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State-of-the-Art Lens Surgery

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ATPO is pleased to announce “**State-of-the-Art Lens Surgery**” featuring I. Howard Fine, MD, as the 2009 Keynote Address, which will be held during the Scientific Session in San Francisco on **Saturday, October 24, 2009**.

Dr. Fine did his undergraduate training at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and his medical and ophthalmology training at Boston University Medical Center. Specializing in cataract/IOL and refractive surgery, he has been in private practice for 39 years in Eugene, Oregon. Dr. Fine is a Clinical Professor of Ophthalmology at the Oregon Health and Science University in Portland, and a co-founder of the Oregon Eye Surgery Center.

As a leader in organized medicine and ophthalmology, Dr. Fine has held local, state, national, and international leadership positions. He served as the president of the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery in 2001, and is currently the president of the International Intraocular Implant Club.

Elected by his peers, Dr. Fine is among the cataract surgeons for inclusion in all editions of “Best Doctors in America®” from 1992 to 2008, and is listed in the first edition of Marquis’ “Who’s Who in Medicine and Healthcare.” He received the prestigious Innovator’s Award, given annually by the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery, and the American Academy of Ophthalmology’s Senior Honor Award. He was honored with the Baylor/Welsh Cataract and Refractive Surgery Congress Maumenee Award, the United Kingdom and Ireland Societies for Cataract and Refractive Surgery Rayner Medal, the Brazilian Phaco Club Award, the Boston University School of Medicine Distinguished Alumnus Award, the Oregon Health and Sciences University

Meritorious Achievement Award, the Golden Orchid Award from the National Healthcare Group in Singapore, and the Ophthalmologist of the Millennium Award from the International Academy for Advances in Ophthalmology in Mumbai, India. In 1999, he was named one of the 25 Most Influential Ophthalmologists of the 20th Century by a vote of 16,000 ophthalmologists worldwide, polled by the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery. In 2005, Dr. Fine gave the inaugural lecture in honor of his mentor and friend, Charles D. Kelman, MD, at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Ophthalmology, and received the Strampelli Medal from the Italian Society of Ophthalmology and Italian Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery for innovative work in development of cataract surgery techniques. Dr. Fine has been a visiting professor at 31 medical schools in the United States and abroad, and has delivered 21 named lectureships.

Dr. Fine has designed instruments and implants, and has innovated many surgical procedures including cortical cleaving hydrodissection, chip and flip, crack and flip, and choo-choo chop and flip phacoemulsification techniques, and the temporal self-sealing clear corneal incision. He has contributed numerous publications to refereed medical journals and the medical press, written chapters and edited in textbooks and surgical atlases, and has lectured and taught extensively throughout the world.

State-of-the-Art Lens Surgery

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SCIENTIFIC SESSION - SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2009							8:00 AM - 6:00 PM
<i>Sponsored by Essilor of America, Inc.</i>							
7:30 am	8:00 - 9:00 am	9:00 - 9:30 am	9:30 - 10:00 am	10:00 - 10:15 am	10:15 - 10:45 am	10:45 - 11:15 am	11:15 - 11:45 am
REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	Keynote Address <i>State-of-the-Art Lens Surgery</i> I. HOWARD FINE, MD 1 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 18)</i> <i>Sponsored by Essilor of America, Inc.</i>	Cornea and Lens Surgery HOFFMAN .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 18)</i>	Evaluation and Management of Eyelid Malignancies SCHAEFER .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 18)</i>	BREAK	Retinal Cell Rescue Strategies HOPKINS .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 18)</i>	OPTOS® Imaging KITCHENS .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 18)</i>	Kenneth E. Woodworth, Jr. FELLOW LECTURE Big News for Little Eyes! Exciting Developments in Pediatric Ophthalmology LICHTENSTEIN .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 18)</i>
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GRAND ROUNDS - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2009						10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
<i>Sponsored by The Vision Care Institute</i>						
10:00 - 10:30 am	10:30 - 11:00 am	11:00 - 11:30 am	11:30 - 12:00 pm	12:00 - 12:30 pm	12:45 - 1:15 pm	
Oculoplastics WESTFALL .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 19)</i>	Neuro-ophthalmology GOLNIK .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 19)</i>	Clinical Findings WIGGINS .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 19)</i>	Contact Lens Lessons Through Others' Mistakes RUSSELL .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 19)</i>	LUNCH <i>Sponsored by The Vision Care Institute</i>	Interesting Comprehensive Cases DAVIS .5 A JCAHPO Credit <i>(Page 19)</i>	
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PRACTICAL EXAM REVIEW - MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2009	
COT Practical Exam Review	COMT Practical Exam Review
8:00 - 10:00 am CARPENTER 2 A JCAHPO Credits <i>(Page 20)</i> <i>Sponsored by Ophthalmology Management</i>	10:30 - 12:30 pm or 1:30 - 3:30 pm CARPENTER 2 A JCAHPO Credits <i>(Page 20)</i>
	8:00 - 11:30 am or 12:30 - 4:00 pm 3.5 A JCAHPO Credits <i>(Page 20)</i>

WRITTEN EXAM REVIEW - TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2009		
COA Written Exam Review	COT Written Exam Review	COMT Written Exam Review
9:00 - 12:00 pm SUSCO 3 A JCAHPO Credits <i>(Page 20)</i>	8:00 - 12:00 pm BAKER 4 A JCAHPO Credits <i>(Page 20)</i> <i>Sponsored by Ophthalmology Management</i>	7:30 - 12:00 pm SHUKLA 4.5 A JCAHPO Credits <i>(Page 20)</i>

Registration and Continental Breakfast 7:30 am

ESSILOR KEYNOTE ADDRESS 8:00 - 9:00 am

State-of-the-Art Lens Surgery

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Credits: 1 A JCAHPO

This course will discuss the advantages of the bimanual approach to difficult and challenging lens surgeries. This technique holds promise to be every anterior segment surgeon's procedure of choice when microincision intraocular lens implants are widely available in the United States.

Objectives:

1. List the characteristics of difficult and challenging lens surgeries.
2. Discuss the fluidic advantages of bimanual Phacoemulsification.
3. Describe how to prepare for difficult and challenging lens surgeries.

Cornea and Lens Surgery 9:00 - 9:30 am

Richard Hoffman, MD

Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

This presentation will review current state-of-the-art methods for corneal endothelial transplantation combined with cataract surgery. A review of appropriate candidates, intraoperative technique, complication management, and changing indications for intervention will be covered.

Objectives:

1. Review the anatomy and physiology of endothelial disease in the cornea.
2. Identify appropriate candidates for endothelial keratoplasty.
3. Describe the technique of DSAEK combined with cataract extraction.
4. Discuss the complications and the management of the DSAEK procedure.

Evaluation and Management of Eyelid Malignancies 9:30 - 10:00 am

Daniel Schaefer, MD, FACS

Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

This presentation will include a didactic review of eyelid tumors, as well as a series of well-documented cases representing a wide range of clinical manifestations.

Objectives:

1. Review the clinical presentation of the most common eyelid malignancies.
2. Develop a differential diagnosis based on the history and clinical findings.
3. Identify the clinical findings that should raise one's suspicion for a malignancy.

Break 10:00 - 10:15 am

Retinal Cell Rescue Strategies 10:15 - 10:45 am

Jill Hopkins, MD

Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

This presentation will provide a brief overview of the pathophysiology of retinal degenerative diseases, followed by an in-depth presentation of the research and clinical strategies now being developed to rescue cell function.

Objectives:

1. Describe the pathophysiology of retinal degeneration.
2. Explain three broad approaches to retinal cell rescue.
3. Describe the current trends of clinical trials in this area.

OPTOS® Imaging 10:45 - 11:15 am

John Kitchens, MD

Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

This presentation will explain OPTOS® imaging, why it is ordered, and how it aids treatment of ocular conditions.

Objectives:

1. Explain the difference between traditional fluorescein angiography and wide-angle OPTOS® imaging.
2. Identify ocular conditions that could benefit from wide-angle imaging vs. traditional fluorescein angiography.
3. Explain how OPTOS® imaging has improved diagnosis and treatment of ocular diseases.

Kenneth E. Woodworth, Jr. FELLOW LECTURE 11:15 - 11:45 am

Big News for Little Eyes! Exciting Developments in Pediatric Ophthalmology

Pamela Lichtenstein, COMT

Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

This lecture will focus on two new trends: Oral non-steroidal treatment for capillary hemangiomas, and Avastin® injections for treating retinopathy of prematurity.

Objectives:

1. Identify the visual problems associated with retinopathy of prematurity.
2. Identify the potential visual problems for infants with retinopathy of prematurity.
3. Describe new treatments available for patients with capillary hemangiomas and retinopathy of prematurity.

ATPO Membership Meeting and Luncheon 11:45 - 12:45 pm
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Advances in Anterior Segment Optical Coherence Tomography 1:00 - 1:30 pm

Mark Packer, MD, FACS

Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

This course highlights the use of anterior segment optical coherence tomography (OCT) in both research and clinical practice.

Objectives:

1. Define the technological innovation of OCT.
2. Identify clinical applications of OCT.
3. Determine the utility of OCT in the anterior segment ophthalmology practice.

The Pathology of Ocular Trauma 1:30 - 2:00 pm

Frank Scribbick, MD

Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

This presentation will illustrate the pathological changes that occur in the eye after trauma. The pathophysiology of the consequences of all types of ocular trauma will be explained, and treatments available will be covered.

Objectives:

1. Describe the various types of ocular trauma.
2. Explain the pathological changes that result from ocular trauma.
3. List some treatments that are available after ocular trauma.

New Concepts in Glaucoma Surgical Therapy 2:00 - 2:30 pm

Carla Siegfried, MD

Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Newer concepts to utilize the "natural" drainage pathway have emerged in recent years. To date, none have been identified to replace conventional surgery. This presentation will review these potentially "up-and-coming" devices and procedures.

Objectives:

1. Describe the basic principles of aqueous humor production and outflow.
2. Describe traditional glaucoma surgeries.
3. Compare newer devices and procedures in terms of efficacy and complication rates.
4. Explain the concepts behind newer devices and procedures.

To EMR or Not to EMR: That is the Question 2:30 - 3:00 pm

Sue Stuhr, COT, OCS

Credits: .5 B JCAHPO

This presentation will explore the pros and cons of converting to electronic medical records.

Objectives:

1. Describe the pitfalls and advantages of EMR.
2. Identify factors to determine whether it is worth the change for your practice.

Break - Sponsored by KATPO, LATPO, MOPS 3:00 - 3:15 pm

Who Wants To Be A Super Tech? 3:15 - 5:15 pm

Credits: 2 A JCAHPO

This fun and exciting game show atmosphere will feature questions from all areas of the JCAHPO certification examination content. All levels of difficulty will be covered by the questions.

Objectives:

1. Demonstrate knowledge in several areas of JCAHPO's examination content.
2. Identify content area(s) for which additional study time may be needed.

ATPO Member Reception** 5:15 - 6:00 pm

Sponsored by Essilor of America, Inc.

**This event is included in the Scientific Session and Grand Rounds registration. Advance tickets will be sold for this event - available only for ATPO members who are attending JCAHPO programs.



Oculoplastics 10:00 - 10:30 am
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Christopher Westfall, MD

This presentation will describe various types of orbital disorders and will discuss clinical evaluation and management including available surgical interventions.

Objectives:

1. Understand oculoplastic surgical disease and its management.
2. Identify signs and symptoms of orbital disorders requiring oculoplastic evaluation.
3. Describe assessment and treatment options for patients seen in the oculoplastic clinic.

Neuro-ophthalmology 10:30 - 11:00 am
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Karl Golnik, MD, MEd

This presentation will feature several case presentations of "unknown" causes of ophthalmoplegia that the audience will help identify.

Objectives:

1. List three signs of myasthenia gravis.
2. List three entities in the differential diagnosis of generalized ophthalmoplegia.
3. Describe an approach to the patient with generalized ophthalmoplegia.

Clinical Findings 11:00 - 11:30 am
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Michael Wiggins, MD

This presentation will show multiple comprehensive ophthalmology cases.

Objectives:

1. Identify the diagnoses presented.
2. Describe the treatments for the diagnoses presented.

Contact Lens Lessons Through Others' Mistakes 11:30 - 12:00 pm
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Buddy Russell, COMT, FCLSA, LDO

This presentation will present two cases managed at the Emory University Contact Lens Service. Both will be presented in SOAP format with emphasis on discussion.

Objectives:

1. Explain three treatment options for contact lens-related hypoxia.
2. Describe how to manage irregular corneal astigmatism with soft materials.
3. Explain the difference between DK and DK/T.
4. List three causes of corneal vascularization.

Lunch - Sponsored by The Vision Care Institute 12:00 - 12:30 pm

Interesting Comprehensive Cases 12:45 - 1:15 pm
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Romona Davis, MD

This presentation will demonstrate the vital role of a thorough patient history, and review of systems in discovering a diagnosis.

Objectives:

1. Perform a complete patient history.
2. Obtain a pertinent review of systems.
3. Describe important ancillary testing which may be used to obtain a diagnosis.
4. Evaluate the potential need for sub-specialty consultation with difficult cases.

Difficult Contact Lens Fitting/Sudden Vision Loss 1:15 - 1:45 pm
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Anne Towey, MD

This presentation will include two case studies: A difficult refraction contact lens fitting, and sudden vision loss and the subsequent diagnosis.

Objectives:

1. Compare/contrast contact lenses appropriate for a flat cornea.
2. Explain the procedure for proper A-scan measurement with a displaced crystalline lens.
3. Describe the choice of visual field test based on history.
4. Demonstrate the ability to take a proper history in the case of acute vision loss.

"I Can't Read. What's Up With That?" 1:45 - 2:15 pm
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Lisa Rovick, MHS, COMT, CO

The same patient complaint can be caused by a variety of different problems. Three cases will be presented that illustrate three different etiologies for the same complaint.

Objectives:

1. Describe additional patient complaints that help to shape decisions for future testing.
2. List the tests most commonly used to evaluate patients with reading complaints.
3. Discuss the three different causes of reading complaints.
4. Discuss the possible solutions for the reading problems presented.

Strabismus Case Studies 2:15 - 2:45 pm
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Rod Morgan, MD, LMCC, FRCS(C), Dipl. ABO, FFAO

Clinical features of two or three types of strabismus will be presented to demonstrate the need for thorough examination and careful, long-term follow-up to achieve quality results in most strabismus problems.

Objectives:

1. Demonstrate the need for quality strabismus examinations, careful follow-up, and frequently extended care.
2. Identify different properties that are revealed with different strabismus patterns.
3. Describe how patient cooperation plays a large role in strabismus management.

Break - Sponsored by The Vision Care Institute 2:45 - 3:00 pm

Challenging Cases in Retina and Vitreous Disease 3:00 - 3:30 pm
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

Abdhis Bhavsar, MD

Case presentations will feature challenging retina cases and vitreous disease cases.

Objectives:

1. Describe the essential parts of the retinal exam.
2. Identify the main features of B-scan ultrasonography.
3. Review abnormalities on ERG testing of the retina.

Loss of Fusion in Adult Patients 3:30 - 4:00 pm
Credits: .5 A JCAHPO

J. Banks Shepherd, MD

Binocular diplopia in adult patients is often due to acquired ocular misalignments. Most therapeutic modalities are intended to improve ocular alignment; however, if fusional abilities have been disrupted or lost, these modalities will ultimately fail.

Objectives:

1. Describe under what circumstances visual fusion can be lost.
2. List signs and symptoms of fusional loss.
3. Explain various treatment modalities for adults with loss of fusion.

ATPO Highlights

■ **Keynote Address - October 24, 2009**

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State-of-the-Art Lens Surgery: Presented by I. Howard Fine, MD

ATPO is pleased to feature I. Howard Fine, MD, who will present on the advantages of the bimanual approach to challenging lens surgeries. The advent of more readily available microincision intraocular lens implants has helped this approach gain in popularity among anterior segment surgeons. Join us for this captivating discussion and its relevance to OMP.

■ **Scientific Session - October 24, 2009**

Back by popular demand this year for ATPO Scientific Session registrants:

"Who Wants to Be a Super Tech?" and **ATPO Member Reception.**

Ophthalmic personnel who are registered for the Scientific Session and Grand Rounds Package will have the opportunity to attend this fun and exciting game show – **"Who Wants to Be a Super Tech?"** Light hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be provided at the reception following the game show. Advance tickets will also be sold for the reception – *available only for ATPO members who are attending JCAHPO programs.*

■ **Grand Rounds - October 25, 2009**

Sponsored by The Vision Care Institute

ATPO's Grand Rounds are back by popular demand! Cases will be presented in various ophthalmology sub-specialties, and the audience will be invited to participate in determining the cause(s) and possible outcome(s). This format follows the instructional methods established in U.S. medical schools and ophthalmology residency training programs, and requires that the audience exercise deductive reasoning and critical thinking. Participants will be provided with lunch and an afternoon break.

■ **Certification Review Courses - October 26-27, 2009**

Sponsored in part by Ophthalmology Management

Plan to attend ATPO's Practical and Written Review Courses designed to assist ophthalmic personnel in preparing for the JCAHPO certification examinations. On Monday, October 26, the COT Practical Review (hands-on computer simulation) and COMT Practical Review (hands-on with actual equipment) courses will be held. Registration is limited – be sure to sign up early! On Tuesday, October 27, the COA, COT, and COMT Written Review Courses will be offered.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2009

COT Practical Exam Review

Mona Carpenter, COMT

8:00 - 10:00 am *Sponsored by Ophthalmology Management*

10:30 - 12:30 pm

1:30 - 3:30 pm

Credits: 2 A JCAHPO

(Each class is limited to 50 attendees)

Prerequisite: Good understanding of JCAHPO examination content areas 1-13. **COA certification is required, unless participant is a student enrolled in a COT program. Verification from the program director will be required.**

Description: This course is designed to familiarize candidates for certification at the technician level with the computer-based skill simulation process currently utilized by JCAHPO. Participants should be familiar with performing the following skills in clinical practice: retinoscopy, refinement, ocular motility cover and alternate cover testing, keratometry, lensometry, tonometry, and visual fields, in addition to having basic computer navigational skills. **This workshop is intended to be a review of skills and equipment equivalent for the COT level of certification, and is not an introductory workshop.**

Objectives:

1. Demonstrate ability to navigate through JCAHPO *Learning Systems*® simulations.
2. Describe the process of determining the correct outcome for the referenced skill.

This course is restricted to those who are currently certified at the COA level or students enrolled in a COT program. It is intended to assist attendees who anticipate taking their COT exam in the near future. It is not intended to be a course for recertification credits.

COMT Practical Exam Review*

8:00 - 11:30 am

12:30 - 4:00 pm

Credits: 3.5 A JCAHPO

(Each class is limited to 36 attendees)

Prerequisite: Good understanding of JCAHPO examination content areas 1-17. Experience and understanding of testing procedures and equipment needed for the COMT level of certification. **COT certification is required, unless participant is a student enrolled in a COMT program. Verification from the program director will be required.**

Description: This course is designed to review selected testing procedures and skills equivalent to the areas for the COMT level of certification. Areas covered will include version/duction, measuring strabismus, pupil function, fundus photography, and neutralizing spectacles. **This course is intended to be a review of the above skills and equipment used. It is not an introductory workshop and will not cover every procedure and skill equivalent for the COMT level of certification.**

Objectives:

1. Explain the proper use and techniques of above tasks and equipment.
2. Demonstrate the proper use of above equipment.
3. Demonstrate proper technique of above tasks.

This course is restricted to those who are currently certified at the COT level or students enrolled in a COMT program. It is intended to assist attendees who anticipate taking their COMT exam in the near future. It is not intended to be a course for recertification credits.

* The COA and COMT written and practical review sessions will utilize new certification content, which will be effective late 2009.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2009

COA Written Exam Review*

Karen Susco, COMT

9:00 - 12:00 pm

Credits: 3 A JCAHPO

(Limited to 100 attendees)

Prerequisite: Basic knowledge of eye anatomy and physiology, with a minimum of one year in ophthalmology.

Description: JCAHPO examination content areas 1-18 will be reviewed and discussed in classroom format with the use of a PowerPoint presentation, and ending with a question-and-answer session. **This course is meant to be a review and is not designed to provide initial instruction in content materials.**

Objective: Participants should be able to demonstrate knowledge and comprehension of JCAHPO examination content areas 1-18.

This course is restricted to those who are not currently certified or students enrolled in a COA program. It is intended to assist attendees who anticipate taking their COA exam in the near future. It is not intended to be a course for recertification credits.

COT Written Exam Review

Debra Baker, MA, COMT

8:00 - 12:00 pm

Sponsored by Ophthalmology Management

Credits: 4 A JCAHPO

(Limited to 140 attendees)

Prerequisite: Good understanding of JCAHPO examination content areas 1-13. **COA certification is required, unless participant is a student enrolled in a COT program. Verification from the program director will be required.**

Description: JCAHPO examination content areas 1-13 will be reviewed and discussed in classroom format with the use of a PowerPoint presentation, and ending with a question-and-answer session. **This course is meant to be a review and is not designed to provide initial instruction in content materials.**

Objective: Upon completion of the course, participants should be able to demonstrate knowledge and comprehension of JCAHPO examination content areas 1-13.

This course is restricted to those who are currently certified at the COA level or students enrolled in a COT program. It is intended to assist attendees who anticipate taking their COT exam in the near future. It is not intended to be a course for recertification credits.

COMT Written Exam Review*

Aaron Shukla, PhD, COMT

7:30 - 12:00 pm

Credits: 4.5 A JCAHPO

(Limited to 100 attendees)

Prerequisite: Experience and understanding of testing procedures and equipment needed for the COMT level of certification. **COT certification is required, unless participant is a student enrolled in a COMT program. Verification from the program director will be required.**

Description: In this course, JCAHPO examination content areas 1-17 will be reviewed and discussed in classroom format with the use of a PowerPoint presentation, and ending with a question-and-answer session. **This course is meant to be a review and is not designed to provide initial instruction in content material.**

Objective: Participants should be able to demonstrate knowledge and comprehension of JCAHPO examination content areas 1-17.

This course is restricted to those who are currently certified at the COT level or students enrolled in a COMT program. It is intended to assist attendees who anticipate taking their COMT exam in the near future. It is not intended to be a course for recertification credits.

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