



**FIRST ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE SOCIETY FOR
TOXICOLOGIC PATHOLOGY IN INDIA
“CURRENT TRENDS IN TOXICOLOGIC PATHOLOGY IN INDIA”**

AND

**CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (CPD) SEMINAR
IN COLLABORATION WITH
THE BRITISH SOCIETY OF TOXICOLOGICAL PATHOLOGISTS**



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Distinguished Colleagues,

It gives us immense pleasure to invite you on behalf of the organizing committee to attend the First Annual Conference of the STPI and Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Seminar in Collaboration with The British Society Of Toxicological Pathologists, to be held in Hotel Atria, Bangalore-01.

The '**Society for Toxicologic Pathology in India**' established in 2004 with the objective of providing an excellent platform to share thoughts and update recent developments in Toxicologic Pathology to meet international standards, is organizing this scientifically valuable annual meeting in collaboration with **The British Society Of Toxicological Pathologists**. The seminar will offer an excellent opportunity to the participants for interaction with reputed and eminent Toxicologic Pathologists of India and abroad and to gather and exchange information and ideas on International trends in Toxicology and Pathology. All scientists are requested to take the message personally for a larger participation and maximal benefit.

Speaker's Profiles

Dr. C. Gopinath is an Independent consultant in Toxicology & Pathology; Consultant in Toxicology/Pathology, Huntingdon Life Sciences, Huntingdon, Cambridgeshire, UK. He completed his Ph.D from University of Liverpool in the Year 1970 and worked as Lecturer in the same University till 1974. Later he moved to Organon International, BV, Oss, The Netherlands, Head of Pathology Group. From 1977 to 2000 he was associated with Huntingdon Research Centre, UK. He has served as Chairman of research and scientific advisory committees.

He has served as President of International Federation of Societies of Toxicological Pathologists and British Society of Toxicological Pathologists. He is member of many toxicology and pathology societies. He has served as examiner in Veterinary Pathology and Toxicology (Royal College of Pathologists) and continues to serve as External examiner in Applied Toxicology, University of Surrey.

- Liver and Adrenal glands

Dr. K.R. Isaacs is an Independent Consultant in Toxicological Pathology. He graduated from Cambridge Veterinary School in 1976. He worked as Staff Pathologist at Huntingdon Research center, ICI Pharmaceuticals and Central Toxicology Laboratory before moving to Smith Kline & French as senior Pathologist in 1984. He was Director, EPL Scientific between 1989 and 1994. Currently he is a Member of Specialty Advisory Committee on Veterinary Pathology at Royal College of Pathologists. He was President (1998 – 2000) and Chairman of the Education Subcommittee (2002 – 2005) of The British Society of Toxicological Pathologists.

Dr. Isaacs has authored and/or co-authored 10 publications and 3 published abstracts. Since 1996 to date has conducted lectures at 15 meetings and has attended 69 Continuing Professional Development meetings/seminars since 1983.

- Heart

Dr. Pam Mullins is currently employed as Senior Pathologist at Sequani Limited.

She graduated BSc(Hons) in Zoology from the University of St Andrews and was awarded her PhD from the University of Glasgow with a thesis entitled "Transmitter Release from Mouse Motoneurons". After a period as a Research Fellow and Lecturer with the Open University, she joined Huntingdon Research Centre as a Pathologist in 1980. By examination, she obtained the Diploma in Toxicology and then Membership of the Royal College of Pathologists (Veterinary Pathology of Laboratory Animals) and was awarded Fellowship of the College in 1997. She moved to Sequani Limited in 2001 as Senior Pathologist.

Dr. Mullins is currently Junior Vice President of the BSTP, having previously been a Councilor and the Honorary Secretary. She serves as the BSTP representative on the Specialty Advisory Committees for Toxicology and Veterinary Pathology at the Royal College of Pathologists and also is the College CPD adviser for the Specialty of Veterinary Pathology. She is an examiner in Toxicology for the Royal College of Pathologists. Since 2004, she also acted as the BSTP representative on the Board of the European Society of Toxicologic Pathology (ESTP).

- Liver

Guest lectures by eminent Toxicologic Pathologists of India on 25th August 2006 will be followed by a two day Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Seminar having practical sessions on these organs on 27th August 2006. Detailed programme is placed on our Website: <http://toxpathindia.tripod.com>

REGISTRATION

Participation is open to all individuals interested in the field of Veterinary Pathology, Toxicology, Toxicologic Pathology and other allied sciences. Those desirous of attending should fill up the registration form and mail the same to the Treasurer, STPI.

Registration fee for conference:

	Before July 31	After July 31/on spot
STPI member	Rs. 3000	Rs. 3500
Non member	Rs. 3500	Rs. 4000
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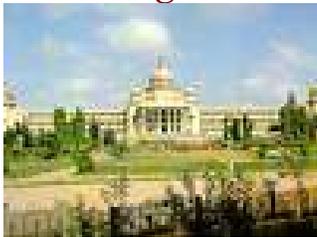
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All presentations (Invited Guest Lectures) should be made by power point presentations only. The presentation material must be submitted to the technical committee before the start of the scientific session for the verification of the prescribed specifications. Hand written transparencies will not be accepted.

About Bangalore



The capital of the state of Karnataka, Bangalore is situated halfway between the east and west coasts in southern India. The city was founded in the 16th century and was ruled by great southern dynasties like the Kadambas, the Hoysalas and Vijayanagar Empire. Legend has it that the name Bangalore comes from "boiled beans" (Benda Kaluru), which was served by a humble old lady to a hungry ruler in the 10th century.

Bangalore is also called "the Garden City" thanks to its many parks and flowering trees. Thanks to many local parks, along with pink cassias, golden acacias, golden tabebuias, blue jacarandas and flaming gul mohars, which bloom throughout the city.

Many international visitors come to Bangalore for its IT industry and prestigious research institutes, such as the Indian Institute of Science, Indian Institute of Management, etc. While enjoying the pleasant weather year-round, tourists can also use the city as a central base for day trips to other Karnataka attractions.

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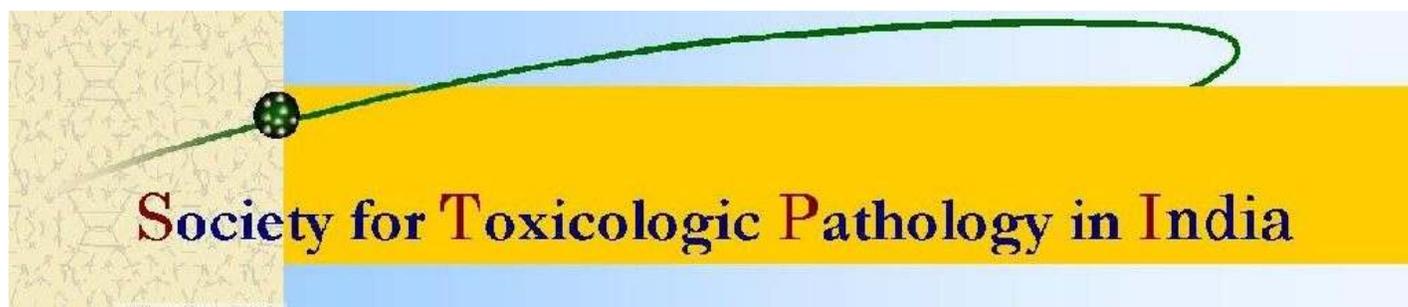
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Limited accommodation will be available in the University guest-house, Karnataka Veterinary Council Guest House, Aranya Bhavan Guest House and IVRI Guest House on first come/informed basis to the delegates. The rest of the delegates will be assisted in getting accommodation in hotels if they can let us know in advance. Contact **Dr. Anil Kumar P** for further details, Advinus Therapeutics Private Limited, 21&22, Peenya Industrial Area, Phase II, Bangalore - 560 058, Phone (O): 080-28394959, Mobile: 9945919798, e-mail: anilkumar.p@advinus.com

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