

Beaumont

William Beaumont Hospital
Royal Oak

Department of Anatomic
Pathology
Jay Bernstein, M.D.
Director

5 January 1988

To: Members of Renal Pathology Club
Steering Committee

From: Jay Bernstein, M.D.
Secretary

Subject: Minutes

I am enclosing the minutes of our meeting in Washington last month. Also, list of officers and scientific meetings. Please let me know of any errors that need correcting.

Best wishes for the new year.

JB:a

Enclosures

Arthur Cohen and Fred Silva reported that the International Academy of Pathology is concerned about diminishing participation by renal pathologists at the annual meeting of the IAP. Several proposals were discussed, without reaching a conclusion, and it was decided to prepare a questionnaire for distribution to the membership. That will be done promptly and the results used to guide an ad hoc committee, consisting of Arthur Cohen, Fred Silva, Ramzi Cotran, and Jay Bernstein, in discussions with Nathan Kaufman at the IAP meeting in San Francisco next March.

There will not be another meeting of the full Steering Committee before the NKF meeting in Washington next year, but the Steering Committee will be apprised of any matters arising from discussions with the IAP.

Respectfully submitted,



Jay Bernstein, M.D.

JB:a

RENAL PATHOLOGY CLUB

Scientific Programs

<u>Year</u>	<u>Program</u>	<u>Chairman</u>
1978	Focal Segmental Glomerular Sclerosis	Dr. M. Kashgarian
1979	Rapidly Progressive Glomerulonephritis	Drs. R. Cotran & R. McCluskey
1980	Dysproteinemic Nephropathy	Drs. C. Pirani & J. Churg
1981	Endothelium, Hemostasis, and Intravascular Coagulation in the Kidney	Drs. R. Cotran & R. Heptinstall
1982	Renal Cystic Disease	Dr. F. Carone
1983	No meeting	
1984	No meeting	
1985	Renal Transplantation	Dr. B. Spargo
1986	Diabetic Nephropathy	Dr. L. Striker
1987	Polycystic Kidney Disease	Dr. F. Carone

RENAL PATHOLOGY CLUB

Chairmen:

C. Pirani	1978-1980
R. Heptinstall	1981-1983
B. Spargo	1984-1986
J. Churg	1987-1988

Secretaries

F. Silva	1978
J. Bernstein	1979-

MINUTES OF RENAL PATHOLOGY CLUB STEERING COMMITTEE

11 December 1988

In attendance were Jacob Churg, Chairman; Jay Bernstein, Secretary; Frank Carone, Arthur Cohen, Ramzi Cotran, Gloria Gallo, Michael Kashgarian, Conrad Pirani, Seymour Rosen, Fred Silva, Benjamin Spargo, Liliane Striker, M.A. Venkatachalam.

The Steering Committee of the Renal Pathology Club met on Sunday, December 11, 1988, immediately following the scientific session, Vasculitis: Current Concepts. The meeting was held under the auspices of the National Kidney Foundation, and the meeting room was filled to overflowing. (Attendance at the entire NKF-ASN meeting exceeded all previous attendance records, and almost all sessions were greatly overcrowded.)

<u>Program</u>	<u>VASCULITIS: CURRENT CONCEPTS</u>
7:20 AM	Introduction Seymour Rosen, M.D., Boston
7:30 AM	Historical Overview Jacob Churg, M.D., Newark
7:40 AM	Crescentic Necrotizing Glomerulonephritis without Immune Complexes: An Expression of Vasculitis Charles J. Jeannette, M.D., Chapel Hill
8:00 AM	Anti-Neutrophil Cytoplasmic Antibodies Dr. van der Woude, Netherlands
8:20 AM	Discussion
8:30 AM	Pathogenesis of Vasculitis: New Insights Ramzi Cotran, M.D., Boston
8:50 AM	Discussion

Topics for the 1989 meeting were discussed, and among the suggestions were renal interstitial diseases and AIDS nephropathy. The Steering Committee selected glomerular mesangial disease as the topic of next year's meeting, to be organized and chaired by Michael Kashgarian.

The Steering Committee elected, by acclamation, Ramzi Cotran to serve as Chairman for the next term of two years.