do is **26 May 2025**. For more information about case submission, please contact Dr Christos Poullos c.poullos@esp-pathology.org after successful registration. NB: case presentation from participants does not include a separate certificate.



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Preliminary Course Programme

All times are for local time in Istanbul, Turkey

Day 1 – Wednesday, 18 June 2025			
Time	Duration (min)	Topic	Speaker
8.00-8.45		Welcome and registrations	
8.45-9.00	15	Introduction and course objectives	D Ertoy Baydar
9.00-9.30	30	Benign Mimickers of Prostate Cancer and of HGPIN	D Ertoy Baydar
9.30-10.00	30	Diagnosis of Prostatic Adenocarcinoma and Grading systems	A van Leenders
10.00-10.30	30	Handling and Reporting of Needle Biopsy and Radical Prostatectomy Specimens	K Trpkov
10.30-11.00	30	Coffee Break	
11.00-11.30	30	Variants and Subtypes of Prostatic Adenocarcinoma	A van Leenders
11.30-12.30	60	Case presentations by faculty and participants– Prostate	A van Leenders
12.30-13.30	60	Lunch	
13.30-14.00	30	Benign Lesions of Bladder - Tumour Mimickers	K Trpkov
14.00-14.30	30	Papillary Urothelial Neoplasia	D Ertoy Baydar
14.30-15.00	30	Flat Urothelial Lesions	A van Leenders
15.00-15.30	30	Inverted Urothelial Neoplasia, Diagnosis of Invasion and Staging	D Ertoy Baydar
15.30-16.00	30	Coffee Break	
16.00-16.30	30	Subtypes of Urothelial Carcinoma	K Trpkov
16.30-17.30	60	Case presentations by faculty and participants– Bladder	D Ertoy Baydar

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Day 2 – Thursday, 19 June 2025 (International Kidney Cancer Day!)			
Time	Duration (min)	Topic	Speaker
9.00-9.30	30	Diagnostic approach to renal tumors and benign renal neoplasms	K Trpkov
9.30-10.00	30	Common Forms of Renal Cell Carcinoma	D Ertoy Baydar
10.00-10.30	30	Rare, New and Emerging Renal Cell Tumors	K Trpkov
10.30-11.00	30	Coffee Break	
11.00-11.30	30	Grading, prognosis and staging of renal cell carcinoma	A van Leenders
11.30-12.30	60	Case presentations by faculty and participants - Kidney	K Trpkov
12.30-13.30	60	Lunch	
13.30-13.45	15	Pathogenesis of Testicular Germ Cell Tumors	A van Leenders
13.45-14.30	45	Germ Cell Tumors of Testis	A Acosta
14.30-15.00	30	Metastases of Testicular Germ Cell Tumors, Treatment Effect and Somatic - type Malignancies	A Acosta
15.00-15.30	30	Sex cord – Stromal Tumours	A Acosta
15.30-16.00	30	Coffee break	
16.00-16.30	30	Paratesticular Tumours	D Ertoy Baydar
16.30-17.30	60	Case presentations by faculty and participants – Testis	A Acosta
20.00-22.00		Buffet dinner with the Faculty at the Venue	Reservation required

Day 3 – Friday, 20 June 2025			
Time	Duration (min)	Topic	Speaker
09.00-9.45	45	Neuroendocrine Tumors of the GU Tract	D Ertoy Baydar
09.45-10.30	45	Selected Mesenchymal Lesions of GU Tract	A Acosta
10.30-11.00	30	Coffee Break	
11.00-11.45	45	Hereditary Syndromes and GU Tumors	A van Leenders
11.45-12.45	60	Case presentations by participants	All Faculty
12.45-13.00	15	Summary of the course. Last questions	All Faculty

ESP has applied for the CME accreditation of this course.



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