

International Ophthalmology and Ocular Oncology Conference

24-26 April 2025

Timisoara, Romania

Timisoara Convention Center

Program



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About Timișoara

Situated towards the Romanian western border, in the heart of the Banat region, Timișoara is the country's third biggest city and one of the most multicultural places in Romania. There you can meet people of German, Hungarian, Serbian, Ukrainian or Slovakian origin.

Victory Square

The Victory Square was created in 1906 when Timisoara medieval fortifications were demolished to create an esplanade that stretches from Opera Piazzetta to the Romanian Orthodox Mitropolitan Cathedral.



Union Square

The Union Square in Timișoara, once an 18th-century commercial hub, is lined with historic baroque and Art Nouveau buildings. Highlights include the Roman-Catholic Cathedral, Serbian Orthodox Cathedral, and Nicolas Lenau College. The Baroque Palace now hosts the Fine Arts Museum.

Freedom Square

Another remarkable, large, square in Timisoara is the Liberty Square, house of some of the oldest buildings in Timișoara: the Garrison Command, the former Chancellery of War, the Old City Hall and the Military Casino.



Welcome Message

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, it is a great pleasure to welcome you to the **International Ophthalmology and Ocular Oncology Conference**, taking place between **24–26 April 2025**, at Timișoara Convention Center, in the heart of Timișoara, Romania.

This year's edition is a truly special one, as it marks a joint meeting of three important events within the ophthalmology community:

- **The Ophthalmology Foundation Education Consortium (OFEC)**
- **The First National Ocular Oncology Conference**
- **The 11th Annual Meeting of the Banat Ophthalmologists Association (AOB)**

By uniting these distinct yet complementary gatherings under one roof, we celebrate the strength of our interdisciplinary collaboration and the vibrant spirit of a medical community that is constantly evolving, learning, and growing together.

Over the course of three days, you will have the opportunity to engage with outstanding national and international speakers, attend high-level scientific sessions, and explore the latest developments showcased in our medical exhibition. Whether you are here to deepen your clinical knowledge, discover innovations in ocular imaging and oncology, or simply reconnect with colleagues, we hope you find this experience both intellectually rewarding and personally enriching.

Thank you for being part of this dynamic and diverse community!



We warmly welcome you to Timișoara — a city of culture, history, and innovation — and we look forward to building the future of ophthalmology together.

Sincerely,

Prof. Univ. Dr. Mihnea Munteanu

Conference President

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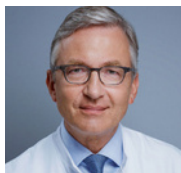


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- Call for posters



Scientific Program: June 13-14

- SESSION 1:** Oculomics, *S. Sadda* | *G. Staurenghi*
SESSION 2: High-Res OCT, *B. Chauhan* | *L. Schmetterer*
SESSION 3: New Technology, *F. G. Holz* | *A. Tufail*
SESSION 4: AMD | GA, *K. Csaky* | *R. P. Finger*
SESSION 5: Artificial Intelligence, *R. Gallego-Pinazo* | *S. Yu*
SESSION 6: Retina, *A. Loewenstein* | *U. Schmidt-Erfurth*
SESSION 7: Distributed Care, *F. G. Holz* | *J. Talks*

For full program details:



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Thursday, June 12 | 16:00 – 18:00

Saturday, June 14 | 16:00 – 18:00

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- Thursday, 24 April, 08:00 – 20:00
- Friday, 25 April, 08:00 – 19:00
- Saturday, 26 April, 08:00 – 19:30



Official Languages: The official languages of the conference are English and Romanian.



Access: Access to the Conference venue will be allowed only with the badge received from the Registration Desk. Educational sessions, meals, and access to the exhibition area are reserved exclusively for registered participants. Badges are personal and cannot be exchanged between participants.



Certificate of Attendance: Certificates will be issued exclusively in electronic format, after completing a feedback questionnaire, sent by email, after Tuesday, April 29th.

The International Ophthalmology and Ocular Oncology Conference is accredited with **18 CME credits** by the **Romanian College of Physicians** and with **15 CME credits** by the **Romanian Order of General Nurses, Midwives and Nurses**.



Abstract Book: All accepted abstracts are published online on the conference website.



Catering: Coffee breaks and lunch will be served according to the schedule, in Discovery Hall.



Dinner Transfer (25 April)

Location: Venue Events (Divizia 9 Cavalerie 64, Timișoara)

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Return: Venue Events - Timișoara Hotel: 23:00 & 23:45

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24 April

DAY 1





Thursday, 24 April

 **Experience 2+3 Hall**

Ophthalmology Foundation Education Consortium

Scientific Coordinators: Prof. Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*), Prof. Karl Golnik (*USA*)

09:00 – 09:15

OPENING CEREMONY

Bogdan Timar (*Timișoara*), Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*),
Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*), Karl Golnik (*USA*)

09:15 – 10:00

CORNEA

Chair: Angeli Yu (*Italy*), Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*),
Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*)

09:15 – 10:00

Selective keratoplasty

Angeli Yu (*Italy*), Massimo Busin (*Italy*)

10:00 – 11:25

OPHTHALMOLOGY FOUNDATION EDUCATION CONSORTIUM (I)

Chair: Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*), Karl Golnik (*USA*),
Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*)

10:00 – 10:15

Welcome & Introduction

Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*), Karl Golnik (*USA*),
Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*)

10:15 – 10:35

The Good Doctor

Eduardo Mayorga (*Argentina*)

10:35 – 10:55

What makes an excellent teacher?

Karl Golnik (*USA*)

10:55 – 11:25

Surgical Teaching

Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*)



11:25 – 11:45

Coffee Break



11:45 – 12:45 OPHTHALMOLOGY FOUNDATION EDUCATION CONSORTIUM (II)

Chair: Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*), Karl Golnik (*USA*),
Eduardo Mayorga (*Argentina*), Gaby Palis (*Argentina*)

11:45 – 12:15 Teaching with Simulation/AI
Eduardo Mayorga (*Argentina*)

12:15 – 12:45 Teaching in the clinic
Gaby Palis (*Argentina*)



12:45 – 13:45 Lunch Break

13:45 – 15:20 OPHTHALMOLOGY FOUNDATION EDUCATION CONSORTIUM (III)

Chair: Gaby Palis (*Argentina*), Eduardo Mayorga (*Argentina*),
Karl Golnik (*USA*), Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*)

13:45 – 15:00 Lecture Skills
Gaby Palis (*Argentina*), Eduardo Mayorga (*Argentina*),
Karl Golnik (*USA*)

15:00 – 15:20 Resident Assessment: The Essential Tools
Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*)



15:20 – 15:40 Coffee Break

15:40 – 16:30 OPHTHALMOLOGY FOUNDATION EDUCATION CONSORTIUM (IV)

Chair: Gaby Palis (*Argentina*), Eduardo Mayorga (*Argentina*),
Karl Golnik (*USA*), Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*)

15:40 – 16:00 Faculty & Program Assessment
Karl Golnik (*USA*)

16:00 – 16:20 Feedback Essentials
Gaby Palis (*Argentina*)



16:20 – 16:30

Wrap-up

Karl Golnik (USA)



16:30 – 16:40

Coffee Break

16:45 – 17:00

COMPANY SYMPOSIUM – Medison Pharma

Uveal melanoma: Therapeutic perspectives

Șerban Negru (Timișoara)

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17:00 – 19:35

KEY NOTE LECTURE

Chair: Horia Stanca (Bucharest), Karl Golnik (USA), Francesco Boscia (Italy), Ion Tiberiu Bratu (Timișoara), Zorin Crăiniceanu (Timișoara), Mihnea Munteanu (Timișoara)

17:00 – 17:45

Becoming proficient in neuroophthalmology

Karl Golnik (USA)

Changes in the Management of Optic Neuritis

Deadly Ptosis

Glaucoma or Neurologic: How to decide

17:45 – 18:15

The amniotic membrane for complex vitreoretinal diseases

Francesco Boscia (Italy)

18:15 – 18:35

Our approach to upper and lower blepharoplasty

Ion Tiberiu Bratu (Timișoara)

18:35 – 18:55

Regional flaps for lower eyelid reconstruction in malignant tumor excision

Zorin Crăiniceanu (Timișoara)

18:55 – 19:15

The tearing in children

Hachmi Mahjoub (Tunis)

19:15 – 19:35

SYMPOSIUM - Bayer

New solutions to achieve Sustained Disease Control in nAMD

Horia Stanca (Bucharest)



19:35

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25 April

DAY 2





Friday, 25 April

Experience 2+3 Hall

Ophthalmology

Scientific Coordinator: Prof. Nikolaos Bechrakis (*Germany*)

08:30 – 08:40

Opening Ceremony Oncology

Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*), Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*), Cristian Oancea (*Timișoara*), Șerban Negru (*Timișoara*), Nikolaos Bechrakis (*Germany*), Flavia Zara (*Timișoara*)

08:40 – 10:45

OCULAR ONCOLOGY (I)

Chair: Nikolaos Bechrakis (*Germany*), Alexandre Matet (*France*), Ann Schalenbourg (*Switzerland*)

08:40 – 09:25

Evolution of Multimodal Diagnosis and Treatment of Uveal Melanoma in the 21st century

Nikolaos Bechrakis (*Germany*)

09:25 – 10:05

Retinoblastoma: diagnosis, differential entities and management

Alexandre Matet (*France*)

10:05 – 10:45

Management of uveal melanoma

Ann Schalenbourg (*Switzerland*)



10:45 – 11:05

Coffee Break

11:05 – 13:40

OCULAR ONCOLOGY (I)

Chair: Nikolaos Bechrakis (*Germany*), Ann Schalenbourg (*Switzerland*), Vicktoria Vishnevskia-Dai (*Israel*), Mariann Fodor (*Hungary*), Biljana Kuzmanovic Elabjer (*Croatia*), Amel Chebbi (*Tunis*)

11:05 – 11:25

How to use OCT in the differential diagnosis of posterior fundus tumors

Ann Schalenbourg (*Switzerland*)

11:25 – 11:50

Conjunctival melanoma and pigmented lesions overview

Vicktoria Vishnevskia-Dai (*Israel*)



- 11:50 – 12:20** **Uveal metastasis overview**
Vicktoria Vishnevskia-Dai (*Israel*)
- 12:20 – 12:40** **Endoresection of Large Uveal Melanomas in Hungary: Results of an International Collaboration Established in 2023**
Mariann Fodor (*Hungary*)
- 12:40 – 13:00** **Resection surgery – ultimate choice for various intraocular tumors**
Borna Saric (*Croatia*)
- 13:00 – 13:20** **Ocular surface squamous neoplasia (OSSN): diagnostic and therapeutic approach**
Amel Chebbi (*Tunis*)
- 13:20 – 13:40** **The Role of Ultrasound in Ocular Oncology**
Biljana Kuzmanovic Elabjer (*Croatia*)



13:40 – 14:30 **Lunch Break**

- 14:30 – 16:40** **OCULAR ONCOLOGY (III)**
Chair: Camelia Bogdănici (*Iași*), Mariann Fodor (*Hungary*),
Bence Kolozsvári (*Hungary*), Éva Surányi (*Hungary*),
Stela Giuri (*Timișoara*)
- 14:30 – 15:00** **Ruthenium-106 brachytherapy for uveal melanoma**
Éva Surányi (*Hungary*)
- 15:00 – 15:30** **Ru-brachytherapy of intraocular tumors and the importance of intraoperative frozen sections in cases of large eyelid malignant tumors**
Bence Kolozsvári (*Hungary*)
- 15:30 – 15:50** **Challenges in the diagnosis and treatment of Retinoblastoma**
Camelia Bogdănici (*Iași*), Irina Andreea Pavel, Vlad Constantin Donica
- 15:50 – 16:00** **Radiation retinopathy - long-term evolution. Case presentations.**
Stela Giuri (*Timișoara*), Mihnea Munteanu



- 16:00 – 16:10** **‘Old’ choroidal melanoma – surgical solution and outcome – Hopefully not to late**
Sever Septimiu Ster (*Timișoara*)
- 16:10 – 16:20** **Diagnosis of Basal Cell Carcinoma recurrence of the orbital area using Optical Coherence Tomography followed by Mohs micrographic surgery - case series**
Cristina Cotruță (*Bucharest*), Sînziana Istrate, Emil Ungureanu, Ovidiu Borugă
- 16:20 – 16:40** **SYMPOSIUM – Roche**
Impact of Dual Power with VABYSMO
Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*)



16:40 – 17:00 **Coffee Break**

17:00 – 18:30 **OCULAR ONCOLOGY (IV)**
Chair: Nikolaos Bechrakis (*Germany*), Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*), Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*), Alina Popa-Cherecheanu (*Bucharest*)

- 17:00 – 17:08** **Demographic and environmental risk factors in uveal melanoma: insights from a cohort study in Romania**
Lavinia-Maria Olteanu (*Bucharest*), Alina Popa-Cherecheanu, Florentina Ligia Furtunescu, Gabriela Murgoi
- 17:08 – 17:16** **Differential Diagnosis of the Posterior Uveal Melanoma**
Mădălina Timofte Zorilă (*Iași*), D.C. Brănișteanu
- 17:16 – 17:24** **Ophthalmic Manifestations of Acute and Chronic Leukemias**
Elena Suvac (*Bucharest*)
- 17:24 – 17:32** **ICE syndrome with tragic ending: A case of masquerade syndrome and uveal melanoma**
Lavinia-Maria Olteanu (*Bucharest*), Gabriela Murgoi
- 17:32 – 17:40** **Interstitial 3D brachytherapy in malignant conjunctival tumors**
Gabriela Murgoi (*Bucharest*), Lavinia-Maria Olteanu, Simona Lupu

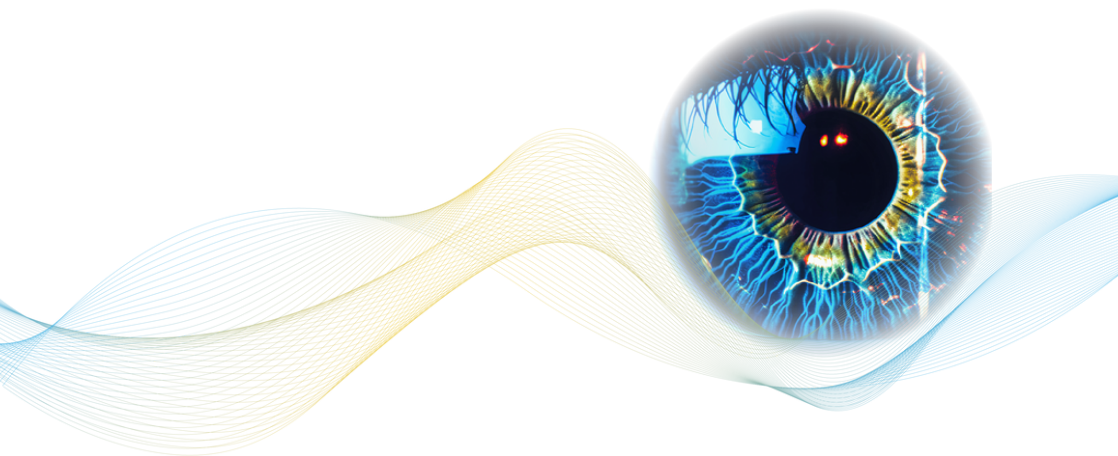


- 17:40 – 17:48** **Visible threats, invisible dangers: The story of ocular melanoma**
Gabriela Murgoi (*Bucharest*), Lavinia-Maria Olteanu
- 17:48 – 17:56** **What has changed in the treatment of retinoblastoma in Romania**
Elena-Cristina Nițulescu (*Bucharest*), Francis L. Munier,
Nathalie Cassoux
- 17:56 – 18:04** **Orbital Plasmablastic non-Hodgkin Lymphoma (PBL): Case Report**
Elena Suvac (*Bucharest*), Irina Nicoleta Triantafyllidis
- 18:04 – 18:12** **Complicated cataract - Surgical solution**
Teodor Tomi (*Cluj-Napoca*)
- 18:12 – 18:20** **Managing difficult cataracts**
Adrian Teodoru (*Sibiu*), Emilia-Maria Cerghedean-Florea
- 18:20 – 18:30** **Conclusions**

20:00

CONGRESS DINNER

Venue Events (Strada Divizia 9 Cavalerie 64)





Friday, 25 April



Experience 1 Hall

Residents Parallel Session

10:00 – 13:00 RESIDENTS SESSION

Chair: Camelia Bogdănici (*Iași*), Adriana Stănilă (*Sibiu*),
Carmen Mocanu (*Craiova*), Alina Popa-Cherecheanu
(*Bucharest*), Ovidiu Mușat (*Bucharest*)

- 10:00 – 10:10** **Evaluation of ocular melanoma cases in North East Romania over a two-year period: trends in incidence, tumor characteristics, and advances in diagnosis and treatment**
Francesca-Cristiana Dohotariu (*Iași*)
- 10:10 – 10:20** **Ptosis in a patient with cavernous sinus metastasis from oral squamous cell carcinoma – management and outcomes**
Mihaela-Elena Lăzărică (*Bucharest*)
- 10:20 – 10:30** **Oculocutaneous albinism without a known family history: ophthalmic features and diagnostic challenges**
Luana-Maria Goșman (*Timișoara*)
- 10:30 – 10:40** **Retinitis Pigmentosa with Negative Full Exome Sequencing: A Case of Clinical and Paraclinical Evidence Supporting Diagnosis**
Vlad Druțău (*Timișoara*)
- 10:40 – 10:50** **The importance of early diagnosis in complicated atypical Pigmentary Retinopathy: a case report of Retinitis Pigmentosa Sine Pigmento with Cystoid Macular Edema**
Mariapaola Bonomo (*Timișoara*)
- 10:50 – 11:00** **Vogt-Koyanagi-Harada disease - Case report and review of the literature**
Daiana Margarit (*Timișoara*)



- 11:00 – 11:10** **Iris Melanoma in a Patient with a History of Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma: A Diagnostic and Therapeutic Challenge**
Cătălina Rada (*Timișoara*)
- 11:10 – 11:20** **Correlation between choroidal granuloma and various clinical pathways**
Alina Iasmina Dumitriu (*Timișoara*)
- 11:20 – 11:30** **The Underlying Etiology and Surgical Management of Peripheral Ulcerative Keratitis**
Bianca-Maria Urse (*Bucharest*)
- 11:30 – 11:40** **Endo Optiks**
Ioana-Bianca Costache (*Bucharest*)
- 11:40 – 11:50** **Choroidal Melanoma or Metastasis? Unraveling a Rare Coexistence with Invasive Lobular Carcinoma**
Lavinia-Ioana Ilina (*Bucharest*)
- 11:50 – 12:00** **Unspecified Conjunctival Adenocarcinoma (NOS) in a Patient with a History of Lung Tumor**
Dumitra Alexandra Gorun (*Timișoara*)
- 12:00 – 12:10** **In the Shadows of Melanoma: a Case Study of an Intraorbital Tumor Presenting with Visual Decline in a 77-Year-Old Female**
George Abboud (*Arad*)
- 12:10 – 12:20** **Choroidal Malignant Melanoma – Modern approach of diagnosis and treatment**
Alice-Gabriela Cîrciumaru (*Bucharest*)
- 12:20 – 12:40** **Discussions**
- 12:40 – 13:00** **Conclusions**



Friday, 25 April



Experience 1 Hall

Nurse Parallel Session

14:30 – 17:00 NURSE SESSION

Chair: Ramona Gîdea (*Timișoara*), Loredana Caimacan (*Timișoara*), Dan Ilincariu (*Timișoara*)

14:30 – 15:00 Communication and types of communication

Loredana Caimacan (*Timișoara*)

15:00 – 15:30 Integration of digital systems in critical patient management

Dan Ilincariu (*Timișoara*)

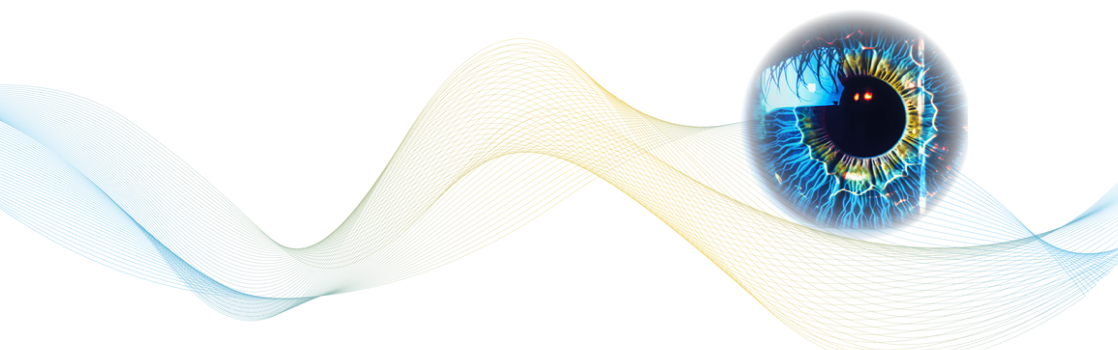
15:30 – 16:00 Care plan news and challenges

Ramona Gîdea (*Timișoara*)

16:00 – 16:30 New legislation in the work of nurses

Ramona Gîdea (*Timișoara*)

16:30 – 17:00 Discussions and Conclusions



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DAY 3





Saturday, 26 April

 **Experience 2+3 Hall**

Banat Ophthalmologists Association Conference

Scientific Coordinators: Prof. Mihnea Munteanu, Prof. Horia Stanca

08:30 – 10:30 OPTHALMOLOGY IN A NEW ERA

Chair: Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*), Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*), Sundaram Natarajan (*India*), Ramin Khoramnia (*Germany*)

08:30 – 09:00 **Interactive presentation of clinical cases out of the Macula Consultation at the Ophthalmology Department of the Innsbruck medical university**
Marius Stang (*Austria*)

09:00 – 09:30 **Toric IOLs - pearls and pitfalls**
Ramin Khoramnia (*Germany*)

09:30 – 09:50 **DIABETIC BLIND FREE WORLD - My vision - Screening to Surgery for Proliferative Diabetic Retinopathy**
Sundaram Natarajan (*India*)

09:50 – 10:10 **The Fine art and science of managing ophthalmic trauma passionately to restore eye ball and Vision**
Sundaram Natarajan (*India*)

10:10 – 10:30 **Integrating digital technology with routine intraocular surgery**
Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*)



10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee Break**



11:00 – 13:45 RETINA

Chair: Florian Baltă (*Bucharest*), Sundaram Natarajan (*India*),
Simona Nicoară (*Cluj-Napoca*), Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*),
Cosmin Roșca (*Cluj-Napoca*)

11:00 – 11:20

Endoresection for choroidal melanoma

Florian Baltă (*Bucharest*)

11:20 – 11:30

Vitreous Hemorrhage – Immediate or Delayed Surgery?

Simona Nicoară (*Cluj-Napoca*)

11:30 – 11:38

Macular Hole – Surgical Approach (Video)

Cosmin Roșca (*Cluj-Napoca*), Mihnea Munteanu

11:38 – 11:46

Subluxated Lens – Bag Stabilization Using a Single Flange Technique

Alin Ștefănescu Dima (*Craiova*), Andreea Tănăsie, Laura Băltoiu,
Dragoș Mihai Cojocaru

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Results of peripheral retinectomies in retinal detachment surgery with PVR

Vlad Donica (*Iași*), C. Danielescu, Ș. Margine, Bianca Bibire, Tina Boțoc, Bianca Isache-Mîndrescu

11:54 – 12:02

Surgical Challenges in Optic Disc Anomalies: Mastering Optic Pit and Morning Glory Repair

Radu Ivănescu (*Timișoara*)

12:02 – 12:10

The importance of biosimilar molecules in the treatment of different degenerative retinal diseases with intravitreal anti vascular endothelial growth factor therapies

Cristian Turlea (*Arad*), George Abboud

12:10 – 12:18

Preretinal membrane and it's surgical solution – straitening things out

Sever Septimiu Ster (*Timișoara*)



12:18 – 12:26

Carotid Artery Disease and Ocular Ischemic Syndrome in Vulnerable patients

Rodica Dan (*Timișoara*)

12:26 – 12:34

Retinal Microvascular Alterations Detectable with Optical Coherence Angio-tomography in Young Type 1 Diabetic Patients Without Clinical Signs of Diabetic Retinopathy

Alexandra Oltea Dan (*Craiova*), Alin Ștefănescu-Dima, Andreea Cornelia Tănăsie, Andrei Theodor Bălășoiu, Carmen Luminița Mocanu

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Recurrent Retinal Detachment - Surgical approach

Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*), Cosmin Roșca

12:42 – 12:50

Histological aspect relevance in idiopathic epiretinal membrane surgery

Mădălina Timofte Zorilă (*Iași*), D.C. Brănișteanu, M. Danciu

12:50 – 12:55

Discussions

12:55 – 13:15



SYMPOSIUM – Hoya

MiYOSMART - The latest European Studies

Georgeta Maxim

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SYMPOSIUM – Stada

Ranibizumab after 20 years of clinical experience in intravitreal therapies

Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*) & Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*)

13:35 – 13:45



SYMPOSIUM – Sunwave Pharma

Septistop A Unique Combination For A Complete 360° Treatment Of DES (Dry eye syndrome)

Sînziana Istrate (*Bucharest*)



13:45 – 14:30

Lunch Break



14:30 – 16:45 CATARACT & REFRACTIVE SURGERY & GLAUCOMA

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Transfiguration

Alina Popa-Cherecheanu (*Bucharest*)

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Special cases in anterior pole surgery

Călin Tătaru (*Bucharest*)

15:10 – 15:25

Normal Tension Glaucoma – provocations from the reverse side of an illusory normality

Vasile Potop (*Bucharest*), Tudor-George Potop

15:25 – 15:33

Tips and tricks in cataract surgery with Floppy Iris syndrome

Adriana Stănila (*Sibiu*), Dan Mircea Stănilă, Alina Adriana Stănilă

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Surgical Technique for Scleral Fixation - Case Presentation

Ovidiu Mușat (*Bucharest*), Andreea Alexandra Mihaela Mușat, Bianca Ioana Costache, Iulia Elena Ionescu, Ana Maria Marinescu, Cristina Liliana Vranceanu, Stella Ioana Popescu

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PRESBYOND, our choice for the treatment of presbyopia

Andrei Filip (*Bucharest*)

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Fracturing a Nucleus with High Density and Plasticity Using a Modified-Length “Nagahara” Chopper

Vlad Chercotă (*Timișoara*), Patricia Băneș, Alexandra Jianu

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Management of postoperative astigmatism

Emil Ungureanu (*Bucharest*), S. Oprea, Andreea Cocoșilă, Ioana Ianoș, Sînziana Istrate, Ovidiu Borugă

16:05 – 16:13

What to do when the wound-assisted technique goes wrong? Accidental corneal intrastromal implantation of an IOL

Leila Al Barri (*Timișoara*), Mihnea Munteanu



16:13 – 16:21

Refractive error after multi-focal lens implantation - surgical management

Oana Chelaru Postolache (*Bacău*), Cristian Chelaru Postolache

16:21 – 16:29

Artificial iris prothesis with artificial lens in a case of eye trauma with penetrating scleral wound and posttraumatic aphakia with aniridia

Cristian Chelaru Postolache (*Bacău*), Oana Chelaru Postolache

16:29 – 16:37

Ocular trauma – simple procedures with unpredictable results

Cristina Patricia Pac (*Timișoara*), Mihnea Munteanu, Ovidiu Borugă

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Discussions



16:45 – 17:20

Coffee Break

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Addressing infections of the anterior eye segment

Alexandra Preda (*Timișoara*)

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More Than Hydration: Challenging the Hyaluronic Acid-Only Approach

Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*)

18:00 – 19:20 VARIA

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18:00 – 18:08

The effect of back optic zone diameter on corneal refractive power and corneal higher-order aberrations in orthokeratology for juvenile myopia

Oana Chelaru Postolache (*Bacău*), Cristian Chelaru Postolache

18:08 – 18:16

Exploring yellow micropulse laser therapy for macular edema - efficacy and outcomes

Alexandra Preda (*Timișoara*), Mihnea Munteanu

18:16 – 18:24

Are older-generation optical coherence methods for biometry obsolete? A comparison between Argos and Aladdin

Leila Al Barri (*Timișoara*)



- 18:24 – 18:32** **Evaluation of tear film stability and meibomian glands functionality after multi-session intense pulsed light treatment**
Cristina Patricia Pac (*Timișoara*), Mihnea Munteanu, Nadina Mercea
- 18:32 – 18:40** **Surgical and Non-Surgical Management of Strabismus: A Case-Based Analysis**
Servet Yasar (*Timișoara*), Ionela Iasmina Yasar, Mihnea Munteanu, Haluk Huseyin Gursoy
- 18:40 – 18:48** **Stress-Free Techniques for Stressed Zonules: A Video Guide to Cataract Surgery Without Zonular Support**
Radu Ivănescu (*Timișoara*)
- 18:48 – 18:56** **Sturge-Weber Syndrome- An Updated Review**
Ana-Maria Misici (*Timișoara*)
- 18:56 – 19:04** **Management of Persistent Hypotony Due to Ciliary Shutdown Following Uveitis: A Case Report**
Ionela-Iasmina Yasar (*Timișoara*), Servet Yasar, Mihnea Munteanu
- 19:04 – 19:12** **Performance and safety of the REVYSION medical device in the management of age-related cataract**
Gheorghita Suta (*Timișoara*), Ramona Petrita, Trevor Shields
- 19:12 – 19:20** **Closing remarks**
Prof. Mihnea Munteanu (*Timișoara*), Prof. Horia Stanca (*Bucharest*)





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