

Hematopathology Fellowship Program Directors' Breakfast Meeting Meeting Minutes

DATE: 3/02/2014

TIME: 7:00 to 9:00 am

LOCATION: Aqua 310, Hilton San Diego Bayfront

ATTENDEES:

On file with Nilda Barrett from ASCP

MEETING TOPICS AND OBJECTIVES:

To update the program directors on projects and efforts of the SH Education Committee.

SUMMARY OF DISCUSSIONS:

1. Updates of the Virtual Hematopathology Teaching Archives

Jennifer Clark, Manager of Curriculum and Learning Strategy from ASCP, presented the prototype for the SH Workshop Case. The prototype was built via the ASCP digital asset warehouse. There were three elements of the prototype, with clinical history, case presentation, and one scanned whole slide image. Comments were made by the audience related to the prototype layout, including background colors, viewing distractions, and format of the case presentations.

Dr. Scott Rodig, Chair of the SH Case of the Quarter (COQ), presented updates related to the COQ. The webpage has had approximately 9000 hits since going live, and it is the most viewed webpage on the EAHP-SH website. Dr. Rodig showed the prototype for the COQ with preliminary CME modules. The next steps are to refine the CME option and incorporate scanned whole slide image in COQ.

The planned go-live date for the TA is set for 2014.

2. RISE/FISHE Core Hematopathology Test Subcommittee

Dr. Sara Monaghan, Chair for the Hematology/Hematopathology Section of the RISE/FISHE Committee, presented the Subcommittee efforts from 2013 - 2014. Dr. Monaghan acknowledged appreciation for those who have contributed to writing exam questions, including the 15 volunteers of the Exam Question Author Subcommittee from the SH. In addition to confirmation of question-writing volunteers and reviewing the structure of exam questions for 2014-2015, the Core Subcommittee is working with ASCP and ABP on a project correlating FISHE scores with passing of the ABP Hematology Board Exam. Also new this year will be online submission of questions for RISE/FISHE.

3. Current Status of the NAS Hematopathology Fellowship Milestones

Dr. Mark Brissette, Chair of Hematopathology Milestones Subcommittee, presented current status of the project. The subcommittee is comprised of 4 members with Drs. Mark Brissette, Magdalena Czader, Raymond Felgar, and Steven Swerdlow (ABP representative). Dr. Brissette summarized the process of developing the milestones for the HemePath program from 2013 to early 2014, and informed the audience about the ACGME Milestones Requirements.

Dr. Brissette then worked the audience through the draft Milestones for HemePath Fellowship and asked the program directors to review and comment on the draft until March 23, 2014, at www.surveymonkey.com/s/HematologyMilestones. In addition, Dr. Brissette suggested the program directors to educate themselves and their colleagues on the Milestones, create new evaluation tools as necessary, recognize

AP/CP Program Director as a resource, and create a Clinical Competency Committee for the fellowship. The Clinical Competency Committees should include at least 3 faculty members with no residents or fellows. The Committee will review each fellow's progress in each milestone and enters assessments on the Milestones Assessment Form twice a year for reporting to ACGME. The Milestones Assessment Form is not to replace rotation evaluations. The Hematopathology Fellowship Milestones are expected to go effect on July 1, 2015.