
Pathology Residency Program

Welcome

The strength of our program lies in the exceptional core training provided by a broad range of cases and the expertise of our faculty at UWMC and our affiliated hospitals. Whether academic medicine or community practice, our graduates are ready to join more than 480 alumni in a rewarding, life-long career in the multi-faceted specialty of pathology. We offer residents a flexible learning experience in all areas of anatomic and clinical pathology and are recognized as one of the most outstanding programs in the country through our activities in diagnosis, teaching and research. The Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) has accredited our program for more than 25 years.

We accomplish this broad-based training with 150 faculty members at the University of Washington Medical Center, Harborview Medical Center, Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center, Veterans Affairs Puget Sound Health Services, Puget Sound Blood Center, Seattle Cancer Care Alliance, Swedish Medical Center and other medical facilities across the Pacific Northwest. Listed among the top 10 hospitals in the nation by *U.S. News & World Report*, the University of Washington Medical Center offers primary and specialty care to people in Washington, Wyoming, Alaska, Montana and Idaho. The School of Medicine is a recognized leader in the biomedical sciences and the teaching of medicine, excelling in both training and scientific research.

Celebrating nearly 50 years of excellence, the program offers training opportunities and fellowships in a broad range of subspecialty areas. The Departments of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine have one of the highest levels of federal research funding of any pathology department in the United States, with research programs conducted in more than 50 laboratories. Our residency program offers exceptional opportunities for research training in basic science, disease pathogenesis, and translational research applied to clinical practice.

We strive to provide applicants with complete information about our program, our residents and faculty, our institution, and our city within this website. We hope this information is helpful in deciding to apply to our program:

- Application procedures and checklist.
- Detailed descriptive information about the design of our program including training requirements and schedules, electives, research opportunities, and fellowships.
- An introduction to our current residents and fellows, faculty and alumni.
- Information on salaries and benefits and affiliated training hospitals.
- Opportunities for medical students and residents to visit our program.
- A mini-tour of Seattle - The Emerald City - and the wonderful opportunities it offers you and your family.



Please visit our website often for the latest information about our program.

Application Checklist

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We only accept applications through [ERAS](#) and for applicants registered for the [NRMP](#) Match. We look for candidates with excellent academic performance and a strong interest in pursuing pathology as the next step in their career.

Your application is complete when we receive the following through ERAS:

- ERAS Common Application Form (CAF)
- Personal Statement (1-2 pages)
- Official Medical School Transcripts
- Medical Student Performance Evaluation (Dean's Letter)
- Three Letters of Reference - from faculty members, mentors, or supervisors who can address your performance and your commitment to the study of pathology
- USMLE Scores (or equivalent) - report for all steps taken as they become available
- International Medical Graduates (in addition):
 - ECFMG Status Report
 - Visa Status

We are frequently asked for specific criteria for [International Medical Graduates](#). Historically, IMG candidates who have been invited to interview have had the following characteristics:

- USMLE Scores (all steps taken) above 200 (80) on the first attempt
- Pass on the CSA (Effective 1999)
- Medical school graduation less than 5 years ago
- At least one year paid experience within US medical system (preferably in pathology-related specialty) OR post-MD study (PhD or Masters)
- J-1 Visas or US Naturalization ([UW School of Medicine Policy](#))

For applicants who want to transfer from or have completed study in another specialty, and who are applying for a first-year pathology position, you will need to apply through ERAS and enroll in the Match. One of your reference letters must be from your current residency program director. If you are selected for interview, we will mail you our required Evaluation for Transfer to be completed by your current program director.

We receive approximately 300 applications and interview 50-60 candidates for 6-7 positions each year.

2007-2008 Time Table	
ERAS Post Office Opens for Applications	September 1, 2007
APPLICATION REVIEW:	September - November, 2007
INVITATION FOR INTERVIEW: The Review Committee wants a chance to completely and fairly evaluate each candidate for interview. To assess academic achievement, we examine the candidate's transcripts and/or Dean's Letter.	mid-October early-November mid-November
APPLICATION DEADLINE	November 15, 2007
INTERVIEWS: Interview date arranged by Academic Programs Manager.	November 2007 - January 2008
NRMP Match Registration Deadline	December 1, 2007
MATCH DAY	March 13, 2008

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Program Description

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Introduction

The goal of the University of Washington Residency Program in Pathology is to prepare physicians for the practice of pathology in any setting -- academic medical center, community hospital, or biotechnology laboratory. We believe this goal is best achieved in an academic environment that offers breadth and depth in all aspects of pathology. Residents handle a wide range of traditional problems, as well as practice as the "pathologist of tomorrow" by acquiring familiarity with emerging technologies and rare diseases seen in tertiary care, academic referral centers such as the University of Washington Medical Center and its affiliated hospitals. In addition to basic training in pathology, we offer a wealth of [subspecialty and research training opportunities](#) in many areas of Laboratory Medicine and Pathology. The jobs taken by graduates of our program reflect the diverse goals, training paths, and careers for which we are able to train our residents. Typically, half of our graduates continue in academic medicine while the other half seeks employment in a community setting.

Overview of Program

The Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education ([ACGME](#)) provides accreditation for our Anatomic and Clinical Pathology program as well as most of our subspecialty [fellowship programs](#). Our next residency accreditation review is scheduled for 2008. Upon completion of the training program, residents are eligible to take the certification exam from the American Board of Pathology ([ABP](#)). The ABP provides board certification in the following subspecialty areas:

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| *Blood Banking/Transfusion Medicine | *Hematology/Hematopathology |
| Chemical Pathology | Medical Microbiology |
| *Cytopathology | Molecular Genetic Pathology |
| *Dermatopathology | *Neuropathology |
| *Forensic Pathology | *Pediatric Pathology |
- *We offer ACGME-accredited fellowship training for these subspecialty areas.

Our AP/CP program requires two years of structured study each in anatomic pathology and clinical pathology, which will meet Board certification requirements. The training in Anatomic Pathology provides broad and comprehensive exposure to the areas of autopsy, surgical pathology (general, breast, gastrointestinal, hepatic and pediatric), cytology, dermatopathology and neuropathology. During the first year in clinical pathology, the Laboratory Medicine program focuses on skills and methodologies associated with chemistry, microbiology, immunology, hematology, coagulation, and blood banking based on a comprehensive "core" curriculum. In the second year residents serve as acting director of one or two lab sections for a total of six months and choose elective studies in either anatomic or clinical pathology for six months. Both programs encourage residents to take part in ongoing teaching and research activities.



In addition to our combined AP/CP program, residents can select an AP only, CP only or Anatomic Pathology/Neuropathology (AP/NP) track. AP only and CP only residents complete two years of appropriate training provided in the combined program. The third year is designed for more advanced study in a subspecialty area or research. The AP/NP track provides two years of anatomic pathology study and two years of neuropathology.

We believe variety is the key to a successful training program and that residents learn best from a diverse faculty of individual pathologists, broad patient populations in variable clinical

settings, and the wide range of disease processes that we present in our program. Our required [rotation sites](#) -- University of Washington Medical Center (UWMC), Harborview Medical Center (HMC), Children's Hospital & Regional Medical Center (CHRMC), VA Puget Sound Health Care System (VA) Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center (CHRMC) and Puget Sound Blood Center (PCBC) -- provide a well-rounded and varied experience in anatomic and clinical pathology. Community sites, such as King County Medical Examiner's Office, Swedish Hospital, and Seattle Cancer Care Alliance supplement the required sites for senior electives.

Residents may combine residency training with post-doctoral research, leading to a career in academic medicine. The Pathology Residency Program provides residents with diverse opportunities for an academic medical career. A number of our residents engage in [post-doctoral research](#) supported by NIH-sponsored grants.

Throughout training, residents can explore your options for additional subspecialty training in our fellowship programs. We offer clinical subspecialty and research fellowships in most areas of clinical and applied pathology. Additional information about [fellowship opportunities](#) is described further on our website.

Our ACGME-Accredited Fellowships

Bone & Soft Tissue Pathology	Cytopathology
Dermatopathology	Forensic Pathology (KCME)
GI & Hepatic Pathology	Hematopathology
Neuropathology	Pediatric Pathology (CHRMC)
Renal Pathology	Surgical Pathology
Transfusion Medicine (PSBC)	

Over the next four years (2005-2008) we will be increasing one resident position per year for a total of 28. In addition, we will have 15 ACGME-accredited fellowship positions. We typically recruit six or seven new residents each year.

Residents must be capable of assimilating a large amount of basic information. This includes an understanding of basic human biology, i.e., an understanding of normal and abnormal human structure - function interactions at all levels of biologic organization during all stages of life, including information considered to be basic to the general practice of medicine.

Residents must be capable of practical problem solving. This involves the thoughtful use of general information in evaluating the significance of specific observations made on specific patients and/or patient specimens. It also involves recognition of the uncertainty that abounds in medicine and the

intellectual honesty to admit, "I do not know what this observation means," as an important step in an individual's educational process.

Our program has detailed objectives to meet our program goals for each area of training. These objectives outline the areas of knowledge a resident must master to become a competent pathologist.

[Anatomic Pathology Program Goals and Objectives](#)
[Clinical Pathology Program Goals and Objectives](#)

Typical 4-Year AP/CP Educational Program [Training Schedule](#)

Anatomic Pathology

Dr. Rochelle Garcia directs the anatomic pathology training and overall pathology residency training program.

First Year AP Training. During the initial year, residents train in autopsy pathology, surgical pathology, and cytology. Surgical pathology training covers all systems including a focus on dermatopathology, breast, GI & liver. Assigned cases in rotation, residents primarily analyze the anatomical disease process and its correlation with clinical findings. Residents spend 6 months at UWMC, 4 months at VA Puget Sound Health Care System, and 2 months at Harborview Medical Center.

Residents are encouraged to enhance the autopsy experience with forensic pathology training at the King County Medical Examiner's Office, under the supervision of Dr. Richard Harruff, Chief Medical Examiner.

Second Year AP Training. Our program is designed to provide increased responsibility for independent sign out of surgical specimens during the second year of anatomic pathology training. The three-month surgical rotation at UWMC provides comprehensive training and experience in general surgical pathology, in the management and diagnosis of rare diseases and complex specimens, and in subspecialty areas, including soft tissue, pulmonary and gynecological pathologies. There are two months of concentration on breast, GI tract, liver and renal pathologies. There is a designated one-month rotation in dermatopathology. Residents study anatomic pathology at Children's under the direction of Dr.



Joe Rutledge, Director, Laboratory Services, for two months. And a two-month rotation at HMC provides in depth experience in cytopathology and neuropathology. There is one month designated for elective study. During the designated renal and elective rotations the resident has the opportunity to continue autopsy study by providing backup to the Autopsy Service at UWMC. Second year training occurs at UWMC (8 months), CHRMC (2 months) and HMC (2 months).

In addition, residents receive case-based training in the specialized testing methods of immunocytochemistry, ultrastructure, and flow cytometry.

Rotation	Location	Director
Autopsy	UWMC	Dr. Corinne Fligner
Autopsy & Surgical Pathology	VA	Dr. David Thorning
Breast, GI & Liver	UWMC	Dr. Tom Lawton & Dr. Melissa Upton
Cytology	HMC	Dr. Annette Peck
Dermatopathology	UWMC	Dr. Zsolt Argenyi
Neuropathology	HMC	Dr. Tom Montine
Pediatric Pathology	CHPMC	Dr. Laura Finn
Renal Pathology	UWMC	Dr. Charles Alpers
Surgical Pathology	UWMC	Dr. Paul Swanson

Clinical Pathology

Dr. Petrie Rainey is the Director of the Clinical Pathology Residency Program.

First Year CP Training. The first year of Clinical Pathology takes place at the University of Washington Medical Center, Harborview Medical Center, Puget Sound Blood Center and the VA Puget Sound Health Care System. The year comprises a tightly organized full-year of study, beginning with a 7-week core course (lectures, discussions and laboratory exercises) designed to introduce you to the breadth of the field of clinical pathology. The introductory course covers basic material in blood banking, coagulation, immunology, urinalysis, clinical chemistry, microbiology, hematology, parasitology, mycology, virology, molecular pathology, biostatistics and laboratory computer applications. This is followed by a series of rotations in the following areas:

- Chemistry (11-12 weeks)
- Microbiology (6-7 weeks)
- Immunology/Genetics (5 weeks)
- Blood Banking (2 weeks)
- Virology (2 weeks)
- Hematology (8-9 weeks)
- Coagulation (6-8 weeks)
- Laboratory testing - interpretative course (1 weeks)

Second Year CP Training. You can tailor the second year to meet your specific career goals. During the first six months, second-year residents receive an in-depth exposure to one or two areas of laboratory medicine and exercise graded responsibility by acting as directors of subspecialty lab sections. Additionally, three weeks of the second year are spent in a clinically-oriented rotation in transfusion medicine at Puget Sound Blood Center (PSBC). The remainder of this year is spent in either AP or CP electives. You may spend this time developing skills in one or more areas of the clinical laboratory or receive a more generalized experience at one of the community hospitals associated with the program. Second year Clinical Pathology residents train at UWMC, Harborview, the VA, and PSBC.

Resident Portfolio. Medicine has become increasingly dependent on the existence of documented evidence to support decisions and practices. This extends to a need for concrete documentation of resident competency. One well-accepted way of documenting competency is by the development of a portfolio of representative work products. Accordingly, residents develop an electronic portfolio

documenting experiences and work products while a resident. This may include summaries of consultations, etc., while on call or on rotations, papers and abstracts published or submitted, PowerPoint presentations of Grand Rounds and other formal talks, method evaluation data and written procedure(s) from a method development project, and anything else that may be useful to the American Board of Pathology, the ACGME, or a potential future employer in evaluating the your competency and training. This portfolio also provides an opportunity for self-reflection and practice-based learning. At the end of training, the portfolio will be copied onto a CD, with one copy for the resident and a copy placed in the training file.

Conferences



In addition to extensive one-on-one, over-the-microscope training with our faculty, residents learn by attending and presenting at didactic teaching sessions, sign outs and clinical conferences. Pathology specific conferences are supplemented with a wide variety of multi-disciplinary teaching conferences in subspecialty areas, i.e. breast cancer, hematology, infectious disease, medical-pathology, surgical-pathology, tumor board, sarcomas. Numerous departmental seminars provide opportunities for residents to learn about the research activities being conducted by the faculty and by visiting scientists. [Pathology Conferences - Master List](#)

Electives

During the second year of AP or CP training, residents pursue subspecialty interests with elective studies. With 150 faculty members affiliated with our program from all of the training sites, residents can design an elective that meets their professional interests. In addition, electives may also be designed at off site locations within the guidelines from the School of Medicine Graduate Medical Education Office. We encourage residents to discuss these options early in the training program. The following are brief descriptions of electives that residents have taken in the past.

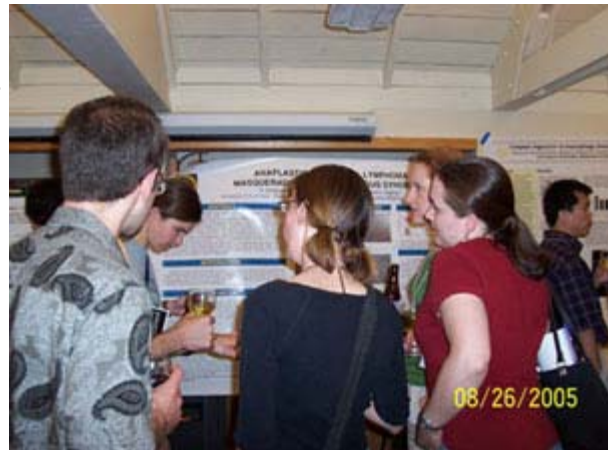
- **Anatomic Pathology:** In-depth elective training is available in the pathology subspecialty areas of dermatopathology (Dr. Zsolt Argengyi), breast (Dr. Tom Lawton), gastrointestinal (Dr. Melissa Upton), gynecological (Dr. Rochelle Garcia), pulmonary (Dr. Rod Schmidt), renal (Dr. Charles Alpers), immunohistochemistry (Dr. Paul E. Swanson), liver (Dr. Matthew Yeh), and cytology (Dr. Verena Grieco and Dr. Annette Peck).
- **Laboratory Medicine:** Electives in all areas - clinical chemistry (Dr. Pete Rainey, Dr. Hossein Sadrzadeh), microbiology (Dr. Brad Cookson), hematology/hematopathology (Dr. Dan Sabath, Dr. Brent Wood, Dr. Jonathan Fromm, Dr. Harvey Greisman, Dr. Sindhu Cherian), immunology (Dr. Mark Wener), computer/informatics (Dr. David Chou, Dr. Michael Astion), virology (Dr. Lawrence Corey, Dr. Keith Jerome) - are available.
- **Blood Center/Transfusion Medicine:** An elective of 3 months is available at the Puget Sound Blood Center, which is the central laboratory for blood banking for Seattle.
- **Cytogenetics:** Training under the co-direction of Drs. Disteche and Norwood provides experience in diagnostic cytogenetics with emphasis on prenatal diagnosis employing amniotic fluid cells and postnatal diagnosis employing white blood cells, bone marrow cells and skin fibroblasts.

- **Electron Microscopy:** Training in the use and interpretation of diagnostic electron microscopy is available in rotations of one to two months at either the VA Puget Sound Health Care System (Dr. Thorning) or at UWMC.
- **Flow Cytometry:** Under the direction of Dr. Rabinovitch, the flow lab routinely analyzes DNA ploidy patterns of tumors from most organs using multi-parameter flow cytometry.
- **Forensic Pathology:** The King County Medical Examiner's Office, located in HMC, performs 1,000 autopsies per year under Dr. Harruff's direction. Training and experience in forensic pathology include scene investigation and court testimony.
- **Community Practice:** Provides residents with a hands-on opportunity to work with pathologists at Swedish Medical Center with faculty members from CellNetix Pathology.
- **Research:** Elective time is available at virtually any research lab at UWMC, HMC, CHRMC, Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, or Seattle Cancer Care Alliance. This is a valuable opportunity for residents interested in a multi-year research fellowship to familiarize themselves with the lab, its director and personnel, and its projects.

Research Opportunities

Our goal is to train residents to become well-rounded academic and clinical pathologists who will practice and develop pathology into the future. To achieve this goal, we believe research training is important for all residents, whether they seek a career in academic or community pathology. We encourage residents to work with faculty members by investigating a biomedical area of interest. We support residents' research endeavors by providing travel funds for presentations at national meetings.

[2007 USCAP Faculty and Resident Presentations](#)
[Areas of Research](#)



In 2007 for the first time the University of Washington received more than \$1 billion dollars in research funding, which was for peer-reviewed research proposals for individual faculty members. The Departments of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine are consistent in the top three NIH recipients for pathology programs in the United States. For the 06-07 fiscal year, Pathology received \$30,585,000 and Laboratory Medicine received \$15,165,760 in overall research funding. AP/CP residents can apply for a fifth year of clinical research which can be funded by the departments through a combination of departmental funds and training grants. This can also be an option for the third year of training for AP or CP only residents. If you are interested in continuing or pursuing an academic research career, you should discuss your future plans as soon as possible with your faculty advisor who will be very helpful in mentoring your career aspirations.

Teaching Opportunities

Residents teach medical students taking electives in Anatomic and Clinical Pathology. For the first and second year students, residents work with faculty teaching pathology laboratory sessions. For medical students on elective rotation in Anatomic Pathology, residents work directly with students on both autopsy and surgical pathology cases. Residents also work with trainees from other programs including radiology and dermatology residents. In addition, residents give lectures and assist faculty in small group

teaching of allied health personnel (medical technology students, cytotechnology students, physician assistants, etc.). The opportunity to teach students in the Health Sciences Center of the University of Washington and residents from other programs is an important component of our training program.

Evaluations

Although we are considered to be a large training program, residents are strongly encouraged to discuss directly suggestions or problems with any faculty member or the program directors. We meet the ACGME requirements for evaluation with several online, written evaluation forms for both the residents and faculty members.

- Resident Evaluation: completed by faculty members at the end of each rotation
- Mid-Year Evaluation: a face-to-face meeting between the resident and faculty advisor
- Year-End Evaluation: a face-to-face meeting between the resident and program director

Residents receive copies of these evaluations once they are reviewed by the program directors. Copies are also placed in the training file.

- Rotation Evaluation: completed by residents at the end of each rotation
- Individual Faculty Evaluation: completed by residents once a year on each faculty member with whom they have trained
- Annual Evaluation: a compiled review of the AP and CP programs led by the chief residents and presented to the Residency Management Committee

Residents complete these evaluations anonymously. Rotation service chiefs or faculty members receive the evaluations in a batch every six months.

Residents also participate annually in the Residency In-Service Exam, a national skills assessment provided by the American Society of Clinical Pathologists. The results are reviewed by the program director but are not the sole means of determining progress in the program.

Resident Representation

Being an effective pathologist also means understanding the business of medicine or systems-based practice. We encourage residents to participate in many program management opportunities to learn by doing. Residents are represented on the Residency Management Committee by the Chief Residents from both Anatomic Pathology and Laboratory Medicine. Many of our residents participate in CAP laboratory inspections in-house and at sites across the country. For more global issues affecting residents and their training, a peer-elected representative is selected every two years to attend CAP conferences and School of Medicine committees. On the national level, Dr. Sandra Bohling and Dr. Erin Grimm attend the Resident Forum sponsored by the College of American Pathologists (CAP). For 2006-2008, Dr. Erin Grimm is a resident representative on the UW GME Institutional Resident/Fellow Advisory Committee, which develops policies regarding resident education.

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TYPICAL 4-YEAR AP/CP EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
1ST Year AP	VA Surgical & Autopsy				UWMC Breast GI & Liver	UWMC Surg	UWMC Autopsy		HMC Cytology & Surgical	UWMC Breast GI & Liver	UWMC Surg	
2nd Year AP	UWMC Derm	UWMC Surg	HMC Cyto & Neuro	Varies Elective Autopsy	UWMC Renal & Autopsy	HMC Cyto & Neuro	UWMC Breast GI & Liver		CHRC Pediatric	UWMC Surgical		
3rd Year CP	UWMC Core 7 weeks		PSBC Blood Bank 2 wks UWMC Lab Inter- pret 1 wk	HMC Coag 6 weeks	UWMC Vir 2 wks	SCCA/UWMC Hematology 8-9 weeks	UWMC Immunology Genetics 5-6 weeks		VA/HMC/ UWMC Micro 6-7weeks	UWMC/VA/HMC Chemistry 10-12 weeks		
4th Year CP	UWMC Trans Med 3wks	Varies Acting Director - Subspecialty Lab 23 weeks					Varies AP or CP Elective 26 weeks					

Key		
CHRMC - Children's Hospital & Regional Medical Center	PSBC - Puget Sound Blood Center	UWMC - University of Washington Medical Center
HMC - Harborview Medical Center	SCCA - Seattle Cancer Care Alliance	VA - Puget Sound Veterans' Administration Health Care

**UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON
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UWMC ANATOMIC PATHOLOGY CONFERENCES**

DAY	TIME	CONFERENCE COORDINATOR	REQUIRED ATTENDANCE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
MONDAY	8:10-9:00am	CYTOLOGY TEACHING Drs. Garcia & Jordan	PGY1 & PGY2 at UWMC; SP Fellows; Dermopath Fellow (Derm Resident)	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides in Multihead Scope Room
	9:30am-finish	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY SIGN-OUT Attending Faculty	SP Fellow & SP Resident	Frozen Section Room – EE207	
	10:00am-Finish	GI ENDOSCOPIC BIOPSY SIGN-OUT Dr. Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	Noon-1:00pm	SARCOMA CONFERENCE Dr. Swanson	BST Fellow; Resident on BST Elective; SP Fellow on IHC; Dermopath Fellow (Derm Res)	NE110K	Lunch provided
	1:00pm-Finish	GI CONSULT SIGN-OUT Dr. Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	2:30pm-Finished	DERMATOPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT Drs. Argenyi and George	Dermopath Fellow; Resident on Derm	NE110C	
	3:00-4:00pm	IHC SIGN-OUT Dr. Swanson	SP Fellow on IHC	IHC Lab – NW211	
	5:15-6:15pm	ENDOCRINE CPC Dr. Jordan	Optional	NE110K	Last Monday of each month
TUESDAY	7:30-9:30am	RESIDENTS' DIDACTIC SERIES Dr. Lawton/Chief Resident	ALL PGY1 & PGY2 AP residents; SP Fellows; Dermopath Fellow (Derm Resident); NP1 Fellow	NE110K	
	9:30am-finish	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY SIGN-OUT Attending Faculty	SP Fellow & SP Resident	Frozen Section Room – EE207	
	10:00-11:00am	SECONDARY LIVER TUMOR CONFERENCE GI Fellow	GI Fellow	NE110K	
	10:00am-Finish	GI ENDOSCOPIC BIOPSY SIGN-OUT Dr. Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	Noon-1:00pm	CHAIR OF MEDICINE AUTOPSY CONFERENCE Dr. Fligner	PGY1 & PGY2 at UWMC; SP Fellows expected; Dermopath Fellow (Derm Res)	D209 or as announced	Tuesday as scheduled, lunch often provided
	1:00pm-Finish	GI CONSULT SIGN-OUT Dr. Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	1:00pm-Finish	BREAST CANCER CONFERENCE Dr. Lawton	BGL Resident encouraged	SCCA 3rd Floor Conference Rm	
	2:30pm-Finished	DERMATOPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT Drs. Argenyi and George	Dermopath Fellow; Resident on Derm	NE110C	
	3:00-4:00pm	IHC SIGN-OUT Dr. Swanson	SP Fellow on IHC	IHC Lab – NW211	
3:30-4:30pm	MULTIDISCIPLINARY TUMOR BOARD Dr. Schmidt/Chief Resident	SP Fellow on IHC	NE110K	As scheduled.	
WEDNESDAY	6:00-7:00am	UROLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. True	Optional	NE110K	Monthly as scheduled
	7:00-10:00am	DERMATOLOGY DIDACTIC CONFERENCE Dermatology Residents	Dermopath Fellow	Roosevelt Clinic, 4 th floor	
	7:45-9:00am	GU TUMOR BOARD Dr. True	Optional	NE110K	Monthly as scheduled
	8:00-9:00am	JOURNAL CLUB/RESEARCH CONFERENCE Div. Of Nephrology	Renal Fellow	BB1602	Monthly
	8:00-9:00am	DERMATOLOGY GRAND ROUNDS Dr. Olerud	Dermopath Fellow (Path Resident)	Roosevelt Clinic, 132 a/b	Bimonthly
	8:15-9:00am	DERMATOLOGY PATIENT REVIEW CONFERENCE Dr. Olerud	Dermopath Fellow (Path Resident)	Roosevelt Clinic, 4 th floor	Bimonthly

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DAY	TIME	CONFERENCE COORDINATOR	REQUIRED ATTENDANCE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
WEDNESDAY	8:15-9:15am	RESIDENTS' GREAT CASE CONFERENCE Pathology Residents	PGY1 & PGY2 at UWMC; Dermopath Fellow (Derm Resident); Renal Fellow as scheduled	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Renal or CV Conference as scheduled
	9:30am-finish	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY SIGN-OUT Attending Faculty	SP Fellow; SP Resident	Frozen Section Room – EE207	
	10:00am-Finish	GI ENDOSCOPIC BIOPSY SIGN-OUT Dr. Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	10:00-11:30am	PRIMARY LIVER TUMOR CONFERENCE GI Fellow	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL expected	NE110K	
	11:00am-Noon	FORENSIC PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE KCME Faculty	Optional	HMC KCME Office	
	11:30-12:30 OR 2:30-3:30pm	CARDIOVASCULAR SURGICAL PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Drs. Reichenbach & Laflamme/Autopsy Staff	PGY1 Aut; SP Fellow on Gross on Wed.	BB250	Residents notified on Tuesday for weekly schedule
	1:00pm-Finish	GI CONSULT SIGN-OUT Dr. Melissa Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	
	1:30-2:30pm	AUTOPSY GROSS REVIEW Dr. Fligner	PGY1 Aut; PGY2 on Subspecialty Focus; any resident who has done an autopsy	Autopsy Room – BB250	
	2:30pm-Finished	DERMATOPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT Drs. Argenyi and George	Dermopath Fellow; Resident on Derm	NE110C	
	3:00-4:00pm	IHC SIGN-OUT Dr. Swanson	SP Fellow on IHC	IHC Lab – NW211	
	4:00-5:30pm	LIVER TRANSPLANT BIOPSY REVIEW GI Fellow/Drs. Upton & Yeh	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL expected	NE110K	
	4:30-5:30pm	PATHOLOGY RESEARCH SEMINAR Various Guest Speakers	Optional	HSC K067	As announced.
THURSDAY	6:30-8:00am	DERMATOLOGY DIDACTIC CONFERENCE Dermatology Residents	Dermopath Fellow (Path Resident)	NE140G	
	8:00-9:00am	DERMATOPATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Argenyi	PGY1 & PGY2 at UWMC; Dermopath Fellow	NE110K	
	9:00-10:00am	DERMATOLOGY JOURNAL CLUB		CC508	
	9:30am-finish	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY SIGN-OUT Attending Faculty	SP Fellow; SP Resident	Frozen Section Room – EE207	
	10:00-11:00AM	DERMATOLOGY DIDACTIC CONFERENCE Dermatology Residents	Dermopath Fellow (Path Resident)	CC408	
	10:00am-Finish	GI ENDOSCOPIC BIOPSY SIGN-OUT Dr. Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	11:00am-Noon	LIVER CANCER – RADIOLOGIC & PATHOLOGIC CONFERENCE Dr. Yeh	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL expected	NE110K	3 rd Thursday
	Noon-1:00pm	GI CONJOINT CONFERENCE GI Path Fellow/Faculty	GI Fellow; PGY1, PGY2 & UWMC Med Student encouraged	NE110K	2 nd & 4 th Thursday Lunch provided
	Noon-1:00pm	BRAIN CUTTING CONFERENCE NP Attending/Autopsy Staff	PGY1 Aut; resident w/ brain to cut from; NP1 Fellow and PGY2	Autopsy Room – BB250	
	1:30pm-Finish	GI CONSULT SIGN-OUT Dr. Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	2:30pm-Finished	DERMATOPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT Drs. Argenyi and George	Dermopath Fellow; Resident on Derm	NE110C	
	3:00-4:00pm	IHC SIGN-OUT Dr. Swanson	SP Fellow on IHC	IHC Lab – NW211	

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UWMC ANATOMIC PATHOLOGY CONFERENCES**

DAY	TIME	CONFERENCE COORDINATOR	REQUIRED ATTENDANCE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
THURSDAY	4:00-5:30pm	RENAL TRANSPLANT NATIVE CONFERENCE Drs. Alpers & Kowalewska/Renal Path Fellow	Renal Fellow	NE110K	
	7:00-8:00am	MUSCLE & NERVE BIOPSY REVIEW CONFERENCE Dr. Born	Optional	NE110K	
FRIDAY	7:30-8:30am	CARDIOTHORACIC CONFERENCE Dr. Fligner/Cardiology	PGY1 & PGY2 at UWMC encouraged	D209	Bimonthly, as announced
	7:30-8:30am	FRONTIERS IN GASTROENTEROLOGY & HEPATOLOGY Dr. McDonald	GI Fellow encouraged	K069	Weekly
	8:00am-5:00pm	NORTHWEST NEPHROLOGY DAYS Dr. Alpers	Renal Fellow	As announced	Three times a year
	8:00-9:00am	GYNECOLOGIC ONCOLOGY PATHOLOGY TUMOR BOARD Dr. Garcia	Dermpath Fellow (Derm Resident)	NE110K	
	8:00-9:00am	DERMATOPATHOLOGY CASE DISCUSSION Dr. Argenyi/Dermpath Fellow	Dermpath Fellow	Roosevelt Derm Clinic	
	8:00-10:00am	SEATTLE CITY-WIDE RENAL PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Drs. Alpers, Nicosia, Smith	Renal Fellow encouraged	NW Kidney Disease Center	One time per month
	8:00-10:00am	DIDACTIC AND RESEARCH IN PROGRESS CONFERENCE Div. Of Nephrology	Renal Fellow	NW Kidney Disease Center	Three times per month
	9:30am-finish	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY SIGN-OUT Attending Faculty	SP Fellow; SP Resident	Frozen Section Room – EE207	
	10:00am-Finish	GI ENDOSCOPIC BIOPSY SIGN-OUT Dr. Melissa Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow & GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	11:00-Noon	FETAL PERINATAL PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Corinne Fligner/PDC	PGY1 Aut; PGY2 on Subspecialty Focus	RR202 or as announced	1 st Friday, as scheduled
	12:30-1:30pm	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY UNKNOWN CASE CONFERENCE – BLUEBOX Chief Resident	PGY1 & PGY2 at UWMC; SP Fellows	NE110K	Slides and histories in Multihead Scope Room – NE140G
	1:00pm-Finish	BREAST CANCER CONFERENCE Dr. Tom Lawton	Breast Resident on BGL encouraged	SCCA 3rd Floor Conference Room	
	1:45pm-Finish	GI CONSULT SIGN-OUT Dr. Melissa Upton & GI Path Faculty	GI Fellow; GI Resident on BGL	Multihead Scope Room – NE140G	Slides available from GI Path Fellow
	3:00-4:00pm	IHC SIGN-OUT Dr. Paul Swanson	SP Fellow on IHC	IHC Lab – NW211	

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DAY	TIME	CONFERENCE COORDINATOR	REQUIRED ATTENDANCE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
WEDNESDAY	Noon-1:00pm	LAB MEDICINE CALL ROUNDS CP Chief Resident/Dr. Rainey	Residents required	NW150	Weekly
	2:30-3:30pm	LAB MEDICINE RESEARCH CONFERENCE Dr. Tait	Residents required; Hemepath Fellows	NW150	Weekly
	3:30-4:30pm	LAB MEDICINE GRAND ROUNDS Dr. Astion	Residents required; Hemepath Fellows	D209	Weekly
THURSDAY	8:00-9:00am	MEDICINE GRAND ROUNDS Dept. of Medicine	Hemepath Fellows	T625	Weekly
	1:30-2:00pm	MOLECULAR DIAGNOSIS CLINICAL CONFERENCE Dr. Tait	Hemepath Fellows	NW150	Weekly
FRIDAY	7:00-8:00am	HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY DIDACTIC TEACHING CONFERENCE Dept. of Medicine	Hemepath Fellows	FHCRC Pelton Auditorium	Weekly
	7:30-8:30am	SEATTLE LYMPHOMA CONFERENCE Lab Medicine/Dynacare	Hemepath Fellows	Virginia Mason Path Conf Room	3 rd Friday, Odd Numbered Months
	8:00-9:00am	HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY GRAND ROUNDS Dept. of Medicine	Hemepath Fellows	FHCRC Pelton Auditorium	Monthly
	Noon-1:00pm	HEMATOLOGIC MALIGNANCY CONFERENCE Depts. Of Medicine/Lab Medicine	Hemepath Fellows	NW150	1 st and 3 rd Friday
	12:30-1:30pm	MEDICAL GENETICS GRAND ROUNDS Dept. of Medicine	Hemepath Fellows	K069	Weekly

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CHRCM - HMC - VA**

DAY	TIME	CONFERENCE COORDINATOR	REQUIRED ATTENDANCE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
CHRCM					
MONDAY	7:00-8:00am	UROLOGY PATHOLOGY Dr. Patterson	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Lab Conference Room	Monthly, 3 rd week
	8:00-9:00am	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY REVIEW Pathologist on Service	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Lab Conference Room	Weekly
	9:00-10:00am	PULMONARY-RADIOLOGY CONFERENCE	Optional	R3478	Monthly, 2 nd week
	3:00-4:00pm	PICU M&M CONFERENCE	Optional	ICU	Monthly, 4 th week
TUESDAY	8:00-9:00am	GI CONFERENCE Conference Pathologist	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Lab Conference Room	Weekly
	12:30-1:30pm	TUMOR BOARD Conference Pathologist	Peds Path Fellow, Resident; Hemepath Fellows	T-3252	Weekly
WEDNESDAY	8:00-9:00am	UW RESIDENT PEDIATRIC PATHOLOGY SLIDE SEMINAR Ped Path Fellow	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	UWMC NE140G	Monthly, 3 rd week
	9:30-10:34am	NEUROPATHOLOGY/BRAIN CUTTING - CHRCM Dr. Hevner	Peds Path Fellow, Resident; NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	CHRCM Autopsy Suite	Weekly
	Noon-1:00pm	RENAL PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Finn	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Lab Conference Room	Monthly, 1 st week
	Noon-1:00pm	PED RESIDENT/PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Kapur	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	1 st Floor	1 st week, odd numbered months
	4:15-5:15pm	METABOLIC CONFERENCE Drs. Rutledge & Jack	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Lab Conference Room	Monthly, 1 st week
	4:30-5:30pm	BRAIN TUMOR BOARD Conference Pathologist	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	T-3252	Weekly
THURSDAY	7:30-8:30am	FETAL PATHOLOGY Drs. Kapur & Siebert	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Swedish	Monthly, 1 st week
	8:00-9:00am	PEDIATRIC GRAND ROUNDS Pediatric CME Office	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Wright Auditorium	Weekly
	10:00-11:00am	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Finn	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Lab Conference Room	Monthly, 1 st week
	Noon-1:00pm	JOURNAL CLUB	Peds Path Fellow, Resident	Lab Conference Room	Monthly, 3 rd week
	12:30-1:30pm	HEMATOPATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Drs. Finn & Rutledge	AP Resident; Peds Path Fellow; Hemepath Fellows	T-3252	Monthly, 1 st week
FRIDAY	8:00-9:00am	NEUROLOGY/MUSCLE PATHOLOGY Drs. Patterson/Gospe	Peds Path Fellow, Resident		As scheduled

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DAY	TIME	CONFERENCE COORDINATOR	REQUIRED ATTENDANCE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
HMC					
MONDAY	7:00-8:00am	TUMOR BOARD	Optional	1W247	1 st and 3 rd
	9:00-10:00am	CYTOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Grieco	PGY1 & PGY2 & Fellow required	2EC16	Weekly
	2:00-3:30pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	3:30-4:00pm	EYE SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident on NP	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	4:00-5:00pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY GROSSING	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident on NP	HMC Gross Room 2EC28	
	7:45-8:45am	GYNECOLOGY-PATHOLOGY CORRELATION Dr. Grieco	Cytopath Fellow and Residents encouraged	2EC16 Multi-headed scope	3 rd week
TUESDAY	8:00-9:00am	NEUROPATHOLOGY CASE REVIEW Dr. Montine	NP Fellows, R2 on NP required	HMC NP Library 2EH91	Weekly
	11:00am-12:00pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY MUSCLE/NERVE SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident		Weekly
	2:00-3:30pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT NP Attending	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	3:30-4:00pm	EYE SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	4:00-5:00pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY GROSSING	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC Gross Room 2EC28	
WEDNESDAY	7:00-8:00am	NEUROSURGERY GRAND ROUNDS	NP Fellows, R2 on NP required	R&T Auditorium	Weekly
	8:00-9:00am	NEUROPATHOLOGY, NEUROSURGERY, NEURORADIOLOGY CASE REVIEW Dr. Montine & Neuropathology Fellow	NP Fellows, R2 on NP required	R&T Auditorium	1 st & 3 rd weeks
	11:00am-Noon	FORENSIC PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE KCME Faculty	R1 at least twice during HMC rotation	KCME Conf Room	Weekly
	12:30-1:30pm	M & M (MED/AUTOPSY)		R&T Conference Room	1 st week
	12:30-1:30pm	NEURO CPC CONFERENCE Dr. Montine	NP Fellows, R2 on NP required	HMC Path Conf Room 2EC16	Q 4 weeks
	2:00-3:30pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	3:30-4:00pm	EYE SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	4:00-5:00pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY GROSSING	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC Gross Room 2EC28	
THURSDAY	8:00-9:00am	Admin/QA Conference Dr. Kiviat	Optional	2EC16	3 rd week
	10:00-11:00am	KCME CONFERENCE Drs. Alvord and Shaw	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident encouraged	KCME Office	Weekly
	12:00-1:00pm	INTERESTING CASE CONFERENCE Dr. Deubner	R1 & R2 required; optional for fellows	2EC16 Multi-headed scope	Weekly
	2:00-3:30pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	3:30-4:00pm	EYE SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	4:00p-4:30pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY FACULTY MEETING	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC Path Conf Room	1 st week
	4:00-5:00pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY GROSSING	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Resident	HMC Gross Room 2EC28	

DAY	TIME	CONFERENCE COORDINATOR	REQUIRED ATTENDANCE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
HMC					
FRIDAY	9:30-10:30am	NEUROPATHOLOGY RESEARCH IN PROGRESS SEMINAR Dr. Montine	NP Fellows, R2 on NP required	R&T Room 121	1 st week
	9:30-10:30am	NEUROPATHOLOGY AUTOPSY CASE REVIEW Dr. Montine	R1 & R2, NP Fellows required	R&T Room 109	2 nd & 4 th weeks
	11:00am-12:00pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY MUSCLE/NERVE SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Residents		Weekly
	1:00-2:00pm	DERMATOLOGY CPC Dr. Deubner	Optional	2EC16 Multi-headed scope	Weekly
	2:00-3:30pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Residents	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	3:30-4:00pm	EYE SIGN OUT	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Residents	HMC NP Library 2EH91	
	4:00-5:00pm	NEUROPATHOLOGY GROSSING	NP1 Fellow and PGY2 Residents	HMC Gross Room 2EC28	
TBA	TBA	Urology CPC Dr. Vakar-Lopez	Optional	2EC16 Multiheaded Scope	

DAY	TIME	CONFERENCE COORDINATOR	REQUIRED ATTENDANCE	LOCATION	COMMENTS
VA					
TUESDAY	3:00-4:00pm	GU CONFERENCE Dr. Virgin	Optional	100/BD152	Weekly
	5:00-6:00pm	DERMATOPATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Rhim	Optional	100/BD152	Weekly
WEDNESDAY	10:30-11:30am	SURGICAL PATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Garcia	PGY1 & PGY2 Residents	100/BD152	Weekly
	1:00-2:00pm	TUMOR BOARD Dr. Garcia	PGY1 & PGY2 Residents encouraged	100/BD152	Weekly
THURSDAY	11:30-12:30	HEMATOPATHOLOGY CONFERENCE Dr. Dong		100/BD141	Weekly
FRIDAY	9:00-10:00am	ADRC CLINICAL-PATHOLOGICAL CONFERENCE	Neuropath Fellows optional		3 rd week
		AUTOPSY/MEDICAL CONFERENCE Dr. Thorning	PGY1 & PGY2 Residents		Weekly

Stipends and Benefits

Stipends

Annual Rate
 R1 = \$45,984
 R2 = \$46,908
 R3 = \$48,144
 R4 = \$50,750
 R5 = \$53,328
 R6 = \$55,896
 R7 = \$58,500

Effective
 7/1/07

Insurance Benefits

Shared Cost

- Medical Plan including Vision (employee and family)
- Dental Plan (employee and family)
- Life Insurance
- Long-Term Disability
- Professional Liability (limited to residency training activities)

Optional Employee-Paid

- Supplemental Life Insurance
- Supplemental Long-Term Disability
- Discounts on Auto & Home Insurance

For additional information contact the [UW Benefits Office](#)

Other Benefits

University Paid

- Three weeks vacation/year and one day/month accrued sick leave
- Educational leave and authorized travel expenses
- Annual book fund
- Limited on-call meals
- [UW CareNet](#)

Optional Employee-Paid

- Voluntary Investment Plan
- Washington State Deferred Compensation
- Dependent Care Assistance Program
- Priority Child Care Spaces
- Sick Child Care
- U.S. EE Savings Bonds
- Credit Union
- UPASS Reduced-Cost Bus Pass for Metro and Community Transit and Extensive Commuter Program
- Husky Card - Access campus-wide services: libraries, Academic Computer Center, sports and cultural events, Intramural Activities Center and Waterfront Activity Center

2006 AAMC Survey of Housestaff Stipends, Benefits and Funding COMPARISON		
	% National Mean	Our Program
2006-2007 PGY1 Stipend	\$43,266	\$42,132
2007-2008 PGY1 Stipend (7% increase)		\$45,084
Meals When on Call-Fully Paid (\$5.50-\$7.50/Meal)	75.8%	YES
Annual Vacation	15	21
Paid Holidays	3	10
Total Paid Time Off, including sick leave	32	43
Educational Days	5	7-10

Residents & Fellows 2007-2008 Class Photo



Do you have questions about our program? Ask the residents directly by clicking on the [resident's name](#).

Residents				
Level	Name	Track	Undergraduate School	Medical School
PGY-1	Kathi Adamson, MD	AP/CP	University of California-Irvine	University of California-Irvine
	Staci Bryson, MD	AP/CP	Brigham Young University	Washington University
	Elaine Chan, MD	AP/CP	University of Chicago	Washington University
	Jennifer LaPointe, MD	AP/CP	University of Montana	University of North Dakota
	Colin Pritchard, MD PhD	AP/CP	University of Washington	University of Washington
	Stacey Simons, MD	AP/CP	City University of New York	New York Medical College
	Kris Woodard, MD	AP/CP	Howard University	Medical College of Wisconsin
PGY-2	Tim Amukele, MD PhD	CP	City College of New York	Albert Einstein University
	Nancy Dunbar, MD	AP/CP	Stanford University	University of Washington
	Bertrand "Russ" Huber, MD PhD	AP/CP	University of California, Santa Cruz University of California, San Francisco - PhD	Harvard University
	Lauren Kernochan, MD	AP/CP	Smith College	Yale University
	Mike Linden, MD PhD	AP/CP	St. Mary's University	University of Minnesota
	Carrie Pizzi, MD	AP/CP	Princeton University	Duke University
	Maria Stitzel, MD	AP	University of Wisconsin	Northwestern University
PGY-3	Sandra Bohling, MD	AP/CP	Brigham Young University	University of Utah
	Bonnie L. Cole, MD	AP/CP	Stanford University	University of Utah
	Paul S. Furmanczyk, MD	AP/CP	University of Washington	University of Washington

	Erin E. Grimm, MD	AP/CP	Luther College (Iowa)	University of Iowa
	Noah G. Hoffman, MD PhD	CP	University of North Carolina	University of North Carolina
	Kelly A. Lloyd, MD	AP/CP	St. Martin's College (Washington)	University of Washington
	Mikhail Roshal, MD PhD	CP	University of Chicago	University of Rochester
	Galina Stetsenko, MD	AP/CP	Gonzaga University	University of Washington
PGY-4	Brooke S. Henninger, MD	AP/CP	University of Rochester	University of Rochester
	Chris H. Jokinen, MD	AP/CP	University of Minnesota	University of Minnesota

Fellows			
Fellow	Program	Medical School	Residency Program
Unfilled	Bone & Soft Tissue		
Yue Hua "Mary" Zhang, MD PhD	Cytopathology	Tianjin Medical University	Nassau University Medical Center (NY)
Don Tran, MD	Dermatopathology	Albert Einstein College of Medicine/Yeshiva University	University of Washington
Lee-Ching Zhu, MD	GI & Hepatic Pathology	Peking Union Medical College	University of Washington (Cytopathology)
Sara Duesterhoeft, MD	Hematopathology	University of Minnesota	University of Washington
Allison Shaw, MD	Hematopathology	Drexel University	University of Washington
Joseph Fullmer, MD PhD	AP/NP	University of Minnesota	University of Washington
Dirk Keene, MD PhD	Neuropathology Fellow	University of Nevada - Las Vegas	University of Minnesota
Robyn Reed, MD PhD	Pediatric Pathology	Duke University	University of Washington
Xiaotong "Tony" Wang, MD MS	Renal Pathology	China Medical University	Memorial Sloan Kettering (SP Fellow)
Camilla T. Allen, MD	Surgical Pathology-AP Co-	Medical University of South Carolina	University of Washington

	Chief Resident		
Joe Glass, MD	Surgical Pathology-AP Co-Chief Resident	SUNY-Syracuse	University of New Mexico
Shane Kohl, MD	Surgical Pathology-AP Co-Chief Resident	University of Nebraska	University of Nebraska
Julene Moore, MD	Surgical Pathology-AP Co-Chief Resident	University of New Mexico	University of Colorado

Fellowships

Fellowship programs are based at the University of Washington Medical Center (UWMC) and its affiliated hospitals of Harborview Medical Center (HMC), Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center (CHRMC) and Seattle Cancer Care Alliance (SCCA), which offer tertiary-level care serving the five-state region of Washington, Wyoming, Alaska, Montana and Idaho. Our training programs provide a comprehensive and multidisciplinary approach to the diagnosis of disease using standard diagnostic practices, as well as specialized techniques including immunohistochemistry, cytogenetics, molecular diagnostics, immunofluorescence, electron microscopy, and flow cytometry. Fellows are involved in the teaching mission of our programs by working with residents and medical students and presenting at clinical conferences. Clinicopathological research is strongly encouraged for all programs. All positions are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education or appropriate subspecialty board.

Applicants need to be eligible for American Board of Pathology certification in Anatomic and/or Clinical Pathology. Dermatopathology candidates may be eligible for American Board of Dermatology certification. Neuropathology candidates may be enrolled in an ACGME-accredited anatomic pathology training program. Throughout the training period, residents should discuss career options with the fellowship program director or faculty advisor.

Our in-house deadline for applications is January 1 the year before a program begins. Applications for positions are accepted until the positions are filled. We strongly encourage you to submit by **February 1**. Please inquire about availability after this date. Filled positions are posted on our website.

[Policies and Procedures for the Selection, Evaluation, Promotion and Dismissal of Residents and Fellows](#)

For additional information about an individual program, click on the appropriate link below.
We are now accepting applications for 2009.

PATHOLOGY Application & Instructions for Pathology Fellowships	
Bone and Soft Tissue 2008 & 2009 Unfilled Paul E. Swanson, MD (Interim Director) - UWMC	Neuropathology 2009 Unfilled Thomas Montine, MD PhD - HMC
Cytopathology 2009 Unfilled Annette Peck, MD; Asst. Director - HMC	Pediatric Pathology 2009 Unfilled Laura Finn, MD - CHRMC
Dermatopathology 2009 Unfilled Zsolt Argyenyi, MD - UWMC	Renal Pathology 2009 Unfilled Charles E. Alpers, MD - UWMC
Forensic Pathology 2009 Unfilled Richard Harruff, MD PhD - King County ME Office	Surgical Pathology 2009 Unfilled - 2 positions Rochelle Garcia, MD - UWMC
GI & Hepatic Pathology 2009 Unfilled Melissa Upton, MD - UWMC	

LABORATORY MEDICINE

Click to contact the fellowship director by email.

[Clinical Chemistry](#)

2006 Filled

S.M. Hossein Sadrzadeh, PhD - UWMC

[Microbiology](#)

2006 Filled

Brad T. Cookson, MD PhD - UWMC

[Hematopathology](#)

2009 Unfilled - 1 position

Daniel E. Sabath, MD PhD - UWMC

[Transfusion Medicine](#)

2009 Unfilled - 2 Positions

Terry Gernsheimer, MD - Puget Sound Blood Center

Visiting Students & Residents

We encourage fourth year medical students to visit our residency program. It is a wonderful way for the student to investigate the career of a pathologist from the inside. And it allows us a better chance to get to know the student before he/she applies to our residency program. The Visiting Student Program is administered through the UW School of Medicine. Contact them [online](#) to begin the registration process.

The Intersociety Committee on Pathology Information, Inc. has prepared an excellent PowerPoint [presentation](#) on the career of the pathologist including training dynamics, subspecialty options, salaries and work/life issues.

The Visiting Resident Program offers pathology residents and fellows outside of the University of Washington system an opportunity to enhance their study with an experience that is unique to the UW. The visitor needs to develop the 4-6 week rotation in conjunction with a UW Pathology Residency Program faculty member. You need to contact the [Program Assistant](#) to request application materials for the visiting rotation at least 2 months prior to the rotation.

Recent visitors have included:

- Violetta Kolesnikova, MD - Oregon Health Sciences University - GI & Liver Pathology
- Novae Simper, MD - Madigan Medical Center - Cytology
- John Carpenter, MD - University of Arizona - GI & Liver Pathology
- Torsten Nielsen, MD - University of British Columbia - Bone & Soft Tissue Pathology
- Menaka Raju, MD - University of Arizona - Dermatopathology

Faculty

Each department has an extensive website describing the professional interests of their faculty. Click on the link below to go to the site for each department.

[Department of Pathology](#)

[Department of Laboratory Medicine](#)



Pathology Faculty at the Annual Retreat
Leavenworth, WA - 2004

Alumni

The first official residency training class began January 1, 1959 and since then we have trained more than 480 residents and fellows who practice in the community and academic centers around the globe. Once you have completed your training and graduated from our program, we hope that you will stay connected with us. If you have any news items, job postings, or program suggestions, please contact our [Residency Director](#).

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Program News

Do you know where these classmates are?



Patrick Browne ('97)	George Buchan ('65)	David Campbell ('71)
Sterling Clarren ('78)	John Combs ('65)	Peter Dillard ('78)
Glen Faith ('64)	Mary Genter ('87)	John Harris ('73)
Takeshi Imajo ('92)	Kimbra Kenney ('89)	Johan Kros ('93)
Mary Parlier ('74)	Donald Patrick ('64)	Patricia Quinby ('72)
Mary Richardson ('61)	Revi Schea ('95)	Janet Wang ('90)
	Franklin Welch ('74)	

- [Chuck Murry, MD PHD \('92\) and Michael Laflamme, MD PhD \('02\)](#) have featured in a *Seattle Times* article on their stem cell research recently featured in *Nature Biotechnology*. Their research explores the use of human embryonic stem cells to regrow heart muscle tissue in rats after an induced heart attack.
- [Chuck Murry, MD PhD \('92\)](#) has a recent audiocast on Patient Power entitled, "Lifesaving" Stem Cell Research: A UW Scientist's Perspective"
- [Morayma Reyes, MD PhD \('06\)](#) recently received the Perkins Coie Award of \$20,000 to support her translational research. She received the award from Perkins Coie, LLP, a Seattle-based law firm that supports life sciences in Washington state. Dr. Reyes has a joint Assistant Professor appointment with Pathology and Laboratory Medicine.
- **2007 USCAP Presentations** Click [here](#) for a schedule of presentations by our alumni at the upcoming [USCAP Conference](#) in San Diego, March 24-30.
- **Department of Pathology Seminars.** Do you work near the UW campus? Are you planning a visit to the Seattle area? You are invited to attend our seminars and conferences. A [current schedule](#) is located on the Department of Pathology website.
- [UWMC Physician Liaison Program](#) - establishes and promotes positive relationships between UW Medical Center, referring physicians and their staff particularly in the WWAMI region of

Washington, Wyoming, Alaska, Montana and Idaho. The liaison, [Steve Jennings](#) serves as a personal contact to assist with questions or problems.

- **ABP Maintenance of Certification Booklet** Click [here](#) for an Adobe .pdf copy of the latest information from the Board
- **Networking with your UW colleagues.** The Departments of [Pathology](#) and [Laboratory Medicine](#) maintain web directories of clinical and research faculty.

Recent Graduates

In early June each year we celebrate the graduation of residents and fellows from our training program. Some will continue with subspecialty training. Some will pursue their research interests, which may have begun in their undergraduate years. Many will begin community practice. And sure some will enter academic medicine. Would you like to see where our graduates have gone for the past five years? [Click here.](#)

Virtual Hallway of Class Photos



Employment Resources

Postings

You can place your job opening here by contacting the [Residency Director.](#)

- **Surgical Pathologist (3 positions)** Contact: [Daniel M. Knowles, MD](#); Weill Cornell Medical College, Dept. of Pathology & Laboratory Medicine, 1300 York Avenue Room C302, New York, NY 10065-4896 (212) 746-6565 (08/23/07)

- **Surgical Pathologist/Neuropathologist** Contact: [John R. Krause, MD](#); Dept. of Pathology, Tulane University HSC, 1430 Tulane Avenue SL79, New Orleans, LA 70112 FAX: 504-988-7389 (08/21/07)
- **Dermatopathologist** Contact: [George Ivekich](#); Strelcheck & Associates - position in Idaho (800) 243-4353 (08/09/07)
- **Dermatopathologist** Contact: [Jane Grant-Kels, MD](#); c/o Gene Corbett, University of Connecticut (800) 229-9759 (08/01/07)
- **Surgical Pathologist** Contact: [Dr. Peter Dysert](#); Baylor University Medical Center, Pathology Dept., 5th Floor Caruth Lab Bldg, 3500 Gaston Avenue, Dallas, TX 75246 (214) 820-3021 (07/27/07)
- **Surgical Pathologist** Contact: Murray Resnick, MD PhD; Chairman Search Committee, Lifespan Academic Medical Center, c/o Rhode Island Hospital, 593 Eddy Street, Providence RI 02903 (401) 444-5151 (07/20/07)
- **Pathologist** Contact: [Robert A. Schwartz, MD](#); c/o Merrie Roberts at Eastern Connecticut Pathology Consultants, Manchester and Rockville, CT (203) 389-1540 (07/20/2007)
- **Neuropathologist** Contact: [Stephen J. Galli, MD](#); Dept. of Pathology, Stanford University SOM, Stanford CA 94305 (07/13/07)
- **Hematopathologist** Contact: [Kris Cordell](#); Michigan Health Council for Bronson Methodist Hospital, Kalamazoo, MI (800) 550-6013 (07/13/07)
- **AP/CP Pathologist** Contact: [Joe Bogan, President](#); Providence Healthcare Group, Cincinnati,
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Websites of organizations with job banks.

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Residents & Fellows Alumni 2006-2007



- **Geoffrey S. Baird, MD PhD (2003-2007):** PhenoPath Labs, Seattle, WA; ICC Fellow
- **Andrew N. Hoofnagle, MD PhD (2004-2007):** University of Washington, Dept. of Laboratory Medicine; staff pathologist
- **Alexander Kats, MD (2006-2007):** University of Chicago; Pediatric Pathology Fellow
- **Maggie L. Lam, MD (2003-2007):** University of California, San Francisco; Surgical Pathology Fellow
- **Jason E. Love, MD (2001-2007):** Puget Sound Institute of Pathology, Tacoma, WA; staff pathologist
- **Kristin M. Mantei, MD (2002-2007):** Swedish Medical Center; staff pathologist
- **Joe "Rob" McFarlane, MD (2006-2007):** Pathology Consultants, Eugene, OR; staff pathologists
- **Erick M. Naar, MD (2006-2007):** Caris Diagnostics, Phoenix, AZ; staff pathologist
- **M. Hanif Pathan, MD (2006-2007):** Virginia Commonwealth University; Hematopathology Fellow
- **Joshua A. Sonnen, MD (2005-2007):** University of Washington, Dept. of Pathology; staff neuropathologist
- **Munir Tanas, MD (2004-2007):** Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH; Bone & Soft Tissue Pathology Fellow
- **Daniel L. Toweill, MD (2001-2007):** IDX Pathology, Boise, ID; staff pathologist

2005-2006



- **Rosanna G. Abellar, MD (2005-2006):** Women & Infants Hospital, Providence, RI; pediatric pathology fellow
- **Kimberly Allison, MD (2001-2006):** University of Washington, Dept. of Pathology; staff pathologist
- **Stacey A. Berry, MD (2002-2006):** Clin-Path Associates, Chandler, AZ; staff pathologist
- **Erika R. Bracamonte, MD (2005-2006):** Arizona Health Sciences Center, Tucson, AZ; surgical pathology fellow
- **Kim D. Jewell, MD (2001-2006):** UCLA, Los Angeles, CA; GI pathology fellow
- **Keith R. Loeb, MD PhD (2005-2006):** University of Washington, Dept. of Laboratory Medicine; hematopathology research fellow
- **Morayma Reyes, MD PhD (2003-2006):** University of Washington, Dept. of Laboratory Medicine; research faculty
- **Stephen C. Schmechel, MD PhD (2003-2006):** University of Minnesota, Dept. of Pathology; staff pathologist
- **Challengpoj "Charlie" Sthapanachai, MD (1999-2006):** Southeast Alaska Pathology, Eagle River, AK; staff pathologist
- **Imran Umar, MD (2004-2006):** St. John Regional Hospital, St. John, New Brunswick, Canada; staff pathologist
- **Gregory M. Wolgamot, MD PhD (2000-2006):** St. Joseph Hospital-Northwest Pathology, Bellingham, WA; staff pathologist

2004-2005



- **Wenjiang Chu, MD PhD (2004-2005)**: National Genetic Institute, Los Angeles; staff pathologist
- **Robert F. Debski, MD (2004-2005)**: Kosair Children's Hospital, Louisville, KY; staff pathologist
- **Ning Li, MD (2004-2005)**: Dianon Systems, Stratford, CT; staff pathologist
- **Brigitte M. Nixon, MD (2000-2005)**: Central Oregon Pathology Consultants, Bend, OR; staff pathologist
- **Rostislav D. Ranguelov, MD (2003-2005)**: Washington Pathology Consultants, Seattle, WA; staff pathologist
- **Harmon Sekhon, MD PhD (2004-2005)**: returning home to British Columbia
- **Eva Skarpidi, MD (2000-2005)**: returning home to Greece
- **Sandra E. Tirrell, MD (2003-2005)**: PhenoPath Labs, Inc., Seattle; IHC Fellow
- **Carl W. Wigren, MD (2000-2005)**: King County Medical Examiner's Office, Seattle, WA; forensic fellow
- **Kevin Zavieh, MD (2004-2005)**: Southern California Pathology Group, San Bernadino, CA; staff pathologist

2003-2004



- **Rory BB Donnellan, MBChB (2003-2004)**: Mater Laboratory, Queensland, Australia
- **Anthony Chang, MD (1999-2004)**: University of Chicago, staff pathologist
- **Jonathan R. Fromm, MD PhD (1998-2004)**: University of Washington, Laboratory Medicine; Hematopathology Research Fellow
- **Joel Mendelin, MD (1999-2004)**: Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH; GI Pathology Fellow
- **Annette P. Peck, MD (1999-2004)**: Puget Sound Institute of Pathology; staff pathologist
- **Joanna J. Phillips, MD PhD (2002-2004)**: University of California, San Francisco; continuing residency
- **Stephen J. Plumb, DO (2003-2004)**: ; Missouri, dermatopathologist
- **Puja Verma, MD (2002-2004)**: ; Arizona, staff pathologist
- **Shan Yuan, MD (2000-2004)**: Puget Sound Blood Center; Transfusion Medicine Fellow

2002-2003



- **Ana Bennett, MD (2002-2003)**: Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH; staff pathologist
- **Andrew Hing, MD PhD (1999-2003)**: Phenopath, Inc., Seattle, WA; staff pathologist
- **Edward Kim, MD (1998-2003)**: St. Joseph Hospital, Northwest Regional Pathology Lab, Bellingham, WA; staff pathologist
- **Jolanta Kowalewska, MD (2002-2003)**: University of Washington, Dept. of Pathology, renal research
- **Vladimir Kravtsov, MD PhD (2002-2003)**: Nashville, TN, staff pathologist
- **J. Matt Lacy, MD (2000-2003)**: New York City Medical Examiner's Office; forensic pathology fellow
- **Keane Lai, MD (2000-2003)**: University of California, San Francisco, CA; fellow
- **Jane Yin, MD (2002-2003)**: Heartland Regional Medical Center, St. Joseph, MO, staff pathologist

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[University of Washington Medical Center \(UWMC\)](#)



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[Harborview Medical Center \(HMC\)](#)



This 340 bed hospital is operated and staffed by the University of Washington Medical School. It is nationally renowned for its trauma, burn and cardiac care units. It is the only Level I trauma center in the state of Washington. The hospital serves the greater Seattle area and the adjacent northwestern states including Alaska. With the completion of the long range capital improvement project there has been substantial expansion of the hospital including Anatomic Pathology and the clinical labs which are located in newly renovated quarters. The hospital houses the cytology laboratory for Harborview and UWMC. The King County Medical Examiner's office, which is located in Harborview, is under the directorship of Dr. Richard Harruff.

[VA Puget Sound Health Care System \(VA\)](#)



The VA Puget Sound Health Care System is a 488-bed hospital providing general medical care for veterans from Washington, Idaho, and Alaska. Pathologists in the Anatomic Pathology Division examine more than 5,500 surgical specimens each year, and perform about 100 autopsies. A new cytopathology service began in July 1999. The staff members integrate service, teaching and research responsibilities and dedicate themselves to various training programs involving pathology residents, surgical residents, and medical students. The general VA patient population emphasizes disorders of the

alimentary, cardiovascular, genitourinary, immuno-hematopoietic, integumentary, and respiratory systems, and the staff pathologists have consequently developed considerable interest and expertise in these areas. The bone marrow transplant patient population provides a rich spectrum of clinicopathologic disorders.

[Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center \(CHRMC\)](#)



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[Puget Sound Blood Center \(PSBC\)](#)



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