



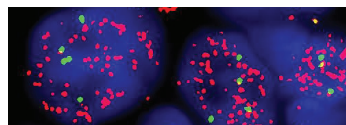
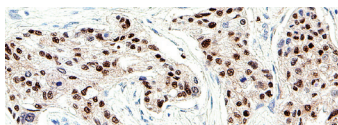
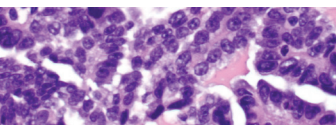
# Molecular Pathology Symposium

Gold Coast, Australia

10 and 11 September 2016



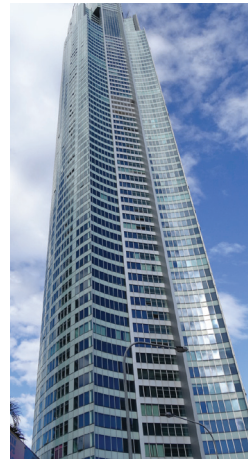
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## Course Description

Griffith University Health Group and the internationally renowned MD Anderson Cancer Centre (Texas) are collaborating for the first time to present the 2016 Gold Coast - Molecular Pathology Symposium. The symposium is part of the annual function of Menzies Health Institute Queensland.

Pathologists in training and pathologists interested in international accreditation will also have the opportunity to attend a special seminar on the role of molecular biology in pathology practice. The seminar will also help established professionals extend their clinical pathology skills, based on the latest research.



## Target Audience

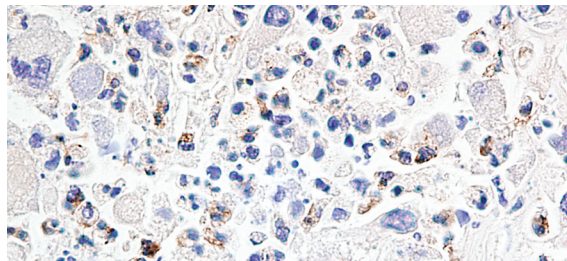
Open to pathologists, pathology registrars, researchers and students, this is an invaluable opportunity to interact with some of the best minds in the application of molecular biology in anatomical pathology.

## Conference Venue

**Mantra on View Hotel**  
22 View Avenue  
Surfers Paradise Qld 42177  
Australia

## Conference Registration Fees

	<b>Before 30 June, 2016</b>	<b>After June 30, 2016</b>
<b>Pathologists</b>	A\$450 (ex GST)	A\$550 (ex GST)
<b>Pathology registrars</b>	A\$250 (ex GST)	A\$350 (ex GST)
<b>Griffith staff/students</b>		
<b>Scientists</b>		



## Registration and Information

For registration and information, please go to:  
[www.griffith.edu.au/conference/molecular-pathology-symposium](http://www.griffith.edu.au/conference/molecular-pathology-symposium)

or

Google "Molecular Pathology Symposium" to find the website.

## Saturday, September 11, 2016

Registration and tea: 9:00 to 9:15 am

### Welcome and Opening Remarks

9:15–9:30am

Alfred Lam

### Breast Pathology

9:30–10:00am

*Invasive Breast Carcinomas: Histologic and Molecular Classification in the Era of Personalized Therapy.*

Yun Wu

10:00–10:30am

*Prognostic and Predictive Markers in Breast Cancer: What the Pathologist Can Do Before Molecular Testing Takes Over.*

Constance Albarracin

Tea - 10:30 to 11:00am

### Gynaecological Pathology

11:00–11:30am

*Challenging Endometrial Cancer Subtypes and Molecular Testing of Newly Diagnosed Endometrial Carcinoma.*

Preetha Ramalingam

11:30–12:00pm

*Hereditary Ovarian Cancer: Tissue Handling, Histologic Features and Molecular Concepts.*

Preetha Ramalingam

Lunch - 12:00 to 1:30pm

### Head/Neck Pathology

1:30–2:00pm

*Sinonasal Carcinoma: Phenotypic and Molecular Characterization - New WHO Classification Updates.*

Diana Bell

2:00–2:45pm

*Viral-associated Pharyngeal and Sinonasal Carcinoma - The MDA Multidisciplinary Approach/Cross-talk of Surgery - Pathology.*

Shirley Su &  
Diana Bell

Afternoon Tea - 2:45 to 3:15pm

3:15–4:00pm

*Interactive forum  
How Much Pathologist Know about  
Molecular Pathology and Case Discussion.*

Alfred Lam & panels

## Sunday, September 12, 2016

### Gastrointestinal Pathology

9:00–9:30am

*Phenotypic, Immunohistochemical, and Molecular Considerations in Diagnosing Gastrointestinal Cancers.*

Susan Abraham

### Dermatopathology

9:30–10:00am

*Update in the Diagnosis of Melanoma and the Increasing Role of Molecular Testing.*

Carlos Torres-Cabala

### Genetic Pathology

10:00–10:30am

*Update in Current Status of Liquid Biopsy in Cancer Management.*

Rossa Chiu

Tea - 10:30 to 11:00am

11:00–11:45am

*Interactive Forum and Case Discussion.*

Alfred Lam and panels

11:45–12:00pm

*Closing Remarks.*

Alfred Lam

## Program

- Gastrointestinal pathology
- Head and neck pathology
- Female genital tract pathology
- Breast pathology
- Current status in molecular pathology

## Organizing Committee

- Alfred Lam, Griffith University
- Eugen Petcu, Griffith University
- Melissa Leung, Griffith University
- Vinod Gopalan, Griffith University
- Yun Wu, MD Anderson Cancer Center



## Faculty

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