

Network on Osteopathology Diagnosis and Education: N.O.D.E.

We are pleased to announce a **new international initiative** focusing on **bone pathology**, launched by **Prof. Dionysios J. Papachristou MD, PhD** (Consultant Histopathologist, Univ. of Patras, coordinator of the Sarcoma Group of the Greek Society of Pathology, GS Hellenic Group of Sarcomas and Rare Cancers) and **Dr. Sílvia Bagué MD, PhD** (Associate Professor, Consultant Pathologist, Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona / Spanish Sarcoma Group/GEIS)

Project Name: N.O.D.E. – Network on Osteopathology Diagnosis and Education

Project Overview

- virtual educational series via **Zoom**.
- designed to enhance **diagnostic accuracy, knowledge exchange, and continuing medical education** in the area of bone pathology

Primary goals:

- to promote diagnostic excellence in Europe and globally
- to foster collaboration between pathologists world widely
- to support early-career, young pathologists and medical doctors from other specialties (medical oncologists, surgeons, radiologists, radiotherapists, molecular biologists) from Europe and globally, who are willing to be exposed to bone pathology
- to stress the evolving and significant role of digital pathology and AI in both the diagnosis and education in the field of bone pathology

Each session will include:

- Lectures by expert well-recognised pathologists in the field
- Interactive case-based slide reviews / virtual slide seminars
- Multidisciplinary commentary with a pathology-centered perspective
- A short “trainee spotlight” presentation by a young colleague

Co-ordinators



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The sessions will be conducted **in English**, held **bimonthly** starting from October 2025, **free of charge**

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