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OEGPath Spring Meeting 2026

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Preliminary Program



AUSTRIAN SOCIETY OF PATHOLOGY AND
AUSTRIAN DIVISION OF THE INTERNATIONAL
ACADEMY OF PATHOLOGY (OEGPATH/IAP AUSTRIA)

Invitation

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

I am very happy to welcome you to the Austrian Society of Pathology's Spring Meeting, taking place on the 13th and 14th of March 2026 in Vienna/Techgate. With the organisation of this congress we follow the tradition of combining an excellent scientific program with personal meetings exchanging knowledge and science.

This year, we have decided to continue to hold this congress in English, as we will have foreign visitors and last year's feed-back was very positive.

We have invited an outstanding faculty and are very proud of this important, but also innovative program.

The meeting will start on Friday, March 13th with a focus on lectures in German for medical scientist/technicians and will present subjects that pathologist should also be familiar with. The following sessions will cover a variety of topics, including nephropathology (if I may say so – interesting for everybody), but also hot topics in gynecolopathology and the problem of HPV vaccination, which we think is a burning issue. As you all know, Vienna is not only an exciting for discussions with colleagues and friends, but it also rich of cultural experiences and stunning moments. I hope you will enjoy the meeting and wish you a pleasant stay. I really look forward to welcoming you to Vienna for this spring meeting.

Best wishes,



Univ. Prof. Dr. Eva Compérat
President OEGPath/IAP Austria

General Information

Organizer

Austrian Society of Pathology / Austrian Division of the International Academy of Pathology (OEGPath/IAP Austria)

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Scientific Committee

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Congress Venue

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English

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General Information

Information for Speakers

Speakers are requested to submit their presentations at latest 2 hours before their lectures on an USB-Stick as MS Powerpoint.

DFP-Credits



This event has been accredited for the advanced diploma education program (Diplom-Fortbildungs-Programm DFP) of the Austrian Medical Chamber. 12 points will be granted for the full event (7 points for Friday, 5 points for Saturday)

CPD-Credits



The event is assessed by biomed austria – Österreichischer Berufsverband der Biomedizinischen AnalytikerInnen with 16 CPD points. (9 points for Friday, 7 points for Saturday)

Registration

Online via: <https://registration.maw.co.at/pathologie26>

Registration Fees

		Type	Regular Fee after January 31 st
Full conference	Member*	Medical Doctor	€ 350,-
		Medical Doctor Trainee or on Maternity Leave**	€ 130,-
		Biomedical Scientist	€ 130,-
	Non-Member	Medical Doctor	€ 500,-
		Medical Doctor Trainee or on Maternity Leave**	€ 200,-
		Biomedical Scientist	€ 200,-

Students**	Free
Industry Staff member (of non-sponsoring company)	€ 700,-

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General Information

Registration Fees

		Type	Regular Fee after January 31 st
Day Pass	Member*	Medical Doctor	€ 250,-
		Medical Doctor Trainee or on Maternity Leave**	€ 90,-
		Biomedical Scientist	€ 90,-
	Non-Member	Medical Doctor	€ 350,-
		Medical Doctor Trainee or on Maternity Leave**	€ 170,-
		Biomedical Scientist	€ 170,-
Social Dinner	Medical Doctor/Regular Fee	€ 50,-	
	Medical Doctor Trainee or on Maternity Leave**	€ 25,-	
	Biomedical Analysts	€ 25,-	
	Students**	€ 25,-	

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General Information

Cancellation and Refund for Participants

Notice of cancellation must be made in writing by e-mail to office@oegpath.at.

For written cancellations up to 2 weeks prior to the congress date 100% of the registration fee will be refunded. After this deadline, no refunds can be granted.

Certificate of Attendance

You will receive the Certificate of Attendance after the congress via e-mail. The certificates/credits are granted per day. **Therefore please make sure to check-in at the registration desk once a day.**

Registration Desk Opening Hours

Friday, March 13th 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Saturday, March 14th 8:00 am – 1:00 pm

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Password: The Stage

Photos

Please note that photos for documentary reasons will be made during the congress.

Society Dinner

Friday, March 13th 2025, 6:30 pm at Sky Stage

(19th floor of the congress venue TechGate)

16th Patho-Run

Saturday, March 14th 2025, 8:00 am

Distance: approx. 5 km

ATTENTION:

The reduced parking ticket is only valid in the in-house TechGate Garage

Scientific Programme

FRIDAY 13th March 2026

from 08:00 Registration

08:55 – 09:00 Welcome

09:00 – 10:00 Thematic Session 1

Chair: Alexandra Dorner (Vienna)

Alexander Nader (Vienna)

09:00 – 09:15 BMA/Konisation der Cervix, Die perfekte Technik
Caroline Schindele (Vienna)

09:15 – 09:30 BMA/Dünnschicht Zytologie und ihre Vor- und Nachteile
Frederike Pipal (Feldkirch)

09:30 – 09:45 BMA/ELMI (elektronische Mikroskopie),
Wie komme ich zum perfekten Bild?
Theresa Waidacher (Vienna)

09:45 – 10:00 BMA/Schnelleinbettung und ihre Rolle in der Diagnose
Natascha Mayer (Vienna)

10:00 – 10:30 Thematic Session 2

Chair: Zsuzsanna Bago-Horvath (Vienna)

Renate Kain (Vienna)

10:00 – 10:30 Endometrial Carcinoma in the Era of Neoadjuvant
Therapy – the Gynae-Oncologist's View
Nicole Concin (Vienna)

10:30 – 11:00 Industry meeting I

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Chair: Zsuzsanna Bago-Horvath (Vienna)

Sigurd Lax (Graz)

HER2 – ein Biomarker mit Spektrum
Herausforderungen in der HER2 Interpretation bei
verschiedenen Tumorentitäten
Peter Regitnig (Graz)

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

Scientific Programme

FRIDAY 13th March 2026

11:30 – 12:30 Thematic Session 3

Chair: Mojgan Devouassoux (Lyon)

Peter Regitnig (Graz)

11:30 – 12:00 Biomarker in the Endometrium,
What Pathologists Must Know
Sigurd Lax (Graz)

12:00 – 12:30 Molecular Diagnosis in Gynecological Pathology
Leonhard Müllauer (Vienna)

13:00 – 13:30 Industry meeting II

HER2 ultra low: Fokus und Praxis

Katja Schmitz (Zams)



13:30 – 14:30 Lunch Break

14:30 – 15:30 Thematic Session 4

Chair: Zsuzsanna Bago-Horvath (Vienna)

Mojgan Devouassoux (Lyon)

14:30 – 14:50 Borderline Lesions in the Ovary,
How to Deal and Recognize these Lesions
Mojgan Devouassoux (Lyon)

14:50 – 15:10 Folate Receptor Alpha in Ovarian Cancer
Peter Regitnig (Graz)

15:10 – 15:30 Computational Pathology in Gynecopathology
Zsuzsanna Bago-Horvath (Vienna)

15:30 – 15:45 Awards

Rupert Langer (Linz)

15:45 – 16:15 Industry meeting III

Validierung und Implementierung von Comprehensive
Genomic Profiling im molekularpathologischen Labor:
Erfahrungen mit TSO500 v2

Heather Dawson (Bern)



16:15 – 16:45 Coffee Break

FRIDAY 13th March 2026

16:45 – 18:15 Thematic Session 5

Chair: Renate Kain (Vienna)

Nicolas Kozakowski (Vienna)

16:45 – 17:15 AI for Nephropathology
Peter Boor (Aachen)

17:15 – 17:45 Peritumoral Aspects in Kidney Pathology
Nicolas Kozakowski (Vienna)

17:45 – 18:15 Spatial molecular profiling using the example of nephropathology
Johannes Kläger (Vienna)

Scientific Programme

SATURDAY 14th March 2026

from 08:00 Registration

08:00 – 09:30 Patho Running

09:30 – 11:30 Thematic Session 6

Chair: Martin Klimpfinger (Wien)

Karl Sotlar (Salzburg)

09:30 – 10:00 HPV Vaccination from the Public Health Perspective
Anita Rieder (Wien)

10:00 – 10:30 HPV Induced Lesions in Gynecology
Elmar Armin Joura (Wien)

10:30 – 11:00 Mesenchymatous Tumors in Gynecological Pathology
Bernadette Liegl-Atzwanger (Graz)

11:00 – 11:30 Lesions of the Vulva, What You Have to Know
Johannes Pammer (Wien)

11:30 – 12:30 Lunch Break

12:30 – 14:30 Thematic Session 7

Chair: Martin Klimpfinger (Wien)

Maja Nackenhorst (Wien)

12:30 – 13:00 Histopathological Cases of the Ovary and Endometrium
Ulrike Heber (Wien)

13:00 – 13:30 Histopathological Cases of the Ovary and Endometrium
Eva Maier (Linz)

13:30 – 14:00 Histopathological Cases of the Ovary and Endometrium
Peter Regitnig (Graz)

14:00 – 14:30 Histopathological Cases of the Ovary and Endometrium
Anja Hartl (Linz)

14:30 End of the Meeting

Speakers

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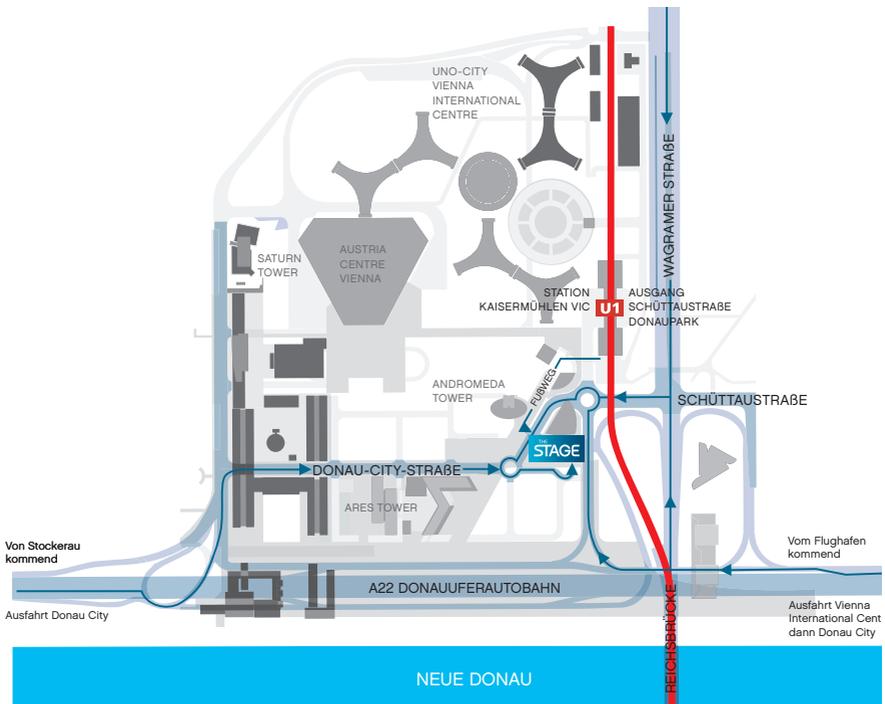
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Venue and Transport Information



TechGate Vienna

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Public Transport

Metro U1 (red line)

Please take the stop „Kaisermühlen – Vienna International Center“ and exit in the direction of “Schüttaustraße/Donau-City-Straße”. From there it is an approx. 2-minutes walk

Bus

The following bus lines stop right next to the venue:
20A, 92A, 92B, Airport Bus, N90

Car / Parking

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