

Welcome Message

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Scientific and the Organizing committees, it gives us immense pleasure to invite you to the "LIFE - Laboratory Insights for Excellence, 2024" to be held on 22ND-23RD OCTOBER, 2024 IN ADDRESS SKY VIEW HOTEL, DUBAI, UAE.

This conference promises to be an exceptional gathering of brilliant minds, dedicated professionals, and esteemed experts in the field of pathology and laboratory medicine. Our goal is to create an inspiring platform where knowledge, innovation, and collaboration converge.

Over the course of two enriching days, we have meticulously curated a program that will delve into the latest advancements, emerging trends, and transformative research shaping the landscape of pathology and laboratory medicine. Our esteemed



speakers, renowned for their expertise and contributions, will share their insights, ignite discussions, and challenge us to think beyond the boundaries of conventional practices.

Moreover, the conference will provide ample opportunities for networking, fostering connections with like-minded individuals, and nurturing collaborative relationships. We believe that the power of collaboration is paramount in driving progress and achieving breakthroughs in our field.

In addition to the invaluable learning experiences, we invite you to immerse yourself in the captivating ambiance of Dubai. Explore the rich culture, indulge in culinary delights, and build lasting memories in this remarkable city.

Together, we aim to elevate the standards of pathology and laboratory medicine, and your presence is instrumental in achieving this vision.

We encourage you all to embrace this opportunity for growth, exchange ideas, and contribute to the collective pursuit of excellence in our profession. Let us come together to celebrate the remarkable achievements in pathology and laboratory medicine and inspire each other for future breakthroughs.

We eagerly await your participation, insights, and contributions to make this event an unforgettable experience.

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Conference Objectives

At the end of this educational activity, participants will be able to:

- · Discuss state-of-the-art research and the latest advancements and emerging trends in pathology and laboratory medicine.
- Explore innovative diagnostic techniques and technologies that are transforming the field of pathology.
- Enhance knowledge and skills in the interpretation of laboratory tests and diagnostic procedures for accurate disease diagnosis.
- · Learn best practices in quality assurance and quality control in pathology laboratories to ensure accurate and reliable test results.
- · Discuss the challenges and opportunities in laboratory management, including workflow optimization, resource allocation, and cost-effectiveness.
- · Discuss and address the ethical, legal, and social implications of advances in pathology and laboratory medicine.
- Enhance communication and collaboration between pathologists, laboratory professionals, and other healthcare providers for integrated patient care.
- Engage in interactive case discussions and problem-solving sessions to improve diagnostic skills and decision-making abilities.

Who Should Attend?

The LIFE - Laboratory Insights for Excellence, 2O24 is designed to cater to a diverse audience of professionals, researchers, educators, and students involved in the field of pathology and laboratory medicine. The conference welcomes the following individuals:

- · Pathologists
- · Laboratory Scientists and Technologists
- · Physicians, clinicians, nurses, and other healthcare providers who work closely with pathologists and laboratory professionals in the diagnosis and management of patients.
- · Laboratory directors, laboratory managers and Lab supervisors
- · Quality assurance personnel
- · Fellows, residents and trainees pursuing careers in pathology and laboratory medicine.
- Policy Makers and Regulators involved in healthcare policy, regulation, and accreditation bodies responsible for setting standards and guidelines in pathology and laboratory medicine and other healthcare professionals interested in laboratory medicine.





Why Attend?

This conference will feature inspiring speakers, interactive sessions, and multiple opportunities to network and share lessons and success stories:

- Cutting-Edge Knowledge: Stay at the forefront of pathology and laboratory medicine by gaining access to the latest advancements, research findings, and emerging trends in the field.
- · Professional Development: Enhance your knowledge, skills, and competencies through engaging sessions, workshops, and interactive discussions.
- Networking Opportunities: Connect and collaborate with a diverse community of professionals, including pathologists, laboratory scientists, researchers, and industry leaders
- · Discover Innovations: Explore the latest advancements in diagnostic techniques, laboratory technologies, and digital pathology.
- · Knowledge Sharing: Share your own research, experiences, and insights with a receptive audience.
- Continuing Education: Earn continuing education credits by attending the conference sessions and workshops, which can contribute to your professional development and maintain your professional certifications.
- · Inspirational Keynote Speakers: Be inspired by influential keynote speakers who have made significant contributions to the field of pathology and laboratory medicine.
- Global Perspectives: Gain a broader understanding of pathology and laboratory medicine by engaging with attendees from around the world. Exchange ideas, learn from different healthcare systems, and embrace diverse perspectives that can enrich your professional practice.

Call for Abstracts - Scientific Posters

- DEADLINE OF SUBMISSION: SEPTEMBER 30, 2024 (23:59 UAE/GST)
- · NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTED ABSTRACTS: OCTOBER 7, 2024



Conference Themes



Excellence in Laboratory Management



Excellence in Research and Innovation



Excellence in Clinical Diagnosis



Excellence in Quality Management



Excellence in Point of Care Testing



Scientific Program

Day 1 October 22, 2024 Tuesday			
TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER	
09:00-10:15 10:15-10:30	Registration Welcome & Opening Remarks		
Session 1: Moderator:			
10:30-11:00	Keynote Speaker: Functional Medicine, The Laboratory and Al: What's Next?	Dr. Matt Cook, USA	
11:00-11:30	Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning: The New Laboratory Revolution	TBC	
11:30-11:45	Q & A / Panel Discussion	All Speakers	
11:45-12:00	Coffee Break		
12:00-12:30 12:30-13:00	Has Digital Pathology Improved Diagnostic Accuracy and Patient Care? Is NGS a Viable Option for Population-Wide Screening, including Newborn Screening?	Dr. Aaron Han, KSA Dr. Karolina Kobus, UAE	
13:00-13:15	Q & A / Panel Discussion	All Speakers	
13:15-14:00 Session 2: Moderator:	Lunch & Prayer Break		
14:00-14:30 14:30-15:00	The Human Side of Test Consolidation Intersection of Process Management with Human Performance and Improvement	TBC TBC	
15:00-15:30	Career Development Support for Laboratory Professionals: Are We Doing Enough?	TBC	
15:30-16:00	Value of Mentorship Programmes for Succession Planning and Knowledge Transfer	Ms. Nour Boutros, UAE	
16:00-16:15	Q & A / Panel Discussion	All Speakers	
16:15-16:30	Coffee Break		
Session 3: Moderator:			
16:30-17:00 17:00-17:30 17:30-18:00	The Human Microbiome and Advances in Metagenomics Data Analytics in Laboratory Operations Advances in Point of Care Testing	Dr. Stefan Weber, UAE TBC TBC	
18:OO-18:15 18:15	Q & A / Panel Discussion END OF DAY 1	All Speakers	
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Day 2 1	October 23, 2024	l Wednesday	

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Session 4: Moderator:		
10:15-10:45	Patient Experience in the Laboratory; More Than Blood Collection	TBC
10:45-11:15	Quality Management and Focus on Outcomes: Are We There Yet?	TBC
11:15-11:45	Coffee Break	
11:45-12:15	Quality Management System for an Evolving Laboratory Landscape	TBC
12:15-13:00	Q & A / Panel Discussion	All Speakers
13:00-14:15	Lunch & Prayer Break	

Session 5: Moderator:		
14:15-14:45	Advances in Precision Medicine: Role of the Laboratory	
	in Tailored Healthcare	Dr. Sambit Mohanty, India
14:45-15:15	The Need for Better Interoperability and Exchanges:	Dr. Alison Finall, UAE
	The Elusive Combined Laboratory Report	
15:15-15:45	Multi-Layered Omics and Personalised Medicine	TBC
15:45-16:15	Unlocking the Science of Longevity: From Cellular Mechanisms	Dr. Mishkat Shehata, UAE
	to Clinical Applications	
16:15-16:45	Q & A / Panel Discussion	All Speakers
16:45	END OF CONFERENCE	







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