Practical information

Registrations
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Registrations close on the 10th of November 2019
Full Conference Fee (3 days): 150.– CHF
Daily Conference Fee (valuable only for 1 day): 75.– CHF
Trainee Conference Fee (3 days): 70.– CHF

Location
Campus Biotech
Chemin des Mines 9
1202 Genève

European Society for International Ophthalmology (ESIO) – Conference
November 21-23rd, 2019
Campus Biotech, Chemin des Mines 9, 1202 Genève
Thursday, November 21st, 2019
International Ophthalmology Teaching Day
(mandatory for assistants UNIGE, UNIL)

1.30pm Registration
Panel: Dr Naama Hammel, Pr Nitin Verma, Dr Tarek Sharawy

2pm Introduction and Welcoming
Pre Gabrielle Thumann & Dr Andreas Kreis
M Silvio Dolzan: Scientific Journalist & CJ (Radio Télévision Suisse)

2.05pm Introduction into International Ophthalmology
Dr Marcus Schulze-Schwering, Germany (Uni Tübingen, DOG)

3.10pm Glaucoma in Low Resource Countries of the Asia Pacific Region
Dr Mitchell Lawlor, Australia (ETEP, RANZCO)

4pm AIDS in Africa: The Look Through the Eye of an Infectiologist
Dre Camilla Rothe, Germany (LMU)

4.40pm Coffee break

5.10pm Anterior Segment: Challenges and Lessons Learned
Pr Martin Spitzer, Germany (UKE)

6pm A Fellows Tales, SSO Fellow- East Timor Eye Program
Dr Daniel Lindegger, Switzerland (Uni Zürich)

7.30pm Sponsored Dinner for Society Founding Meeting
(Founding Members only, ibc, info will follow)

Friday, November 22nd, 2019

7.30am Registration

GO and NGO: What brings the Future?
Panel: Pr Rudolf Guthoff, Dr André Mermoud, Dr Silvio Mariotti

8am Introduction into the NGO World
Dr Marcus Schulze-Schwering & Silvio Dolzan

8.05am The Future of Humanitarian Response and Eye Care
Dr. Heiko Philippin (ICBM, Uni Freiburg)

8.50am Passing on the Baton to the Government (Vision 2030)
Pr Nitin Verma, Australia (ETEP, RANZCO)

9.40am Innovative Financing
Dr Hyacinthe Atobian, Togo (Swiss Red Cross)

10.10am Coffee break

10.50am Difficulties and Managing of Fundraising
Gabriel Müller, Switzerland (Director Light for the World)

11.40am Is Aid in Africa any Different to the Rest of the Emerging Economies?
Pr Serge Resnikoff, Switzerland (ICO, ICTC, OPC)

12.20pm Lunch break

What Brings the Future of Aid?
Panel: Pr Rudolf Guthoff, Dr André Mermoud, Dr Silvio Mariotti

2pm Introduction of the Global Players in International Ophthalmology
Dr A. Kreis & Mr Silvio Dolzan

2.05pm What is International Ophthalmology Trying to Achieve?
Pr Serge Resnikoff, Switzerland (ICO, ICTC, OPC)

3pm AI in Ophthalmology: Google Health
Dre Naama Hammel, USA (Google Health)

4pm Coffee break

4.20pm The Future of WHK-Ophthalmologie
Dr Silvio Mariotti, Switzerland (WHO)

5.20pm The Worldbank and the Future of Aid
Toomas Palu, Switzerland (WorldBank)

7.30pm ESIO-Dinner for Speakers (Biotech Institute)

Saturday, November 23rd, 2019
The Project Day: Rapid Fire
Panel: Dr Mitchell Lawlor, Dr Tarek Sharawy, Prof Nitin Verma

8am Registration

9am Welcome & Introduction Project Day
Dr A Kreis

9.05am The Dutch Project
Pr Jan Geert Bollemans, Netherlands

9.25am Malawi Eye Project and University of Tübingen Training Program
Dr Markus Schulze-Schwering, Germany (Uni Tübingen, DOG)

9.50am Pediatric cataract surgery in Africa –Switching from retrospective to postoperative study in the DRC
Pr Rudolf Guthoff, Germany (DKVB, DOG)

10.15am Global Trachoma Mapping Project and Tropical Data
Dr Emma Harding-Esch, United Kingdom (LIGHT)

10.40am Coffee break

11am: The ICO Fellowship Program
Pr Peter Gabel, Germany (ICO, DKVB, DOG)

11.25am The Mercy Ship and Vision For All: Four Years of Cooperation
Dre Ana Vergamota & Dr José Da Silva, Portugal (Vision For All)

11.50am Vitreoretinal Surgery in Africa
Dr Piet Nee, Rwanda (Vision for All)

12.15pm Creating a Congenital Glaucoma Network: Challenges and Rewards
Dr Tarek Shaarawy, Switzerland (Uni Geneva)

12.40pm Lunch break

2pm Eye care in the Karnali zone of Nepal: A Non Governmental Eye Care
Dre Red Cross, Nepal (Swiss Red Cross)

2.25pm Experiences from Belize Council for the Visually Impaired
Carla Ayers Musa, Belize (BCVI)

2.50pm An app that makes it easy to refer patients: Lessons from South Africa
Dr William Mapham, South Africa (Uni Stellenbosch/Vulamobile)