

1ST AFRICAN CONGRESS ON DIGITAL PATHOLOGY
MARRAKECH, MOROCCO,
18-20 APRIL 2025

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

FRIDAY 18 APRIL 2025

Workshop 1 :

9:00-12:30

AI in Digital Gynecological
Cytology

Coordinator: *Samia Malki*

 **Datexim**
France

Workshop 2 :

9:00-12:30

Quality Control in Digital
Pathology

Coordinator: *Amal Fadaili*

Aaron Han
UAE

Workshop 3 :

9:00-12:30

HER2-low

Coordinator: *Sanae Abbaoui*

 **AstraZeneca**
Morocco

Magali Lacroix-Triki
France

Workshop 4 :

9:00-12:30

AI in Prostate biopsy

Coordinator : *Anas Belbachir*

 **Deep Bio**
South-korea

Fouad Kettani
Morocco

Meryem El Ouazzani
Morocco

12:30-14:30

Lunch Break/Poster visit

PLENARY SESSION 1 :

14:30-16:45

Digital pathology worldwide experience: what can we learn?

Moderators : *A. Belbachir, D. Solomon, A. Han*

14:30-14:45

Digital pathology in Europe : state of the art

Norman Zerbe
Germany

14:45-15:00

Digital Pathology Adoption in low and middle resource environments" Romanian experience

Mircea Serbanescu
Romania

15:00-15:15

Will digital image replace traditional glass slide ?

Witold Rezner
Pologne

15:15-15:30

Overview of Digital Pathology in Asia

Andrey Bychkov
Japan

15:30-15:45

Discussion

15:45-16:15

Industry Symposium

💰 Astra Zeneca

16:15-16:45

Coffee break /Posters visit

PLENARY SESSION 2

16:45-18:45

Digital pathology in Africa: from local experience to a continental strategy

Moderators : *H. Rais, M. Regragui, N. Zerbe*

16:45-17:00

Digital pathology in Africa : the need for speed

Hicham El Attar
Morocco

17:00-17:15

Regional approach of Digital Pathology : the example of Egypt

Bassma El Sabaa
Egypt

17:15-17:30	Digital Pathology : a bridge between continents	Israa Laklouk USA
17:30-17:45	Digital Pathology in Morocco: what has been done and what still needs to be done?	Mariame Chraibi Morocco
17:45-18:00	Project of digital networking in Souss-Massa,Morocco	Abbaoui Sanae Morocco
18:00-18:15	Discussion	
18:15-18:45	Industry Symposium	 Megaflex
18:45-19:45	<i>Opening ceremony</i>	

SATURDAY 19 APRIL 2025

PLENARY SESSION 3

9:00-9:45

AI and Digital Pathology Workflow (1)

Moderators: *A. Bychkov, H. El Attar, L. Benkirane*

9:00-9:20

AI implementation solutions
: what can we learn from
early users ?

Kris Lamy
Japan

9:20-9:40

To dicomze or not to
dicomize: that is the
question?

Norman Zerbe
Germany

9:30-9:45

AI integration workflow :
the ultimate checklist

Sahil ajit saraf
Singapore

9:45-10:00

Discussion

10:00-
10:30

Industry symposium

\$ 3D Hitech

10:30-10:45

Coffee break

PLENARY SESSION 4

10:45-12:30

AI and Digital Pathology Workflow (2)

Moderators: *Ajlan, A. Sbaj, I. Sarf*

10:45-11:00

From dataset collection
to model deployment in a
limited setting country

Abdelhak Mahmoudi
Morocco

11:00-11:15

The challenge to develop in-
house AI solution in a limited
setting country

Ali Idri & Ferdaous
Idlahcen
Morocco

11:15-11:30	AI and computational pathology in kidney biopsy : the basics	Dawit Solomon Demeke USA
11:30-11:45	Standardized reports in the era of Digital Pathology	Ekatarina Bazyleva Belgium
11:45-12:00	Discussion	
12:00-14:00	Lunch Break /Posters visit	
14:00-16:00	Plenary session 5 Precision Oncology, Digital Pathology and AI : <i>united against cancer</i> Moderators: <i>H. Kadiri , N. Melass, A. Sbitti</i>	
14:00-14:15	Precision Oncology : AI spatial powered HE2.O,	Joe Yeong Singapore
14:15-14:30	Newest insights of the role of biomarker in breast cancer	Khalid El Khalfaoui Morroco
14:30-14:45	Unleashing full potential of digital pathology in breast cancer diagnostic process	Witold Rezner Pologne
14:45-15:05	Newest insights of the role of biomarkers in ovarian cancer	Jalid Sehouli Germany
15:05-15:15	Discussion	
15:55-16:20	Coffee break/Posters visit	

Plenary session 6

15:45-17:00

Precision Oncology, Biomarkers and AI

Moderators: *R. Belbaraka, A. Tahri, M.A. Azami*

15:45-16:00

Predictive AI and solid tumors: **overview**

Marie Brevet
France

16:00-16:15

Predictive molecular pathology using AI models in lung cancer diagnostics

Arthur Bartczak
Poland

16:15-16:35

Molecular proteomics and AI Digital Pathology : **New Challenges in precision Oncology**

Manfred Dietel
Germany

16:35-17:00

Discussion

19:30-22:30

Gala Dinner (*registration needed*)

SUNDAY 20 APRIL 2025

10:00-12:00

Technologists Session (in French)/Session des techniciens (en Français)

10:00-12:00

Atelier thérapie cellulaire

Tarik Kanouni
France

Anas Belbachir
Morocco

10:00-12:00

Standardized structural reporting

Paul Seegers
Netherlands

Hicham El Attar
Morocco

12:00-13:00

Meeting of the African Society of Digital Pathology

Hicham El Attar
Morocco

13:00-13:15

Closing ceremony