

**RODGER C. HAGGITT
GASTROINTESTINAL PATHOLOGY
SOCIETY**

**ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING
2016**

GIPS Bylaw 1.3

- The specific objectives and purposes shall be to disseminate and increase knowledge about pathology of the gastrointestinal tract and to encourage the development of gastrointestinal pathology as a specialty

GIPS officers and committees

- Officers:
 - G. Cortina, President
 - J. Goldsmith, President elect
 - A. Srivastava, Vice President
 - D. Lewin, Secretary Treasurer
- A. Agoston Website Editor
- Executives (Officers, Chairs, Web)
- Committees (CHAIR, Members)
 - Education (HART, Torbenson)
 - Training and Awards (MINO-KENUDSON, Geisinger, Lisovsky, Jhala, Pai, Westerhoff)
 - Membership (AGOSTON, Mitchell)
 - Nomination (ROBERT, Kakar, Yantiss)

Agenda

- Awards Presentations
- Treasurer's Report (David Lewin)
- Update on recent events
- Committee Reports
 - Membership Committee (Agoston Agoston)
 - Education Committee (John Hart)
 - Training and Awards Committee (Mari Mino-Kenudson)
 - Nominations Committee (Marie Robert/or Galen Cortina)
 - Vote on Slate of New officers
- New Business
- GIPS reception

Awards

- Jack Yardley Investigator Award
 - A founding father of gastrointestinal pathology
 - Researcher, professor, gentleman
- Harvey Goldman Lifetime achievement award
 - Grandfather of GI biopsy pathology
 - Author, teacher, honoree
- ...And more awards after Yardley and Goldman

Yardley Award

- 2016 Recipient: **Amitabh Srivastava**
- Associate Professor Brigham and Women's Hospital
- Vice President of GIPS
- Section Editor, GI-Archives
- Multiple awards (abstracts, teaching, leadership)
- Lecturer, national and international
- >50 peer reviewed publications; ~50 chapters
- Highlights include practical research in IBD and premalignant conditions including Barrett dysplasia and serrated adenomas.



Goldman Award



- 2016 recipient: **Leslie Sobin**
- Consultant GI Pathologist, current
- AFIP GI pathology division chief (1991-2009)
- Director of scientific publications AFIP
- Professorships UHS, Cornell, Georgetown, WHO (Geneva, Kabul)
- WHO, multiple appointments, including Advisory group for neoplasms
- WHO advisory panel on cancer (1981-2006)
- Co-editor AFIP Fascicle Series (1988-2003 (3rd), ongoing for 4th)
- Histopathological classification of tumors (including WHO Pathology and Genetics of Tumors), Editor and Co-editor
- Chairman of TNM prognostic factors project for UICC
- AFIP annual course on endoscopic biopsies, 20y as director
- Multiple service awards
- 259 Articles, until I could not count anymore
- A poem about the ampulla of Vater



<https://youtu.be/UJt494kygR4>

Distinguished Service Award

- Recipient: **David Lewin**
- Secretary/Treasurer
- Webmaster
- President
- An executive committee member and GIPS guru

David Lewin, MD

TREASURER'S REPORT

Article 4.6 Duties

Treasurer's Report 2015 (Calendar Year)

Income	\$ 37400 (85% via Paypal)	Dues 289 regular members 62 associate members ASCP (\$750)
Expenses	\$ 22150.60	Net Income \$15249.40

Items paid 2015	amount
Reception (USCAP)	7335.23
Web site	233.98
USCAP Donation	7500
Speaker honorarium (USCAP, DDW, ASCP)	4000
Awards	1793.06
Paypal fees	837.46
Legal	159
Miscellaneous	291.87
Total	22150.60

Treasurer's Report

Time period	Assets	Members	Paid
2008	\$12,148.48		
2009	\$22,463.39	353	161 (46%)
2010	\$ 40,256.78	381	174 (46%)
2011	\$ 44,520	394 (15 Emeritus)	179
2012 (3/13)	\$ 75,443	364 (330 +10 Emeritus + 24 associate)	276 (84%)
2013 (12/13)	\$78,318.20		307
2014 (12/14)	\$ 84,397.01		307
2015 (12/31)	\$100,893.37		351

2015-16 Recent Events

- Guidelines
 - Barrett/Krasinskas
 - Celiac/Greenson
- Transparency
 - Agenda (60+ logged items)
 - Executive committee minutes
- Philanthropy
- Inclusion: HER2 testing (CAP, ASCP, ASCO, A. Bartley)
- Volunteerism

	Volunteers	
Dora Lam-Himlin	Christina Arnold	Valerie McWhorter
Kiyoko Oshima	Sergei Tatishchev	Raul Gonzalez
Bitá Naini		

GIPS Guideline Team

- Alyssa Krasinskas – Leader
 - Henry Appelman
 - Jeff Goldsmith
 - John Hart
 - Jon Davison

Agoston Agoston

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE/WEBMASTER

GIPS Membership

- 281 total active members
 - 222 regular members
 - 46 associate members (trainees)
 - 13 emeritus members

30 New Associate Members:

Atin	Agarwal	Erika	Hissong
aimee	kwak	Isabelle	Cui
Adam	Gomez	Lisa	Koch
Amarpreet	Bhalla	Jared	Shows
Annie	Wu	Kevin	Neill
Ashwin	Akki	Meenu	Sharma
Benjamin	Ramos	Monika	Vyas
Bella	Goyal	Nigar	Khurram
Bing	Ren	Natalia	Rush
Brent	Larson	Sanaz	Ainechi
Jason	Chesser	Sara	Higgins
Chrisy	Mafnas	Seema	Sethi
Courtney	Thomas	Seema	Sethi
Deborah	Nautsch	Whitney	Reid
David	Stockman	Chen	Yang

41 New Regular Members:

Carolyn	Sangokoya	Kanchan	Kantekure
Amy	Collinsworth	Kristen	Stashek
Alessandro	Lugli	Katherine	Sun
Arvind	Rishi	Michael	Landau
Brad	Chaser	Laura	Wood
Changqing	Ma	Laura	Bratton
Nadir	Hasan	Lei	Zhao
Scott	Day	Lanjing	Zhang
Shawn	Kinsey	Abul Ala Syed Rifat	Mannan
Deepti	Dhall	Margarita	De la Ossa
Jignesh	Parikh	Margaret	Cho
Deborah	Schady	nariman	Gobara
William	Anderson	Payman	Fathizadeh
Atoussa	Goldar-Najafi	Qin	Huang
Jillian	Grau	Lihui	Qin
Henry	McNett	Ralph	Hruban
Jesse	Kresak	Stephen	Lagana
Joanna	Chaffin	Sun Mi	Lee
John	Vallone	Shyamala	Yennam
Kathleen	Byrnes	Tetsuya	Hirano
		Vincent	Falck

Reminders

- **Nominations for membership will be verified**
- **Membership applications are reviewed within a month**
- **Remind applicants to allow up to 1 month for a response to the submission of the application**
 - **Often within a week or less but up to 1 month please**
- **Payment of the application fee does not grant immediate website access**
- **Access will be granted if the application is approved**
- **The fee will be refunded if the application is not approved**

Current Committee Members

- Chair: Agoston (Tony) Agoston, MD
- Member: Kisha Mitchell, MD

John Hart

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Article 5.3 Committee

Journal Watch Reviewers



Rageshree Ramachandran
U.C. San Francisco



Steven Hart
U.C. Los Angeles



Michael S. Torbenson
Mayo Clinic



Ilyssa Gordon
Cleveland Clinic



David Hernandez Gonzalo
Univ. Florida Gainesville



Nicole Panarelli
Albert Einstein

Case of the Month Editors



Rebecca Wilcox
Univ. Vermont



Nicole Panarelli
Albert Einstein



ILKe Nalbantoglu
Washington Univ.

USCAP Meeting

GIPS Forum on March 11, 2016

- John Hart & Laura Lamps (moderators)
- Joel Greenson – How I sign out GVHD in a data free environment
- Dora Lam-Himlin – How I handle mast cells in GI biopsies
- Scott Owens – When I choose to do a lymphoma work up on a GI biopsy
- Christina Arnold – What is that weird foreign material in that GI specimen
- Galen Cortina – How GIPS members handle isolated tumor cells in lymph nodes from GI resections

DDW 2016

San Diego on Sunday, May 22

Effectively using mucosal GI pathology for diagnosis and patient management:
focus on 3 key areas

- Michael Torbenson (moderator)
- Sanjay Kakar
- Matthew Yeh
- Vishal Chandan
- Joseph Murray

ASCP 2016 Annual Meeting Las Vegas, September 14

What is New in GI Pathology ?

- Rhonda Yantiss – Emerging Esophageal Disorders
- Jeffrey Goldsmith – Drug Induced GI Diseases
- Shu-Yuan Xiao – Small Bowel Ulcerating Disorders

CAP Annual Meeting

Las Vegas, September 25-28

Gastric Pathology:

A Practical Approach for the Practicing Pathologist

- Michael Torbenson
- Tsung-Teh Wu

IAP/ ESP Meeting Cologne, Germany

Rodger Haggitt GIPS Session on September 26, 2016

- Chairs (moderators):
 - Marie Robert
 - Michael Vieth
- Speakers:
 - Marie Robert – Celiac disease and refractory sprue
 - Michael Torbenson – Non-parasitic infections of the GI tract
 - Rhonda Yantiss – Problematic polyps of the GI tract
 - Jason Hornick – Mesenchymal lesions of the GI tract

Mari Mino Kenudson

TRAINING AND AWARDS COMMITTEE

Article 5.4 Committee

GIPS T & A Committee

- Chair: Mari Mino-Kenudson
- Committee members:
 - Nirag Jhala
 - Kim Geisinger
 - Mikhail Lisovsky
 - Deepa Patil
 - Maria Westerhoff

GIPS Travel Award

- Typically given to resident trainees interested in GI Pathology but who happen to be in residency training programs that do not have adequate opportunities for GI pathology subspecialty training

Dr. Courtney Thomas
Northeast Ohio Medical Center/Summa
Health System

GIPS Abstract Awards

- One winner and two runner-ups
- 25 residents/fellows have applied for the awards
- We will be evaluating their presentations for the next 3 days
- The awardees will be selected based on the overall scores in 2 weeks

Current GIPS Officers (term ends)

- President: Galen Cortina (2016)
- President-Elect: Jeff Goldsmith (2016)
- Vice President: Amitabh Srivastava (2016)
- Secretary-Treasurer: David Lewin (2016)

Marie Robert

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE

Article 5.2 Committee

New GIPS Officers

- President: Jeff Goldsmith
- President-elect: Amitabh Srivastava
- Vice President:
 - Nominations committee candidate: John Hart
 - Nominations from the floor?
- Secretary-Treasurer
 - Nomination committee candidate: Nicole Panarelli
 - Nominations from the floor?

New GIPS Programs

- Premise:
 - GIPS is now in a fiscal position to consider creating new programs requiring expenditures (10-20,000)
 - A process will be created whereby the membership will suggest uses of funds
 - Possibilities include but are not limited to philanthropic donations, establishment of CME courses or other materials

Initial Effort:2016

- Partnered with the USCAP Foundation G40 program
- Brought 3 GI pathologists from underserved countries to USCAP, Seattle
- \$7500
- GIPS acknowledged in USCAP program and at Foundation Reception Tuesday night
- Benefits to GIPS: Helping others, global reach, increased visibility

- Anything from the floor?
- Motion to adjourn-Jeff
- GIPS reception
 - 5:30-7:30 Sheraton Grand Ballroom A