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**Report from Dr. George Kontogeorgos, Vice-President of Europe, IAP
to the Executive Committee of the International Academy of Pathology,
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A. SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

1. Activities of the Hellenic Division of the IAP

- a. Between May 31 and Jun 3, 2011 the Ioannina University Courses, under the Auspices of the Hellenic Division of the IAP will be organized. The topic is “*Gynecologic Pathology-Oncology*”. More information will be available soon.
- b. On October 5-9,2011 the 12th International Pituitary Pathology Meeting will take place in the island of Santorini, Hellas.

2. Activities of other IAP Divisions

I have asked the Presidents and Secretaries of the Romanian, Russian and Ukrainian Divisions to submit the scientific activities.

2.1 Ukrainian Division

- a. In May 2010, a meeting of the Ukrainian Division of the IAP was held in Odessa. Various topics such as Pediatric Pathology, Oncopathology, and Infectious Diseases were discussed. In October 2010, a Meeting of Members of the Ukrainian Division of the IAP and Republican Scientific Commission was held in Kiev. There were discussions about most important problems in Pathology to be investigated in future PhD researches.
- b. On February 2011, there was another similar meeting where plans and new research activities of the Medical Universities in Ukraine were discussed.
- c. A Meeting of the Ukrainian Division of the IAP and the Association of Pathologists of Ukraine will take place in Kharkiv from 12 to 13 of May 2011. Dr. A. Llombard-Bosch (Spain), Dr. M.Wells (UK) and myself (Hellas) are some of the invited speakers.

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2.2 *Romanian Division*

a. The 5th National Conference on Gynecopathology was organized in June 7-13, 2010 in University of Medicine and Pharmacy Targu-Mures. Invited speakers were Dr. Francisco F. Nogales, Dr. Robert Soslow and Dr. Isabel Alvarado Cabrero.

b. The European School of Pathology - Romanian Branch, organized an “Update in Urinary and male genital tract Pathology” from September 30 to October 3, 2010 in Craiova. Course coordinator: Dr. Rodolfo Montironi (Italy). Faculty: Dr. Gregor Mikuz (Austria), Dr. Antonio Lopez Beltran (Cordoba) and Dr. Marina Scarpelli (Italy).

c. The “Pathology of the Digestive System” Conference was organized in November 5-6, 2010 by “Victor Babeş” National Institute of Pathology and the Pathology Department of “Carol Davila” University”.

2.3 *Russian Division*

The Division reports 42 slide seminars, 4 tutorial workshops and 449 lectures from 29 guest speakers. The total number of attendees was 3500-4000. In addition, 16 trained students took their PhD. The Division also reports 94 publications in peer reviewed Medical Journals and 6 in Textbooks and Monographs.

3. Collaborative activities with other IAP Divisions

On December 16-18, 2010, the Congress of the Arab Division of the IAP was organized. I had the pleasure to be included among the invited speakers from abroad.

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