

Nottingham & Singapore Breast Pathology Masterclass

Online

Advances in Breast Pathology Diagnosis and Classification Parts 1 & 2

Part I

14 May 2026, 09:25 – 16:00 (UK)

Part II

24 September 2026, 09:25 – 16:00 (UK)

Course Directors

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Led by Course Directors Professor Emad Rakha and Professor Puay Hoon Tan, the Nottingham & Singapore Breast Pathology Masterclass is designed to strengthen diagnostic precision and alignment in breast pathology.

Focusing on challenging diagnostic areas and the latest developments in tumour classification, the 2026 Masterclass brings together an international faculty of world-renowned experts, including members of the WHO editorial board and contributing authors.

The series offers the most up-to-date, evidence-based insights in breast pathology:

- Part I – May 2026: Foundational updates and key developments
- Part II – September 2026: Builds upon and completes the updates introduced in Part I.

Participants may choose to attend either session individually or both for a comprehensive learning experience.

Part I – 14 May 2026

Scientific programme

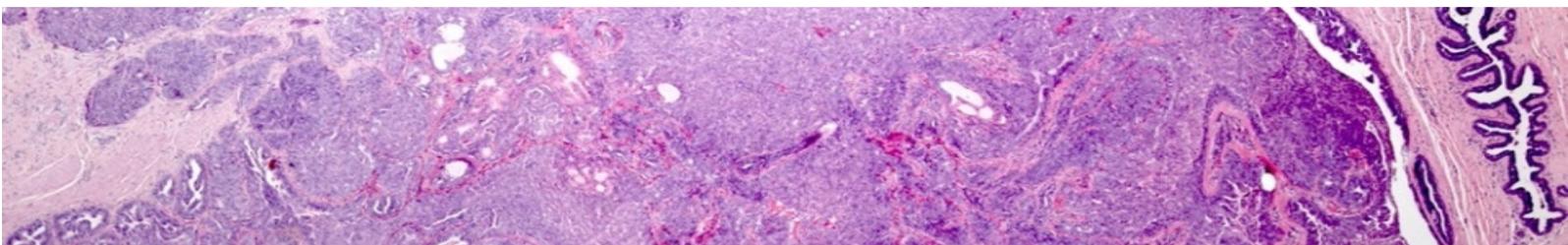
- Updates on the WHO 6th edition
- IHC in breast pathology
- Nipple lesions
- Metastatic tumours
- Rare types of breast cancer
- Papillary lesions
- Predictive markers in BC
- Vascular lesions
- Slide seminar
- Q&A with the Faculty

Faculty

- Professor Emad Rakha (UK)
- Professor Puay Hoon Tan (Singapore)
- Professor Edi Brogi (USA)
- Professor Ian Ellis (UK)
- Professor Maria Pia Foschini (Italy)
- Dr Elena Provenzano (UK)
- Professor Cecily Quinn (Ireland)
- Professor Abeer Shaaban (UK)
- Professor Stuart Schnitt (USA)
- Professor Gary Tse (Hong Kong)
- Professor Hannah Wen (USA)
- Professor Wentao Yang (China)

Moderator

- Dr Areeg Abbas



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Programme: Part I

14 May 2026

Time (UK)	Topic	
09:25	Welcome <i>Prof. Emad Rakha – Course Director</i>	
09:30	Diagnostic Approaches to Challenging Breast Lesions:	
	09:30-09:45	Core Biopsy of Papillary Lesions <i>Dr Elena Provenzano</i>
	09:45-10:00	Core Biopsy of High-Grade Spindle Cell Lesions <i>Dr Elena Provenzano</i>
	10:00-10:15	Diagnostic Pitfalls in Breast Vascular Lesions <i>Prof. Maria Pia Foschini</i>
	10:15-10:30	Unexpected Features of Triple Negative Breast Carcinoma <i>Prof. Maria Pia Foschini</i>
	10:30-10:45	Nipple Lesions <i>Prof. Puay Hoon Tan</i>
	10:45-11:00	Metastatic Carcinomas <i>Prof. Puay Hoon Tan</i>
11:00	Break	
11:15	Metaplastic Breast Carcinoma and Mimics - <i>Prof. Cecily Quinn</i>	
11.45	Tips and Pitfalls in Reporting Predictive Markers (ER, PR, HER2 and PDL1) in Breast Cancer - <i>Prof. Abeer Shaaban</i>	
12:10	An Update on the WHO 6th Edition - <i>Prof. Ian Ellis</i>	
12:35	Break	
13:15	Comparison of Reporting Standards Across Major Guidelines: CAP, UK RCPATH, ICCR and WHO: Differences and alignment in core reporting items - <i>Prof. Edi Brogi</i>	
13:40	Slide Seminar: Viewing cases and case discussion* <i>Prof. E Brogi, Prof. E Rakha, Prof. A Shaaban, Prof. G Tse, Prof. H Wen, Prof. W Yang</i>	
15:10	Diagnostic IHC in Breast Pathology - <i>Prof. Stuart Schnitt</i>	
15:40	Q&A with the Faculty	
16.00	Close <i>Prof. Puay Hoon Tan – Course Director</i>	

*Cases will be circulated before the masterclass. Delegates completing the diagnosis survey will be awarded an additional 2 CPD points.

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Part II – 24 September 2026

Scientific programme

- Latest advances in biphasic breast lesions
- Subtyping of invasive carcinomas
- Soft tissue lesions of the breast
- Inflammatory lesions of the breast
- Bland-looking lesions lacking myoepithelial cells
- DP and AI in diagnostic breast pathology
- Papillary lesions: WHO updates
- Diagnostic concordance and medicolegal aspects
- Frozen section in breast pathology
- Slide seminar
- Ask the experts: Key takeaways and future directions

Who is it for?

With a faculty of leading experts, the masterclass is ideal for practising pathologists, pathology fellows and trainees.

How do I attend?

It takes place online, so you can take part in expert-led education from your own home or office, wherever you are in the world. All sessions are recorded so if you can't attend the live event you can catch up at a time that suits you.

CPD

The masterclass is approved by the **Royal College of Pathologists** for a maximum of **8 CPD points** (6 for the masterclass and an additional 2 points for completing the slide survey circulated to delegates before the masterclass). Delegates should only claim points commensurate with the extent of their participation in the course

It is approved by the **Singapore Medical Council** for 4 CME points.



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Register

Reserve your place at nottinghambreastpathologymasterclass.co.uk

	Early Bird			Full Course Fee			Register for Part I & II together and save 15%*
Part I 14 May	Register by 31 March	Trainee	£50	Register from 1 April	Trainee	£60	
		Full	£80		Full	£100	
Part II 24 September	Register by 31 July	Trainee	£50	Register from 1 August	Trainee	£60	
		Full	£80		Full	£100	

* Only applies to bookings made at the same time, not separately.

