

ESP Advanced Training Center for Urological Pathology

The Training Center will be located in the Institute of Pathology, University Hospital Erlangen, Germany. The Training Center will be headed by Prof. Arndt Hartmann, member of the Board of the Working Group Urological Pathology of the ESP.

The department of Nephropathology at the Institute of Pathology of the University Hospital Erlangen is in parallel applying for recognition as ESP Advanced Training Center for Nephropathology (Prof. Dr. Kerstin Amann).

A combined fellowship in both Urological Pathology and Nephropathology would be possible.

The Institute of Pathology at the University Hospital Erlangen has a long record in the field of Urological Pathology and is very active in training pathologist since 10 years.

At the Department work beside the Head of the Department, Prof. Dr. Arndt Hartmann, eight board certified pathologist and eight residents.

Beside Prof. Dr. Hartmann, there are several additional pathologists specialized in Urological Pathology (Dr. Simone Bertz, Prof. Dr. Ralf Rieker, Prof. Dr. Abbas Agaimy). The Institute of Pathology is diagnosing approximately 45000 cases in surgical pathology per year, approximately 20% are urological cases. Within the Institute, a large Department of Molecular Pathology is existing, with approximately 3000 diagnostic Molecular Pathology cases per year.

Many consult cases in Urological Pathology are send from pathologists from Germany and Austria (approximately 1000 cases per year).

Prof. Dr. Hartmann and some other colleagues from the Institute of Pathology are responsible for several courses at the German Division of the International Academy of Pathology regarding Urological Pathology (bladder pathology, kidney pathology).

Our Institute will offer three to six months training program

and can offer two positions per year.

The training program will cover all fields of Urological Pathology including prostate pathology, bladder pathology, pathology of renal cell carcinomas, testicular pathology and pathology of penis.

Prof. Dr. Arndt Hartmann will be the responsible head of the training program.

Teaching languages are German or English, a good knowledge of one of the two languages is prerequisite. The training course will include beside the Urological Surgical Pathology also specific techniques of Molecular Pathology and will give the fellow insight in the research program on bladder and kidney cancer at the Institute of Pathology.

Erlangen is located in the northern part of Bavaria in Germany near the city of Nuremberg and has 100.000 inhabitants.

It is a city with small distances and a highly developed public transportation system.

Distance to the airport Nuremberg is 20 km.

The University of Erlangen-Nuremberg and the Institute of Pathology supports international visitors in all aspects of their visits.

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