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**15TH WATANY
OPHTHALMOLOGY SUMMIT**
WOS 2025

8-10 OCTOBER
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Welcome

On behalf of the organizing committee, it is our great pleasure to extend a heartfelt welcome to the **15th Watany Ophthalmology Summit**, taking place in the vibrant city of Cairo, Hilton Heliopolis, **8-10 October 2025**.

This year, as we celebrate a significant milestone, **15 years** of fostering innovation and education in eye care, we have curated our most comprehensive program yet. Over three days, we will embark on a journey through the vast and dynamic landscape of ophthalmology, exploring groundbreaking advancements across every sub-specialty.

We are truly honored to host a distinguished international faculty, renowned leaders who have graciously joined us to share their pioneering research, surgical expertise, and clinical insights, including Prof. Steve Arshinoff, inventor of the soft shell technique, Prof. Michael Amon, Prof. Fahd Quhill, among many others. Their contributions are the cornerstone of this conference, promising to ignite stimulating discussions and challenge our perspectives.

The program is designed to offer something for every professional, from seasoned consultants to residents-in-training. Dive deep into specialized courses, engage in dynamic sessions, and witness the future of our field through cutting-edge exhibitions. We encourage you to network, collaborate, and form lasting connections with peers from around the globe.

Our shared goal is to enhance the knowledge and skills of young ophthalmologists for the ultimate benefit of our patients. We hope this conference will serve as a catalyst for inspiration, providing you with valuable takeaways to implement in your practice.

Thank you for your dedication to ophthalmology and for being an essential part of this special **15th anniversary** gathering. We wish you an enlightening, productive, and unforgettable conference.

*Chairman of Watany Eye Hospital
Dr. Fathy Fawzy Morkos.
FRCOphth. FRCS (Glasg.)*

Fathy Fawry





About WATANY EYE HOSPITAL (WEH)

Built on 2,336 m2 on the outskirts of Cairo and at the joint route between the city and its newest suburbs, our new premises boasts 10 operation theatres, femtosecond laser machines in 2 refractive suites, 16 fully equipped examination rooms and full investigative tools in a state-of-the-art eight-storey building

Since its establishment in 2001 by Prof Riad Fikry, Prof Fathy Fawzy and Prof Abdallah Hassouna, Al Watany Eye Hospital has taken solid steps into establishing itself as one of the most trusted medical service providers in ophthalmology. In our dedication to excellence, we have successfully stepped into today's high-tech culture by establishing paperless operating system.

Our homegrown electronic health records system encompasses outflow control across the hospital facilities and financial services as it integrates with clinical and affiliate remote service centers.

With two hospitals in Cairo and one center in Aswan, we established a comprehensive ophthalmology health care system.



MESSAGE OF THE HOSPITAL

We provide one of the most distinct specialized high quality medical service in Ophthalmology. Additionally, Research services and training programs for young ophthalmologists and staff are being applied to improve the quality of the provided service.

VISION OF THE HOSPITAL

We goal for being one of the leaders in the scientific research and providing talented young ophthalmologists respecting the ethics of the profession to serve our country and anyone in need.

VALUES OF THE HOSPITAL

- Harnessing all human and technical resources for serving patients.
- Achieving the optimum level of medical service and having distinct performance.
- Being honest with our patient regarding his/her health status.
- Creating a spirit of co-operation and affiliation amid patients, employees and doctors.

SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE:

Alphabetically ordered

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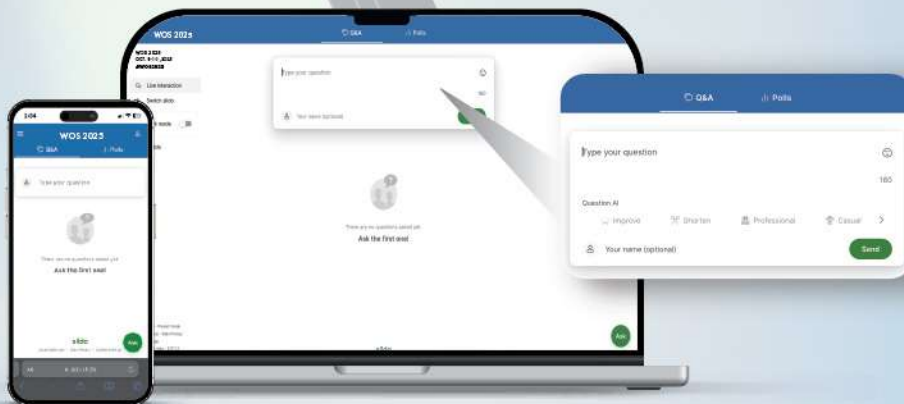
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At a Glance
Wednesday
8 OCTOBER 2025



PODIUM **A**
Main Hall

PODIUM **B**
Main Hall

09:30

Registration

10:00

Course 1: Neuro-ophthalmology

Course 2: UBM

11:15

Course 3: Optimizing
Biometric Accuracy in
Post-Refractive Corneas

Course 4: Electrophysiology

12:15

Rameda Symposium

12:30

Coffee Break

13:00

Course 5: Familial Exudative
Vitreoretinopathy

Course 6: Corneal
Investigations

14:00

ZEISS Symposium

14:15

Course 7: Capsulorhexis

Course 8: Medical Cornea

15:30

Lunch Symposiums:

AbbVie

Lunch Symposiums:

EVA Pharma

16:00

Jamjoom

Bausch + Lomb

16:30

Course 9: Ophthalmic
Viscosurgical Devices

Course 10: Retinal
Multimodal Imaging

16:30 - 17:15 Part 1

17:15 - 18:00 Part 2

PODIUM **A**

Main Hall



Course



10:00 - 11:15

Neuro-ophthalmology

Moderator: Ahmad Nassef

- 10:00 Neuro-ophthalmology: Is it really difficult
Ahmad Nassef
- 10:30 Role of investigations in Neuro-ophthalmology
Shereen Samir
- 10:45 Unexpected esotropia
Noha Mohsen
- 11:00 Beyond optic neuropathy
Nervana Salah

WEDNESDAY

PODIUM **B**

Main Hall



Course



10:00 - 11:15

UBM

Moderator: Rasha Abbas

- 10:00 How to do UBM
Asmaa Sallam
- 10:10 Decoding glaucoma with ultrasound biomicroscopy
Rasha Abbas
- 10:20 Pediatric UBM: Little eyes, big discoveries
Amany Aly Lotfy
- 10:30 UBM in anterior segment trauma: Revealing the hidden damage
Rasha Abbas
- 10:40 What's behind the fog?
Asmaa Sallam
- 10:50 Anterior segment lesions: Shrouding the mystery
Amany Aly Lotfy
- 11:00 Discussion

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PODIUM **A**

Main Hall



Course 11:15 - 12:30



Optimizing Biometric Accuracy in Post-Refractive Corneas

Moderator: Sherine Shafik Wahba

- 11:15 Decoding Post –refractive biometry challenges: Understanding the pitfalls
Elizabeth Momtaz
- 11:25 Biometry in the refractive era: Cutting–edge formulas for enhanced accuracy
Sherine Shafik Wahba
- 11:40 Navigating post-refractive IOL planning: How pentacam leads the way
Niveen Fathy
- 11:50 Forever glasses OFF, Biometry after myopic LASIK
Sally Saad
- 11:55 Beyond the curve: Biometry after hyperopic lasik and radial keratotomy
Lydia Maher
- 12:00 Ectasia, Challenge accepted
Fady Emad
- 12:05 Managing biometric surprises for precise IOL power in post –refractive surgery
Sherine Shafik Wahba
- 12:10 Challenges and approaches in modern biometry (Phakic IOL, Athens protocol and ICRS)
Asmaa Sallam
- 12:25 Discussion

WEDNESDAY

PODIUM **B**

Main Hall



Course



11:15 - 12:15 Electrophysiology

Moderator: Randa Hesham

- 11:15 Introduction to the electrophysiology of vision
Randa Hesham
- 11:20 Clinical significance of flash electroretinography (ERG) in challenging cases
Randa Hesham
- 11:35 Role of macular electroretinography in the evaluation of complex cases
Marwa Abdel Shafey
- 11:50 Diagnostic value of visual evoked potentials (VEP) in complex clinical scenarios
Marwa Abdel Shafey
- 12:05 Clinical applications of electro-oculography (EOG) in ophthalmic practice
Randa Hesham

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12:15 - 12:30 Rameda Symposium

Chairperson: Abdallah Hassouna

- 12:15 Understanding Dry Eye - Vismed Symposium
Ahmed Assaf



PODIUM A

Main Hall



12:30 - 13:00
Coffee Break

Course



13:00 - 14:00

Familial Exudative Vitreoretinopathy

Moderator: Mariam Al Feky

- 13:00 FEVR: Disease spectrum and management
Mariam Al Feky
- 13:15 Genetics of FEVR: Current knowledge and challenges
Caroline Tawfik
- 13:30 Anesthetic consideration for pediatric outpatient
ophthalmic investigations
Raouf Ramzy
- 13:40 Imaging
Mariam Al Feky
- 13:50 Discussion

Symp.



14:00 - 14:15

ZEISS Symposium



PODIUM B

Main Hall



12:30 - 13:00
Coffee Break

Course



13:00 - 14:15

Corneal Investigations

Moderator: Maged Maher

- 13:00 Pentacam basics in corneal and anterior segment evaluation
Reham Mohamed Fathy
- 13:10 Pentacam clinical interpretation
Dalia Ahmed Hashish
- 13:20 Clinical applications of anterior segment OCT
Amira Maurice
- 13:35 The use of specular microscopy to diagnose corneal diseases
Nermine Ragab Allam
- 13:45 Aberrometry
Maged Maher
- 13:55 Clinical interpretation of corneal biomechanics
Tarek El-Naggar
- 14:05 Discussion

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Course



14:15 - 15:30
Capsulorhexis

Instructors: Ahmed Osama Hashem, Aldemirdash Omar, Fathy Fawzy

- 14:15**
- Basics, Creating flap, CCC Running, Closure, Controlling size and centration
 - How to save an extending Rhexis
 - Paediatric CCC
 - In White Cataract
 - In Small Pupil
 - Can I continue Phaco with Cut Rhexis
 - Fibrotic Capsule
 - Posterior CCC.
 - Q&A

WEDNESDAY

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PODIUM **B**

Main Hall



Course



14:15 - 15:30
Medical Cornea

Moderator: Michael Sami

- 14:15** Microbial keratitis: Setting the compass for targeted therapy
Sameh El Agha
- 14:25** World of compounded drops
Faris Ishak
- 14:33** Ocular surface involvement in Steven's Johnson disease
Sihem Lazreg
- 14:43** It is not "medical" anymore!
Michael Sami
- 14:50** Hitting the target
Ayat Abdulfattah, Omnia Talaat
- 15:20** Discussion

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15:30 - 16:00
AbbVie Lunch Symposium

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Moderator: Sherif Embabi

15:30 Optimizing outcomes in DME & RVO
Rania Estawro

Symp.



16:00 - 16:30
Jamjoom Lunch Symposium



16:00 The optical cost of dry eye: High-order aberrations and visual quality
Hams Samy

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PODIUM B

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15:30 - 15:45
EVA Pharma Lunch Symposium



15:30 Effect of OSD on the Cornea
Tamer El Raggal

Symp.



15:45 - 16:30
Bausch + Lomb Lunch Symposium
Refractive Symposium: Vision and Beyond



Panelists: Abdallah Hassouna, Fathy Fawzy, Nabil Ragaei Kamel

15:45 Khaled Abdelrahman

16:00 Ramy Riad

16:15 Wael Alshaer

PODIUM **A**

Main Hall



Course



16:30 - 18:00

Ophthalmic Viscosurgical Devices

Instructor: Steve Aaron Arshinoff

Created by the world-renowned ophthalmologist Dr. Steve Arshinoff, this OVD course focuses deep into the science and art of ophthalmic viscosurgical devices. Drawing on his pioneering research and vast clinical experience, Dr. Arshinoff teaches the principles of cohesive-dispersive viscoelastic surgery.

Participants gain invaluable strategic insights into selecting and utilizing OVDs to protect the corneal endothelium, maintain space, and enhance safety and outcomes in cataract surgery.

This masterclass is essential for any surgeon seeking to leverage the full potential of these critical tools.

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PODIUM **B**

Main Hall



Course



16:30 - 18:00

Retinal Multimodal Imaging

Part 1:

Moderators: Rania Estawro, Yousef Ahmed Fouad

- 16:30 The retina's fingerprints: Biomarkers of diabetic macular edema
Mira Gabra
- 16:40 Visualizing the spectrum of ischemic maculopathy
Rania Estawro
- 16:50 Seeing beyond the surface: Multimodal imaging in MacTel Type 2
Shaimaa Ibrahim
- 17:00 Multimodal imaging of inherited retinal dystrophy
Nagwa Soliman
- 17:10 Discussion

Part 2:

Moderators: Dina Baddar, Terese Kamal

- 17:15 Utilizing multimodal imaging in the uveitis clinic
Terese Kamal
- 17:25 Multimodal imaging and pachychoroid spectrum
Rabab Emara
- 17:35 Can you now see that, PCV?
Dina Baddar
- 17:45 Multimodal maths for navigating a fundus mass
Yousef Ahmed Fouad
- 17:55 Discussion

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At a Glance

Thursday
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PODIUM A
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PODIUM B
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08:30

Registration

09:00

Course 11: Keratoconus
Management Guideline Updates

Course 12: Vitrectomy for
Anterior Segment Surgeons

10:00

Session 1: The Perfect Save
(Cataract Session)

Session 2: Oculoplasty

11:00

Session 3: Alexandria
Ophthalmology Summit (AOS)
Cornea to Retina: A Unified
Scientific Session

Session 4:
WEH Rising Stars
Sponsored by: Jamjoom

12:00

Coffee Break

How to Help Color Blind (At the WEH Booth) - Dalia Ahmed Hashish

12:20

WOS 2025 Opening - Fathy Fawzy

12:30

Session 5: Devices in
Cataract Surgery

Session 6: Glaucoma: The
Complex and the Complicated
Sponsored by: Pharco

13:30

Session 7: Advanced
Cataract Techniques

Session 8: Beyond the Basics:
Myopia Control & Strabismus
Surgery Dilemmas

14:30

Keynote Lecture: Soft Shell Techniques and Managing
IFIS with OVDs - **Steve Aaron Arshinoff**

15:00

Bayer Lunch Symposium

Alcon Lunch Symposium

16:00

Session 9: Dry Eye and Ocular
Surface Society Controversies
in OSD treatments
Sponsored by: Orchidia

Session 10: Corneal
Perforations and Melt:
When you go to the Edge

17:00

Session 11: Medico-Legal New Laws - قانون المسؤولية الطبية الجديد



Course



09:00 - 10:00

Keratoconus Management Guideline Updates

Moderator: Ashraf Armia

- 09:00 Introduction
Ashraf Armia
- 09:03 Factors influencing keratoconus progress
Mohamed Lakkany
- 09:10 What's new in corneal indices for keratoconus diagnosis and progression
Sherine Shafik Wahba
- 09:17 ICRS: Gains and losses
Tarek El-Naggar
- 09:24 Crosslinking protocols for thin corneas: How can we treat them?
Sherif Baddar
- 09:31 Phakic IOLs in keratoconus: When they are a resource and when they are a death trap?
Ashraf Armia
- 09:38 DALK for Keratoconus: When we do it?
Nader Fathy Fawzy
- 09:45 Discussion



Course



09:00 - 10:00

**Vitrectomy for Anterior Segment Surgeons
"A Plan for Navigating the Unspeakable"**

Moderator: Mohamed Moghazy

- 09:00 Vitrectomy: The invisible hand of the anterior segment surgeon
Ramy Riad
- 09:20 Vitrectomy: Limbal approach
Ahmed El-Sawy
- 09:40 Vitrectomy: Pars plana approach
Ahmed Assaf

PODIUM **A**

Main Hall



Session



10:00 - 11:00

The Perfect Save (Cataract Session)

Moderator: **Fathy Fawzy**

- 10:00** The secret of a miotic eye: Unraveling a decade-old trauma
George Adel
- 10:10** Floating trampoline bag
Ashraf Armia
- 10:20** Late capsular block and saving the posterior capsule
Yehia Salah
- 10:30** When time shifts the lens: Navigating toric IOL adjustment four years down the road
Ahmed Shama
- 10:40** Toric IOL- and trifocal sulcoflex implantation in a case with posterior capsular rupture
Michael Amon
- 10:50** Tiny needle saves a big fall
Fathy Fawzy

PODIUM **B**

Main Hall



Session



10:00 - 11:00

Oculoplasty

Moderator: **Ramez Shoukry**

- 10:00** A novel technique for difficult ptosis cases
Hayam Adel
- 10:20** Blepharoplasty: The eye of an artist and the mind of a scientist
Aliaa Farag
- 10:40** Management of punctal stenosis
Ramez Shoukry

PODIUM **A**

Main Hall



Session 11:00 - 12:00



Alexandria Ophthalmology Summit (AOS) Cornea to Retina: A Unified Scientific Session



Moderator: Mohamed El Kateb

- 11:00 My photo gallery
Ahmed Shama
- 11:09 Dysphotopsia 2025
Alaa El Zawawi
- 11:18 Robotic surgery for glaucoma
Ahmed Hossam
- 11:26 Management of a corneal opacity in an aniridic one-eyed patient
Alaa Ghaith
- 11:34 The unintended consequences: Progressive corneal flattening post cross linking
Mohamed Bahgat
- 11:42 Wavelight plus : The future of customized visual correction
Mohamed El Kateb
- 11:51 Experience using new Anti-VEGF drugs
Ahmed Souka



12:00 - 12:20

Coffee Break

How to Help Color Blind at the WEH Booth
Dalia Ahmed Hashish

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Session 11:00 - 12:00



WEH Rising Stars: A Video Competition
Sponsored by: Jamjoom



Moderator: Bassem Fayez, Elizabeth Momtaz

Judges: Ahmed Osman, Amr Saleh, Yehia Salah

- 11:00 No pupil, no Zonules, no problem: Yamane technique for complex post-vitrectomy cataracts
George Adel
- 11:10 The cutting edge of MIGS (KDB in action)
Omar Magdy
- 11:20 End stage corneal blindness but still hopeful
Faris Ishak
- 11:30 Is it extended? We can continue
Fady Yehia
- 11:40 Double rescue: Yamane fixation and penetrating keratoplasty
Mina Ramzy
- 11:50 Scoring and award



12:00 - 12:20

Coffee Break

How to Help Color Blind (At the WEH Booth)
Dalia Ahmed Hashish

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Opening



12:20 - 12:30 **Both Podiums**
WOS 2025 Opening: Fathy Fawzy

Session



12:30 - 13:30
Devices in Cataract Surgery

Moderator: Abdallah Hassouna

- 12:30 Rings and hooks
Abdallah Hassouna
- 12:40 Managing zonular weakness: Role of capsule tension rings and segments
Bassem Fayez
- 12:50 MiLoop for dense cataract
Ahmed Assaf
- 13:00 Troubles with malyugin ring
Hatem Ammar
- 13:10 TFix-O-Flex a new device for prevention of posterior capsule opacity (Three years follow up)
Ahmed El Massry
- 13:20 Cure of postsurgical aniridia and aphakia utilising the Amon Forceps-Needle
Michael Amon

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PODIUM **B**

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Session



12:30 - 13:30
Glaucoma: The Complex and the Complicated Sponsored by: Pharco



Moderator: Yasmine El Sayed

- 12:30 Coexisting glaucoma and uveitis
Ahmed Hossam
- 12:40 The single single-eyed multi operated glaucoma patient with high IOP on max meds and tubular field
Tarek Shaarawy
- 12:50 The wandering tube: Surgical management of a malpositioned GDD tube
Yomna Magdy
- 13:00 Anterior segment dysgenesis
Yasmine El Sayed
- 13:10 IOP down.. Heart rate up
Omar Magdy
- 13:20 Glaucoma following cataract surgery
Ahmad Khalil

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Session



13:30 - 14:30
Advanced Cataract Techniques

Moderator: Ahmed Assaf

- 13:30** Managing aniridia with artificial iris and toric IOL implantation
Altan Ozcan
- 13:40** Trifocal toric implantation on top of posterior capsule rupture
Ali Sipahier
- 13:50** The "Saloon Door" technique: "Open Sky" IOL-exchange utilising the Forceps-Needle for scleral fixation behind an artificial Iris
Michael Amon
- 14:00** Mastering pediatric posterior capsulorhexis
Nihal Shakankiri
- 14:10** IOL hydroimplantation.. Tips & Tricks
Bassem Fayez
- 14:20** Carlevalle IOL: Five-year experience with sutureless scleral fixation
Hisham El Baz



Session **13:30 - 14:30**



Beyond the Basics: Myopia Control and Strabismus Surgery Dilemmas

Moderator: Heba Fouad

Part 1: Myopia control

- 13:30** A comprehensive overview of pediatric myopia
Fady Emad
- 13:35** Fighting myopia our way: low dose atropine
Ghada Gawdat
- 13:42** Ortho-K
Dina Hossam
- 13:48** Peripheral defocus lenses
Mira Adel Gabra
- 13:54** A complication of low-dose atropine to slow the progression of myopia
David Guyton

Part 2: Retrieving a lost muscle

- 14:00** Finding a lost muscle
Ibrahim El Adawy
- 14:07** The muscle is lost: A call for help
Lobna Khazbak
- 14:14** Different scenarios for a lost Inferior rectus muscle
Heba Fouad
- 14:21** Discussion

PODIUM A

Main Hall



Keynote



14:30 - 15:00 **Both Podiums**
Keynote Lecture

Introduced by: Fathy Fawzy

14:30 Soft shell techniques and managing IFIS with OVDs
Steve Aaron Arshinoff

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15:00 - 16:00
Bayer Lunch Symposium
Eylea 8mg from Theory to Practice



Moderator: Mohamed Moghazy

Panelists: Maged Mikhael Gergess, Sherif Embabi

Speakers: Fahd Quhill, Mostafa El Manhaly

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PODIUM B

Main Hall



Symp.



15:00 - 16:00
Alcon Lunch Symposium



Moderator: Abdallah Hassouna

Ophthalmology in 3D

Anterior segment cases

15:10 Fathy Fawzy

15:15 Abdallah Hassouna

15:20 Ahmed Assaf

15:25 Bassem Fayeze

Posterior segment cases

15:30 Hassan Mortada

15:45 Ahmed Habib

PODIUM A

Main Hall



Session 16:00 - 17:00



**Dry Eye and Ocular Surface Society
Controversies in OSD Treatments**
Sponsored by: Orchidia



Moderator: Sihem Lazreg

16:00 MGD treatment:

IPL
Sihem Lazreg

Lipiflow
Ahmed Assaf

16:15 PEE management:

Autologous Serum
Faris Ishak

Insulin Drops
Hams Samy

16:30 Recurrent corneal erosion:

Superficial keratectomy
Alaa Ghaith

PTK
Ahmed El Massry

16:45 Demodex treatment:

Ivermectin
Mohamed Shafik

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Nancy Hazem Zakaria

Session



17:00 - 18:00 Both Podiums
Medico-Legal New Laws - قانون المسؤولية الطبية الجديد

Moderators & Panelists: Ahmed Ghoneim, Ashraf Fayez

Panelists: Maher Fawzy, Osama Abd Elhay

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PODIUM B

Main Hall



Session 16:00 - 17:00



**Corneal Perforations and Melt:
When you go to the Edge!**

Moderators & Panelists: Sherief Hosny

Panelists: Ahmed El Massry, Alaa Ghaith, Michael Sami,
Mohamed Bahgat, Mohamed Kabeel, Nader Fathy Fawzy

16:00 Immune-related corneal perforation management
Alaa Ghaith

16:10 Corneal perforation post Rheumatoid arthritis attack,
neglecting the biological therapy for two months!!
Ahmed El Massry

16:20 Idiopathic large scleral perforation in a young female
Mohamed Bahgat

16:30 Patch graft, Available and willing to help
Michael Sami

16:40 PRK Catastrophe
Sherief Hosny

16:50 Needle perforation at beginning of DALK
Mohamed Kabeel

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At a Glance

Friday

10 OCTOBER 2025



PODIUM A
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08:30

Registration

09:00

Course 13: In Office Procedures
(With Focus on Amniotic Membranes)

Course 14: Macular
Edema in Focus

10:00

Session 12: Challenges in
Presbyopia Correction

Session 13: Uveitis Panel

11:00

Session 14: Silent Threats After
Cataract Surgery: Late IOL
Complications Uncovered

Session 15: Mystery Retina

12:00

Dr. Riad Fikry Memorial Lecture:
Remodeling Irregular Cornea Using Excimer Laser Technology:
A 25 years Endeavor - **Mohamed Shafik**

12:30

Coffee Break and Friday Prayer

13:30

Session 16:
ARVO-Egypt Symposium:
Best of WEH Research

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Presence of Macular Pathology

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Numbers in Refractive Surgery

Session 19: Through the Lens:
Decoding Diabetic Retina

15:00

15:30

J&J Lunch Symposium

Orchidia Symposium

Roche Lunch Symposium

16:30

Keynote Lecture: Intracameral Antibiotic Prophylaxis for Cataract
Surgery and Antibiotic Toxicity Concerns - **Steve Aaron Arshinoff**

17:00

Session 20: Best of WEH Grand Rounds Sponsored by: Orchidia

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Course 09:00 - 10:00
**In Office Procedures
(With Focus on Amniotic Membranes)**



Moderator: Ahmed Assaf

- 09:00 Scarping for Central Salzmann Nodules
Faris Ishak
- 09:10 Anterior stromal puncture
Hams Samy
- 09:20 Punctal plugs
Michael Sami
- 09:30 Removal of filaments in filamentary keratitis
Faris Ishak
- 09:40 Amniotic membrane in resistant corneal ulcers
Michael Sami, Hams Samy
- 09:50 Hands-on amniotic membrane demonstration
Ahmed Assaf

PODIUM **B**

Main Hall



Course 09:00 - 10:00
Macular Edema in Focus



Moderator: Rania Estawro

- 09:00 The diverse pathogenesis of macular edema
Rania Estawro
- 09:12 Macular edema associated with inherited retinal diseases
Caroline Tawfik
- 09:24 Inflammatory macular edema
Dina Baddar
- 09:36 Diabetic macular edema
Fahd Quhill
- 09:48 When to operate, When to wait
Sherif Embabi

PODIUM A

Main Hall



Session



10:00 - 11:00

Challenges in Presbyopia Correction

Moderator: Ramy Riad

- 10:00 Choosing the wrong patient
Yehia Salah
- 10:12 Trifocal implants: Not always the right choice
Ahmed Shama
- 10:24 Unhappy trifocal patients
Ahmed El Massry
- 10:36 20/20 at distance, 20/Nowhere at near
Ramy Riad
- 10:48 Refractive surprise and instability after repeated IOL exchange
Bassem Fayeze

PODIUM B

Main Hall



Session



10:00 - 11:00

Uveitis Panel

Moderator: Dina Baddar

Panelists: Bassem Fayeze, Fahd Quhill, Nader Fathy Fawzy
Noha Ossama, Sherif Embabi, Terese Kamal

Presenting and analyzing interesting day-to-day clinical cases with key pointers on diagnosis and management, both medical and surgical

PODIUM A

Main Hall



Session 11:00 - 12:00



Silent Threats After Cataract Surgery: Late IOL Complications Uncovered

Moderator: Bassem Fayez

- 11:00 Drop dead bag
Abdallah Hassouna
- 11:10 Late onset IOL opacification.. A challenging complication
Alaa El Zawawi
- 11:20 Is there any IOL implanted
Ahmed Assaf
- 11:30 IOL explantation.. Different scenarios
Hatem Ammar
- 11:40 "Thought it will be penultimate"
Ashraf Armia
- 11:50 Capsular distension syndrome.. Management strategies
Bassem Fayez

Lecture



12:00 - 12:30 Both Podiums Dr. Riad Fikry Memorial Lecture

Introduced by: Abdallah Hassouna

- 12:00 Remodeling Irregular Cornea using excimer laser technology:
A 25 years endeavor
Mohamed Shafik



**12:30 - 13:30
Coffee Break & Friday Prayer**

FRIDAY

PODIUM B

Main Hall



Session



11:00 - 12:00 Mystery Retina

Moderator: Rania Estawro

- 11:00 From head to toe: Discovering a rare clue
Youstiena Raafat
- 11:10 An Enigma
Terese Kamal
- 11:20 An unusual cause of progressive visual loss
Fahd Quhill
- 11:30 Silent Invader
Nagwa Soliman
- 11:40 A silent star
Rania Estawro
- 11:50 Foveal cavitation
Magdy Moussa



**12:30 - 13:30
Coffee Break & Friday Prayer**

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Session



13:30 - 14:30

ARVO-Egypt Symposium: Best of WEH Research

Moderators: Abdallah Hassouna, Sherine Shafik Wahba

Judges: Ashraf Sewelam, Nagla Hassan, Tamer Mekawy

- 13:30** Morkos FF, Fawzy NF, El Bahrawy M, Talaat O, Elkittkat RS. Myring implantation with and without cross-linking: Comparative study of pre and postoperative visual outcomes and pentacam indices. Eur J Ophthalmol. 2025 May;35(3):910-916
Omnia Talaat
- 13:40** Assaf AH, Samy H, Fawky N, Kamel MA. Evaluation of Visual Outcomes, Postoperative Angle Alpha, and Angle Kappa After Implantation of Isofocal Intraocular Lenses. Clin Ophthalmol. 2024 Oct 11;18:2879-2890.
Noha Fawky
- 13:50** Ellessawy KB, Ibrahim MMM, Kassem RR, Fouad HM. Palpebral Fissure Changes After Bilateral Recession Versus Unilateral Recession-Plication of Horizontal Rectus Muscles for Correction of Intermittent Exotropia. J Pediatr Ophthalmol Strabismus. 2025 May-Jun;62(3):182-189.
Heba Fouad
- 14:00** Elhusseiny AM, Khaled OM, Chauhan MZ, Sayed MS, Shaarawy T. Initial Results of the Paul Ahmed Comparison (PAC) Study in Refractory Childhood Glaucoma. Am J Ophthalmol. 2025 Mar;271:71-78.
Omar Magdy
- 14:10** Fayed AE, Gabra MA, Fikry RR, Estawro R. Diabetic foveal neovascularization is associated with diminished subfoveal choroidal flow on optical coherence tomography angiography. Eye (Lond). 2025 May 6.
Rania Estawro
- 14:20** Elbagoury NM, Tawfik CA, Abdel-Aleem AF, Fathy HM, Baddar DN, Essawi ML. A novel founder variant in BEST1 gene causing autosomal recessive bestrophinopathy. Orphanet J Rare Dis. 2025 May 25;20(1):248.
Caroline Tawfik



Session



13:30 - 14:15

Phaco in Presence of Macular Pathology

Moderator: Maged Mikhael Gergess

Panelists: Mohamed Moghazy, Rami Hassouna, Sherif Embabi

- 13:30** Introduction and overview
Maged Mikhael Gergess
- 13:39** Macular factor in cataract surgery
Ahmed El-Sawy
- 13:48** Biometry in macula off RD
Mohsen Abou Shousha
- 13:57** Mastering challenging situation
Samir El Baha
- 14:06** iOCT in opaque media vitrectomy
Mostafa Nabih

PODIUM A

Main Hall



Session



14:30 - 15:30

Challenging Numbers in Refractive Surgery

Moderator: Tarek El-Naggar

Panelists: Ahmed Sedky, Mohamed El Kateb, Mohamed Lakkany, Nader Fathy Fawzy

PODIUM B

Main Hall



Session



14:15 - 15:00

Through the Lens: Decoding Diabetic Retina

Moderator: Rami Hassouna

Panelist: Mohamed Moghazy

14:15 The crystalline lens in diabetic retinopathy
Mostafa Nabih

14:24 Phaco-Vitrectomy in diabetic retinopathy: Lessons from clinical practice
Maged Mikhael Gergess

14:33 Lens sparing vitrectomy in advanced PDR in juvenile patients. Can we spare the lens?
Sherif Embabi

14:42 Balancing your decision : Cataract surgery and diabetic macular edema
Ahmed Souka

14:51 Cataract surgery in diabetic eyes. Navigating the dilemma in proliferative disease
Ahmed El-Sawy

Symp.



15:00 - 15:30

Orchidia Symposium



Moderators: Mohamed Shafik, Sihem Lazreg

15:00 Trifocal and ocular surface: Unexpected twist
Ahmed Assaf

15:07 Management of neuropathic PED
Alaa Ghaith

15:14 Slet for chemical burn in children
Ahmed El Massry

15:21 Losartan use in corneal opacities
Ihab Saad Othman

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Symp. 15:30 - 16:30



**J&J Lunch Symposium: Exploring the
Presbyopia Correction: Pioneering
Advance in Ophthalmic Innovation**

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- 15:30 The art of conversation: Turning options into confidence
Ramy Riad
- 16:00 Vision optimization with a purely refractive EDOF IOL
Altan Ozcan

Keynote



**16:30 - 17:00 Both Podiums
Keynote Lecture**

Introduced by: Ahmed Assaf

- 16:30 Intracameral antibiotic prophylaxis for cataract surgery and
antibiotic toxicity concerns
Steve Aaron Arshinoff

PODIUM **B**

Main Hall



Symp. 15:30 - 16:30



**Roche Lunch Symposium:
Vabysmo: From Clinical Trials to
Real-World Data**

Roche

Moderator: Mohamed Moghazy

Panelists: Abdallah Hassouna, Maged Mikhael Gergess,
Rania Estawro, Sherif Embabi

- 15:30 Introduction
- 15:35 DME
Rania Estawro, Rabab Emara
- 15:55 AMD
Maged Mikhael Gergess, Nardine Adel
- 16:10 RVO
Esraa Diab, Madonna Mimi
- 16:25 Final Remarks



Session **17:00 - 18:30**
Best of WEH Grand Rounds
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Moderators: **Fathy Fawzy, Samar Sherif, Terese Kamal**

Judges: **Alaa El Zawawi, Fahd Quhill, Michael Amon, Steve Aaron Arshinoff**

- 17:00** Cut off the roots!
Mary Atef
- 17:08** End stage corneal disease
Omnia Talaat
- 17:16** Not your everyday conjunctivitis
Catherine Amgad
- 17:24** Now you see it, Now you don't
Lilian Samy
- 17:32** Unlimited scenarios: Pediatric traumatic cataract
Mina Essam
- 17:40** The intruder
Youstiena Raafat
- 17:48** Beyond the first impression
Madonna Mimi
- 17:56** Think about things differently
Nervana Salah
- 18:04** Later might be better
Caroline Emil
- 18:12** Beyond the blast: The complexities of prom celebration
Hossam Maged
- 18:20** Scoring and Awards

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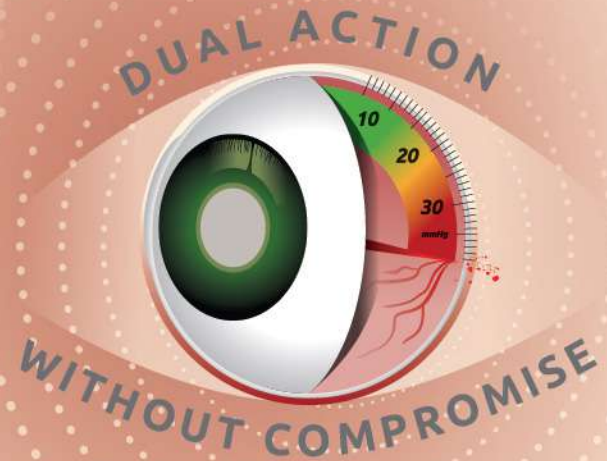
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