

Congress Information

Congress Venue

Austria Center Vienna (ACV)
Bruno-Kreisky-Platz 1
1220 Vienna | Austria
www.acv.at/en/

Congress Language

English

Technical Exhibition

The 37th European Congress of Pathology will be accompanied by a major technical exhibition. Potential exhibitors can request an exhibition/ sponsorship brochure from the **ESP Sponsoring Manager, Sarah Berger:** s.berger@esp-pathology.org

CME – Continuing Medical Education

The ESP is seeking approval from the European Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (EACCME) to provide CME credits for the scientific programme of the congress. These credits are recognised by the American Medical Association towards the Physician's Recognition Award (PRA). More detailed information will become available prior to the congress on the congress website.

Hotels in Vienna

A large number of rooms in various hotels in Vienna and different price categories have been reserved. The majority of the hotel rooms are located close to the congress venue Austria Center Vienna (ACV). For reservations go to www.esp-pathology.org



City of Vienna

Vienna is located in the heart of Europe and has excellent international air and rail connections. Linking business events and world-class culture is easier in Vienna than anywhere else. Whether it is meeting venues with a cultural dimension to them or hotels inspired by the arts, Vienna continues to live up to its reputation as the Capital of Culture in the meetings sector. The city also has so much to offer in the way of culinary delights. Also, Vienna is a green city - and not just thanks to its numerous parks and green spaces. Other factors include the importance of sustainability, climate efficiency and resource conservation for the capital as a smart tourism and meetings destination.

The ACV – Austria's largest congress center – offers an ideal focal point for all our delegates, speakers, and industry partners. The center is located in the UNO City and boasts easy access to the airport, hotels, and all that the city has to offer.



37th European Congress of Pathology

FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

Tradition Meets Future

6 – 10 September 2025
Austria Center Vienna (ACV)

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Important Dates

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| 2 April 2025 | First deadline for early registration fee |
| 2 April 2025 | Deadline for abstract submission |
| 3 July 2025 | Second deadline for early registration fee |
| 6 September 2025 | Opening Ceremony of the 37th ECP |



Welcome Address

Dear Colleagues,

The European Society of Pathology (ESP) and the Austrian Society for Clinical Pathology and Molecular Pathology (ÖGPath) would like to invite you to the 37th European Congress of Pathology (ECP). The conference will take place in the Austria Center Vienna (ACV), in the heart of Vienna, from 6th – 10th September 2025.

The ECP has grown to become the world's largest congress in Pathology with a dynamic scope, attracting over 5,000 colleagues from all over the world. For these few days in September, pathologists, clinicians, molecular biologists, geneticists, bioinformaticians, IT experts, as well as our industry partners will gather for ECP 2025 and make Vienna the world capital of Pathology.

Vienna is home to a prestigious scientific tradition in Pathology, encompassing giants like Carl von Rokitansky and Hans Popper and continues to be at the forefront of Pathology research and education. The congress in Vienna will show its commitment to this legacy by presenting an innovative and attractive programme that showcases the cutting edges of pathology.

Our motto for the ECP 2025 – “ECP Vienna - Tradition Meets Future” – acknowledges the significant improvement Pathology research has brought and continues to bring to diagnostics and clinical practice. Modern pathology is the foundation for many targeted therapies that have dramatically changed how we treat cancer and chronic diseases today. The excellent programme prepared by the ESP working groups, ESP-affiliated societies, education and trainee subcommittees and other collaborating societies aims to reflect on and contribute to this extremely dynamic development of the field of pathology.

An attractive and dedicated programme of keynote lectures, slide seminars, interactive sessions, special symposia as well as multiple oral and posters presentations, from internationally renowned experts and leaders in their fields, will provide an ideal opportunity for professional development, networking, and sharing ideas. Additionally, sessions organised by and for trainee pathologists, encompassing important and cutting-edge advancements in pathology practise, will be integral to our programme and will show the commitment of the ESP to shape the Pathology and Pathologists of the future.

Vienna offers rich cultural heritage through its numerous museums: among them the pathologo-anatomical collection in the Narrenturm and the Medical History Museum Vienna Josephinum. The city's historical buildings, beautiful gardens and parks, strong literary, theatrical and musical traditions, will also provide opportunities for culture activities.

We are very much looking forward to hosting and meeting you in Vienna!

Peter Schirmacher

President of the European Society of Pathology

Renate Kain

Chair of the Local Organising Committee of ECP 2025

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Scientific Information

Our aim is to provide an up-to-date scientific programme covering all major areas of diagnostic, translational, molecular and investigative pathology. Special emphasis will be put on recent developments in pathology, particularly in the applications of technologies linked to molecular understanding, and strengthening of the role of continuing close clinico-pathological cooperation for patient benefit. The core programme, prepared with a strong input from the **ESP Working Groups, Affiliated Societies, Education and Trainee Subcommittees** will encompass the following topics:

- Autopsy Pathology
- Breast Pathology
- Cardiovascular Pathology
- Cytopathology
- Dermatopathology
- Digestive Diseases Pathology
- Digital and Computational Pathology
- Electron Microscopy
- Endocrine Pathology
- Gynaecological Pathology
- Haematopathology
- Head and Neck Pathology
- History of Pathology
- Infectious Diseases
- Molecular Pathology
- Nephropathology
- Neuropathology
- Ophthalmic Pathology
- Paediatric and Perinatal Pathology
- Pathology in Favour of Developing Countries
- Pulmonary Pathology
- Soft Tissue and Bone Pathology
- Thymic and Mediastinal Pathology
- Uropathology

A wide range of scientific and educational sessions will be offered, comprising Slide Seminars, Short Courses, Symposia, Videomicroscopy and Special Sessions, as well as Oral Free Paper and Poster Sessions.

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38th European Congress of Pathology

12 - 16 September 2026
Stockholm, Sweden

