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#### Corrections

Combined immunohistochemical and immunofluorescence method to determine the phenotype of proliferating cell populations (A L Ramshaw, D V Parums: 3 Clin Pathol 1992;45:1015-17).

The colour photographs below were inadvertently transposed during the printing process: this is how they should have appeared.

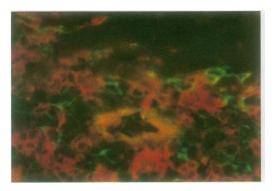


Figure 1 Section of an atherosclerotic abdominal aortic aneurysm showing the chronically inflamed adventitia ('chronic periaortitis'). Double immunostaining has been performed with TAL.1BS (HLA-DRa) using the APAAP stain (red) and with JC70 (CD31) with indirect staining using FITC conjugated antibodies (green). In the centre of the figure is a vasa vasorum showing double staining (yellow) of the endothelium which is positive for both CD31 (green) and HLA-DRa (red).

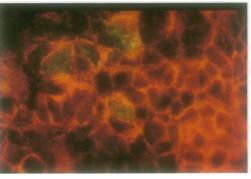


Figure 2 The periphery of a lymphoid follicle within the aortic adventitia from a section of an atherosclerotic aortic aneurysm. Double immunostaining has been performed with T3-10 (CD4) using the APAAP stain (red) and with Ki-67 (proliferation marker) with indirect staining using FITC conjugated antibodies (green). Ki-67 positive (green) staining is present within CD4 positive (red/orange) cells indicating that cells associated with the T-helper phenotype are proliferating.

A rapid method for the detection of monoclonality in B cell lymphoma in lymph node aspirates using the polymerase chain reaction (P J Sykes, et al. J Clin Pathol 1992;45:420-3)

A typographical error appeared in the sequence of the FR3A primer in the methods section of the above paper:

It was published as:

FR3A, 5' ACACG G[C/T][G/C] TGTATT ACTGT 3'

It should read:

FR3A, 5' ACACG GC[C/T][G/C] TGTATT ACTGT 3'

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### Third Congress of Asia Pacific Association of Societies of Pathologists

#### 14-17 February 1993

At present, the member countries of APASP are Bangladesh, India, Pakistan, Mayanmar, Nepal, New Zealand, Australia and Singapore. Korea, Japan, and Malaysia are the observing countries.

A detailed scientific programme has been chalked out for this congress. There will be three symposia: (a) postgraduate medical education in pathology/laboratory medicine in the developing countries, (b) epidemiology, diagnosis, and prevention of AIDS and (c) cancer control programmes in developing countries. There will be two workshops: the laboratory diagnosis of Kala-azar and on FNAC (fine needle aspiration cytology).

There will be four free paper sessions. Among others, papers on viral hepatitis, tropical diseases including malaria and sexually transmitted diseases apart from AIDS, will be preferred.

Medical professionals from all branches of pathology who wish to participate in this congress are requested to contact directly the secretariat of Third APASP Congress, in the Department of Pathology, Institute of Postgraduate Medicine and Research (PGMR), Dhaka—1000, Bangladesh.

## Histopathology for the MRCPath 25-29 January 1993, Oak Hotel, Brighton

A 5 day intensive residential course for MRCPath candidates will include tuition on general pathology, histopathology, cytopathology, necropsy pathology and other subspecialty areas. The course is organised by the South East Thames Regional Higher Training

Speakers will include Dr M G Cook, Guildford, Professor P A Hall, St. Thomas's Hospital, Professor N Gibbs, Guildford, Dr S Humphreys, King's College, Dr N Kirkham, Brighton, Professor D Levison, Guy's Hospital, Dr S Lucas, UCHMSM, Dr J Salisbury, King's College.

The course will form the first part of a three year cycle aimed to provide a comprehensive preparation for the MRCPath examination in histopathology.

The registration fee of £375 includes full accommodation and catering for five days and nights.

For registration, contact: Mrs P Newland, Histopathology Department, Royal Sussex County Hospital, Brighton BN2 5BE. Telephone 0273-696955 extension 4269. Fax 0273-600182.

## Call for pathologists

The South African Institute for Medical Research has vacancies for anatomical pathologists (histopathologists) in its diagnostic service.

The South African Institute for Medical Research is a non-profit and non-government organisation which, in addition to its research and training functions, provides a diagnostic pathology and laboratory medicine service across most of South Africa.

Applicants should be in possession of a medical qualification registrable with the South African Medical and Dental Council, and have a qualification and experience in anatomical pathology.

An ability to communicate effectively in both written and spoken English is essential. Salary and conditions of service are negotiable, depending on qualifications and experience.

Applications, which should include a *curriculum vitae* and the names of three referees, should be addressed to Miss Joy Paige, Human Resources Manager, SAIMR, PO Box 1038, 2000 Johannesburg, South Africa.

Further information about the positions can be obtained from Miss Paige or Dr Doehring at the above address or: telephone  $+27\ 11\ 725-0511$ , or fax  $+27\ 11\ 725-5891$ .

## **ACP Locum Bureau**

The Association of Clinical Pathologists runs a locum bureau for consultant pathologists. Applicants with the MRCPath who would like to do locums and anyone requiring a locum should contact The General Secretary, 221 Preston Road, Brighton BN1 6SA. Tel: (0273) 561188. Fax: (0273) 541227.