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## Vision

## Better health and healthcare through laboratory medicine

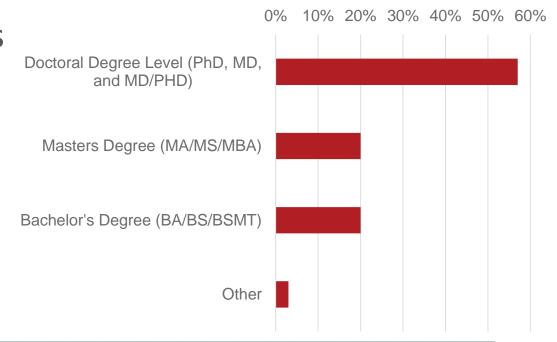
AACC provides global leadership in advancing the practice and profession of clinical laboratory science and medicine

# Mission



## AACC members are global...

- **■**8000+ active members and over 60,000 customers
- ✓ Members in more than 100 countries; 29% of members are international
- Most of the members have advanced degrees in science
- **1**20 Scientific Divisions





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### **AACC** – Educational Programs

- Annual Scientific Meeting & Clinical Lab Expo
- **■** Certificate Programs
  - Fundamentals of Molecular Pathology
  - Clinical Laboratory Leadership and Management
  - Statistical Methods for Clinical Laboratorians Using Tandem Mass Spectrometry in the Clinical Laboratory

#### // Webinars

- Cell-Free DNA-based Prenatal Screening in the General Pregnancy Population
- Unveiling the Future of Laboratory Medicine: A Series of High-Impact Talks from Lab Leaders on the Leading Edge
- Biomarkers for Chronic Kidney Disease



## **AACC** – Educational Programs (Cont.)

#### **/** ACCENT®

 ACCENT credit developed by AACC, provided to laboratory professionals who need to document their continuing education for licensure or certification maintenance.

#### **CME** Education

 AACC is accredited by the Accreditation Council on Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Physicians can claim credits from many AACC programs to fulfill their Part II (Life-Long Learning) Maintenance of Certification

## Molecular Pathology Division Resource Center

Molecular Pathology Division Resource Center - Google Chrome

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#### Genomics

#### UniGene

UniGene is an experimental system for automatically partitioning GenBank sequences into a non-redundant set of geneoriented clusters.

#### Genome Gateway

A comprehensive web resource devoted to genomics maintained by the Nature publishing Group.

#### Genomics Glossaries

A very nice set of glossaries for Genomics, Pharmacogenomics, Proteomics, and Structural Biology. At the Cambridge Healthtech Institute (CHI) site. Use the buttons on the right of the frame to go to the Genomic Glossaries.

(Mismatch PCR Primer Design Tool) A program from Washington University to design **Immunology Division** mismatch PCR primers for the detection of SNP's by simple restriction enzyme digestion and electrophoresis. The web-based program is described by Neff, Turk, & Clinical Translational Kalishman TIGS 18:613-15, 2002. Science Division SSCP Analysis Access to new software, QUISCA, for the analysis of capillary array SSCP data (free Critical and Point-of-Care for academic users!) from Professor Hayashi's laboratory. QUISCA is Quantitative Testing Division Interpretation of SSCP in Capillary Array and is described in BioTechniques 33:1342-8. 2002. **Endocrinology Division**  Searching GenBank Hematology and Search GenBank, dbEST (expressed sequence tag database) dbSTS (sequence Coagulation Division tagged site database), or dbGSS (genome survey sequences database). **History of Clinical** Jump station to Internet servers- 3 categories, Nucleic Acid Analysis, Genome Resourses, and Protein Structural Imaging and Analysis. Chemistry Division **Industry Division** ch the public databases for homology to any sequence using BLAST. • ExPAS



#### Welcome to the





The Clinical Chemistry Trainee Council serves as a unique program for residents and fellows in laboratory medicine by providing them with free educational materials and interactive tools to help and guide them to a successful career.

#### BENEFITS OF REGISTRATION

#### QUESTION BANK

Clinical Chemistry Trainee Council Question Bank assists trainees in preparation for board examinations in both the United States and United Kingdom. The program is also useful to those wishing to assess their knowledge, progress, and competency.

#### PEARLS OF LABORATORY MEDICINE

10-15 minute presentations about a particular analyte, providing a wealth of information and key take-away points.

#### PODCASTS

Authors share their insight on recently published articles. Download and listen on the go!

#### ALREADY REGISTERED?



#### LANGUAGE OPTIONS

Translations are available in:

- français
- english
- español
- português
- 中文
- 日本語
- Türkçe

https://www.aacc.org/clinical-chemistry-trainee-council



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## **CCTC** Content

- Question Bank; 2,400 questions currently
- Pearls of Laboratory Medicine; 125 posted
- Podcast
- Clinical Case Studies
- Guide to Scientific Writing
- Journal Club
- Q&A
- Translated web site in Spanish, Chinese,
   Portuguese, Japanese, French, and Turkish



## **CCTC Goals**

CCTC was launched in 2011 to support AACC's strategic vision in:

- Support trainees and early career professionals through career enhancing initiatives and programs
- Share resources and become a value partner with medical professionals beyond the traditional lab medicine community
- Raise global awareness of the value of lab medicine



## **Fostering Community & Building Partnership**

 Partner with other professional societies to develop guidelines, position statements, and education resources

Partnership with TRIG program



