

# Breast Pathology Course 2024

Hospital del Mar, Barcelona  
May 22-24 2024  
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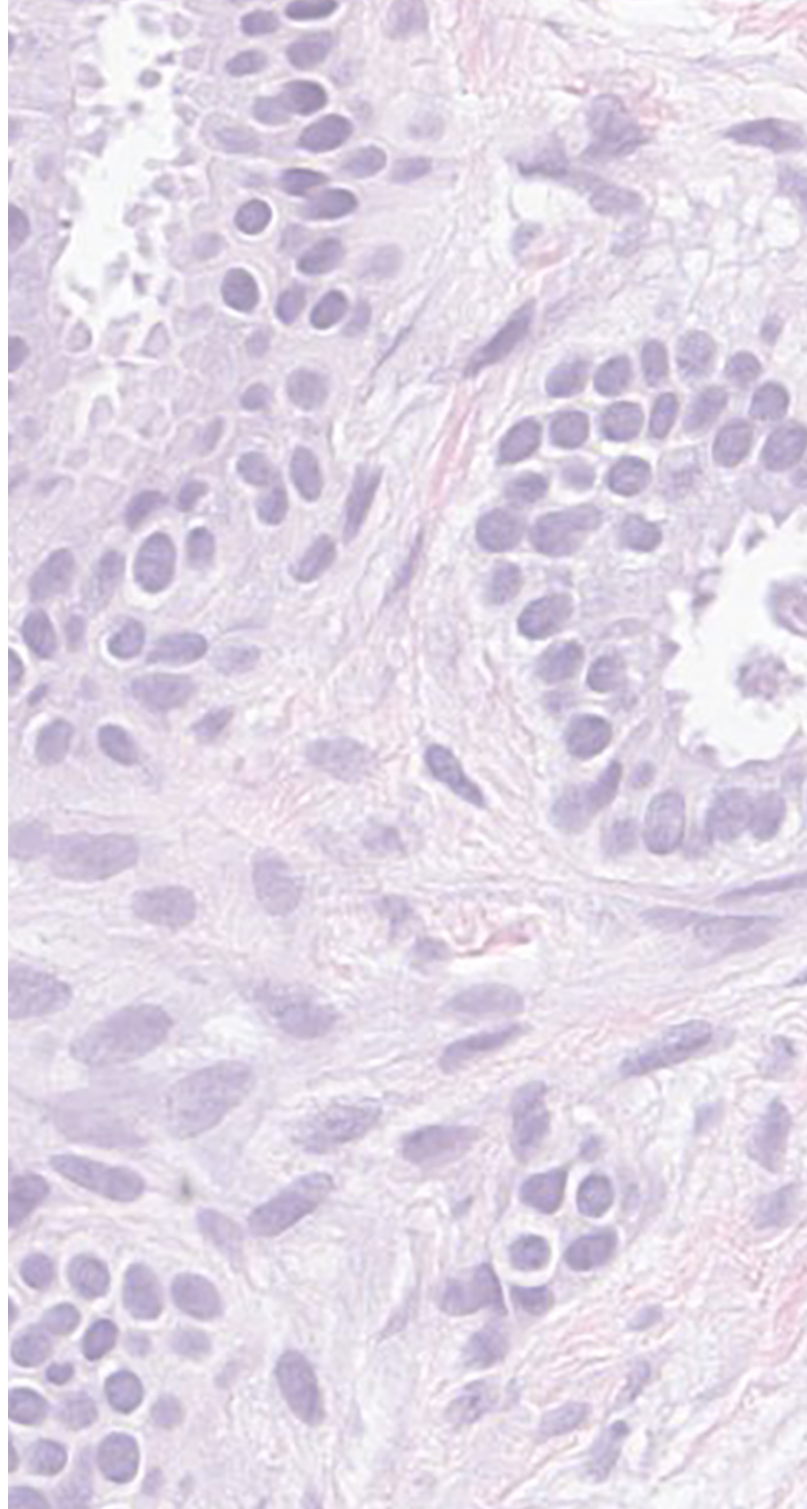
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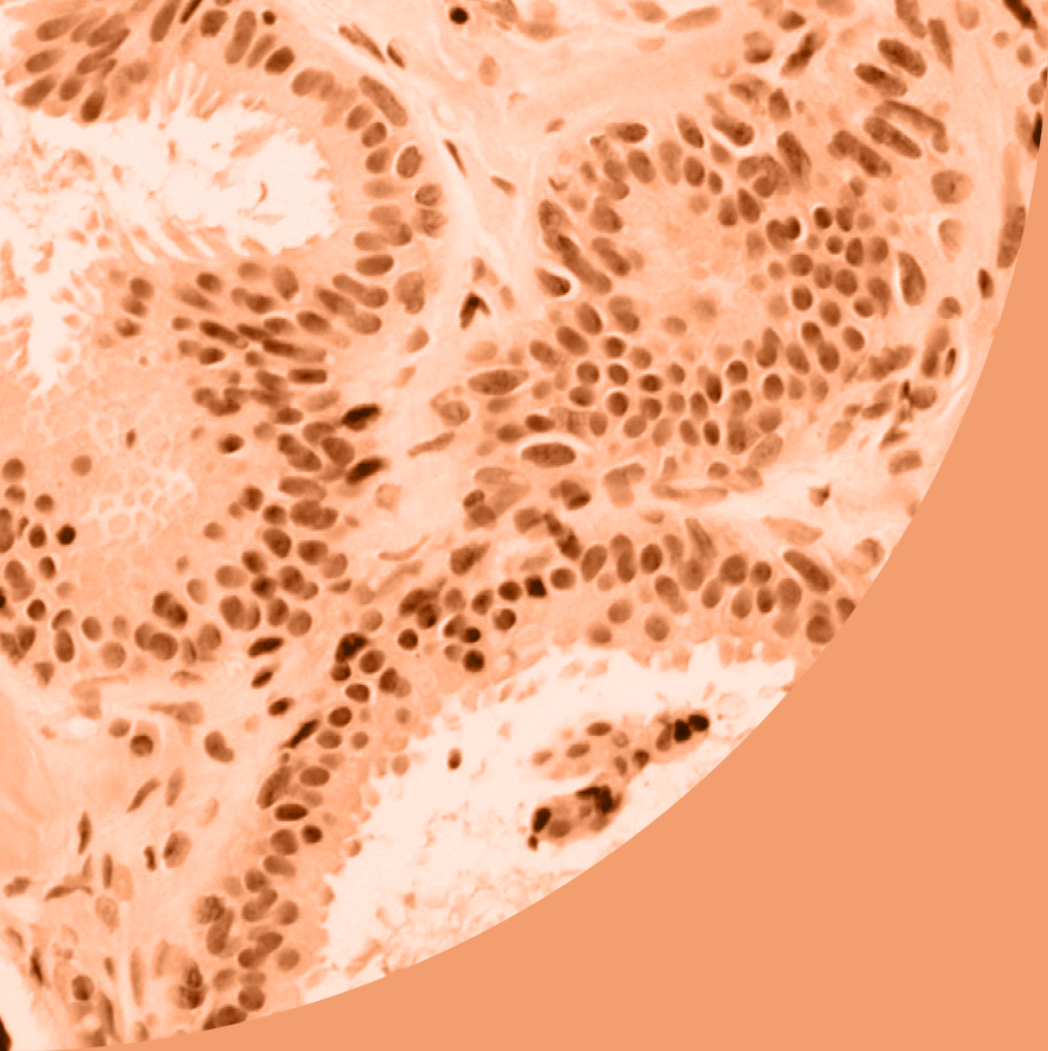
### Dr. Elena Provenzano

Lead breast pathologist at Addenbrookes Hospital,  
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### Dr. Popi Siziopikou

Professor of Pathology and Medicine (Hematology and  
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## Course Description

The course is organized as a theoretical-practical review of relevant aspects of Breast Pathology.

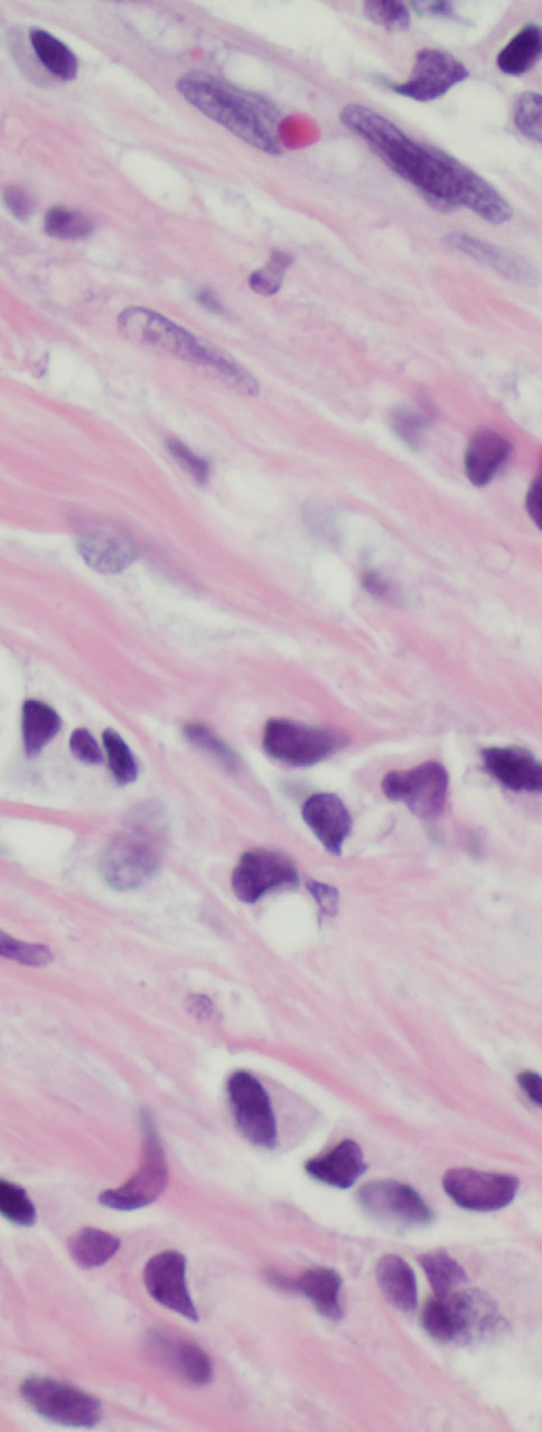
The course is designed to be very interactive. The faculty will give lectures, show typical morphologic entities and discuss how to approach specific issues in multiheaded microscopes (two 16 headed microscopes and 2 microscopes with projection screens), dividing the attendants into 4 different groups.

The attendants will rotate through the different settings, so everyone has similar exposure to the invited faculty, cases and settings.

The course is limited to 90 participants in order to accommodate everybody at the practical sessions.

An option to attend the lectures only is also available with a lower registration fee and limited to 25 individuals.

An option to attend the lectures live online, is also available with a lower registration fee. The recordings will be available up to 21 days after the course.



## Wednesday

May 22

### 8.15—8.30

Opening Ceremony

\_Dr. Belén Lloveras

Course Director

\_Dr. Esther Oliva

Course Director

### 8.30—9.00

IHC in breast pathology –  
uses and pitfalls

\_Dr. Elena Provenzano

### 9.00—9.50

Ductal Carcinoma in Situ  
(DCIS) of the Breast

\_Dr. Popi Siziopikou

### 9.50—10.20

Coffee Break

### 10.20—11.10

Lobular carcinoma –  
what's new and noteworthy

\_Dr. Edi Brogi

### 11.15—13.00

Practical sessions

### 13.00—15.00

Lunch

### 15.00 —15.30

The Pathology of Pregnancy  
Associated Breast Cancer;

Recent Updates

\_Dr. Popi Siziopikou

### 15:30—16.20

Pitfalls in the Diagnosis of Inva-  
sive Breast Cancer

\_Dr. Melinda Lerwill

### 16:20—16.35

Coffe break

### 16:35—18.15

Practical sessions

## Thursday

May 23

**8.30—9.20**

Triple negative breast cancer – not just a single entity  
\_Dr. Elena Provenzano

**9.20—09.50**

HER2-Low Breast Cancer; Challenges and Opportunities  
\_Dr. Popi Siziopikou

**09.50—10.20**

Coffee Break

**10.20—11.10**

Molecular Pathology of Breast Cancer: Diagnostic, Prognostic and Therapeutic Implications  
\_Dr, José Palacios

**11.10—13.00**

Practical Sessions

**13.00—15.00**

Lunch

**15.00—15.50**

Evaluation of Papillary Breast Lesions  
\_Dr. Melinda Lerwill

**15.50—16.20**

High Risk Proliferative Lesions of the Breast: Diagnosis and Significance  
\_Dr. Popi Siziopikou

**16.20 —16.35**

Coffee Break

**16.35—18.15**

Practical sessions

## Friday

May 24

**8.30—9.15**

Handling and reporting of breast specimens post neoadjuvant therapy  
\_Dr. Elena Provenzano

**9.15—10.00**

Fibroepithelial tumors – Diagnostic criteria and recurrent challenges  
\_Dr. Edi Brogi

**10.00—10.30**

Coffee Break

**10.30—11.15**

Spindle Cell Lesions of the Breast  
\_Dr. Melinda Lerwill

**11.15—13.00**

Practical Seassions

**13.00—15.00**

Lunch

**15.00—16.00**

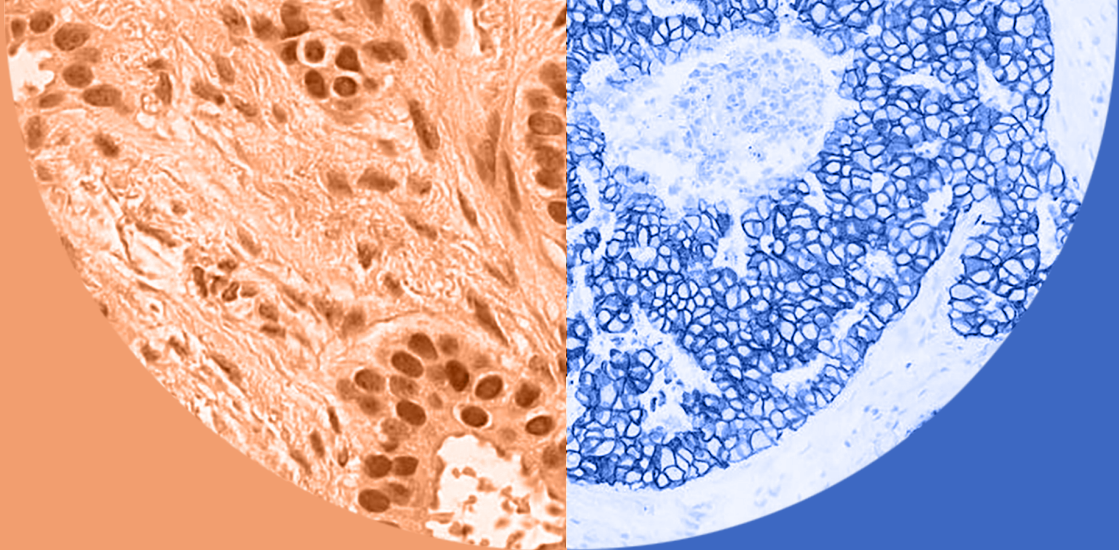
Hot topics in breast pathology: Panel discussion  
\_All

**16.00—16.15**

Coffe Break

**16.15—18.00**

Practical sessions



## Registration fee

### With practical sessions

Pathologists: 500 €

Residents: 400 €

### Without practical sessions

Pathologists: 350 €

Residents: 300 €

### Online

Live streaming: 180 €

(live streaming access to all lectures)

### 3 days lunch: 90 €

Lunches are not included in this year registration fee as to avoid food waste. Book it separately while registering if you are interested.

## Venue

Aula Josep Marull

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### Cancellation Policy

Registration fee refunding available until the 22nd of April at 15:00 (except for an administrative fee of 80€).

No refund available from the 22nd of April at 15:01.

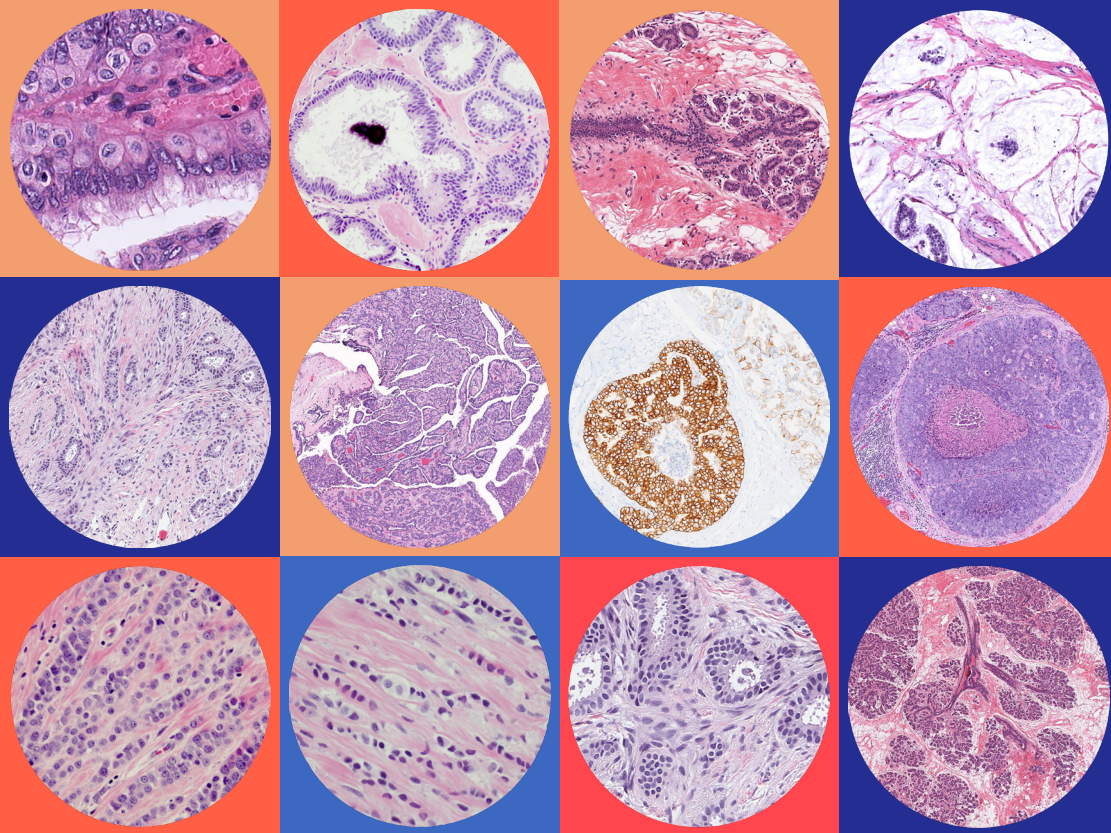
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## Registration

Online registration should be made via the website:  
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