6. AFRICAN DERMATOPATHOLOGY CONFERENCE (ADPC)

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Welcome to the **6th African Dermatopathology Conference** at the Regional Dermatology Training Centre (RDTC), at the Kilimanjaro Christian Medical Centre (KCMC), in Moshi, Tanzania!

In the past five years, we have had several successful **ADPCs** in Moshi, the last one in Kigali, Rwanda. In the past editions we welcomed >40 participants from >10 African countries and from all continents, 60% dermatologists and 40% pathologists. A lively interactive program resulted in numerous discussions about diagnosis of skin diseases.

The excellent collaboration with the RDTC allows us to host the **ADPC** in a beautiful location and perfect timing. In fact, the annual RDTC International Dermatology Conference with follow on the next three days (January 8-10 2020). This will be a conference on Skin Diseases, Leprosy, HIV/AIDS and other STIs and Public Health Dermatology, with Reunion of Past-and Postgraduates.

2020 will be a particularly exciting year because the American Academy of Dermatology (AAD) is also organizing a Tropical dermatology Meeting at the RDTC directly after the conferences (January 11-13 2020).

We are looking forward to an extremely exciting combination of three conferences in Moshi, especially we want to share with you the stimulating scientific program of the **6th African Dermatopathology Conference:** there will be lectures on several skin diseases, especially with clinical-pathological correlation, interesting cases presentations, and the famous "Dermatopathology Games". The conference will bring together as usual several international experts to share professional experiences, knowledge and skills in order to improve patient care.

Since 2016, the "African Dermatopathology Society" (ADPS) is having the yearly meeting at the end of the conference. All conference participants are welcome to join the society.

We hope that you will come and join us in the friendly atmosphere at the slopes of Mount Kilimanjaro, Karibuni!

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Course Organizators:

Daudi Mavura, Tanzania

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Learning Objectives

The course is meant to bring together once a year the African Dermatologists and Pathologists interested in Dermatopathology. The lectures will especially focus on clinical-pathological correlation of skin diseases.

The conference should provide basic information that can be applied to dermatopathology practice in the African continent. At the end of the course participants should improve their skills in the diagnosis of skin disorders.

Since 2016 the "African Society of Dermatopathology" (ASDP) is having the yearly meeting during the conference. All conference participants are welcome to join the society. We would love to hear your opinions and visions about the future of African Dermatopathology.

Lecture's speakers

Information follows in June 2019.

General Information

2-day course fees: Specialist 20 USD - Residents free

The inscription includes access to the 2-day conference, digital handouts, 2x lunch (Monday and Tuesday), and coffee breaks.

Send registration form to helmut.beltraminelli@insel.ch

Course Location: All sessions will be held at the: Kilimanjaro Christian Medical Centre (KCMC) – Lecture Hall in collaboration with the Regional Dermatology Training Centre (RDTC), Moshi, Tanzania. <u>http://www.kcmc.ac.tz/?q=direction</u>

Social dinner location: xxx

Social dinner cost: 10 USD to be paid on Monday before the dinner.

Travel: Moshi can be reached by car, bus or plane (Kilimanjaro Airport).

Transport from the Airport to Moshi (~50 USD) can be organized here:

www.dotcomsafaris.com or www.tanzaniajourneys.com

RDTC: <u>http://rdtc.go.tz/</u> or <u>http://kcmuco.ac.tz/regional-dermatology-training-</u> center-rdtc/

AAD Tropical Dermatology Meeting: <u>https://www.aad.org/meetings/tropical-</u> dermatology-in-tanzania#housing

Hotel suggestions

<100 USD

Kibo executive lodge - <u>https://www.tripadvisor.ch/Hotel_Review-g317084-</u> d3784817-Reviews-Kibo_Executive_Lodge-Moshi_Kilimanjaro_Region.html

Kitolie lodge - <u>www.kitolie-home.com</u>

>100 USD

Salsalinero Hotel - <u>www.salsalinerohotel.com</u>

Ameg lodge - <u>www.ameglodge.com</u>

Park view inn - www.pvim.com