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WORKSHOPS

9:00-10:30

1. Analysis of clinical cases for Optometrists

Zane Jansone-Langina

2. Why an How to implement (un)dilated retinal examination in the Optometry Curriculum – a workshop for Optometric Educators

Sigrid Mueller-Schotte

3. From acuity to function: Vision testing for Quality of Life

Robert Lederman

4. Focus on The Front - The anterior segment in glaucoma

Catherine Porter

10:30

BREAK

WORKSHOPS

10:45-12:30

5. Mastering Contact Lens fitting: A five-stage video guide

Evita Kassaliete

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7. Flexible refraction management: Building adaptive models for tomorrow's eye care

Jérôme Perderiset

8. Eye tracking assessments: From clinical skills to patient insights

Ilana Gelfond-Polnariev

12:30

LUNCH

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS:

13:00

- Evidence based practice

- Education

- Binocular vision

- Contact lenses

13:45

BREAK

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

14:00-14:20

Welcome session

LOOA President / EAOO President / University of Latvia

14:20-15:20

KEYNOTE LECTURE 1

How Eye Diseases Affect Peoples' Quality of Life

Konrad Pesudovs

PARALLEL ROOM

15:20-15:50

Quality of life: Is it the missing metric in prescribing?

Mario Canto Cerdan and Eluned Creighton-Sims

15:50-16:20

From first add to full add: How presbyopia degree influences patient journey from exam room to daily experiences

Karola Panke

RAPID FIRE SESSION I: OPTICS AND EDUCATION

16:20-16:30

DISCUSSION

16:30

COFFEE BREAK, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

17:00-17:30

PANEL DISCUSSION: THE FUTURE OF OPTOMETRY

17:30-18:30

AAO/EAOO joint symposium in Collaboration with ECOO

PARALLEL ROOM

Tailored recommendations: The key to successful inclusion of visually impaired children in schools

Ligita Ģeida

17:40 RAPID FIRE SESSION II: CONTACT LENS

18:40 - 19:30

POSTER VIEWING AND NETWORKING EVENT

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

9:00	Glaucoma: The role of the Optometrist as primary eye care provider Daniela Sonja Nosch	9:00- 10:30
9:20	Combining OCT and Fields in Glaucoma referral Nicholas Rumney	
9:40	Treatment Conundrums of a Glaucoma Clinic... "Let's go!" Brett G Bence	
10:00	Swollen optic nerve(s) – But Which one is it? – Using the Goldilocks principle Lorcan Butler	
10:20	From first glance to lifesaving action: Optometrists' role in retinoblastoma Awareness and Action Pemijke GadiMoh	10:30- 11:00
10:40	Understanding retinal vessel changes Hans-Jürgen Grein	

PARALLEL ROOM

STUDENT RESEARCHER AND EARLY CAREER RESEARCHER SESSION
RAPID FIRE SESSION III: REFRACTION

11:00

COFFEE BREAK, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

11:30	AREDS in 2026: What Optometrists need to know Kensington Hatcher	11:30- 12:20
11:50	Vision loss as modifiable risk factors in dementia prevention Mirjam van Tilborg	
12:10	Applications of visual function tests in clinical Optometry practice Arjan Keuken	
12:30	Amblyopia management: From Visual Acuity to quality of life Susan Cotter	12:30- 13:00

PARALLEL ROOM

RAPID FIRE SESSION IV: BINOCULAR VISION AND PAEDIATRICS
SPONSOR LECTURE. HOYA

13:00

LUNCH, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

14:00	EAOO Assembly General Meeting	14:00- 14:30
15:00	KEYNOTE LECTURE II Age-related eye disease – through the eyes of the patient David Crabb	14:30- 15:00

PARALLEL ROOM

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16:00

COFFEE BREAK, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

16:30	Building the evidence-base: 10 tips for optometric researchers Bruce Evans	16:30
17:00	ECOO Blue Book presentation	
17:40- 18:20	SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP MYOPIA MANAGEMENT	17:40- 18:20

PARALLEL ROOM

RAPID FIRE SESSION V: MYOPIA
SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP on EDO

20:00-22:30

EAOO CONFERENCE DINNER

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

9:00	Implementing silent reading performance as a clinical measure of functional vision and quality of life. Sotiris Plainis	9:00- 9:30
9:30	Evidence-based strategies for early KC detection: Enhancing patient and practitioner education. Pheagane Nkoana	9:30- 10:30
9:50	Scleral lenses in clinical practice Max Aricochi	
10:10	Surgical options for Keratoconus patients clinical guidelines Shaher Saadalein	

PARALLEL ROOM

SPONSOR LECTURE

RAPID FIRE SESSION VI: QUALITY OF LIFE AND PUBLIC HEALTH

10:30 COFFEE BREAK, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

11:00	Happy accidents and changing theories: The evolving story of Myopia growth and control Ondřej Polícar	11:00- 12:00
11:30	Optimizing myopia control device to enhance the quality of life: a walkthrough to the mid-twenties Patrick Simard	
12:00	Evidence-based optometric management for intermittent exotropia Horace Wong	12:00- 13:00
12:30	Becoming co-intelligent: AI as a partner in optometric care Gabrielle Janssen	

PARALLEL ROOM

RAPID FIRE SESSION VII: DRY EYE DISEASE

RAPID FIRE SESSION VIII: VISION ASSESSMENT AND MYOPIA

13:00 LUNCH, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION

MAIN PLENARY ROOM

14:00	Expanding the role of Intense Pulsed Light and Light Modulation™ Low-Level Light Therapy in ocular surface disease. Sarah Farrant	14:00- 14:30
14:30	CONFERENCE CLOSING CEREMONY POSTER AWARD AND PHOTO PRIZE	

PARALLEL ROOM

RAPID FIRE SESSION IX: ANTERIOR EYE

END OF CONFERENCE

