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NEEDS ASSESSMENT
This program is designed to improve the management of both common and uncommon medical and surgical diseases of the cornea and lens. Attendees will gain a better understanding of the diagnosis and management of a diverse range of conditions, such as dry eye disease, pterygium and black and white cataracts. Program participants will also be updated on cutting-edge surgical techniques, such as corneal transplantation.

There are new options for the nonsurgical and surgical treatment of the aging face. Alternatives in medical and surgical management of thyroid eye disease, as well as newer techniques in blepharoplasty will be examined.

PURPOSE
The focus of this meeting will be to update the comprehensive ophthalmologist as well as the cornea specialist and oculofacial plastic surgeon on the latest in diagnosis, medical management, preoperative evaluation, surgical techniques, clinical outcomes, and postoperative complications management in the fields of cornea, cataract refractive and oculofacial plastic surgery, as well as research on future developments in these disciplines.
EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to:

• Analyze new surgical techniques and technology in oculoplastics such as dermal fillers and entropion repair
• Appraise the latest corneal inlays for presbyopia
• Apply the latest techniques and pearls to successfully manage different intraoperative and post-operative complications during cataract surgery
• Assess the evolving techniques and manage complications in corneal transplantation
• Cite outcomes from topography-guided laser ablation and understand the technology behind it
• Create a plan to manage corneal ectasia after LASIK
• Critique new techniques and manage complications in blepharoplasty
• Evaluate the current therapeutics in ocular surface disease
• Identify recent international initiatives to eradicate blindness in developing countries
• Manage the expectations and goals of refractive and cataract patients and understand how to manage those that have less than perfect outcomes after surgery
• Review advances in lacrimal surgery such as endoscopic revision dacryocystorhinostomy
• Review factors that improve or worsen thyroid eye disease (TED), and evaluate treatment modalities to modify and treat TED
• Summarize the core differences between LASIK and PRK
• Utilize correct diagnosis to manage and treat ptosis

ACCREDITATION

The New Orleans Academy of Ophthalmology is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

DESIGNATION

The New Orleans Academy of Ophthalmology designates this educational activity for a maximum of 20.50 AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™. Physicians should only claim credits commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.
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FRIDAY | FEBRUARY 23, 2018

7:15 - 7:50 AM  Registration
7:55 - 8:00 AM  President’s Remarks - Jay LaCour, MD

Session I

8:00 - 8:20 AM  Corneal Disease in the Developing world – Geoffrey Tabin, MD
8:20 - 8:50 AM  Anterior Lamellar Keratoplasty Techniques – Thomas John, MD
8:50 - 9:15 AM  Funky Iris Cases – Michael Snyder, MD
9:15 - 9:45 AM  DMEK: Procedure, Pearls and Pitfalls – Thomas John, MD
9:45 - 10:15 AM  Roundtable: Adopting New Corneal Surgeries
                MODERATOR: David Hardten, MD; PANEL: Drs. John, Snyder and Tabin

10:15 -10:30 AM  Q & A
10:30 - 11:00 AM  Break

Session II

11:00 - 11:15 AM  Office Based Diagnosis of eyelid lesions – Robert Kersten, MD
11:15 - 11:30 AM  Ptosis- who needs a work up – Robert Kersten, MD
11:30 - 11:45 AM  Ten Minute Ptosis Techniques – Steven C. Dresner, MD
11:45 -12:15 PM  Pre-trichial browlift – Robert Kersten, MD
12:15 - 12:30 PM  Aesthetic direct browlift: Focus on the tail – John Holds, MD
12:30 - 12:45 PM  Q & A
12:45-1:45 PM  Lunch

Session III

1:45 - 2:00 PM  Thyroid Eye Disease part 1 – James C. Fleming, MD
2:00 - 2:15 PM  Thyroid Eye Disease part 2 – James C. Fleming, MD
2:15 - 2:30 PM  Management of eyelid retraction in Graves Ophthalmopathy – Robert Kersten, MD
2:30 - 2:45 PM  Blink: Corneal /Refractive Eyelid Problems: A look at an Oculoplastic /
                Corneal Surgeon Team care approach – James C. Fleming, MD
2:45 - 3:00 PM  Tips and techniques for performing office surgery – John Holds, MD
3:00 - 3:15 PM  Q & A
3:15 - 3:45 PM  Break

Session IV

3:45 - 4:15 PM  Pterygium Management – Thomas John, MD
4:15 - 4:30 PM  Advanced corneal surgery and the technology that surrounds it – David Hardten, MD
4:30 - 5:00 PM  Zonulopathy - A mixed didactic and case-based talk on medical and
                surgical aspects of patient with zonular issues – Michael Snyder, MD
5:00 - 5:20 PM  SICS: Cataract Surgery in the Developing World – Geoffrey Tabin, MD
5:20 - 5:30 PM  Q & A
5:30 - 6:30 PM  Workshops
SATURDAY | FEBRUARY 24, 2018

7:15 - 7:50 AM  Registration
7:50 - 8:00 AM  President’s Remarks - Jay LaCour, MD

Session V

8:00 - 8:45 AM  The Nepal Cataract Project – Geoffrey Tabin, MD
8:45 - 9:00 AM  Meeting the needs and goals of the refractive cataract patient – David Hardten, MD
9:00 - 9:15 AM  Toric IOL Surprise: Relax, Zap, Rotate or Exchange? – Elizabeth Yeu, MD
9:15 - 9:30 AM  Fixing Unhappy Multifocal IOL Patients – Doyle Stulting, MD
9:30 - 10:00 AM Roundtable: Topic TBA, MODERATOR: TBA, PANEL: TBA
10:00 - 10:15 AM Q & A
10:15 - 10:45 AM Break

Session VI

10:45 - 11:00 AM Upper lid blepharoplasty made simple – John Holds, MD
11:00 - 11:15 AM Managing Complications of Lower Blepharoplasty – Steven C. Dresner, MD
11:15 - 11:45 AM Roundtable: Lower Lid Blepharoplasty Case Studies: What to do with these “Bags”
  MODERATOR: James C. Fleming, MD | PANEL: Drs. Dresner, Holds and Kersten
11:45 - 12:00 PM Non-surgical management of the tear trough with injectable dermal fillers
  – John Holds, MD
12:00 - 12:15 PM Trans-Conjunctival Entropion Repair – Steven C. Dresner, MD
12:15 - 12:30 PM Q & A
12:30 - 1:45 PM Lunch

Session VII

1:45 - 2:00 PM Black and White Cataracts – Michael Snyder, MD
2:00 - 2:15 PM Finessing the Super Soft Lens – Elizabeth Yeu, MD
2:15 - 2:30 PM Surgical Considerations of the Loose Lens – Elizabeth Yeu, MD
2:30 - 2:45 PM Pars plana Vitrectomy for the Anterior Segment Surgeon
  – Michael Snyder, MD
2:45 - 3:00 PM Cataract and Refractive Surgery in HSV patients – Elizabeth Yeu, MD
3:00 - 3:30 PM Roundtable: Complex Cataract Cases; The Extremes
  MODERATOR: Dr. Michael Snyder, PANEL: Drs. Hardten, John, Stulting, Tabin, Yeu
3:30 - 3:45 PM Q & A
3:45 - 4:15 PM Break

Session VIII

4:15 - 4:30 PM Existing and Emerging Dry Eye Technologies – Elizabeth Yeu, MD
4:30 - 4:45 PM When It’s Not KCS – Doyle Stulting, MD
4:45 - 5:00 PM Off-Label Uses of Topical Cyclosporine – Doyle Stulting, MD
5:00 - 5:15 PM Amniotic Membrane Therapies: What are the possibilities? – Elizabeth Yeu, MD
5:15 - 5:30 PM Q&A
5:30 - 6:30 PM Workshops
SUNDAY | FEBRUARY 25, 2018

7:45-8:25 AM  Registration
8:25 - 8:30 AM  President’s Remarks - Jay LaCour, MD

Session IX

8:30 - 9:00 AM  From Enucleation to Evisceration and Back Again – Steven C. Dresner, MD
9:00 - 9:20 AM  Indications and timing of orbital fracture - Time for a new paradigm
  – Robert Kersten, MD
9:20 - 9:35 AM  Trauma management of eyelid soft tissue defect – James C. Fleming, MD
9:35 - 10:05 AM  The role of imaging in NLDO – Robert Kersten, MD
10:05 - 10:20 AM  Endoscopic revision DCR: Your best starting point for endoscopic surgery
  – John Holds, MD
10:20 - 10:35 AM  Q & A
10:35 - 10:40 AM  Break

Session X

10:40 - 10:55 AM  Update on Corneal Inlays for Presbyopic Correction – David Hardten, MD
10:55 - 11:10 AM  Topography-Guided LASIK: A Promising New Technology To Improve the
  Quality of Vision – Doyle Stulting, MD
11:10 - 11:25 AM  LASIK and PRK Case Discussions and Planning – David Hardten, MD
11:25 - 11:40 PM  Managing complex laser refractive cases – David Hardten, MD
11:40 - 12:00 PM  Predicting Corneal Ectasia after LASIK – Doyle Stulting, MD
12:00 - 12:15 PM  Refractive surprises following cataract surgery – Michael Snyder, MD
12:15- 12:30 PM  Q & A
12:30 PM  Closing

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information available at the time of printing. The New Orleans Academy of Ophthalmology reserves the right to make changes to the program.
HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

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A block of rooms have been reserved for registrants at the special rate of $239.00. To make your hotel reservations, call the Sheraton and mention the New Orleans Academy of Ophthalmology. The Sheraton may charge an early departure fee if your scheduled length of stay changes, so please inform the hotel prior to arrival on any change in departure date. After January 15, 2018, reservations will be on a space available basis. Please make your reservations well in advance as there will be limited room availability after January 15, 2018.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

All New Orleans Academy of Ophthalmology members should register in advance for the meeting. Please register online at www.noao.org or send in the registration form.

The registration fee of $545.00 includes all course materials and refreshments. The deadline for the early registration fee is January 23, 2018. After January 23, 2018 the fee is $645.00. The registration fee of $125.00 is for the allied health professional whose physician is not a NOAO member. The registration fee of $25.00 is for allied health professionals whose physician is a NOAO member. These fees include entrance, all course materials and refreshments. There is no charge for residents if letter from chief of service accompanies the reservation form.

If you do not receive a confirmation of registration or you have any questions regarding this conference, please contact the Academy office at 504-861-2550.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellation requests must be made in writing via e-mail, facsimile or by mail. A cancellation fee of $50.00 will be assessed if request is postmarked by January 23, 2018. After January 23, 2018 the cancellation fee is $150.00. Please enclose a copy of your confirmation slip with your notice of cancellation. Note: No refunds will be made once the meeting begins.
ACTIVITIES
NEW ORLEANS
Now’s the time to re-acquaint yourselves with the city you fell in love with. New to the city? Then check out some of the sights listed below.

The French Quarter: This 12-block area, also called the Vieux Carré (Old Square), is the heart of the city and borders the Mississippi River. The narrow streets of two- and three-story French and Spanish inspired buildings have a unique look. If historic sites interest you, see the Gallier House Museum (www.gnofn.org/~hggh), the Hermann-Grima House (www.gnofn.org/~hggh), the Old Ursuline Convent, and the Beauregard-Keyes House (504-523-7257). You’ll find everything from fabulous jazz and five-star restaurants to strip clubs on world-famous Bourbon Street.

Cities of the Dead: A high water table and an elevation below sea level resulted in the practice of building aboveground tombs. There are 42 cemeteries in the metropolitan New Orleans area. Metairie, the most beautiful, and St. Louis Number One, the oldest, are worth a visit. Tour companies such as Save Our Cemeteries (504-525-3377) and Haunted History Tours (504-861-2727) offer guided tours.


By Land or by River: For a different view of the Mardi Gras City, take a riverboat cruise on the Mississippi River. Sightsee by day or go on a dinner jazz cruise. The Creole Queen Riverboat (504-587-1719, www.neworleanspaddlewheels.com) and the Steamboat Natchez (504-586-8777, www.steamboatnatchez.com) accept passengers. For landlubbers, the Riverfront streetcars are a great and economical way to sightsee.

FOR FAMILIES:

The Crescent City boasts one of the top 5 Aquariums and Zoos in the United States. The Audubon Aquarium of the Americas (504-581-4629, www.auduboninstitute.org) features the largest collection of sharks and jellyfish and a rare white alligator. Located next to the French Quarter and beautiful Woldenberg Park, the Aquarium is sure to please young and old alike. The Audubon Zoo (504-212-5452, www.auduboninstitute.org) has more than 2,000 animals in their natural habitat settings, including the Louisiana Swamp.
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