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# **Malignant Histiocytosis: Unravelling the Challenges in Histopathologic Diagnosis**

**Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

7.00 pm (IST), Central time : 8.30 am (CT)

## **Guest Speakers**



**Dr. Aishwarya Ravindran**  
Birmingham, USA



**Ms. Deanna Fournier**  
Executive Director,  
Histiocytosis Association



**Ms. Kathy Wisniewski**  
Secretariat,  
Histiocyte Society

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# Guest speakers



## **Dr. Aishwarya Ravindran, MD**

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Assistant Professor of Pathology  
Division of Laboratory Medicine-Hematopathology  
Department of Pathology  
The University of Alabama at Birmingham  
Alabama, U.S.A.

Dr. Aishwarya Ravindran is a consultant Hematopathologist at the University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) and an Associate Scientist in Cancer Control and Population Science at the O'Neal Comprehensive Cancer Center at UAB.

She received her MBBS from Stanley Medical College in India. Subsequently, she pursued her research fellowship in Hematology, followed by a residency in Anatomic/Clinical Pathology and a fellowship in Hematopathology at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota. While training at the Mayo Clinic, she developed a special interest in studying rare diseases, specifically histiocytic/dendritic cell neoplasms.

Her research analyzes the phenotypic and genotypic correlates in these neoplasms and integration into clinical practice. She has published numerous peer-reviewed scientific articles and was also a recipient of the Mayo Clinic Dr. Hobart K.B. Allebach Fellowship award and the American Society of Clinical Pathology-40 under forty honoree for outstanding contributions to the field of pathology.

As an active member of the multidisciplinary Mayo Clinic - UAB Histiocytosis Working Group, she aims to improve awareness about these rare disorders.

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## Deanna Fournier

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Executive Director, The Histiocytosis Association, a global nonprofit, that is dedicated to addressing the unique needs of patients and families impacted by all histiocytic disorders.

Deanna is also a histiocytosis patient herself, having been diagnosed with LCH at the age of six.

In addition to providing educational and emotional support for families and patients and raising awareness around the world, the association funds several research projects each year.



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## Kathy Wisniewski

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She has worked with the Histiocytosis Association and the Histiocyte Society since 2008.

During this period, she has held many roles in both organizations but today her primary responsibilities lie in managing the Histiocytosis Association's Research Grant Program, producing the Association's podcast entitled Beyond the Diagnosis and managing the Histiocyte Society, a global group of over 200 physicians and scientists dedicated to researching histiocytosis, finding better treatments and ultimately a cure.

# Scientific Agenda

Welcome note and introduction of guest speaker  
**Dr. Amit Khurana, Surat**

## Guest lecture

Subject            **Malignant Histiocytosis:  
Unravelling the Challenges in Histopathologic Diagnosis**

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- Speakers
- **Dr. Aishwarya Ravindran, Birmingham**
  - **Ms. Deanna Fournier,  
Executive director, Histiocytosis Association**
  - **Ms. Kathy Wisniewski,  
Secretariat, Histiocyte Society**
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Interactive session with Indian discussants

Moderator:        **Dr. Amit Khurana, Surat**

Discussants:     **Dr. Abhishek Purohit, Jodhpur  
Dr. Akshaya Mandloi, Mumbai  
Dr. Amrit Kaur Kaler, Mumbai  
Dr. Anandraj Vaithy K, Pondicherry  
Dr. Anju Bharti, Varanasi  
Dr. Ankur Ahuja, Pune  
Dr. Arihant Jain, Chandigarh  
Dr. Chitra Madiwale, Mumbai  
Dr. Debadrita Ray, Bengaluru  
Dr. Deepak M B, Bengaluru  
Dr. Gopinathan M, Chennai  
Dr. Hnin Mya Thanda, Myanmar  
Dr. Hormazdiyar Soli Sadri, Navsari  
Dr. Jyoti Sawhney, Ahmedabad  
Dr. Kunal Chhattani, Nagpur  
Dr. Kunal Goyal, Mumbai**



# Scientific Agenda

**Discussants:**

- Dr. Kunal Goyal, Mumbai**
- Dr. Mallikarjun Kalashetty, Bengaluru**
- Dr. Manu Wimalachandra, Sri Lanka**
- Dr. Meenakshi Suri, Jammu**
- Dr. Meenu Angi, Ahmedabad**
- Dr. Mohammed Taha Ali Khan, Hyderabad**
- Dr. Myat Marlar Shwe, Myanmar**
- Dr. Poojitha Byreddy, Kurnool**
- Dr. Prerana Choudhary, Jaipur**
- Dr. Prerna Chautmal, Mumbai**
- Dr. Pushpanjali Ojha, Ranchi**
- Dr. Ramesh B, Madurai**
- Dr. S Venkatesan, Pune**
- Dr. Satish Kumar A, Bengaluru**
- Dr. Savitri Singh, Noida**
- Dr. Shivani Joshi, Nashik**
- Dr. Shubhangi Agale, Mumbai**
- Dr. Tushar Sehgal, Delhi**
- Dr. Udyan Kachchhi, Vadodara**
- Dr. Vidisha Mahajan, Mumbai**
- Dr. Yi Mon Thant, Myanmar**

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**Vote of thanks** **Dr. Amit Khurana, Surat**

# Discussants



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## **Dr. Manu Wimalachandra**

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