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Leadership: ASIP's current President is Dr. James Musser, who will be succeeded by Dr. Kevin Roth in July, 2014.

Membership: ASIP membership is 1,400.

Meetings: ASIP meets with several other member societies of FASEB each year at a meeting called Experimental Biology. The 2014 meeting will be in San Diego, CA from April 26-30. Guest societies sponsored by ASIP include American College of Veterinary Pathologists, American Society for Matrix Biology, Association of Pathology Chairs, International Society for Biological and Environmental Repositories (ISBER), Society for Cardiovascular Pathology, and the Italian Society of Pathology and Translational Medicine. Dr. Samuel French will receive the ASIP Gold-Headed Cane Award and Dr. Stephen Galli is the recipient of the ASIP Rous-Whipple Award. Dr. Andrew Lichtman will receive the Robbins Distinguished Educator Award. Dr. Satdarshan Paul S. Monga will receive the Outstanding Investigator Award and Dr. Timothy Denning will receive the Cotran Early Investigator Award.

Divisions: ASIP has discontinued its Division program. The International Society for Biological and Environmental Repositories (ISBER), which had been a Division of ASIP since 2005, become an independent 501(c)(3) organization effective June 1, 2013.

Journals: ASIP's official journal is *The American Journal of Pathology* (AJP). Dr. Kevin Roth was appointed the new Editor-in-Chief on January 1, 2013. ASIP also co-publishes *The Journal of Molecular Diagnostics* (JMD) bimonthly with the Association for Molecular Pathology. Dr. Timothy O'Leary succeeded Dr. Karen Kaul as Editor-in-Chief of JMD in January 2010. We are currently in the midst of a search for Dr. O'Leary's successor, whose term will start January 2015. Readers of *AJP* or *JMD* are eligible to register for a 48 credit hour CME program based on reading articles in each of the two journals, programs that are ACCME-accredited through the American Society for Clinical Pathology. In January 2011, ASIP transitioned from self-publishing to managed publishing with Elsevier for post-production services.

Management of other societies. ASIP made a strategic decision in 2012 to limit the number of societies it manages. The Association of Pathology Chairs established an independent office effective January 1, 2013. The Association for Molecular Pathology established an independent office on January 1, 2014. Both APC and AMP are housed in our building and we maintain close relationships. The Intersociety Council for Pathology Information (ICPI) will continue to be managed by ASIP. ASIP also manages the annual meeting of the National Association of Medical Examiners (NAME).