



INTERNATIONAL DERMOSCOPY SOCIETY

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Dear IDS Members,

Welcome to the 6th issue of our new IDS newsletter. We hope you have all had a great start to the new decade!

Bid for upcoming IDS congresses

Here at the IDS, we are excited to announce that the biddings for the next World Congress of Dermoscopy and IDS Regional Meeting are now open! If you are interested in hosting the 6th World Congress of Dermoscopy in 2024 or the next IDS Regional Meeting in 2022, please submit your bid by emailing your proposals to iris.zalaudek@gmail.com and emlallas@gmail.com.

The deadlines for submissions are June 2020 for the next IDS Regional Meeting in 2022 and August 2020 for the 6th World Congress of Dermoscopy in 2024. Proposals should include proposed dates, city and venue, a rough budget estimation and break even and details of the individuals involved in organizing the events.

Scientific program at the AAD

The IDS will kick off the new year and decade with our scientific program at the 2020 Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology in

Denver, Colorado on Thursday, March 19 from 14:00 to 18:00. You can find the program on our [website](#). We are looking forward to seeing many of you there!

Apart from our own IDS scientific program, many of our members will also be present at the American Academy of Dermatology to speak at various courses, symposia and fora. We recommend that you search for "dermoscopy" in the [program](#).

More activities, events & podcasts

On the following pages, you will also find important news including:

- Upcoming **activities, events & courses**.
- Links to our **latest podcasts**.
- **Active studies** that you can still participate in.

Follow the IDS!

Feel free to visit Dermoscopedia.org to learn more about dermoscopy and please follow us on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

We wish you all happy reading and hope to meet many of you in Denver, Colorado during the AAD!



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IDS SCIENTIFIC MEETING AT THE 2020 ANNUAL AAD MEETING

The IDS will be organizing a scientific program at the 2020 Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Dermatology in Denver, Colorado on Thursday, March 19 from 14:00 to 18:00. Our exciting program is now available on our [website](#). We can also recommend several other dermoscopy sessions at the [meeting](#).

IDS PODCASTS

[“Dermoscopic features of cutaneous BAPomas”](#) by Oriol Yélamos
[“Scoring methods for AKs”](#) by Ketty Peris

IDS PODCASTS IN SPANISH

[“Squamous cell carcinoma”](#) by Horacio Cabo
[“10 rules to not miss melanomas”](#) by Horacio Cabo



IDS ACTIVE STUDIES

Don't miss your chance to contribute to and participate in our active studies:

[Pigmented epithelioid melanocytoma study](#)

Coordinators: Ružica Jurakić Tončić, Giuseppe Argenziano and Gerardo Ferrara

[Frequency of “stardust pattern” as an evolutive dermoscopic pattern of pigmented Spitz nevi during childhood](#)

Coordinators: Gabriella Brancaccio and Bruno Brunetti

[Trichoepitelioma and trichoblastoma: the role of dermoscopy in differentiating benign follicular tumors from basal cell carcinoma](#)

Coordinators: Riccardo Pampena, Caterina Longo and Giovanni Pellacani

[Frontal fibrosing alopecia](#)

Coordinator: Michela Starace

[Dermoscopy criteria of nevi, melanoma and other entities in skin of color](#)

Coordinator: Ashfaq Marghoob

[Register of nail unit congenital nevi](#)

Coordinator: Luc Thomas

[SCALP Monitoring project](#)

Coordinator: Amanda Regio Pereira

Upcoming events & courses

All members of the International Dermoscopy Society are welcome to promote local events and courses related to dermoscopy or skin cancer on our [website](#). Below you will find information about one of the many local or regional courses we are aware of. If you are organizing any such events or courses, please send the event details to john.paoli@vregion.se.

1st IDS REGIONAL MEETING

Location & dates: Warsaw, Poland - October 15-17, 2020

Organizers: L. Rudnicka, G. Kaminska-Winciorek, R. Karls, J. Paoli, W. Stolz, A. Blum, H. Hänßle and K. Nielsen.

Description: Three-day dermoscopy meeting including courses and parallel sessions covering all major topics within dermoscopy, inflamoscopy and trichoscopy.

<http://www.dermoscopy2020.com/>



DAILY DERMATO-ONCOLOGY

Location & dates: Trieste, Italy - May 22-23, 2020

Description: International Dermato-oncology congress organized by the Melanoma World Society including sessions on dermoscopy and skin cancer diagnosis. IDS President Iris Zalaudek is Congress President.

https://dermoscopy-ids.org/wp-content/uploads/Program_Daily-Dermato-Oncology_2020_Triest.pdf

2nd WORLD CONGRESS ON CONFOCAL MICROSCOPY

Location & dates: Sony Music Hall, New York City, NY, USA - May 28-30, 2020

Description: Three-day continuing medical education activity comprised of lectures and workshops by leading international confocal microscopists in the fields of dermatology, pathology and optical engineering.

Website: <http://2ndworldcongress.eventbrite.com/>



INTERNATIONAL DERMOSCOPY CONFERENCE

Location & dates: Winchester, UK - June 12-13, 2020

Organizers: Stephen Hayes in association with the British and Irish Dermoscopy Group and the IDS.

Description: Two-day dermoscopy meeting including lectures by Cliff Rosendahl, Harald Kittler, Bengü Nisa Akay, Giuseppe Argenziano, Luc Thomas, Agata Bulinska and Beth Leocadia Fernandes.

<https://dermoscopy-ids.org/wp-content/uploads/Winchester-international-dermoscopy-conference-12th-and-13th-June-2020.pdf>

9th AMERICAN DERMOSCOPY MEETING

Location & dates: Zion National Park (St. George, Utah) - July 15-18, 2020

Description: The content of the 9th ADM will include information designed to benefit clinicians at all levels of dermoscopy training, from beginners to seasoned practitioners. Even returning attendees will benefit from significant variation in materials presented. The course director is Ashfaq Marghoob.

Website: <https://americandermoscopy.com/2020/>