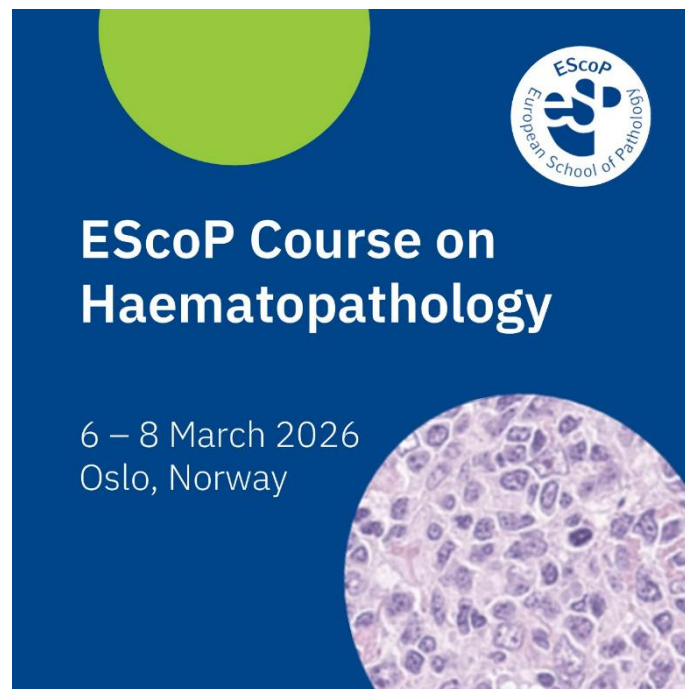


# European School of Pathology (EScoP) course on pathology of haematolymphoid organs



**Venue:** Thon Hotel Slottsparken

**Address:** Wergelandsveien 5, 0167 Oslo, Norway

**Dates:** 6-8 March 2026

**Faculty:**

- Prof. Laurence de Leval, CHUV Lausanne, Switzerland
- Prof. Ioannis Anagnostopoulos, University of Wuerzburg, Germany
- Prof. Birgitta Sander, Karolinska Institutet and Karolinska University Hospital, Stockholm, Sweden
- Prof. Alexandar Tzankov, University of Basel, Switzerland

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

**Course language:** The course will be provided in English.

For any questions, contact the ESP HQ, at [admin@esp-pathology.org](mailto:admin@esp-pathology.org) having as email subject "EScoP Oslo 2026".



### Registration fees:

For the course programme only\*:

ESP members (with active membership for 2025 and/or 2026): **400 Euro**

Non-ESP members: **440 Euro**

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

ESP members (with active membership for 2025 and/or 2026): **435 Euro**

Non-ESP members: **485 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: **23 February 2026**

\*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.

### Learning Objectives:

This course will provide an overview of reactive and neoplastic haematolymphoid pathology, using the frameworks of the WHO 5th edition and the International Consensus Classifications currently in use. The course will be focusing on lymph nodes, the mediastinum and extranodal tissues - but not on bone marrow as this topic has been covered by an analogous course in 2023. The program will include lectures covering the major groups of diseases and illustrated by case studies reflecting routine diagnostic approaches to important entities. Specific lectures will address the specificities of splenic and mediastinal pathology. The fundamentals of ancillary tests increasingly used in diagnostic laboratories, with practical guidelines for their interpretation, will be presented in short talks. Slide seminar sessions on an interactive case-based format will seek to illustrate diagnostic issues and highlight potential pitfalls that may arise in routine practice, and attendees will be kindly invited to submit their own cases to be discussed in the forum (see below). For each session there will be sufficient time for discussion, resulting to an interactive course.

### Target Audience:

The course is designed for advanced pathology residents or fellows with a special interest for haematopathology. Pathologists at all levels of experience are also welcome to register. The registration is open additionally to scientists, haematologists or other treating physicians involved with patients suffering from haematolymphoid diseases.

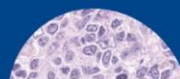
### Bring your case Session:

Course participants are welcome to submit cases related to the subject of the course to be discussed during the slide seminar sessions. All cases have to be submitted in advance of the course. The deadline to do is **23 February 2026**. For more information about case submission, please contact Dr Christos Poulivos [c.poulivos@esp-pathology.org](mailto:c.poulivos@esp-pathology.org) after successful registration. NB: case presentation from participants does not include a separate certificate.

## Preliminary Course Programme

All times are for local time in Oslo, Norway

Day 1 – 6 March 2026			
Time	Duration (min)	Topic	Speaker
08:00		Welcome and registrations	
08:30	30	Introduction	Christos Poullos
09:00	30	Orientation on the course learning objectives	Laurence de Leval
09:30	45	Diagnostic approach to reactive lymphadenopathies, part 1	Alexandar Tzankov
10:15	30	Clonality testing	Birgitta Sander
10:45	30	Coffee Break	
11:15	60	Small B-cell lymphomas, small lymphocytic, mantle cell and follicular lymphomas	Birgitta Sander
12:15	45	Nodal T-cell lymphomas	Laurence de Leval
13:00		Lunch	
14:00	60	Hodgkin lymphomas including mediastinal and grey zone	Ioannis Anagnostopoulos
15:00	60	Marginal zone lymphomas	Alexandar Tzankov
16:00	30	Coffee Break	
16:30	60	Large B-cell lymphomas	Laurence de Leval
17:30	60	Practical SLIDE SEMINAR 1 for the sessions of the day	All
18:30		End of day 1	



Day 2 – 7 March 2026			
Time	Duration (min)	Topic	
08:30	60	Burkitt lymphoma and high-grade B-cell lymphomas	Ioannis Anagnostopoulos
09:30	45	Lymphomas in fluids and flow cytometry approach	Birgitta Sander
10:15	30	FISH testing in lymphomas	Alexandar Tzankov
10:45	30	Coffee Break	
11:15	45	Diagnostic approach to reactive lymphadenopathies, part 2	Alexandar Tzankov
12:00	45	Viral-associated lymphomas	Ioannis Anagnostopoulos
12:45	60	Lunch	
13:45	45	Extranodal T-cell lymphomas	Laurence de Leval
14:30	45	Lymphomas in immunosuppressed individuals	Alexandar Tzankov
15:15	30	High throughput sequencing: principles and diagnostic utility	Laurence de Leval
15:45	30	Coffee break	
16:15	45	Histiocytic and dendritic cell lesions	Laurence de Leval
17:00	60	BRING YOUR OWN CASE session	Participants and Faculty
18:00		End of day 2	
19:30-21:30		Social Event: Buffet dinner with the Faculty at the course Venue	

Day 3 – 8 March 2026			
Time	Duration(min)	Topic	
08:00	60	Cutaneous lymphomas	Alexandar Tzankov
09:00	30	Mediastinal pathology: approach to thymic tumors	Laurence de Leval
09:30	30	Pathology of the spleen	Birgitta Sander
10:00	30	Coffee break	
10:30	45	Practical slide seminar focusing on gastrointestinal lymphoproliferations	All Faculty
12:00	15	Summary of the course and last change for questions	All
12:15		End of the course	

ESP has applied for the accreditation of the course