

SEC 2025 Physicians Agenda JULY 31 - AUGUST 3



THURSDAY, JULY 31

3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
REGISTRATION

5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
WELCOME RECEPTION

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1

6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.
BREAKFAST WITH EXHIBITORS

7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
Avoiding Disasters in Oculofacial Surgery
Jeremiah Tao, MD, FACS, Professor, VCI Gavin
Herbert Eye Institute - Irving, CA

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.
Strabismus: Tips, Tricks, Trials and Tribulations
Laura Enyedi, MD, Professor, Duke University -
Durham, NC

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Evidence-Based versus Eminence-Based
Ophthalmology
David Wallace, MD, MPH, Professor and Chair,
Vanderbilt Eye Institute - Nashville, TN

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Infectious Keratitis: A Clearer View
Walter Parker, MD, Physician, Alabama
Ophthalmology Associates - Birmingham, AL

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
BREAK

10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Comfortably Numb: Evaluation and Treatment of
Neurotrophic Keratitis
Kristin C. Bains, MD, Physician, Alabama
Ophthalmology Associates - Birmingham, AL

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Pediatric Ophthalmology - Where It's At
Hawke Yoon, MD, Associate Professor, Lurie
Children's Hospital - Chicago, IL

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Peds Panel

Moderator: Rob Tauscher, MD - UAB Heersink
College of Medicine; **David Wallace, MD, MPH** -
Vanderbilt Eye Institute; **Hawke Yoon, MD** -
Lurie Children's Hospital; **Laura Enyedi, MD** -
Duke University

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

LUNCH - Amgen Product Showcase (No CME)

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Lessons Learned from Glaucoma Claims: Closing
the Loop, Medical Record Amendments and Co-
management Guidance

Hans K. Bruhn, MHS, Risk Manager,
Ophthalmic Mutual Insurance Company -
Martinez, CA

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

ALAEPS MEMBERSHIP MEETING

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2

6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.

BREAKFAST - Alcon Product Showcase (No CME)

7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.

NOT Straightforward

Claudia Maria Prospero Ponce, MD, Assistant
Professor, TTUHSC - El Paso, TX

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Management of Complications During
Cataract Surgery

Robert Osher, MD, Ophthalmologist, Cincinnati
Eye Institute - Cincinnati, OH

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

BREAK

10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

A Day in the Life of an Oculoplastic Surgeon

Vikram Durairaj, MD, Managing Partner, TOC
Eye and Face - Austin, TX

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Toxic Anterior Segment Syndrome

Nicky Hackett, MD, Cataract and Refractive
Surgeon, Loden Vision Center - Goodlettsville, TN

11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Plastics Panel

Moderator: Matthew Bolton, MD - New Orleans Eye Specialists; **Vikram Durairaj, MD** - TOC Eye and Face; **Jeremiah Tao, MD, FACS** - VCI Gavin Herbert Eye Institute

11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

Neuro Panel

Moderator: Rob Tauscher, MD - UAB Heersink College of Medicine; **Andrew Lee, MD** - Houston Methodist; **Claudia Maria Prospero Ponce, MD** - TTUHSC

12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

LUNCH - Mallinckrodt Product Showcase (No CME)

1:15 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.

Neuroophthalmology

Andrew Lee, MD, Professor and Chair, Houston Methodist - Houston, TX

1:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Cataract Panel

Moderator: Matthew Bolton, MD - New Orleans Eye Specialists; **Kristin C. Bains, MD** - Alabama Ophthalmology Associates; **Nicky Hackett, MD** - Loden Vision Center; **Walter Parker, MD** - Alabama Ophthalmology Associates

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3

6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.

BREAKFAST WITH EXHIBITORS

7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

Eye on Equity: A Comprehensive Approach to DR/DME Care in Underrepresented Populations
Stephen Odaibo, MD, Founder and CEO, RETINA-AI Health - Houston, TX

8:30 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

BREAK

8:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Successes and Failures in Ophthalmic Documentation and Coding
Heather Dunn, COA, OCS, OCSR, Manager, Coding and Reimbursement, American Academy of Ophthalmology - San Francisco, CA

10:45 a.m.

EVALUATION & ADJOURN