

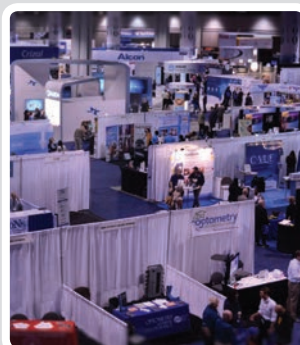
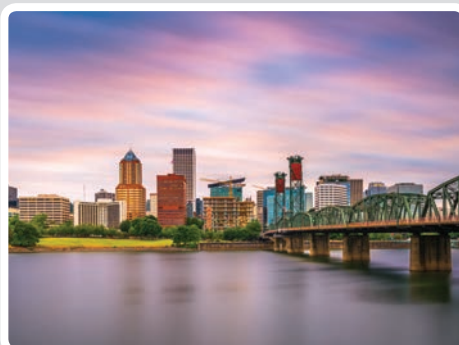
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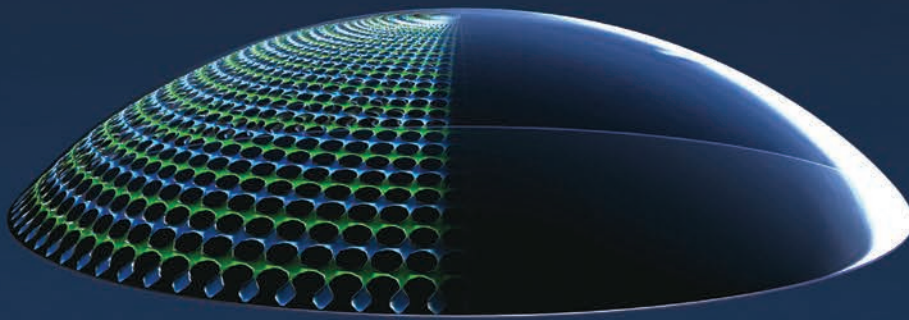
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# Welcome

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## CE Expands Our Profession—and Ourselves

Education drives growth in our personal skills and enriches our community of professionals by unlocking greater privileges.

As an optometrist who spends a good deal of time behind the podium, I can share first-hand that I have experienced how important continuing education is for our profession—from the attendees who get to absorb what they hear in the lecture halls and bring it back home, to the speakers who learn from your feedback about the challenges of practicing optometry today—whether you hail from Salem, Oregon or Salem, Massachusetts or somewhere in between.

Education is one of the vital components that binds our community, from industry to researchers to one-doctor practices in small towns. With CE, we're truly all in it together. Education is not only the bridge that connects us—it pushes us forward as optometry moves toward more of a medical model and therapeutic-focused profession.

Several states have in recent years advanced their optometry laws to include in-office procedures—laser treatments for glaucoma and posterior capsular opacification, foreign body removal and eyelid 'lump and bump' management to name a few—and there are several bills in play currently that will allow more states to broaden their scope of practice.

Simply put, we owe our successes in the state houses to our diligence in the classroom.

Education remains the cornerstone of our push for expanded scope of practice. Naysayers portray ODs as insufficiently trained to perform certain procedures or treatments. But contemporary optometric education has, if anything, stayed *ahead* of the cycle, not behind it. The courses being taught today are robust in their depth and careful to address knowledge gaps in the profession. And the profession has embraced it with gusto! In 2019, there will be more than 230 continuing education events held throughout the country, a ringing endorsement of the profession's strategy of evolution through education.

Once again, we have documented them in this special supplement to help you plan your educational efforts for the year.

In the spirit of ongoing education, I have the honor of again being the education chair of the New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care series in 2019. I can personally attest that one of the highlights is the relaxed, collegial atmosphere, where expert faculty enjoy engaging in conversations and sharing our insights with attendees. These meetings also allow you to get behind the wheel and test drive new technologies and treatments during our popular workshops. The other presenters and I will be there for you every step of the way, offering tips from our years of experience and lending an ear to your own insights and thoughts.

As an OD, an educator and a lecturer, I often hear from colleagues across the country that the profession is changing at such a rapid pace that it can sometimes seem overwhelming. Some of you want to get more involved in glaucoma therapy. Others want to build a dry eye practice or better understand the effects of systemic meds on the eyes. Still others want to continue to build your surgical comanagement skills.

Whatever your question or curiosity, CE is the path to get you there. And whether you want to attend a tightly focused meeting in your own town, venture away from home to a tent-pole conference like the Academy that brings us all together, or really get away from it all with a destination CE experience on a tropical island, it's safe to say 2019 has a meeting that will fit whatever you desire.

We hope this guide will be a helpful map as you plan your education for the year. I look forward to seeing you in the lecture hall in 2019!

—Paul Karpecki, OD, Chief Clinical Editor

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Lecture topics scheduled to be discussed at educational events are denoted by the appearance of the icons at right, based on information known at press time.

Conference agendas are subject to change. Please contact the meeting organizers for updated information.

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						Pacific U. Glaucoma Symposium
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						Kraskin Invitational Skeffington Symposium Vision
						Berkeley Practicum
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Berkeley Practicum			Global Specialty Lens Symposium			
Gold Coast Educational Retreat					A Comprehensive Update on Contemporary Eye Care Cruise	
MBKU Clinical Pearls						
MBKU Lacrimal Dilation Certification Workshop						
IOA Winter CE						
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A Comprehensive Update on Contemporary Eye Care Cruise						
OEP VT2		Arkansas Optometric Association Coding Update				
GSLs						
SUNY Oral Pharmaceuticals & Systemic Disease Day						
UCLA Advances in Eye Care Symposium						
VOA One-day CE Conference						

**Jan. 10-13, Tahlequah, OK  
January Advanced Procedures**

HOST: Oklahoma College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Nathan Lighthizer, Richard Castillo, Douglas Penisten, Joseph Shetler  
CE HOURS: 32  
LOCATION: NSUOCO Academic Wing, 1001 N Grand Ave.  
CONTACT: Callie McAtee  
[mcateec@nsuok.edu](mailto:mcateec@nsuok.edu)  
918-316-3602  
[optometry.nsuok.edu](http://optometry.nsuok.edu)  
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**Jan. 11-13, Scottsdale, AZ  
AZOA Bronstein Contact Lens & Cornea Seminar**

HOST: Arizona Optometric Assn.  
CE HOURS: 18  
LOCATION: Hilton Scottsdale Resort & Villas, 6333 N Scottsdale Rd.  
CONTACT: Kate Diedrickson  
[kate@azoa.org](mailto:kate@azoa.org)  
[www.azoa.org/connect](http://www.azoa.org/connect)  
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**Jan. 12, Woodinville, WA  
Glaucoma Symposium**

HOST: Pacific U. College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Howard Barnebey, Murray Fingeret  
CE HOURS: 7  
LOCATION: Willows Lodge, 14580 NE 145Th St.  
CONTACT: Michelena "Miki" Buckingham  
[mikibuckingham@pacificu.edu](mailto:mikibuckingham@pacificu.edu)  
503-459-9241  
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**Jan. 14, Boise, ID  
IOP Winter CE & Day at the Capitol**

HOST: Idaho Optometric Physicians  
CE HOURS: 4  
LOCATION: Boise Centre, 850 West Front St.  
CONTACT: Randy Andregg  
[execdir@iopinc.org](mailto:execdir@iopinc.org)  
208-461-0001  
[idaho.aoa.org](http://idaho.aoa.org)  
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**Jan. 18-19, Charlotte, NC  
Charlotte Regional Vision Symposium**

HOST: Professional Eyecare Associates of America and OD Excellence  
KEY FACULTY: Doug Martin, John McGreal, Elizabeth Steele, Jim Grue, Valerie Manso, Teri Thurston  
CE HOURS: 4 hours (COPE), 5 hours (ABO)  
LOCATION: Charlotte Marriott Civic Center, 100 W. Trade St.  
CONTACT: Cathi Zerba  
[cathi@pecaa.com](mailto:cathi@pecaa.com)  
503-670-9200  
[www.pecaa.com/charlotte-vision-symposium](http://www.pecaa.com/charlotte-vision-symposium)  
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**Jan. 19-20, Hollywood Beach, FL  
Gold Coast Educational Retreat**

HOST: Broward County Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 17  
LOCATION: Margaritaville Beach Resort, 1111 North Ocean Drive  
CONTACT: Brianna Rhue  
[browardeyes@gmail.com](mailto:browardeyes@gmail.com)  
954-726-0204  
[bcoagoldcoastmeeting.com](http://bcoagoldcoastmeeting.com)  
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**Jan. 19-21, Washington D.C.  
Kraskin Invitational Skeffington Symposium Vision**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program Foundation and IBO  
KEY FACULTY: TBD  
CE HOURS: 19  
LOCATION: Embassy Suites Hotel at Chevy Chase Pavilion, 4300 Military Rd. NW  
CONTACT: Jeffrey Kraskin  
[jlkraskin@rcn.com](mailto:jlkraskin@rcn.com)  
202-363-4450  
[www.skeffingtonsymposium.org](http://www.skeffingtonsymposium.org)  
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**Jan. 19-21, Berkeley, CA  
Berkeley Practicum**

HOST: UC Berkeley School of Optometry

KEY FACULTY: Paul Karpecki, Jost Jonas, Julie Tyler, Andrew Mick  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: DoubleTree by Hilton, 200 Marina Blvd.  
CONTACT: Lyuda Martello  
[optoce@berkeley.edu](mailto:optoce@berkeley.edu)  
800-827-2163  
[optometry.berkeley.edu/continuing-education/berkeley-practicum/](http://optometry.berkeley.edu/continuing-education/berkeley-practicum/)  
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**Jan. 20, Fullerton, CA  
Anterior & Posterior Segment Clinical Pearls**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum University, SCCO  
KEY FACULTY: Troy Allred, Raman Bhakhri, Blair Lonsberry, Lisa Wahl, Brenda Yeh  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: Marshall B. Ketchum University, Hopping Academic Center, 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre, Antoinette Smith  
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714-449-7495  
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**Jan. 20, Fullerton, CA  
Lacrimal Dilation & Irrigation Certification Workshop with Punctal Plug Insertion**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum University, SCCO  
KEY FACULTY: John Maher, Mark Sawamura, Judy Tong  
CE HOURS: 3  
LOCATION: Marshall B. Ketchum University, Hopping Academic Center, 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre, Antoinette Smith  
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714-449-7495  
[ketchum.edu/ce](http://ketchum.edu/ce)  
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**Jan. 20, Wheeling, IL  
IOA Winter CE Series**

HOST: Illinois Optometric Association  
KEY FACULTY: John McGreal  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: Westin Chicago North Shore, 601 N. Milwaukee Ave.  
CONTACT: Katie Lewis  
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[www.ioaweb.org](http://www.ioaweb.org)  
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MARCH 7-10: ORLANDO



APRIL 11-14: SAN DIEGO



MAY 17-19: NASHVILLE



NOV. 1-3: BALTIMORE

## Review's New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care Series Keeps You in the Know

Today's profession is in a rapid state of change, with new therapies and medical devices that seem to be introduced on a daily basis—and scope of practice laws that change just as fast. In other words, you may be finding the practice of optometry to be very different than what it was just a few short years ago. That's where the long-running New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care meeting series can help.

With so much more information to absorb these days, conference chair Paul Karpecki, OD, has tailored the 2019 educational slate to help you discover the latest need-to-know developments and how to bring them back to your practice. Feeling overwhelmed by all the new OCT technology? Excited to have new glaucoma meds to try out? Worried about missing a retinal break or tear? Eager to reduce herpes keratitis recurrence? These pressing issues and many more will be covered.

One stand-out feature of these meetings is the approachability of the faculty. Don't expect to be sitting elbow-to-elbow in a crowded lecture hall where the presenter is just a small speck far away on stage. What sets the New Tech series of meetings apart is their interactive, up-close-and-personal experience, says Dr. Karpecki. "Because of this, doctors learn more and enjoy this educational approach dramatically."

These events offer a friendly, low-key and collaborative atmosphere between attendees and lecturers. The faculty is happy to share their time and insights in one-on-one discussions long after the formal sessions end.

Another signature of the New Tech series is the workshops, Dr. Karpecki adds. Expect to put down your notebook, roll up your sleeves and gain real-life experience in areas ranging from use of new technology for glaucoma and retinal disease diagnosis to how to perform dry eye clinical procedures when managing blepharitis and MGD.

"The workshops make these meetings stand out, since they help eye care practitioners gain practical knowledge

they can use in their practice," Dr. Karpecki says. "Both the workshops and the formal sessions give doctors the edge they need to care for patients with a variety of serious eye conditions. As doctors, our patients come first, and the new knowledge attendees will gain will help them ensure their patients get the absolute best possible care."

Engaging lectures, candid conversations, practical workshops—these are action-packed meetings. For those wanting even more, the San Diego event in April will be a joint symposium held in conjunction with the Optometric Cornea, Cataract and Refractive Society (OCCRS). This meeting will include the complete slate of New Tech education along with the OCCRS program, which will take place at the same location.

Four meetings are scheduled throughout the year in different regions of the country. Optometrists can earn up to 20 CE hours for most New Tech meetings, and up to 28 hours at the joint symposium with OCCRS.

The 2019 meeting schedule includes:

- **March 7-10, Orlando.** Join Dr. Karpecki, Joseph Shovlin, OD, Blair Lonsberry, OD, and others at the Disney Yacht & Beach Club. Attendees can earn 6 TQ/CEE credits at this meeting, too.
- **April 11-14, San Diego.** This joint symposium between New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care and the OCCRS annual meeting will feature Dr. Karpecki, OCCRS Faculty Chair David Friess, OD, and many others. The meeting will be held at the Manchester Grand Hyatt.
- **May 17-19, Nashville.** Dr. Karpecki will return as meeting chair for this session that will be held at Gaylord Opryland Resort and Convention Center.
- **Nov. 1-3, Baltimore.** Held at the Renaissance Baltimore Inner Harbor, learn the latest innovations in eye care from Dr. Karpecki and other experts.

For more information or to register for any of the above, contact Lois DiDomenico, [reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com](mailto:reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com); 866-658-1772 or visit [www.reviewscce.com](http://www.reviewscce.com).

### Jan. 20-26, Kohala Coast, Hawaii Island Eyes Conference

HOST: Pacific University College of Optometry

KEY FACULTY: Nate Lighthizer, Brian Mathie, Stuart Richer, Maria Walker, Stanley Teplick, Steven Laukaitis  
CE HOURS: 30

LOCATION: Fairmont Orchid, 1 North

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### Jan. 23-27, Memphis VT2/Learning Related Visual Problems

HOST: Optometric Extension Program Foundation

KEY FACULTY: Paul Harris

CE HOURS: 35

LOCATION: Southern College of Optometry (SCO), 1245 Madison Ave.



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**Jan. 24-27, Las Vegas  
Global Specialty Lens Symposium**

HOST: Pentavision Media, Contact Lens Spectrum  
KEY FACULTY: Jason J. Nichols, Clark Chang, Lynette Johns, Kate Gifford, Maria Walker, Jan Bergmanson  
CE HOURS: Total: 50, maximum per OD: 20  
LOCATION: Tropicana Hotel, 3801 S. Las Vegas Blvd.  
CONTACT: Maureen Trusky  
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**Jan. 25-Feb. 6, New Zealand Cruise  
Round Trip from Sydney, Australia  
A Comprehensive Update on  
Contemporary Eye Care**

HOST: Dr. Travel Seminars and the New Jersey Society of Optometric Physicians  
KEY FACULTY: Randall Thomas  
CE HOURS: 12

LOCATION: Princess Cruise Line's Majestic Princess  
Round trip from Sydney  
CONTACT: Dr. Travel Seminars  
[info@drtravel.com](mailto:info@drtravel.com)  
800-436-1028  
[www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com)

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**Jan. 27, New York City  
Oral Pharmaceuticals & Systemic  
Disease Day**

HOST: SUNY College of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: SUNY College of Optometry, 33 West 42nd St.  
CONTACT: Betsy Torres  
[btorres@sunyopt.edu](mailto:btorres@sunyopt.edu)  
212-938-5830

[www.sunyopt.edu/cpe](http://www.sunyopt.edu/cpe)  
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**Jan. 27, Los Angeles  
Advances in Eye Care Symposium**

HOST: UCLA Stein Eye Institute and Marshall B. Ketchum University  
KEY FACULTY: Justin Kwan, Simon Law, Rachele Lin, Kourous Nouri-Mahdavi, Amanda Powers, Barry Weissman  
CE HOURS: 8

LOCATION: RPB Auditorium at UCLA Stein Eye Institute, 100 Stein Plaza  
CONTACT: Debbie Sato  
[sato@isei.ucla.edu](mailto:sato@isei.ucla.edu)  
310-825-4617  
[www.uclahealth.org/eye/educational-activities](http://www.uclahealth.org/eye/educational-activities)

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**Jan. 27, Charlottesville, VA  
2019 VOA One-day CE Conference**

Host: Virginia Optometric Association  
Key Faculty: Justin Schweitzer  
CE Hours: 5  
Location: Omni Charlottesville Hotel, 212 Ridge McIntire Road  
[www.thevoa.org](http://www.thevoa.org)

**Jan. 29, Little Rock, AR  
Annual Coding Update**

HOST: Arkansas Optometric Association  
KEY FACULTY: John McGreal  
CE HOURS: 4  
LOCATION: Doubletree Hotel, 424 W. Markham  
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Show copies will also be available at the *Review of Optometry* booth.

# February

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Western Caribbean Optometric Cruise						
SECO 2019 SUNY Glaucoma Symposium IOA Winter CE Series Sacramento Valley Ocular Symposium				Montana Optometric Association Winter Conference		

**Feb. 6, Carmel, IN**

**Indiana Optometry Winter Seminar**

HOST: Indiana Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 7  
LOCATION: Ritz Charles,  
12156 N. Meridian St.  
CONTACT: Bridget Sims  
[blsims@ioa.org](mailto:blsims@ioa.org); 317-237-3560  
[www.ioa.org](http://www.ioa.org)

**Feb. 6-7, East Lansing, MI**

**Michigan Optometric Association Winter Seminar**

HOST: Michigan Optometric Assn.  
KEY FACULTY: Gregory Caldwell,  
Damon Dierker, Lillian Kalaczinski,  
Tracy Offerdahl  
CE HOURS: 14  
LOCATION: Kellogg Hotel &  
Conference Center, 219 S. Harrison Rd.  
CONTACT: MOA  
[info@themoa.org](mailto:info@themoa.org); 517-482-0616  
[www.themoa.org/aws/moa/pt/sp/winter\\_seminar](http://www.themoa.org/aws/moa/pt/sp/winter_seminar)

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**Feb. 7-9, Portland, OR**

**Third Party/Practice Management Seminar**

HOST: Oregon Optometric Physicians Association  
KEY FACULTY: John McGreal, Mary Schmidt, Ron Guerra, Amber Dunn  
CE HOURS: 13  
LOCATION: Sheraton Hotel, Portland Airport, 8235 NE Airport Way  
CONTACT: Lynne Olson  
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**Feb. 8-10, West Palm Beach, FL**

**Annual Palm Beach Winter Seminar**

HOST: Palm Beach County Opt. Assn.  
KEY FACULTY: Walter Whitley, Steven Ferrucci, Joseph Sowka, Barry Frauens  
CE HOURS: 21  
LOCATION: PGA National Resort & Spa, 400 Avenue of the Champions  
CONTACT: Tamara Maule  
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**Feb. 9, Tahlequah, OK**

**5 State Symposium**

HOST: Oklahoma College of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: NSU University Center,  
600 N Grand Ave.  
CONTACT: Callie McAtee  
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[optometry.nsuok.edu](http://optometry.nsuok.edu)

**Feb. 9, Santa Barbara**

**Coastal California Optometric Conference**

HOST: Tri-County Optometric Society  
KEY FACULTY: Stephen Bylsma,  
Pinakin Davey, Cheryl Everitt, Franz Michel, Scott Schachter, Grace Sun  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: Kimpton Goodland Hotel,  
5650 Calle Real  
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805-377-6766  
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**Feb. 9-10, New Castle, DE**

**2019 Winter Thaw**

HOST: Delaware Optometric Assn.  
CE HOURS: 12  
LOCATION: Sheraton Wilmington South Hotel, 365 Airport Rd.  
CONTACT: Linda Cohen  
[lindacohen@deoa.org](mailto:lindacohen@deoa.org)  
410-486-9662  
[www.deoa.wildapricot.org](http://www.deoa.wildapricot.org)

**Feb. 9-16, Playa del Carmen, Mexico**

**Tropical CE- Secrets Akumal**

HOST: Tropical CE  
KEY FACULTY: Carlo Pelino, Derek Cunningham  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Secrets Akumal Riviera Maya, Carretera Federal 307  
CONTACT: Stuart Autry  
[sautry@tropicalce.com](mailto:sautry@tropicalce.com)  
281-808-5763  
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**Feb. 10, Fullerton, CA**

**Glaucoma Forum**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum University, SCCO

KEY FACULTY: George Comer, Mark Sawamura, David Sendrowski, Judy Tong, Robert Yacoub  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: MBKU Hopping Academic Center, 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
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**FEB. 15-17, KANSAS CITY, MO**

**Get to the Heart of the Matter**

Need some CE to cure the winter blues? Then head to the heartland of the United States for the annual Heart of America Eye Care Congress, which will be held February 15-17 in Kansas City, Mo.

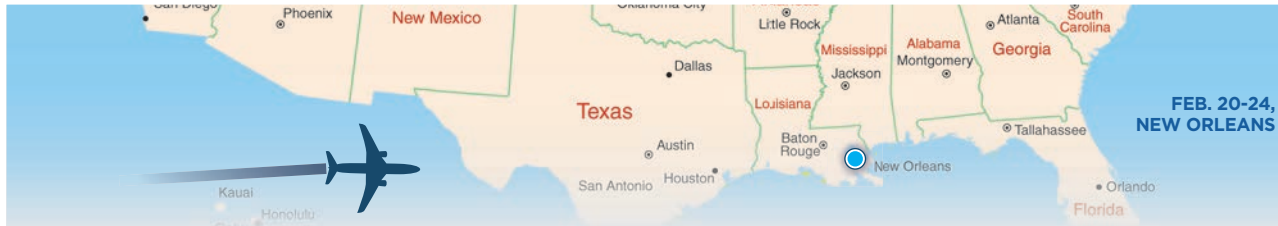
This year's lineup will feature courses taught by optometrists David Kading, Michael Chaglasian, Christopher Borgman and Lynn Lawrence. A total of 71 CE credits will be available, and ODs can earn up to 17.

The meeting will be held at the Sheraton Kansas City Hotel at Crown Center, and topics will cover comanagement, contact lenses, corneal surgery, cataract surgery, diabetes, dry eye, glaucoma, laboratory testing, neuro-ophthalmics, ocular infections, pharmacology, practice management, retinal disorders, systemic disease, technology and uveitis.

For more information or to register contact Steve G. Miller, [publicity@hoaecc.org](mailto:publicity@hoaecc.org), 402-649-0157, or go to [www.hoaecc.org](http://www.hoaecc.org).



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CM Comanagement	DE Dry eye	DS Optical dispensing	SD Systemic disease
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## In 2019, SECO Goes Marching in to New Orleans

The SECO Congress in 2019 is making a big change, as it heads to the Big Easy for its annual Congress, to be held February 20-24. And while the location is new, its 6,000-plus attendees can still expect some of the best clinical courses around, with the 2019 Congress boasting 250 sessions and 20 tracks led by industry experts.

“The enthusiasm for the move to New Orleans is overwhelming,” says SECO General Chairman Paul C. Ajamian, OD. “We love our meeting in Atlanta, but the change in host cities for 2019 gives us an opportunity to do some special things for our loyal attendees. The SECO OD and Allied Professional Committees have been preparing all year to provide you with the most innovative courses, special sessions, and learning labs available anywhere in eye care! Professionals rely on SECO to update them with the latest information, delivered by world class speakers, in an environment conducive to collaboration and fun!”

The Congress will offer a total of 250 continuing education hours, and ODs can earn up to 50 CE credits.

“SECO provides the optometric profession access to the latest treatments, technology, trends and best and next business practices,” says SECO President Emilio Balias, OD. “SECO looks forward to gathering the industry for the first education conference of the year. New Orleans will serve as a fantastic backdrop for what will be five high-value days of rich content, meaningful networking and unparalleled product discovery.”

Here are a few SECO 2019 Congress highlights you won’t want to miss:

- **MedPro360.** To practice successfully, ODs need skills that go beyond the exam room to the business office. SECO says its healthcare business management program will help you strengthen your business skills to ensure your practice is running like it should. On deck for this year’s MedPro 360: “Profitable Doctor,” where



attendees will hear about a new cash flow management system designed to immediately improve practice profitability, eradicate unnecessary business expenses and assist practice owners with managing their business debt. Also in the MedPro 360 suite of courses will be “The New World Order: PPMs and Private Equity,” “Profitable Doctor Learning Lab” and “New Payer Models Learning Lab.”

- **See the Vision of Tomorrow: State of the Industry Forum.** The opening session on Thursday will highlight some hot topics in eye care, from pharmacology to private equity, from artificial intelligence to telemedicine and more. Some of the most well respected experts in optometry will bring you their vision of the future.

- **Diabetes Case Study: A Collaborative Approach.** A team of experts will discuss some very new directions on diabetes, with take home points for better patient care.

- **Glaucoma and MIGS.** This special session will feature Ike K. Ahmed, MD, a world-renowned expert and one of the pioneers of minimally invasive glaucoma surgery, for a lecture on innovative inventions in glaucoma, including new valves and stents. Dr. Ahmed has been a leader in novel treatments for glaucoma and cataract surgery throughout his career.

- **The Great Bourbon Street Glaucoma Debate.** In true New Orleans style, the audience will participate in a debate on a variety of timely and controversial glaucoma topics. Which faculty members will be thrown out

onto Bourbon Street, and who will be named King of the Parade?

- **Practice of Tomorrow.** In the exhibit hall, this interactive display gives attendees access to industry experts and resources to discover new office designs, methods to enhance workflows and the latest technologies for your team to work more effectively.

“SECO 2019 is pleased to kick off the extensive calendar of education conferences this year,” adds Dr. Balias. “With more than 250 curated sessions presented by more than 100 optometric thought leaders, SECO delivers on its mission to be a conduit to cutting-edge education, innovation discovery and knowledge sharing.”

For more information or to register, go to [www.attendseco.com](http://www.attendseco.com).

### Finding Your Mojo

The French Quarter offers more than rowdy Bourbon Street. In fact, it’s one of NOLA’s most historic neighborhoods, but you’ll find plenty of new mixed in with the old. A reimagined French Market, modern boutiques and artisan cocktails mix with antique stores and old restaurants.

New Orleans & Company ([www.neworleans.com](http://www.neworleans.com)) offers these must-sees while you’re touring the Big Easy.

**Jackson Square:** 751 Decatur St.

Located in front of the St. Louis Cathedral, this square hosts an open-air arts colony where artists display their work on the outside of the iron fence. Visitors can see the artists at work and have their portrait drawn by one of the many talents that make use of Jackson Square as their studio. Grab coffee and beignets from local icon Café du Monde and enjoy breakfast while people watching in the square.

**St. Louis Cathedral:** 615 Pere Antoine Alley, [www.stlouiscathedral.org](http://www.stlouiscathedral.org)

Facing Jackson Square and flanked by the historic Cabildo on one side and the equally historic Presbytere on the other, St. Louis Cathedral is among the tallest and most imposing

structures in the French Quarter—and one of the most recognizable. It has been seen in hundreds of movies, TV shows and other visual presentations.

**Audubon Aquarium:** 1 Canal St., [www.audubonnatureinstitute.org](http://www.audubonnatureinstitute.org)

Looming large against the Mississippi River, the aquarium houses 15,000 sea creatures representing nearly 600 species. Visitors can get up close with some of the most fascinating denizens of the ocean. The Caribbean Reef tunnel is 30 feet long and allows visitors a view of sea life that only divers typically view.

**Steamboat Natchez:** Toulouse St and the Mississippi River, [www.steamboatnatchez.com](http://www.steamboatnatchez.com)

The New Orleans Steamboat Company owns and operates the last authentic steamboat on the Mississippi River. Hop aboard for daily dinner and daytime jazz cruises. You can also visit the steam engine room and enjoy some authentic Creole food.

**Audubon Butterfly Garden and Insectarium:** 423 Canal St., [www.audubonnatureinstitute.org/insectarium](http://www.audubonnatureinstitute.org/insectarium)

Located in the US Custom House on Canal Street, this attraction offers North America's largest museum devoted to insects and their relatives. You'll discover why insects are the building blocks of all life on the planet. You'll be able to wander through a Louisiana swamp and surround yourself with thousands of butterflies in an Asian garden.

**Le Petit Theatre:** 616 St. Peter St., [www.lepetittheatre.com](http://www.lepetittheatre.com)

The Little Theatre of the Old Square is one of the longest-running local theaters in the US. At the forefront of the "little theatre" movement that aimed to produce plays in cities and towns across the country outside of the confines of Broadway, Le Petit was established in 1916 and has operated continuously as a producing theater ever since, first as a community theatre, then transforming into the professional theater it is today.

**Mardi Gras Museum of Costumes & Culture:** 1010 Conti St., [www.mardigrasworld.com](http://www.mardigrasworld.com)

Stop by here to see an array of Carnival costumes. The museum showcases the rich history of costuming in New Orleans and the variety of ways



revelers participate in Mardi Gras and the Carnival season.

**Bottom of the Cup Tea Room:** 327 Chartres St., [www.bottomofthecup.com](http://www.bottomofthecup.com)

Since 1929, this has been the city's go-to spot for psychic readings among believers and tourists alike.

**Voodoo Museum:** 724 Dumaine St., [www.voodooomuseum.com](http://www.voodooomuseum.com)

Voodoo has been a significant part of New Orleans culture since the city was established in the 1700s. This museum strives to preserve this aspect of NOLA history through education and entertainment, exploring the mysteries, legends and traditions of voodoo and its influence on the city.

**New Orleans Jazz Museum:** 400 Esplanade Ave., [www.nolajazzmuseum.org](http://www.nolajazzmuseum.org)

Celebrate jazz in the city where it was born! Housed in the historic old US Mint and located at the intersection of the French Quarter and the Frenchmen Street live music corridor, the New Orleans Jazz Museum is in the heart of the city's music scene.

### Eating Around the Clock

New Orleans is a culinary treasure. At any time of day, you can savor its unique multicultural offerings. Eater New Orleans offers this itinerary:

**9am—Estañó:** 2266 Saint Claude Avenue, [www.estanonola.com](http://www.estanonola.com)

This tapas-style hotspot is focused on small plates of seafood, meat and cheese served with homemade bread, plus an espresso bar and a substantial wine list. Located in the St. Claude Avenue dining corridor in the Marigny, this hot spot also features popular dishes like truffled egg toast.

**10:30am—Li'l Dizzy's Café:** 1500 Esplanade Ave. [www.lildizzyscafe.net](http://www.lildizzyscafe.net)

It doesn't get more downhome than Li'l Dizzy's. There's an all-you-can-eat buffet for brunch that includes fried chicken, grilled catfish and eggs and shrimp and grits.

**12pm—Pythian Market:** 234 Loyola Ave. [pythianmarket.com](http://pythianmarket.com)

This funky 11,000-square-foot food hall has a lot to love. Rumored to be the first place 12-year-old Louis Armstrong ever performed publicly, the space offers artisan makers of everything from pizza to soul food, Vietnamese street fare to Southern barbecue. The carne asada tacos from La Cocinita are a hit.

**1:30pm—Galatoire's:** 209 Bourbon St., [www.galatoires.com](http://www.galatoires.com)

A locals' tradition at this Bourbon Street icon, lunch here is known for high fashion and flowing champagne. Folks dressed to impress line up early, and some even pay a "sitter" to wait for them. The restaurant doesn't take reservations for the main dining room.

**4:30pm—Café du Monde:** 800 Decatur St. [www.cafedumonde.com](http://www.cafedumonde.com)

Want an all-time favorite New Orleans experience? Beignets from Café du Monde—deep fried pillows of dough—come three to an order, hot from the fryer and dusted with powdered sugar. Best enjoyed with chicory-laced café au lait on the side.



**6pm—Cure:** 4905 Freret St. [curenola.com](http://curenola.com)

Opened in 2009 in a renovated firehouse, Cure raised the drinking stakes in a city where cocktails just might have been invented. Cure won the James Beard award for Outstanding Bar Program in 2018. One sip of the Count Camillo—a spin on a Negroni with deep notes of bitter orange and dark berries—and you'll be hooked.

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**FEB. 15-19, ASPEN, CO**  
**Hit the Books, then Hit the Slopes!**

**J**oin the longest-running winter meeting in eye care, the Winter Ophthalmic Conference, this President's Day Weekend in sunny and beautiful Aspen. This annual winter meeting favorite will be held Feb. 15-19 at the Snowmass Conference Center and will feature some of the leading speakers in the profession, including program co-chairs Murray Fingeret, OD, and Leo Semes, OD. Also on the bill will be Jack Cioffi, MD, Mark Dunbar, OD, Ben Gaddie, OD, Elisa Kramer, OD, Ron Melton, OD, Andrew Morgenstern, OD, Jack Schaeffer, OD, and Randall Thomas, OD.

"The Winter Ophthalmic Conference is a bucket-list meeting," says



Dr. Semes. "It combines an excellent educational program with camaraderie. The setting is fabulous, as well. This year will be no exception and is something not to be missed. Make your plans to attend now."

Attendees can earn up to 20 CE credit hours on relevant topics, such as glaucoma, dry eye, external disease and retina. In the mornings, you'll sit in sessions such as "Diving into Diagnosis and Treatment of Anterior Segment Disease," by Dr. Dunbar, "Eye to Eye" by Drs. Melton and Thomas, "Dry Eye Treatment Strategies for the Contact Lens Practice," by Dr. Gaddie and "Glaucoma Grand Rounds" by Drs. Fingeret and Cioffi. Then, you and the faculty can hit the slopes together for some afternoon fun.

Families are always welcome and a big part of the experience. The three-day Presidents' Weekend timeframe makes it easy to bring the kids!

For more information email Lois DiDomenico at [reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com](mailto:reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com), call 866-658-1772 or go to [www.reviewsce.com](http://www.reviewsce.com).

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**Feb. 15-17, Scottsdale, AZ**  
**Mid-Winter Educational Get-Away**

HOST: Optometric Ed. Consultants  
 KEY FACULTY: Bruce Onofrey, Carlo Pelino, Greg Caldwell, Joe Sowka, Jessica Steen  
 CE HOURS: 15  
 LOCATION: JW Marriott Camelback Inn, 5402 E. Lincoln Drive  
 CONTACT: Vanessa McDonald  
 954-612-4142

[www.optometricedu.com](http://www.optometricedu.com)

**Feb. 15-19, Aspen, CO**  
**Review's Annual Winter Ophthalmic Conference**

HOST: RGVCE  
 KEY FACULTY: Murray Fingeret, Leo Semes, Jack Cioffi, Mark Dunbar, Ben Gaddie, Elise Kramer, N. Ron Melton, Andrew Morgenstern, Jack Schaeffer, Randall Thomas  
 CE HOURS: 20

LOCATION: Westin Snowmass Conference Center, 100 Elbert Lane  
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**Feb. 16-Feb. 23, Eastern Caribbean**  
**Cruise Round Trip from Miami, FL**  
**Expanding the Scope of Primary Care**

HOST: Dr. Travel Seminars and the NJ Society of Optometric Physicians  
 KEY FACULTY: Blair Lonsberry  
 CE HOURS: 16

LOCATION: Royal Caribbean's Symphony of the Seas  
 CONTACT: Dr. Travel Seminars  
[info@drtravel.com](http://info@drtravel.com); 800-436-1028  
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**Feb. 18-19, New Orleans**  
**AFOS at SECO**

HOST: Armed Forces Optometric Society and SECO  
 KEY FACULTY: Federal Service Chiefs plus nationally recognized educators  
 CE HOURS: 400 total; 55 max. per OD  
 LOCATION: Hilton Garden Inn Convention Center and Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, 1001 S. Peters St.

CONTACT: Lindsay Wright  
[lwright@afos2020.org](mailto:lwright@afos2020.org)  
 720-442-8209

[www.afos2020.org](http://www.afos2020.org)

**Feb. 10, Los Angeles**  
**LACOS Winter CE**

HOST: Los Angeles County Optometric Society

KEY FACULTY: Ron Melton, Randall Thomas, Michael Groth, Kerry Assil  
 CE HOURS: 5

LOCATION: Olympic Collection, 11301 W. Olympic Blvd.

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[lacos.net](http://lacos.net)

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**Feb. 11, Broken Arrow, OK**  
**PRK Certification Course**

HOST: Oklahoma College of Optom.  
 KEY FACULTY: Jo'el Sturm, Dawn Holsted, Brad Britton, Nathan Lighthizer  
 CE HOURS: 10

LOCATION: NSU Broken Arrow-Lesley Walls Vision Ctr., 3100 New Orleans St.

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**Feb. 15-17, Kansas City, MO**  
**Heart of America Eye Care Congress**

HOST: HOAECC

KEY FACULTY: David Kading, Michael Chaglasian, Christopher Borgman, Lynn Lawrence

CE HOURS: Total: 71, max. per OD: 17

LOCATION: Sheraton Kansas City Hotel at Crown Center, 2345 McGee St.

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**Feb. 15-17, Jacksonville**  
**FinalEyes CE**

HOST: Florida Eye Specialists

KEY FACULTY: Don Teig, Mark Swanson, Kenzo Koike, Amit Chokshi, Ben Thomas, Abdallah Jeroudi  
 CE HOURS: 18

LOCATION: TIAA Bank Field Stadium, 1 TIAA Bank Field Dr.

CONTACT: Erin Gordon

**Feb. 20, New Orleans**

**COVID at SECO**

HOST: College of Optometrists in Vision Development and SECO  
KEY FACULTY: Brenda Montecalvo  
CONTACT: [info@covid.org](mailto:info@covid.org)  
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**Feb. 20-24, New Orleans**

**SECO 2019**

HOST: SECO International  
KEY FACULTY: Paul Ajamian, Mile Brujic, Nathan Lighthizer, Chris Quinn  
CE HOURS: 250 total; 50 max. per OD  
LOCATION: Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, 900 Convention Center Blvd.  
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**Feb. 23-March 2, On Board Celebrity Equinox**

**AEA Cruises Western Caribbean Optometric Cruise**

HOST: AEA Cruises  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: Celebrity Equinox  
CONTACT: Marge McGrath  
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[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

**Feb. 24, New York City Glaucoma Symposium**

HOST: SUNY College of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: SUNY College of Optometry, 33 West 42nd St.  
CONTACT: Betsy Torres

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**Feb. 24, Rosemont, IL IOA Winter CE Series**

HOST: Illinois Optometric Association  
KEY FACULTY: Nathan Lighthizer  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: Hyatt Regency O'Hare, 9300 Bryn Mawr Ave.  
CONTACT: Katie Lewis  
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217-525-8012  
[www.ioaweb.org](http://www.ioaweb.org)

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**Feb. 24, Rancho Cordova, CA Ocular Symposium**

HOST: Sacramento Valley Opt. Society  
KEY FACULTY: John McGreal, Christina Wilmer, Joel Fleischmann, Carlos Medina  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: Marriott Sacramento, 11211 Point East Drive  
CONTACT: Tamalon Littlefield  
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[www.svos.info](http://www.svos.info)

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**Feb. 28-March 2, Big Sky, MT MT Opt. Assn. Winter Conference**

HOST: Montana Optometric Assn.  
KEY FACULTY: Ami Halvorson, Kirk Halvorson, Leonid Skorin  
CE HOURS: 13  
LOCATION: Huntley Lodge/Big Sky Conference Ctr., 50 Big Sky Resort Rd.  
CONTACT: Marti Wangen  
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**8pm—Katie's:** 3701 Iberville St., [www.katiesinmidcity.com](http://www.katiesinmidcity.com)

This much-loved Creole-Italian eatery draws armies of regulars. Stand-outs include chargrilled oysters and slow-roasted cochon de lait (suckling pig)—tender shards of pork piled high on a buttered, lightly toasted Gendusa roll smothered with Creole mustard-tanged slaw.

**10:30pm—Twelve Mile Limit:** 500 S. Telemachus St., [www.twelvemilelimit.com](http://www.twelvemilelimit.com)

Take an honest-to-goodness neighborhood dive bar, a vintage juke box and add craft cocktails at rock bottom prices—and you've got Twelve Mile Limit. A French 75, one of the city's signature drinks, is poured for around seven dollars.

**Late Night—Siberia:** 2227 St. Claude Ave., [www.siberialounge.com](http://www.siberialounge.com)

A favorite for St. Claude Avenue bar hopping, Siberia features eclectic music, running the gamut from heavy metal to klezmer to singer-songwriter. Gritty, nice and dark, with a pool table, creepy taxidermy and beat-up tables and chairs, Siberia is also home to Kukhnya (*kitchen* in Russian), the Slavic soul eatery in the back that dishes Polish and Russian specialties at frugal prices. Belly up to the kitchen window and order some of chef Matt "the Hat" Ribachonek's rib-sticking specialties.

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						MBKU Ocular Disease: Part I
						Tropical CE-Hawaii
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MBKU Ocular Disease						
MBKU Foreign Body						
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OEP Art & Science of Behavioral Vision Care				VT2/Learning-related Visual Problems		
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**MAR. 4-6, PARK CITY, UTAH**

**N**eed to know the latest on optical coherence tomography? Then All Things OCT is a meeting custom-made just for you. This highly unique event, which debuted in 2018, focuses on a technology rather than a specific disease type. With OCT becoming more and more essential to optometric practice, this new meetings looks to serve a genuine need in the education landscape.

All Things OCT will hold its second annual meeting March 4-6 in Park City, Utah at the Shadow Ridge Resort and Conference Center. Attendees will be able to earn up to 14 hours of continuing education credit.

As they learn more about OCT, attendees will also gain valuable, clinically relevant knowledge about a wide spectrum of topics, from refractive and anterior segment conditions to retina, glaucoma and neuro-ophthalmic disease, says meeting chair Joseph Pizzimenti, OD.

“There was great energy and an enthusiastic response at our first meeting last March,” Dr. Pizzimenti says. “OCT is becoming as common a technology in the OD’s office as the slit lamp. We are looking forward to delivering another innovative program that focuses on OCT’s principles, scan selection, interpretation and clinical application.”

The 2019 meeting will include interactive CE lectures

led by Dr. Pizzimenti, co-chair James Fanelli, OD, Julie Rodman, OD, and Leonard Messner, OD. Additionally, there will be a hands-on workshop where attendees will have opportunities to see the various OCT instruments in action, to scan and be scanned and to have all of their questions answered.

During the meeting, optometrists will learn the intricacies of how to analyze and get the most out of their instrument, while others will benefit from the advanced education and training, especially on topics such as glaucoma progression and RPE analysis, *en face* imaging, swept source, enhanced-depth imaging and OCT-A. For those who are on the fence about adding OCT to their practice but don’t know where to start, this three-day meeting will guide you in the right direction.

This year’s curriculum was designed to bridge the gap between collecting imaging data and correctly interpreting it so that one may properly apply it in clinical decision-making.

Just like last year, All Things OCT 2019 will once again be a conference within a conference, kicking off the annual EyeSki meeting in Park City, Utah.

For more information or to register: contact [allthingsoct@gmail.com](mailto:allthingsoct@gmail.com) or go to [allthingsoct.com](http://allthingsoct.com).



**March 3, Detroit  
Michigan Optometric Association  
CExpress**

HOST: Michigan Optometric Assn.  
CE HOURS: 7  
LOCATION: Detroit Yacht Club,  
1 Riverbank Dr.  
CONTACT: MOA  
[info@themoa.org](mailto:info@themoa.org); 517-482-0616  
[www.themoa.org/cexpress](http://www.themoa.org/cexpress)

CE HOURS: 6 total; 3 max. per OD  
LOCATION: San Francisco Airport  
Waterfront, Burlingame, 1800 Old  
Bayshore Highway  
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[brends@coavision.org](mailto:brends@coavision.org)  
916-266-5035  
[www.coavision.org](http://www.coavision.org)  
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Deborah Zelinsky, Julie Steinhauer  
CE HOURS: 13  
LOCATION: Hilton Chicago  
Northbrook, 2855 N. Milwaukee Ave.  
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[drjohnod@gmail.com](mailto:drjohnod@gmail.com)  
708-917-5353  
[oep.org](http://oep.org)  
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**March 3, San Francisco  
OptoWest**

HOST: California Optometric Assn.  
KEY FACULTY: Raman Bhakhti, Marc  
Bloomenstein

**March 3-4, Northbrook, IL  
The Use of Technology in Vision  
Rehabilitation and Lens Prescribing**

HOST: Great Lakes Optometric  
Congress  
KEY FACULTY: Charles Shidlofsky,

**March 3-8, Park City, Utah  
EyeSki Conference**

HOST: James Fanelli, Joseph  
Pizzimenti  
KEY FACULTY: Leonard Messner,  
Joseph Pizzimenti, Richard Mangan,  
Julia Rodman, James Fanelli  
CE HOURS: 22  
LOCATION: Shadow Ridge Resort and  
Conference Ctr., 50 Shadow Ridge Rd.  
CONTACT: James Fanelli  
[advancedtechconferences@gmail.com](mailto:advancedtechconferences@gmail.com)  
910-452-7225  
[eyeskiutah.com](http://eyeskiutah.com)  
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EDUCATION TOPICS			
<b>AL</b> Allergy	<b>CS</b> Corneal surgery	<b>NO</b> Neuro-ophthalmics	<b>RE</b> Retinal disorders
<b>AM</b> Amblyopia	<b>CT</b> Cataract surgery	<b>NT</b> Nutrition & the eye	<b>RS</b> Refractive surgery
<b>BV</b> Binocular vision	<b>DB</b> Diabetes	<b>IN</b> Ocular infections	<b>SV</b> Sports vision
<b>CM</b> Comanagement	<b>DE</b> Dry eye	<b>DS</b> Optical dispensing	<b>SD</b> Systemic disease
<b>CL</b> Contact lenses	<b>EL</b> Eyelids/adnexa	<b>PE</b> Pediatric eye care	<b>TE</b> Technology
<b>CD</b> Cornea/conjunctiva	<b>GL</b> Glaucoma	<b>PH</b> Pharmacology	<b>UV</b> Uveitis
	<b>LT</b> Laboratory testing	<b>PM</b> Practice mgmt.	<b>VT</b> Vision therapy

**March 4-6, Park City, Utah  
All Things OCT**

HOST: Advanced Technologies Conferences  
KEY FACULTY: Joseph Pizzimenti, James Fanelli, Julie Rodman, Leonard Messner  
CE HOURS: 14  
LOCATION: Shadow Ridge Resort and Conference Center, 50 Shadow Ridge Rd.  
CONTACT: [allthingsoct@gmail.com](mailto:allthingsoct@gmail.com)  
[allthingsoct.com](http://allthingsoct.com)  
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**March 6-10, Cancun, Mexico  
Ocular Therapeutics in Cancun**

HOST: Ocular Therapeutics  
KEY FACULTY: Jim Thimons, Tony Litwak, John Spalding, Peter Lalle, Andrew DiMaattino, Chris Quinn  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Fiesta Americana Condesa, Km 16 Kukulcan Blvd.  
CONTACT: Tony Litwak  
[info@otce.net](mailto:info@otce.net)  
443-895-1682  
[www.otce.net](http://www.otce.net)  
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**March 7-10, Orlando  
Review's New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care**

HOST: RGVCE  
KEY FACULTY: Chair: Paul Karpecki  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Disney Yacht & Beach Club, 1700 Epcot Resorts Blvd.  
CONTACT: Lois DiDomenico  
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866-658-1772  
[www.reviewsce.com](http://www.reviewsce.com)  
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**March 7-11, Red Deer, Canada  
VT2/Learning Related Visual Problems**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program Foundation  
KEY FACULTY: Paul Harris  
CE HOURS: 35  
CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org)  
410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

**March 8, Winston-Salem, NC  
NCSOS Spring Meeting**

HOST: Winston-Salem District of NC State Optometric Association  
KEY FACULTY: Ron Melton, Randall Thomas  
CONTACT: [temaseye@yahoo.com](mailto:temaseye@yahoo.com)

**March 9, Glendale, AZ  
AZ-AAO Spring Meeting**

HOST: Arizona Chapter of the American Academy of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Stephanie Woo  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: Midwestern University, Glendale Campus, 19555 N. 59th Ave.  
CONTACT: Matthew Rhodes  
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[www.aaopt.org/azchapter](http://www.aaopt.org/azchapter)  
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**March 9-10, Fullerton, CA  
Ocular Disease: Part I**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum U., SCCO  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: MBKU Hopping Academic Center, 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre, Antoinette Smith  
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[ketchum.edu/ce](http://ketchum.edu/ce)  
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**March 9-16, Kona & Maui, Hawaii  
Tropical CE—Hawaii**

HOST: Tropical CE  
KEY FACULTY: Blair Lonsberry, Jill Autry, Roberto Saenz  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Fairmont Wild Orchid, 1 North Kaniku Dr. (Kona) & Fairmont Kea Lani, 4100 Wailea Alanui Dr. (Maui)  
CONTACT: Stuart Autry  
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281-808-5763  
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**March 9-17, Bangkok, Chiang Mai, Phuket**

**A Taste of Thailand Optometry CE**  
HOST: iTravelCE  
KEY FACULTY: Melissa Barnett  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Shangri-La Hotel, 89 Soi Wat Suan Plu, New Rd.  
CONTACT: Bridgitte Shen Lee  
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832-390-1393  
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**March 10, Fullerton, CA  
Foreign Body Removal Hands-On Workshop**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum U., SCCO  
CE HOURS: 2  
LOCATION: MBKU, Hopping Academic Ctr., 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre, Antoinette Smith  
[ce@ketchum.edu](mailto:ce@ketchum.edu); 714-449-7495  
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**March 10, Springfield, IL  
IOA Winter CE Series**

HOST: Illinois Optometric Association  
KEY FACULTY: Mile Brujic  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: Crowne Plaza Hotel, 3000 S. Dirksen Pkwy.  
CONTACT: Katie Lewis  
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217-525-8012  
[www.ioaweb.org](http://www.ioaweb.org)  
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**March 13, Neptune City, NJ  
NJ-AAO Educational Dinner Lecture**

HOST: New Jersey Chapter-American Academy of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 2  
LOCATION: Jumping Brook Country Club, 210 Jumping Brook Rd.  
CONTACT: Dennis Lyons  
[dhl2020@aol.com](mailto:dhl2020@aol.com)  
732-920-0110  
[www.aaopt.org/membership/us-and-international-chapters/njchapter](http://www.aaopt.org/membership/us-and-international-chapters/njchapter)

**March 14-15, New York City  
SUNY Residents Day**

HOST: SUNY College of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 14  
LOCATION: SUNY College of Optometry, 33 West 42nd St.  
CONTACT: Betsy Torres  
[btorres@sunyopt.edu](mailto:btorres@sunyopt.edu)  
212-938-5830  
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**March 15, Columbus, OH  
Binocular Vision & Pediatrics Forum**

HOST: Ohio State U. College of Opt. KEY FACULTY: OSU Binocular Vision and Pediatric Faculty  
CE HOURS: 7  
LOCATION: OSU College of Optometry, Fry Hall, 338 W. 10th Ave.  
CONTACT: Denise Turner  
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614-292-4451  
[optometry.osu.edu/2019-binocular-vision-and-pediatrics-forum](http://optometry.osu.edu/2019-binocular-vision-and-pediatrics-forum)  
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**March 16-17, Fort Myers, FL  
NSU West Coast Spring Conference**

HOST: Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Beata Lewandowska, Yin Tea, Jessica Steen  
CE HOURS: 12  
LOCATION: NSU Fort Myers Campus, 3650 Colonial Court  
CONTACT: Vanessa McDonald  
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954-262-4224  
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Pennsylvania College of Optometry

**March 17, Elkins Park, PA**

**Dynamic Duos**

Host: Salus University  
KEY FACULTY: Doan Kwak, Michael Aronsky, Justin Sherman, Kelly Malloy, Erin Kenny, Carlo Pelino  
CE HOURS: 8 (COPE approval pending)  
LOCATION: Salus University, 8360 Old York Road  
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[www.salus.edu/events](http://www.salus.edu/events)  
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**March 17-24, On Board Norwegian Dawn**

**AEA Cruises Southern Caribbean Optometric Cruise**  
HOST: AEA Cruises  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: Norwegian Dawn  
CONTACT: Marge McGrath  
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773-594-9866  
[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

**March 20, Massachusetts (city TBD) MSO Wednesday Morning CE Series**

HOST: Massachusetts Society of Optometrists  
CE HOURS: 3  
CONTACT: Jessica Bertrand  
[info@maoptometry.org](mailto:info@maoptometry.org)  
[www.maoptometry.org/wednesday-morning-series.html](http://www.maoptometry.org/wednesday-morning-series.html)

**March 21-24, New York City Vision Expo East**

HOST: Reed Exhibitions/Vision Council  
KEY FACULTY: Michael Kling, Whitney Hauser, Danica Marrelli, Thomas Quinn, Paul Karpecki, Scott Morris  
CE HOURS: 309 total, 28 max. per OD  
LOCATION: Jacob Javits Center, 655 W. 34th St.  
CONTACT: Julia Moore  
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703-740-2248  
[visionexpony.com](http://visionexpony.com)  
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**March 21-25, Bolton, Ontario, Canada The Art & Science of Behavioral Vision Care**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program  
KEY FACULTY: Virginia Donati, Rob Lewis  
CE HOURS: 35  
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[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org); 410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

**March 21-25, Tyson's Corner, VA Symposium on Ocular Disease**

HOST: PSS EyeCare  
KEY FACULTY: Michael Tolentino,

David Masihdas, Jerome Sherman, Deepak Gupta  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Marriott Hotel, 8028 Leesburg Pike  
CONTACT: Sonia Kumari  
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203-415-3087  
[www.psseyecare.com](http://www.psseyecare.com)  
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**March 22-23, Birmingham, AL Envision Conference East**

HOST: Envision University  
CE HOURS: 24 total; 12 max. per OD  
LOCATION: University of Alabama at Birmingham Hill Student Center, 1400 University Blvd.  
CONTACT: Michael Epp  
[michael.epp@envisionus.com](mailto:michael.epp@envisionus.com)  
316-440-1515  
[www.envisionconference.org](http://www.envisionconference.org)  
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**March 24, Tinley Park, IL IOA Winter CE Series**

HOST: Illinois Optometric Association  
KEY FACULTY: Stuart Richer  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: Tinley Park Convention Center, 18451 Convention Ctr. Dr.  
CONTACT: Katie Lewis  
[katie@ioaweb.org](mailto:katie@ioaweb.org); 217-525-8012  
[www.ioaweb.org](http://www.ioaweb.org)  
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**March 28-29, Bismarck, ND NDOA Legislative & CE Meeting**

HOST: North Dakota Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: Ramkota Hotel, 800 S. 3rd St.  
CONTACT: Nancy Kopp  
[nkopp@ndeyecare.com](mailto:nkopp@ndeyecare.com)  
[www.ndeyecare.com](http://www.ndeyecare.com)

**March 28-April 1, Halifax, Canada VT2/Learning Related Visual Problems**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program Foundation  
KEY FACULTY: John Abbondanza  
CE HOURS: 35  
CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org); 410-561-3791  
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**March 29-30, St. George, UT St. George Spring Conference**

HOST: Utah Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: The Inn at Entrada, 2588 W. Sinagua Trail  
CONTACT: Alyssa White  
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801-364-9103  
[www.utaheyedoc.org](http://www.utaheyedoc.org)

**March 29-31, Greenville, SC SCOPA Spring Meeting**

HOST: South Carolina Optometric Physicians Association  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: The Poinsett Westin, 1205 S. Main St.  
CONTACT: Jackie Rivers  
[jrivers@sceyedoctors.com](mailto:jrivers@sceyedoctors.com)  
803-799-6721  
[www.sceyedoctors.com](http://www.sceyedoctors.com)

**March 29-31, Des Moines, Iowa Iowa Annual Congress**

HOST: Iowa Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 14  
LOCATION: Des Moines Marriott Downtown, 700 Grand Ave.  
CONTACT: Jill Gonder  
[jillg@iowaoptometry.org](mailto:jillg@iowaoptometry.org)  
515-222-5679 ext. 3  
[www.iowaoptometry.org/upcoming-events](http://www.iowaoptometry.org/upcoming-events)

**March 30-31, Dallas CE in the Southwest**

HOST: Univ. of Houston College of Opt. & Univ. of the Incarnate Word Rosenberg School of Opt.  
KEY FACULTY: Marcus Gonzales, Sandra Fortenberry  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Westin Galleria Dallas, 13340 Dallas Pkwy  
CONTACT: UHCO Continuing Education  
[optce@central.uh.edu](mailto:optce@central.uh.edu); 713-743-1900  
[ce.opt.uh.edu/](http://ce.opt.uh.edu/)

**March 31, Santa Rosa, CA Annual Wine Country CE**

HOST: Redwood Empire Optometric Society  
KEY FACULTY: Mile Brujic  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: Vintners Inn, 4350 Barnes Rd.  
CONTACT: Margot Shipley  
[reosvision@gmail.com](mailto:reosvision@gmail.com)  
707-681-1535  
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**March 31, Dublin, OH Professional Education**

HOST: I Can See Clearly Foundation  
KEY FACULTY: Bruce Onofrey, Katherine Bickle, Richard Erdey, Gregory Searey, Samuel Gallo  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: Embassy Suites Hotel, 5100 Upper Metro Place, Dublin, OH  
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## Springtime in NYC Means Plenty of CE

In March, get ready for one of the biggest meetings in the profession: Vision Expo East (VEE). The 2019 meeting is scheduled for March 21-24 in New York's Jacob Javits Center.

Hosted by Reed Exhibitions and The Vision Council, VEE—and its twin meeting in the fall, Vision Expo West—are two meetings you won't want to miss in 2019.

"Both Vision Expo East and West 2019 will offer educational programs that are infused with new and innovative content that represent the future of the eyecare industry," says optometrist Ben Gaddie, co-chairman of the conference advisory board. "Not only do Vision Expo East and West focus on improving patient care, but we work to present opportunities for individuals to better themselves beyond the classroom."

VEE 2019 will offer a total of 309 CE hours, and optometrists can earn up to 28 hours of CE credit. Here's a sneak peek at some highlights:

### Education Programs

• **March Madness (new in 2019 and free): Case Challenges in Optometry—Optimizing Ocular Imaging:** In the spirit of March Madness, panelists will compete against each other by presenting interesting cases highlighting imaging technology. The audience will decide who wins each match via attendee interactive polling technology. The competition is expected to be fierce, and the stakes will be high, as the loser will go home and the winner will advance until the final showdown. This course will also include a two-hour imaging workshop. Moderator: Mark Dunbar, OD.

• **Myopia Track (new in 2019):** Myopia is one of the most common conditions that optometrists in practice see, with one-third of the population impacted. This track presents opportunities for clinicians to educate patients, integrate new prevention methods and strategies to manage and slow the progression of myopia.



• **The Leadership Forum (new in 2019): Inspire, Transform and Drive Change.** Leadership is influence. Effective leaders possess the skills and knowledge to persuade others into action. They set the tone and direction for the organization, understand the impact they have on others and effectively communicate the culture and vision for those they lead. The Leadership Forum will teach you how to increase your leadership effectiveness, eliminate a negative mindset, embrace and implement change and improve your communication skills to unlock your leadership potential. Sessions will include "The Psychology of Leadership and Success," "Effective Communication" and "Action Planning and Execution Strategy."

### Clinical Highlights

These programs will feature a deep dive into comprehensive disease diagnosis, treatment and management, as well as contact lenses, therapeutics and state-of-the-art imaging technology—all designed to bolster the quality and consistency of care in your practice. Clinical topics will include: glaucoma, dry eye and ocular surface disease and contact lenses.

• **Low Vision:** Take up to five sessions that will focus on vision reha-

bilitation featuring the latest developments in therapies and treatments for a condition that affects over 16 million people.

• **Scleral Lens Track:** Scleral lens fitting is one of the fastest growing segments of a specialty contact lens practice. These lenses' impact can be profound and life changing, both to the patient and the practice. This track will provide comprehensive and clinical information on how to select a scleral lens design for both basic and advance cases, how to assess the fit and how to solve problems that may develop.

Learn skills that will take your abilities and patient satisfaction to the next level.

• **Global Contact Lens Forum:** This free, informative and highly attended "meeting within a meeting" provides attendees with practical, timely tips in both clinical and business processes that will take your specialty contact lens practice to the next level. One panel will include highly successful specialty lens fitters giving insights on how to start, grow and thrive in a specialty lens practice in the 21st century. This will be followed by grand rounds case presentations highlighting how to integrate advance technology in a specialty contact lens practice. Finally, take a logical and methodical look at billing and coding in the specialty contact lens practice.

### Staff Learning Opportunities

OptiCon at Vision Expo is designed to provide your staff with the highest quality and most affordable opportunity to learn, source and network with peers. Your staff will have access to a comprehensive package that includes quality education, tailored special events (including a general session and welcome party), as well as access to discounted rates.

For more information or to register, go to [east.visionexpo.com](http://east.visionexpo.com).

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# April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 VT2/Learning-related Visual Problems	2	3	4 OAOP Vision Summit Nebraska Primary EyeCare Conference NJ-AAO Golf Educational Conference PSS Conference on Comprehensive EyeCare	5 NMOA Annual Convention SCO Spring CE Weekend 2019 AZOA Spring Congress	6 UHCO CE in Houston Optifair Canada Miami Nice
7 NJ-AAO Golf Educational Conference PSS Conf. on Comprehensive EyeCare NMOA Convention SCO Spring CE AZOA Congress UHCO CE in Houston Optifair Canada Miami Nice Salus Excellence COA OptoWest	8	9	10	11 COVID Annual Meeting CE in Italy/Europe - Barcelona New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care - San Diego/OCCRS	12 SCO Destination CE Indiana Optometry Annual Convention	13 UMSL Nutrition & The Eye
14 MBKU Glaucoma Grand Rounds New Technologies & Treatments - San Diego/OCCRS SCO Destination CE Indiana Optometry Annual Convention UMSL Nutrition & The Eye	15	16	17 NECO Low Vision University	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 PSS Forum on Optometry OEP VT1/Visual Dysfunctions	25 KOA Spring Conference Wisconsin Optometric Assn. Spring Seminar Kansas Optometric Association Annual Convention Arkansas Optometric Association Spring Convention CE in Italy/Europe - Tuscany	26 FL-AAO Educational Meeting NSU Annual Conference & Alumni Reunion UC Berkeley Morgan Sarver Symposium	27 AZ Residents' Day
28	29	30	Transatlantic Optometric Cruise			
ARVO Annual Meeting						
PSS Forum Visual Dysfunctions AR OA Spring CE CE in Italy/Europe - Tuscany NSU Conference UC Berkeley Morgan Sarver Symposium SUNY B'fast & Learn						

**April 4-6, Norman, OK**

**OAOP Vision Summit**

HOST: Oklahoma Association of Optometric Physicians  
 KEY FACULTY: Jill Autry, Brian Rognoff

CE HOURS: 30+ total; 20 max. per OD  
 LOCATION: Embassy Suites Hotel & Conference Ctr., 2501 Conference Dr.  
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[www.oaop.org](http://www.oaop.org)

**April 4-6, Lincoln, NE**  
**Nebraska Primary EyeCare Conference**

HOST: Nebraska Optometric Assn.  
 KEY FACULTY: Chris Wroten, Joseph Sowka, Brad Sutton  
 LOCATION: The Lincoln Marriott Cornhusker Hotel, 333 S 13th St.  
 CONTACT: Emily Wilcox  
[ewilcox@assocoffice.net](mailto:ewilcox@assocoffice.net)  
 402-474-7716  
[nebraska.aoa.org/education-and-training/spring-conference](http://nebraska.aoa.org/education-and-training/spring-conference)

**April 4-8, Myrtle Beach, SC**  
**Annual Golf Educational Conference**

HOST: New Jersey Chapter-American Academy of Optometry  
 KEY FACULTY: James Fanelli, Jerry Sherman  
 CE HOURS: 16  
 LOCATION: Hilton Embassy Suites, Kingston Plantation, 9800 Queensway Blvd.  
 CONTACT: Dennis Lyons  
[dhl2020@aol.com](mailto:dhl2020@aol.com); 732-920-0110  
[www.aaopt.org/membership/us-and-international-chapters/njchapter](http://www.aaopt.org/membership/us-and-international-chapters/njchapter)

**April 4-8, Niagara Falls**  
**Conference on Comprehensive EyeCare**

HOST: PSS EyeCare  
 KEY FACULTY: Michael Tolentino, David Masihdas, Jerome Sherman, Deepak Gupta  
 CE HOURS: 18  
 LOCATION: Sheraton Hotel, 300 Third St.  
 CONTACT: Sonia Kumari  
[education@psseyecare.com](mailto:education@psseyecare.com)  
 203-415-3087  
[www.psseyecare.com](http://www.psseyecare.com)  
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**APRIL 28-MAY 2, VANCOUVER**

**ARVO: A Master Class in Research**

**F**or the absolute gold standard in ophthalmic research, look no further than the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO). The name is synonymous with scientific credibility. This venerable institution's 2019 meeting will be held April 28 to May 2 in Vancouver, British Columbia, with the theme "From Bench to Bedside and Back."

The premise, according to ARVO, is to give attendees a chance to see how the science of today will translate into the clinical protocols of tomorrow—which will then prompt more questions for researchers to tackle. "Whether you are examining the genetics of disease or the possibilities of a new technology to diagnose, treat or even prevent an eye condition, this work often begins with a burning question that leads to more questions and answers," ARVO notes.

ARVO 2019's opening keynote lecture will be "How Cells Export Proteins and RNA—Applications to the Treatment of Disease," by Randy W. Schekman, PhD. The closing

keynote address will be "Models of Translational Science to Span Innovation Gaps in Academia," by Martin Gleave, MD.

The list of this year's full educational sessions for will be ready in mid-March 2019, and typically includes 100+ sessions, plus all sorts of special events and marquee speeches that run the gamut of topics in eye disease.

For more information, go to [arvo.org](http://arvo.org).



**April 5-7, Albuquerque, NM**  
**New Mexico Optometric Association Annual Convention**

HOST: New Mexico Optometric Association  
 CE HOURS: 22  
 LOCATION: Sandia Resort 30 Rainbow Rd.  
 CONTACT: Richard Montoya  
[newmexicooptometry@gmail.com](mailto:newmexicooptometry@gmail.com)  
 575-751-7242  
[www.newmexicooptometry.org](http://www.newmexicooptometry.org)

**April 5-7, Memphis**  
**SCO's Spring CE Weekend 2019**

HOST: Southern College of Optometry  
 CE HOURS: 20+ total; 16+ max. per OD  
 LOCATION: Southern College of Optometry, 1245 Madison Ave.  
 CONTACT: Jeanie Snider  
[jsnider@sco.edu](mailto:jsnider@sco.edu); 901-722-3397  
[www.sco.edu/upcoming-ce-events](http://www.sco.edu/upcoming-ce-events)  
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**April 5-7, Tucson**  
**AZOA Spring Congress**

HOST: Arizona Optometric Assn.  
 CE HOURS: 14 to 16  
 LOCATION: JW Marriott Tucson Starr Pass Resort, 3800 W. Starr Pass Blvd.  
 CONTACT: Kate Diedrickson  
[kate@azoa.org](mailto:kate@azoa.org)  
[www.azoa.org/connect](http://www.azoa.org/connect)  
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EDUCATION TOPICS	
<b>AL</b> Allergy	<b>CS</b> Corneal surgery
<b>AM</b> Amblyopia	<b>CT</b> Cataract surgery
<b>BV</b> Binocular vision	<b>DB</b> Diabetes
<b>CM</b> Comanagement	<b>DE</b> Dry eye
<b>CL</b> Contact lenses	<b>EL</b> Eyelids/adnexa
<b>CD</b> Cornea/conjunctiva	<b>GL</b> Glaucoma
<b>LT</b> Laboratory testing	<b>NO</b> Neuro-ophthalmics
<b>NT</b> Nutrition & the eye	<b>RE</b> Retinal disorders
<b>IN</b> Ocular infections	<b>RS</b> Refractive surgery
<b>DS</b> Optical dispensing	<b>SV</b> Sports vision
<b>PE</b> Pediatric eye care	<b>SD</b> Systemic disease
<b>PH</b> Pharmacology	<b>TE</b> Technology
<b>PM</b> Practice mgmt.	<b>UV</b> Uveitis
<b>VT</b> Vision therapy	

**April 6-7, Houston**

**CE in Houston**

HOST: University of Houston College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Sam Quintero  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: UHCO Health 1 Building, 4901 Calhoun Rd.  
CONTACT: UHCO Continuing Education  
[optce@central.uh.edu](mailto:optce@central.uh.edu)  
713-743-1900  
[ce.opt.uh.edu](http://ce.opt.uh.edu)

**April 6-7, Brampton, Ontario  
AOE CE Seminar & Optifair Canada Trade Show**

HOST: Academy of Ophthalmic Education  
CE HOURS: 14  
LOCATION: Embassy Grand Convention Centre  
8800 The Gore Rd.  
CONTACT: Claudia Marks  
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905-731-6022  
[aoece.com](http://aoece.com)  
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**April 6-7, Miami**

**Miami Nice CE Conference**

HOST: Miami Dade Optometric Physician Association  
KEY FACULTY: Jill Autry, Greg Caldwell, David Rouse, Albert Woods  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Hilton Miami Airport Hotel  
5101 Blue Lagoon Dr.  
CONTACT: Steve Morris  
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[www.miamieyes.org/miami\\_nice1.aspx](http://www.miamieyes.org/miami_nice1.aspx)  
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**April 7, 2019 – Elkins Park, PA  
Excellence in Education**

Host: Salus University  
KEY FACULTY: Brian Hall, Michael Cymbor, Laine Higa, Patrick McManamon  
CE Hours: 8 (COPE approval pending)  
Location: Salus University, 8360 Old York Road  
Contact: Janet Wilbur  
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215-780-1380  
[www.salus.edu/events](http://www.salus.edu/events)  
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**April 7, Sacramento  
OptoWest**

HOST: California Optometric Assn.  
KEY FACULTY: Raman Bhakhri, Marc Robert Bloomenstein  
CE HOURS: Total: 6, max. per OD: 3

LOCATION: Hilton, Sacramento Arden West, 2200 Harvard St.  
CONTACT: Brenda Stewart  
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916-266-5035  
[www.coavision.org/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageid=3278](http://www.coavision.org/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageid=3278)  
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**April 9-13, Kansas City, MO  
COVID Annual Meeting**

HOST: College of Optometrists in Vision Development  
LOCATION: Kansas City Downtown Marriott, 200 W. 12th St.  
CONTACT: Lauren  
[info@covd.org](mailto:info@covd.org)  
330-995-0718  
[www.covd.org/page/annual\\_meeting](http://www.covd.org/page/annual_meeting)  
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**April 11-13, Barcelona  
CE in Italy/Europe**

HOST: James Fanelli  
KEY FACULTY: Joseph Pizzimenti, James Fanelli  
CE HOURS: 12  
LOCATION: Hotel Colon, Barcelona, Spain, Barcelona Central Gothic Quarter  
CONTACT: James Fanelli  
[jamesfanelli@ceinitaly.com](mailto:jamesfanelli@ceinitaly.com)  
910-452-7225  
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**April 11-14, San Diego  
Review's New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care/OCCRS Joint Symposium**

HOST: RGVCE and OCCRS  
KEY FACULTY: Chair: Paul Karpecki  
CE HOURS: 28 combined (19 New Tech; 9 OCCRS)  
LOCATION: Manchester Grand Hyatt, 1 Market Place  
CONTACT: Lois DiDomenico  
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**April 12-14, Destin, FL  
SCO Destination CE/Co-partnership with WFOA**

HOST: Southern College of Optometry and WFOA  
CE HOURS: 16+  
LOCATION: Sandestin Golf and Beach Resort  
9300 Emerald Coast Parkway  
CONTACT: Jeanie Snider  
[jsnider@sco.edu](mailto:jsnider@sco.edu)  
901-722-3397  
[www.sco.edu/upcoming-ce-events](http://www.sco.edu/upcoming-ce-events)

**April 12-14, French Lick, IN  
Indiana Optometry's Meeting**

HOST: Indiana Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: French Lick Springs Hotel, 8670 West State Road 56  
CONTACT: Bridget Sims  
[blsims@ioa.org](mailto:blsims@ioa.org)  
317-237-3560  
[www.ioa.org](http://www.ioa.org)

**April 13-14, St. Louis  
UMSL Annual Nutrition & the Eye Symposium**

HOST: University of Missouri St. Louis College of Optometry and the Ocular Wellness & Nutrition Society  
KEY FACULTY: Stuart Richer  
CE HOURS: 12  
LOCATION: UMSL JC Penney Conference Center  
1 University Blvd.  
CONTACT: Kari Cline, Erin Schaeffer  
[director@ocularnutritionssociety.org](mailto:director@ocularnutritionssociety.org),  
[schaeffere@umsl.edu](mailto:schaeffere@umsl.edu)  
307-640-6157, 314-516-5615  
[optometry.umsl.edu/ce\\_courses/index.html](http://optometry.umsl.edu/ce_courses/index.html)  
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**April 14-15, Anaheim, CA  
Glaucoma Grand Rounds Certification Course**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum University, SCCO  
KEY FACULTY: George Comer, Mark Sawamura, David Sendrowski, Judy Tong, Robert Yacoub  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: MBKU Ketchum Health, 5460 E La Palma Ave.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre, Antoinette Smith  
[ce@ketchum.edu](mailto:ce@ketchum.edu)  
714-449-7495  
[ketchum.edu/ce](http://ketchum.edu/ce)  
**GL**

**April 17, Boston  
Low Vision University**

HOST: New England College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Nicole Ross, Alexis Malkin  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: New England College of Optometry, 424 Beacon Street Boston, MA  
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**April 24-28, Hartford, CT**

**Forum on Optometry**

HOST: PSS EyeCare

KEY FACULTY: Michael Tolentino, David Masihdas, Jerome Sherman, Deepak Gupta

CE HOURS: 18

LOCATION: Marriot Hotel

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**April 24-28, Timonium, MD**

**VT1/Visual Dysfunctions**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program Foundation

KEY FACULTY: Rob Lewis, Geoff Heddle

CE HOURS: 35

CONTACT: Karen Ruder

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410-561-3791

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**April 25-26, Wisconsin Dells**

**Wisconsin Optometric Association**

**Spring Seminar**

HOST: Wisconsin Optometric Assn.

KEY FACULTY: John McGreal, Jeffery Gerson, Brett Pariseau

CE HOURS: 14

LOCATION: Kalahari Resort, 1305 Kalahari Drive

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**April 25-27, Manhattan, KS**

**Kansas Optometric Association's**

**Annual Convention and Seminar**

HOST: Kansas Optometric Association

CE HOURS: 13

LOCATION: Hilton Garden Inn, 410 S. Third St.

CONTACT: Rachele Heatwole

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785-232-0225

[www.kansasoptometric.org](http://www.kansasoptometric.org)

**April 25-28, Lexington, KY**

**KOA Spring Conference**

HOST: Kentucky Optometric Assn.

CE HOURS: 20

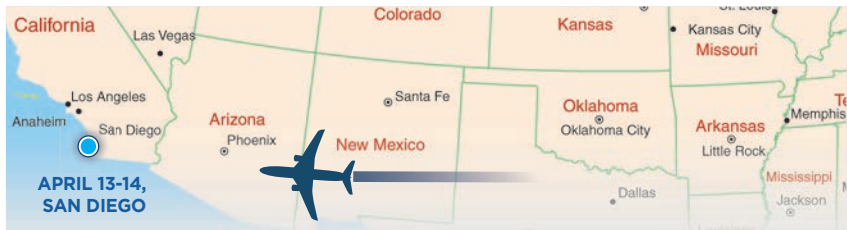
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Optometrists interested in discovering what's new and on the forefront of anterior segment medical and surgical care should head to sunny San Diego April 13-14, when the Optometric Cornea, Cataract and Refractive Society (OCCRS) will hold its meeting for 2019.

The 16th annual OCCRS conference will "once again bring together the best in optometric education discussing the latest updates for cornea, cataract and refractive surgery clinical care," says OCCRS President David Friess, OD. "Each year, we look forward to providing attendees with not only excellent education across this broad range of rapidly evolving treatments but also a friendly forum to connect with colleagues who participate in advanced clinical care." Highlights include pre-surgical decision making, managing complex post-surgical cases, endothelial disease management, MIGS update and hands-on clinical wetlabs.

The OCCRS event will take place immediately following Review's New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care meeting at the same venue, which begins on April 11. By combining both programs, attendees will be able to earn up to 28 continuing education credits.

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**April 25-28, Little Rock, AR**

**ArOA Spring Convention**

HOST: Arkansas Optometric Association

KEY FACULTY: Randall Thomas, Ron Melton, Ed Paul, Danica Marrelli

HOURS: 20

LOCATION: Statehouse Convention Center, W. Markham St. & Broadway St.

CONTACT: Debbie Henley

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**April 26-27, Howey-In-The-Hills, FL**

**Florida Chapter AAO Educational Meeting**

HOST: Florida Chapter AAO

KEY FACULTY: Tammy Than, John McCane, Susan Frick

CE HOURS: 10 (6 CE TQ)

LOCATION: Mission Inn, 10400 County Rd. 48

CONTACT: Art Young

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**April 25-28, Tuscany, Italy**

**CE in Italy/Europe**

HOST: James Fanelli

KEY FACULTY: Joseph Pizzimenti, James Fanelli, Lorraine Lombardi

CE HOURS: 12

LOCATION: Residence Le Santucce,

**April 26-28, Fort Lauderdale, FL  
NSU Annual Eye Care Conference  
and Alumni Reunion**

HOST: Nova Southeastern University  
College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Sherrol Reynolds,  
Stuart Kaplan  
CE HOURS: 19  
LOCATION: NSU Fort Lauderdale  
Campus, 3200 S. University Dr.  
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**April 26-28, Berkeley, CA  
Morgan Sarver Symposium**

HOST: UC Berkeley School of  
Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: TBD  
CE HOURS: 21  
LOCATION: DoubleTree by Hilton, 200  
Marina Blvd.  
CONTACT: Lyuda Martello  
[optoce@berkeley.edu](mailto:optoce@berkeley.edu)  
800-827-2163  
[optometry.berkeley.edu/continuing-education/morgan-symposium](http://optometry.berkeley.edu/continuing-education/morgan-symposium)

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**April 27, Glendale, AZ  
Residents' Day—An Ocular Disease  
Symposium**

HOST: Arizona College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Optometry residents  
from Southwest region of the U.S.  
CE HOURS: 7  
LOCATION: Midwestern University  
19555 N. 59th Ave.  
CONTACT: Caitlin Miller  
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623-806-7276  
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**April 27-28, Foxborough, MA  
MSO Education Conference**

HOST: Massachusetts Society of  
Optometrists  
KEY FACULTY: Randall Thomas, Ron  
Melton, James Hoffman, Andrew  
Morgenstern, Leonard Press  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Gillette Stadium, 1 Patriot  
Pl.  
CONTACT: Massachusetts Society of  
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**April 28, New York City  
Breakfast & Learn**

HOST: SUNY College of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 4  
LOCATION: SUNY College of  
Optometry, 33 West 42nd St.  
CONTACT: Betsy Torres  
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212-938-5830  
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**April 28-May 2, Vancouver  
ARVO Annual Meeting**

HOST: The Association for Research in  
Vision and Ophthalmology  
LOCATION: Vancouver Convention  
Centre, 1055 Canada Pl  
CONTACT:  
[www.arvo.org/annual-meeting/](http://www.arvo.org/annual-meeting/)

**April 28-May 5, On Board Cunard  
Queen Mary 2**

**AEA Cruises Transatlantic  
Optometric Cruise**  
HOST: AEA Cruises  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: Cunard Queen Mary 2  
CONTACT: Marge McGrath  
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# May

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Transatlantic Optometric Cruise						
ARVO Annual Meeting				Montana Optometric Assn. Annual Conference		
				OEP Art & Science of Behavioral Vision Care		
				NCSOS Eastern District Meeting		
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OEP Art & Science of Behavioral Vision Care		NJ-AAO Educational Dinner Lecture				
Transatlantic Optometric Cruise						
SUNY CE-NY						
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
				PA Optometric Association Spring Congress		
				New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care - Nashville		
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PA Optometric Association Spring Congress						
New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care - Nashville						
OptoWest						
26	27	28	29	30	31	
				Michigan Optometric Association Great Lakes Eyecare Conference		
				BCLA Clinical Conference & Exhibition		
				Massachusetts Society of Optometry Cape Cod CE and Family Weekend		

**May 1-3, Missoula, MT**  
**Montana Optometric Association Annual Conference**  
 HOST: Montana Optometric Assn.  
 KEY FACULTY: Anthony DeWilde, Seema Nanda, Mark Wright  
 CE HOURS: 19

LOCATION: Hilton Garden Inn, 3720 N. Reserve St.  
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**May 2-6, Boston**  
**Art & Science of Behavioral Vision Care**  
 HOST: Optometric Extension Program Foundation  
 KEY FACULTY: John Abbondanza  
 CE HOURS: 35

CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
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**May 2, Raleigh, NC**  
**NCSOS Eastern District Meeting**  
 HOST: North Carolina Optometric Society  
 KEY FACULTY: Ron Melton, Randall Thomas  
 CE HOURS: 2  
 LOCATION: Raleigh Marriott, 4500 Marriott Dr.  
 CONTACT: Lisa Wall-Fuller  
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[www.nceyes.org](http://www.nceyes.org)

**May 5, New York City**  
**SUNY CE-NY**  
 HOST: SUNY College of Optometry  
 CE HOURS: 6  
 LOCATION: SUNY College of Optometry, 33 West 42nd St.  
 CONTACT: Betsy Torres  
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 212-938-5830  
[www.sunyopt.edu/cpe](http://www.sunyopt.edu/cpe)

**May 8, Neptune City, NJ**  
**NJ-AAO Educational Dinner Lecture**  
 HOST: New Jersey Chapter-American Academy of Optometry  
 CE HOURS: 2  
 LOCATION: Jumping Brook Country Club, 210 Jumping Brook Rd.  
 CONTACT: Dennis Lyons  
[dhl2020@aol.com](mailto:dhl2020@aol.com)  
 732-920-0110  
[www.aaopt.org/membership/us-and-international-chapters/njchapter](http://www.aaopt.org/membership/us-and-international-chapters/njchapter)

**May 16-19, Pocono Manor, PA**  
**POA Spring Congress**  
 HOST: Pennsylvania Optometric Assn.  
 KEY FACULTY: Alan Kabat, Randall Thomas, Ron Melton  
 CE HOURS: 28 total; 20 max. per OD  
 LOCATION: Kalahari Resort, 250 Kalahari Blvd.  
 CONTACT: Ilene Sauertieg  
[ilene@poaeyes.org](mailto:ilene@poaeyes.org)  
 717-233-6455  
[www.poaeyes.org](http://www.poaeyes.org)  
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**May 17-19, Nashville**  
**Review's New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care**  
 HOST: RGVCE  
 CE HOURS: 18  
 KEY FACULTY: Chair: Paul Karpecki  
 LOCATION: Gaylord Opryland, 2800 Opryland Dr.  
 CONTACT: Lois DiDomenico  
[reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com](mailto:reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com)  
 866-658-1772  
[www.reviewsce.com](http://www.reviewsce.com)  
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**May 19, Anaheim**  
**OptoWest**  
 HOST: California Optometric Association  
 KEY FACULTY: Raman Bhakhri, Justin Kwan  
 CE HOURS: 6 total; 3 max. per OD  
 LOCATION: Anaheim Marriott Suites, 12015 S. Harbor Blvd.  
 CONTACT: Brenda Stewart  
[brends@coavision.org](mailto:brends@coavision.org)  
 916-266-5035  
[www.coavision.org/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageid=3278](http://www.coavision.org/i4a/pages/index.cfm?pageid=3278)  
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**May 30-June 1, Grand Rapids, MI**  
**Michigan Great Lakes Eyecare Conference**  
 HOST: Michigan Optometric Association  
 LOCATION: Amway Grand Plaza Hotel, 187 Monroe Ave. NW.  
 CONTACT: MOA  
[info@themoa.org](mailto:info@themoa.org)  
 517-482-0616  
[www.glecmi.org](http://www.glecmi.org)

**May 30-June 1, Manchester, England**  
**British Contact Lens Association Clinical Conference & Exhibition**  
 HOST: British Contact Lens Association  
 LOCATION: Manchester, England  
 CONTACT: British Contact Lens Association  
[events@bcla.org.uk](mailto:events@bcla.org.uk)  
[www.bcla.org.uk](http://www.bcla.org.uk)



**MAY 30 TO JUNE 1, MANCHESTER**

**British CE Invasion!**

If you want to learn the finer points of contact lens fitting from the world's top experts, hop across the pond from May 30 to June 1 for the British Contact Lens Association's (BCLA) Clinical Conference & Exhibition in Manchester.

Every other year, the BCLA hosts the UK's largest clinical conference and exhibition dedicated to contact lenses and the anterior eye. This three-day event attracts more than 1,000 British and international contact lens professionals at all stages of their careers.

At the meeting, you'll discover the latest trends and challenges in the profession and take home key clinical and professional building blocks for a more successful contact lens practice, BCLA says.

The conference will offer delegates from the UK an average of 50 CET points in a host of core competencies—as well as COPE accreditation for delegates from North America.

For more information or to register, go to [www.bcla.org.uk](http://www.bcla.org.uk) or contact [events@bcla.org.uk](mailto:events@bcla.org.uk).



**May 31-June 2, North Falmouth, MA**  
**Cape Cod CE and Family Weekend**

HOST: Massachusetts Society of Optometrists  
 CE HOURS: 8  
 LOCATION: Sea Crest Beach Hotel, 350 Quaker Rd.  
 CONTACT: MSO  
[info@maoptometry.org](mailto:info@maoptometry.org)  
 508-875-7900  
[maoptometry.org](http://maoptometry.org)

EDUCATION TOPICS			
<b>AL</b> Allergy	<b>CS</b> Corneal surgery	<b>NO</b> Neuro-ophthalmics	<b>RE</b> Retinal disorders
<b>AM</b> Amblyopia	<b>CT</b> Cataract surgery	<b>NT</b> Nutrition & the eye	<b>RS</b> Refractive surgery
<b>BV</b> Binocular vision	<b>DB</b> Diabetes	<b>IN</b> Ocular infections	<b>SV</b> Sports vision
<b>CM</b> Comanagement	<b>DE</b> Dry eye	<b>DS</b> Optical dispensing	<b>SD</b> Systemic disease
<b>CL</b> Contact lenses	<b>EL</b> Eyelids/adnexa	<b>PE</b> Pediatric eye care	<b>TE</b> Technology
<b>CD</b> Cornea/conjunctiva	<b>GL</b> Glaucoma	<b>PH</b> Pharmacology	<b>UV</b> Uveitis
	<b>LT</b> Laboratory testing	<b>PM</b> Practice mgmt.	<b>VT</b> Vision therapy

# CE in Paradise

If your idea of the perfect CE meeting includes hitting the slopes, sipping fruity drinks on the beach or nosing on pasta puttanesca in Italy, your destination CE options run the gamut. Here's a look at some fun-filled meetings set for 2019.

## A Day at the Beach

• **Jan. 20-26, Kohala Coast, Hawaii, Island Eyes Conference.** Join Pacific University College of Optometry and presenters Nate Lighthizer, Brian Mathie, Stuart Richer, Maria Walker, Stanley Teplick, and Steven Laukaitis in Hawaii, where 30 hours of CE credit will be available.

[www.pacificu.edu/academics/continuing-education/optometry/conferences-events/island-eyes-conference](http://www.pacificu.edu/academics/continuing-education/optometry/conferences-events/island-eyes-conference)

• **Feb. 9-16, Playa del Carmen, Mexico, Tropical CE Secrets Akumal.** Tropical CE hosts this meeting, where Carlo Pelino and Derek Cunningham will present. Earn up to 20 CE hours.

[www.tropicalce.com](http://www.tropicalce.com)

• **March 6-10, Cancun, Mexico, Ocular Therapeutics in Cancun.**

Join speakers Jim Thimons, Tony Litwak, John Spalding, Peter Lalle, Andrew DiMartino and Chris Quinn at the Fiesta

Americana Condesa in Cancun. Twenty hours of CE will be available.

[www.otce.net](http://www.otce.net)

• **March 9-16, Kona & Maui, Hawaii, Tropical CE Hawaii.** Keynote speakers include Blair Lonsberry and Jill Autry. This Hawaii CE meeting will offer up to 20 credits of education.

[www.tropicalce.com](http://www.tropicalce.com)

• **June 30-July 6, Herradura, Costa Rica.** Need a beach/CE summer getaway? Tropical CE is back for another

session with Steven Ferrucci and William Miller. Twenty hours of continuing education credit will be offered.

[www.tropicalce.com](http://www.tropicalce.com)

## Cruisin' for CE

• **Jan. 25-Feb. 6, New Zealand Round Trip from Sydney, Australia, A Comprehensive Update on Contemporary Eye Care.** Learn the latest from Randall Thomas during this New Jersey Society of Optometric Physicians' cruise, and earn 12 CE credits.

[www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com)

• **Feb. 16-Feb. 23, Eastern Caribbean Round Trip from Miami, Expanding the Scope of Primary Care.** Dr. Travel Seminars and the New Jersey Society of Optometric Physicians are back, along with presenter, Blair Lonsberry, on this Caribbean cruise. Earn up to 16 hours of CE credit.

[www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com)

• **Feb. 23-March 2, Western Caribbean Optometric Cruise.** Set sail with AEA Cruises and earn 10 CE credits.

[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

• **March 17-24, Southern Caribbean Optometric Cruise.** AEA Cruises returns aboard the Norwegian Dawn. Earn up to 10 CE credits.

[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

• **April 28-May 5, Transatlantic Optometric Cruise.** Climb aboard the Cunard Queen Mary 2 with AEA Cruises and earn 10 CE credits.

[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

• **June 28-July 8, Dalmation Coast Cruise from Venice to Rome, A Contemporary Look at Patient Eye Care.** Dr. Travel Seminars and the New Jersey Society of Optometric Physicians will host presenter Randall Thomas during this Italian cruise. Earn up to 12 CE credits.

[www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com)

• **July 4-11, Paris and Normandy Optometric Cruise.** Join AEA Cruises on the AmaWaterways AmaLyra and earn up to 10 CE credits.

[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

• **July 13-20, Amsterdam to London Optometric Cruise.** Join AEA Cruises en route to Amsterdam, where 10 hours of CE credit will be available.

[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

• **July 27-Aug. 3, Alaska Optometric Cruise.** Enjoy the majestic Alaskan coast from the deck of the Royal Princess. Ten hours of CE credit will be

offered, courtesy of AEA Cruises. [www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

• **July 22-31, Baltic Sea Cruise from Copenhagen, A Clinical Compendium 2019.** Leo Semes will be on the playbill during this cruise to Denmark from Dr. Travel Seminars and the New Jersey Society of Optometric Physicians. Earn up to 16 CE credit hours.

[www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com)

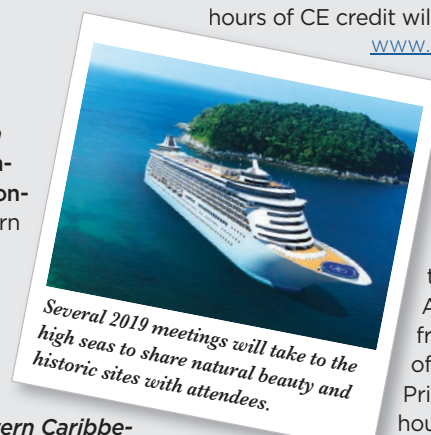
• **Dec. 22-29, Eastern Caribbean Cruise from Miami, Modern Management of Ocular Disease.** Dr. Travel Seminars and the New Jersey Society of Optometric Physicians are back, along with presenter Edward L. Paul, Jr. Earn up to 16 hours of CE credit during this Christmas-time Eastern Caribbean cruise.

[www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com)

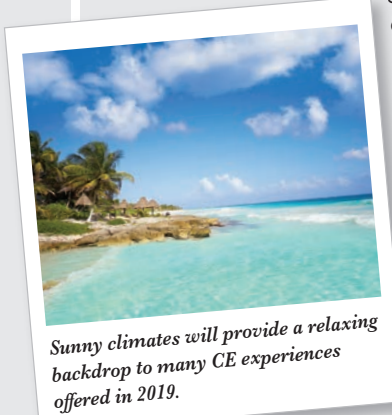
## Ski Destinations

• **Feb. 15-19, Aspen, Review's Winter Ophthalmic Conference.**

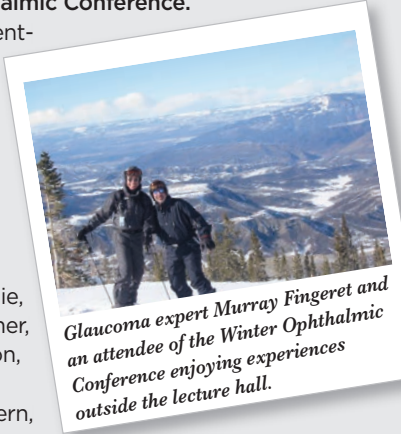
Join presenters Murray Fingeret, Leo Semes, Jack Cioffi, Mark Dunbar, Ben Gaddie, Elise Kramer, Ron Melton, Andrew Morgenstern,



Several 2019 meetings will take to the high seas to share natural beauty and historic sites with attendees.



Sunny climates will provide a relaxing backdrop to many CE experiences offered in 2019.



Glaucoma expert Murray Fingeret and an attendee of the Winter Ophthalmic Conference enjoying experiences outside the lecture hall.

Jack Schaeffer and Randall Thomas in beautiful Aspen, where you can earn up to 19 CE credit hours.

[www.reviewsce.com](http://www.reviewsce.com)

• **March 3-8, Park City, Utah, EyeSki Conference.** Presenters include Leonard Messner, Joseph Pizzimenti, Richard Mangan, Julia Rodman and James Fanelli. Up to 22 CE credit hours will be offered.

[www.eyeskiutah.com](http://www.eyeskiutah.com)

• **March 4-6, Park City, Utah, All Things OCT.** A meeting within a meeting! Advanced Technologies Conferences will present All Things OCT during EyeSki. Earn up to 14 credit hours and take in lectures from Joseph Pizzimenti, James Fanelli, Julie Rodman and Leonard Messner.

[www.allthingsoct.com](http://www.allthingsoct.com)

### Asian Adventures

• **March 9-17, Bangkok, Chiang Mai, Phuket, A Taste of Thailand.** iTravelCE and Bridgitte Shen Lee will be your tour guide in Thailand. The key presenter will be Melissa Barnett, and 20 hours of CE credit will be offered.

[www.itravelce.com](http://www.itravelce.com)

### Wine Country Retreat

• **March 31, Santa Rosa, CA, Wine Country CE.** The Redwood Empire Optometric Society will feature Mile Brujic for a meeting in the wine country, where six hours of CE credit can be earned.

[www.reosvision.com](http://www.reosvision.com)

### European Tours

• **July 21-30, Belfast, Killarney, Doonbeg, Ireland, Tropical CE Ireland.** Head to Ireland with speakers Mark Mayo, Brian Mathie and Jill Autry for a European meeting, where 20 hours of CE credit will be offered.

[www.tropicalce.com](http://www.tropicalce.com)

**CE in Italy/Europe** and James Fanelli will host a series of spring and fall meetings, where he'll lecture alongside Joseph Pizzimenti, Leonard Messner, Lorraine Lombardi and Robert Wooldridge. Check them out!

- **April 11-13, Barcelona**
  - **April 25-28, Tuscany**
  - **July 5-13, Athens and the Aegean Sea**
  - **Sept. 11-13, Prague**
  - **Sept. 16-19, Tuscany**
  - **Sept. 20-22, Florence**
- [www.ceinitaly.com](http://www.ceinitaly.com)

## CE in Italy 2019: Andiamo!

**W**ant to get away and earn continuing education credits against some spectacular backdrops? Then join CE in Italy/Europe during 2019, when host James Fanelli, OD, will lead six meetings in some of the planet's most beautiful locations.

CE in Italy has been a staple destination CE venue for the past decade. "What began as an idea of having one annual event in Europe has morphed into a series of conferences that spans a good part of the year and a good part of the European continent, with, of course, an emphasis on Italy," says Dr. Fanelli, the ideal tour guide; he maintains a second home there.

For 2019, CE in Italy will host two meetings in the spring, one in the summer and three in the fall.

Beginning in April, the first conference of the year will be in the Spanish city of Barcelona. Located on the Mediterranean, its tropical weather and pleasant climate are a perfect mix for an April trip to Europe, Dr. Fanelli says. Known for its tapas, wine and architecture, Barcelona is a vibrant city divided into many sections, each with its own charm and character.

Following Barcelona, the program moves to a perennial favorite: Tuscany. "Spring in Tuscany is absolutely magnificent, with the rolling Tuscan countryside dotted with cypress-lined villas amidst the lush green hills," Dr. Fanelli says. The spring meeting in Tuscany will be once again held in Castiglion Fiorentino, a relatively small, entirely self-contained hilltop medieval village.

Next is a summer meeting in Athens, where attendees will board a four-mast sailing ship to cruise the Aegean Sea for a week. "Will it be crowded? Absolutely not! The ship only holds 160 passengers, so crowds are not on the agenda," says Dr. Fanelli. "We will spend a day in Athens on the front and back ends



of the cruise, but, the majority of the time we are on board a magnificent ship, with outstanding service and, of course, food."

The first fall meeting brings attendees to the historic European city of Prague. "This is a walking town, and there is plenty to see and do here, especially in September, when the

crowds are gone and the weather is a pleasant 70 degrees during the day," Dr. Fanelli says.

Then, it's back to the Tuscan countryside for the next stop. "While Tuscany is beautiful any time of year, the spring scenery and the fall scenery are very dif-

ferent. That is why we have meetings here in both seasons," says Dr. Fanelli. "Sunsets on the terrace of the host venue are a spectacular thing to see, with the sun dipping below the Chianti hills."

The last 2019 meeting is a trip to Florence, the seat of the Renaissance.

Each meeting offers 12 hours of COPE-approved CE credit. The events are crafted to be fun, interactive, relaxed and practical. Education is scheduled at times conducive to avoid overlapping with the activities.

A recent attendee had this to say about Dr. Fanelli as a host and her CE in Italy experience: "We had a fantastic time, in large part thanks to you and your generosity in sharing not only clinical pearls of wisdom, but insights into Tuscany that enriched our travel experience!"

For more information, visit [www.ceinitaly.com](http://www.ceinitaly.com).



*CE in Italy attendees enjoy food and fun along with top-notch education.*

# June

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Michigan Optometric Association Great Lakes Eyecare Conference BCLA Clinical Conference & Exhibition Massachusetts Society of Optometry Cape Cod CE and Family Weekend NSUOK Ocular Disease Update IU Spring Potpourri
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23 AOA - Optometry's Meeting OEP VT3/Strabismus & Amblyopia	24	25	26	27	28	29 A Contemporary Look at Patient Eye Care Cruise Northern Escape
30 A Contemporary Look at Patient Eye Care Cruise Tropical CE - Costa Rica Northern Escape						



**June 1-2, Bloomington, IN  
Spring Potpourri**

HOST: Indiana Univ. School of Optom.  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: IU School of Optometry,  
800 E. Atwater Ave.  
CONTACT: Cheryl Oldfield  
[coldfiel@indiana.edu](mailto:coldfiel@indiana.edu)  
812-856-3502  
[expand.iu.edu/browse/iuso-ce](http://expand.iu.edu/browse/iuso-ce)

**June 1-3, Branson, MO  
Annual Ocular Disease Update**

HOST: Oklahoma College of Optom.  
KEY FACULTY: Kelly Malloy, Walter  
Whitley, Joseph Shetler  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Big Cedar Lodge  
190 Top of the Rock Rd.  
CONTACT: Callie McAtee  
[mcateec@nsuok.edu](mailto:mcateec@nsuok.edu)  
918-316-3602  
[optometry.nsuok.edu](http://optometry.nsuok.edu)  
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**June 2, New York City  
Breakfast & Learn**

HOST: SUNY College of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 4  
LOCATION: SUNY College of  
Optometry, 33 West 42nd St.  
CONTACT: Betsy Torres  
[btorres@sunyopt.edu](mailto:btorres@sunyopt.edu)  
212-938-5830  
[www.sunyopt.edu/cpe](http://www.sunyopt.edu/cpe)

**June 5-9, Ft. Lauderdale, FL  
VT1/Visual Dysfunctions**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program  
Foundation  
KEY FACULTY: Paul Harris  
CE HOURS: 35  
LOCATION: Nova Southeastern  
University, 3301 College Ave.  
CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org); 410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

**June 6-9, Midway, UT  
UOA Annual Congress**

HOST: Utah Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 21  
LOCATION: The Zermatt Resort, 784  
Resort Dr.  
CONTACT: Alyssa White  
[alyssa@utaheyedoc.org](mailto:alyssa@utaheyedoc.org)  
801-364-9103  
[www.utaheyedoc.org](http://www.utaheyedoc.org)

**June 7-9, Myrtle Beach, SC  
Spring Congress**

HOST: North Carolina Optometric  
Society  
CE HOURS: 18  
LOCATION: Embassy Suites Kingston  
Plantation, 9800 Queensway Blvd.

CONTACT: Christy Santacana  
[christy@nceyes.org](mailto:christy@nceyes.org)  
919-977-6964  
[www.nceyes.org/spring-congress](http://www.nceyes.org/spring-congress)

**June 7-9, Houston  
Everything Therapeutic: Houston**

HOST: University of Houston College  
of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Bruce Onofrey  
CE HOURS: 24  
LOCATION: UHCO Health 1 Building,  
4901 Calhoun Rd.  
CONTACT: UHCO Continuing  
Education  
[optce@central.uh.edu](mailto:optce@central.uh.edu)  
713-743-1900  
[ce.opt.uh.edu](http://ce.opt.uh.edu)

**June 13-16, Hilton Head Island, SC  
Georgia Optometric Association  
Annual Meeting**

HOST: Georgia Optometric  
Association  
CE HOURS: 15  
LOCATION: Westin Hilton Head Island  
Resort & Spa, 2 Grasslawn Ave.  
CONTACT: Vanessa Grosso  
[vanessa@goaeyes.com](mailto:vanessa@goaeyes.com)  
770-961-9866 ext. 1  
[www.goaeyes.com](http://www.goaeyes.com)  
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**June 13-16, Baton Rouge, LA  
Optometry Association of Louisiana  
Annual Convention**

HOST: Optometry Assn. of Louisiana  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Crowne Plaza Hotel, 4728  
Constitution Ave.  
CONTACT: Jim Sandefur  
[optla@bellsouth.net](mailto:optla@bellsouth.net)  
318-335-0675  
[optla.org](http://optla.org)

**June 13-16, Richmond, VA  
VOA Annual Conference**

HOST: Virginia Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 20 total; 17 max. per OD  
LOCATION: Omni Richmond, 100 S.  
12th St.  
CONTACT: Bo Keeney  
[office@thevoa.org](mailto:office@thevoa.org)  
804-643-0309  
[www.thevoa.org](http://www.thevoa.org)  
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**June 19-23, St. Louis  
Optometry's Meeting**

HOST: American Optometric  
Association and American Optometric  
Student Association  
CE HOURS: 247 total; 44 max. per OD

LOCATION: America's Center  
Convention Complex, 701 Convention  
Plaza, Suite 300  
CONTACT: Fran Ghannam  
[fgannam@aoa.org](mailto:fgannam@aoa.org)  
314-983-4254  
[www.optometrymeeting.org](http://www.optometrymeeting.org)  
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NT IN DS PE PH PM RE RS SV SD TE UV VT**

**June 20-23, Red Deer, Canada  
VT3/Strabismus & Amblyopia**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program  
Foundation  
KEY FACULTY: John Abbondanza  
CE HOURS: 28  
CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org)  
410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

**June 28-30, Quebec City, Canada  
Optometric Education Consultants  
Northern Escape**

HOST: Optometric Education  
Consultants  
CE HOURS: 15  
LOCATION: Delta Marriott Quebec,  
690 Boul René Lévesque Est  
CONTACT: Vanessa McDonald  
[optoec@gmail.com](mailto:optoec@gmail.com)  
954-262-4224  
[www.optometricedu.com](http://www.optometricedu.com)

**June 28-July 8, Dalmation Coast  
A Contemporary Look at Patient Eye  
Care Cruise**

HOST: Dr. Travel Seminars and NJ  
Society of Optometric Physicians  
KEY FACULTY: Randall Thomas  
CE HOURS: 12  
LOCATION: Celebrity Cruise Line's  
Celebrity Constellation  
From Venice to Rome, Italy  
CONTACT: Dr. Travel Seminars  
[info@drtravel.com](mailto:info@drtravel.com)  
800-436-1028  
[www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com)  
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**June 30-July 6, Herradura, Costa Rica  
Tropical CE-Costa Rica**

HOST: Tropical CE  
KEY FACULTY: Steven Ferrucci,  
William Miller  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Los Suenos Marriott  
Ocean & Golf Resort, 800 meters west  
of Herradura entrance, Provincia de  
Puntarenas  
CONTACT: Stuart Autry  
[sautry@tropicalce.com](mailto:sautry@tropicalce.com)  
281-808-5763  
[www.tropicalce.com](http://www.tropicalce.com)  
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## AOA: Meet Them in St. Louis!

JUNE 19-23, ST. LOUIS

**S**t. Louis is the place to be this June, when the American Optometric Association (AOA) and the American Optometric Student Association will host Optometry's Meeting—right in the organization's own home town.

The 2019 event will be held June 19-23 at America's Center Convention Complex. A total of 247 CE credit hours will be available, and ODs can earn up to 44 hours.

"Optometry's Meeting is the meeting where the optometric profession comes together to learn, lead and connect," says Samuel D. Pierce, OD, AOA President. In 2019, the AOA will "give attendees more activities than ever before, providing exceptional continuing education, networking and opportunities to see the newest in technology and services in the meeting's exhibit hall." New for 2019 is an opening 'block party,' held on the grounds of the renovated headquarters of the AOA. Dr. Pierce calls that "a can't-miss event." The block party will be followed by non-stop engaging and thought-inspiring programs to educate and entertain attendees, he notes. "Optometry's Meeting is where optometric professionals go to find the right tools to guide practices to the solutions that will benefit careers, advance knowledge and position doctors to provide the best patient care possible," says Dr. Pierce. "We look forward to seeing you in June."

As one of the biggest conferences of the year, the educational program will run the gamut of optometric practice. Topics will include allergy, amblyopia, binocular vision, comanagement, contact lenses, cornea/conjunctiva, corneal surgery, cataract surgery, diabetes, dry eye, eyelids/adnexa, glaucoma, neuro-ophthalmics, nutrition and the eye, ocular infections, optical dispensing pediatric eye care, pharmacology, practice management, retinal disorders,

refractive surgery, sports vision, systemic disease, technology, uveitis and vision therapy.

For more information or to register for the conference, go to [www.optometrymeeting.org](http://www.optometrymeeting.org).

### Explore St. Louis Like a Pro

It's got baseball, barbecue, beer—and that beautiful arch. During Optometry's Meeting, take in some of these St. Louis landmarks, courtesy of the St. Louis Convention & Visitors Commission:

**Get a bird's eye view from the Gateway Arch: Gateway Arch National Park,** [www.gatewayarch.com](http://www.gatewayarch.com)

Take a 630-foot ride to the top of this world-famous stainless steel monument for the finest view in the Gateway City. Then stop by the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial to get a glimpse of where Lewis and Clark set out on their historic expedition! Visitors can also hop aboard a 19th century paddle-wheel boat replica for a narrated cruise down the Mississippi.

**Get your head in the game:** 700 Clark Ave., [www.mlb.com/cardinals/ballpark](http://www.mlb.com/cardinals/ballpark)

Sports fans rejoice. During spring and summer, you can cheer on the 11-time World champions, the St. Louis Cardinals, at Busch Stadium.

**Take a thrill ride (or two) at Six Flags St. Louis:** 4900 Six Flags Rd., [www.sixflags.com/stlouis](http://www.sixflags.com/stlouis)

Visit this Midwest theme park that offers fun for the whole family. Visitors can loop the loop on Batman the Ride, soar at speeds of up to 62 MPH on the Screaming Eagle wooden roller coaster and get soaked on the whitewater rapids adventure, Thunder River. Guests of Six Flags St. Louis can also see live shows and concerts, meet their favorite cartoon characters and have fun in the sun at Hurricane Harbor Water Park.

**Spend a night on the town:** 601 Clark Ave., [www.stlballparkvillage.com](http://www.stlballparkvillage.com)

Looking for a fun night out?

Check out the new sports-anchored entertainment district in the heart of downtown Ballpark Village St. Louis. Jump a few blocks north to Washington Avenue or Laclede's Landing and take your pick of some popular bars and dance clubs. Visitors can also go for dinner, drinks and a show at Westport Plaza's 42-acre entertainment district or check out the boutiques and upscale dining establishments in Clayton and the Central West End.

**Check out a creature feature at the Saint Louis Zoo:** Government Dr., [www.stlzoo.org](http://www.stlzoo.org)

Get up close and personal with the furry, the flying and the fishy creatures of the Saint Louis Zoo. One of the city's many free attractions, the Saint Louis Zoo has been recognized as one of the nation's leading zoological parks. Take a ride on the Emerson Zooline Railroad or venture on your own through attractions like Big Cat Country, Penguin & Puffin Coast or the Interactive Stingray Pool.

**Let your imagination loose in the Magic House:** 516 S Kirkwood Rd., [www.magichouse.org](http://www.magichouse.org)

At this interactive children's museum, built in a sprawling Victorian mansion, kids will enjoy all sorts of fun and educational activities, including sitting at the president's desk in a recreation of the Oval Office. In a miniature town, kids can play grown-up for a day as they change the tire on a wooden car, stock shelves in a model grocery store or serve pizza in a pretend kitchen.

**Immerse in the culture of Forest Park:** 5595 Grand Dr., [www.forestparkforever.org](http://www.forestparkforever.org)

Once home to the 1904 World's Fair, Forest Park is one of the largest urban parks in the United States. Be sure to visit the Jewel Box, a greenhouse filled with floral displays, a golf course and the World's Fair Pavilion, a great site for a company picnic or private party.

**Experience art in the fresh air:** 801 Market St., [www.citygardenstl.org](http://www.citygardenstl.org)

Enjoy a fusion of sculpture and landscape architecture at Citygarden, which features works of modern and contemporary art, native plants, six rain gardens and a café overlooking the scene.

**Taste the tradition of St. Louis breweries:** 1200 Lynch St., [www.budweiserstl.com/locations/st-louis-missouri.html](http://www.budweiserstl.com/locations/st-louis-missouri.html)

Take a tour of the historic Anheuser-Busch Brewery, where you can visit the Budweiser Clydesdales and sample a variety of premium brands or check out a variety of breweries with Brewery Tours of St. Louis ([www.brewerytoursofstlouis.com](http://www.brewerytoursofstlouis.com)) or Crooked Craft Tours ([www.facebook.com/crookedcrafttours](http://www.facebook.com/crookedcrafttours)).

**Have an animal encounter:** 10501 Gravois Rd., [www.grantsfarm.com](http://www.grantsfarm.com)

Go on a private expedition through Grant's Farm for an up-close and personal feeding experience with buffalos and goats. Stop by and visit the Budweiser Clydesdales and take a ride on the Grant's Farm carousel.

### A Foodie Roadmap to St. Louis

This city has the bragging rights to a diverse culinary scene, some killer barbecue and James Beard award-winning chefs. Food Network offers a few suggestions on where to eat and what signature dishes to try while you're in St. Louis for Optometry's Meeting:

**Southwest Diner:** 6803 Southwest Ave., [www.southwestdinerstl.com](http://www.southwestdinerstl.com)

Imagine that a diner from New Mexico circa 1955 was magically

transported to current-day St. Louis, and you'd have Southwest Diner. Menu classics include Jonathan's Famous Fiery Scramble, the red chile-braised Carne Adovada and the St. Louis-meets-New Mexico Southwest Slinger: two burger patties, home fries and cheese, topped with two eggs and red or green enchilada sauce.

**Salt + Smoke:** 6525 Delmar Blvd., [saltandsmokestl.com](http://saltandsmokestl.com)

At this barbecue spot, fine-dining-chef-turned-pit master, Tom Schmidt, elevates his hometown's comfort food classics by adding innovative refinements to traditional recipes. Try the toasted ravioli, which come stuffed with a mixture of burnt ends, mirepoix and cheddar cheese.

**Mac's Local Eats:** 1227 Tamm Ave., [www.macslocaleats.com](http://www.macslocaleats.com)

This burger joint stresses local, pasture raised, whole animal proteins and seasonal produce specials. From whole cow, dry-aged beef smashed burgers to boudin, cracklins and all the condiments, Mac's Local Eats makes almost everything from scratch.

**Mai Lee:** 8396 Musick Memorial Dr., [www.maileestl.com](http://www.maileestl.com)

Mai Lee has been serving Vietnamese dishes in St. Louis for 30 years, and what started in a tiny, dark space in an old office building has grown into a 100-seat restaurant in the heart of the town. The menu offers more than 300 items, including a favorite: crispy salt-and-pepper calamari.

**Union Loafers:** 1629 Tower Grove Ave. [www.unionloafers.com](http://www.unionloafers.com)

Open for just over two years, Food Network says Union Loafers has made

a name for itself as not only the best bread bakery in town, by far, but also one of the finest sandwich shops west of the Mississippi and the home of the kings of pizza. Try a loaf of their famous Light & Mild, their enormous Bavarian pretzel or their cheesy bread.

**Sardella:** 7734 Forsyth Blvd., [www.sardellastl.com](http://www.sardellastl.com)

Most dishes here take inspiration from Italy and add a twist. Sardella fills agnolotti with tender braised brisket then pours a broth with lobster, fennel and Old Bay seasoning on top. The crispy Spanish octopus is a must on the menu.

**Pint Size Bakery:** 3133 Watson Rd., [www.pintsizebakery.com](http://www.pintsizebakery.com)

If you have a sweet tooth, try Pint Size Bakery's oaties: two thin oatmeal cookies filled with a marshmallow buttercream. Other favorites include their brookies, a combination of a chocolate chip cookie and a brownie, their rainbow of cupcake options and their Lil Bundts.

**Fork & Stix:** 549 Rosedale Ave., [www.forknstix.com](http://www.forknstix.com)

This place specializes in the cuisine of northern Thailand, including sai oua, a pork sausage packed with Thai herbs, served with sticky rice and spicy naam prik num. Fan favorites include Fork & Stix's signature dish, khao soi, and egg noodle curry soup served with red onion, pickled mustard greens and crispy egg noodles.

**Planter's House:** 1000 Mississippi Ave., [www.plantershousestl.com](http://www.plantershousestl.com)

From the day Planter's House opened, it has been the city's top cocktail bar, with a mix of classics and inventive creations and a full food menu to boot. Insider's tip: The main bar is great, but to truly experience Planter's House, slip upstairs to the intimate, 1950s-style Bullock Room.

**Peacemaker Lobster & Crab Co.:** 1831 Sidney St., [www.peacemakerlobstercrab.com](http://www.peacemakerlobstercrab.com)

With fresh catches flown in daily, Peacemaker serves up a menu of coastal classics, including lobster rolls, crab boils and New Orleans-style po' boys. Other standouts are the oysters and the fish crudo.

For Food Network's full list of St. Louis recommended eateries, go to [www.foodnetwork.com/restaurants/photos/restaurant-guide-st-louis](http://www.foodnetwork.com/restaurants/photos/restaurant-guide-st-louis).



# July

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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A Contemporary Look at Patient Eye Care Cruise						
Tropical CE - Costa Rica						
				Paris and Normandy Optometric Cruise		
				CE in Italy/Europe - Athens		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
CE in Italy/Europe - Athens						
Paris and Normandy Optometric Cruise					Ocular Disease: Part II	
A Contemporary Look at Patient Eye Care Cruise		Northern Rockies Optometric Conference				
		OEP VT1/Visual Dysfunctions				
		Indiana Optometry's Summer Seminar				
		NSUOK Advanced Procedures				
		Oregon's Meeting & Board Retreat				
		Amsterdam to London OD Cruise				
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Amsterdam to London Optometric Cruise						
Visual Dysfunctions					FOA Annual Convention	
Ocular Disease: Part II					Iowa Optometric Association Summer CE	
NSUOK Advanced Procedures					NSU Smokey Mountain Summer Conference	
Oregon's Meeting						
MBKU Gonioscopy Hands-On Workshop						
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Tropical CE - Ireland						
FOA Annual Convention		A Clinical Compendium Cruise				
NSU Smokey Mountain Summer Conference		OEP VT3/Strabismus & Amblyopia				
		UHCO CE in the Rockies				
		SVOS Tahoe Summit				
		Alaska Optometric Cruise				
28	29	30	31			
Alaska Optometric Cruise						
A Clinical Compendium Cruise						
Tropical CE - Ireland						
OEP VT3/Strabismus & Amblyopia						
UHCO CE in the Rockies						
SVOS Tahoe Summit						

**July 4-11, On Board AmaWaterways AmaLyra**

**AEA Cruises Paris and Normandy Optometric Cruise**

HOST: AEA Cruises  
 CE HOURS: 10  
 LOCATION: AmaWaterways AmaLyra  
 CONTACT: Marge McGrath  
[aeacruises@aol.com](mailto:aeacruises@aol.com)  
 773-594-9866  
[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

**July 5-13, Athens, Greece CE in Italy/Europe**

HOST: James Fanelli  
 KEY FACULTY: Joseph Pizzimenti, James Fanelli, Leonard Messner, Lorraine Lombardi  
 CE HOURS: 12  
 LOCATION: Star Flyer Sailing Ship, Aegean Sea  
 CONTACT: James Fanelli  
[jamesfanelli@ceinitaly.com](mailto:jamesfanelli@ceinitaly.com)

910-452-7225

[www.ceinitaly.com](http://www.ceinitaly.com)

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**July 10, Carmel, IN**

**Indiana Optometry's Summer Seminar**

HOST: Indiana Optometric Association  
 CE HOURS: 7  
 LOCATION: Ritz Charles, 12156 N. Meridian St.

CONTACT: Bridget Sims  
[blsims@ioa.org](mailto:blsims@ioa.org); 317-237-3560  
[www.ioa.org](http://www.ioa.org)

**July 10-13, Cody, WY  
Northern Rockies Optometric  
Conference**

HOST: Northern Rockies Optom. Conf.  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Buffalo Bill Village Resort,  
1701 Sheridan Ave.  
CONTACT: Kari Cline; 307-640-6157  
[director@nrocmeeting.com](mailto:director@nrocmeeting.com)  
[www.nrocmeeting.com](http://www.nrocmeeting.com)

**July 10-14, Etobicoke, Canada  
VT1/Visual Dysfunctions**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program  
Foundation  
KEY FACULTY: Rob Lewis  
CE HOURS: 35  
CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org); 410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

**July 11-14, Tahlequah, OK  
July Advanced Procedures**

HOST: Oklahoma College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Nathan Lighthizer,  
Richard Castillo, Douglas Penisten,  
Joseph Shetler  
CE HOURS: 32  
LOCATION: NSUOCO Academic Wing,  
1001 N Grand Ave.  
CONTACT: Callie McAtee  
[mcateec@nsuok.edu](mailto:mcateec@nsuok.edu); 918-316-3602  
[optometry.nsuok.edu](http://optometry.nsuok.edu)  
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**July 11-14, Eugene, OR  
Oregon's Meeting & Board Retreat**

HOST: Oregon Optometric Physicians  
Association  
KEY FACULTY: Matthew Neale, Matt  
Hauck, Douglas Walker, Devin Gattety,  
Nisha Nagarkatti-Gude, Stanley Teplick  
CE HOURS: 15  
LOCATION: Eugene Hilton Hotel, 66  
East 6th Ave.  
CONTACT: Lynne Olson  
[lynne@oregonoptometry.org](mailto:lynne@oregonoptometry.org)  
800-922-2045  
[www.oregonoptometry.org](http://www.oregonoptometry.org)  
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**July 13-14, Fullerton, CA  
Ocular Disease: Part II**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum U., SCCO  
KEY FACULTY: TBD  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Marshall B. Ketchum  
University, Hopping Academic Center,  
2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre,  
Antoinette Smith; 714-449-7495  
[ce@ketchum.edu](mailto:ce@ketchum.edu)  
[ketchum.edu/ce](http://ketchum.edu/ce)  
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**July 13-20, On Board Silversea Silver  
Wind**

**AEA Cruises Amsterdam to London  
Optometric Cruise**  
HOST: AEA Cruises  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: Silversea Silver Wind  
CONTACT: Marge McGrath  
[aeacruises@aol.com](mailto:aeacruises@aol.com)  
773-594-9866  
[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

**July 14, Fullerton, CA  
Gonioscopy Hands-on Workshop**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum U., SCCO  
CE HOURS: 2  
LOCATION: MBKU Hopping Academic  
Center, 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre,  
Antoinette Smith  
[ce@ketchum.edu](mailto:ce@ketchum.edu)  
714-449-7495  
[ketchum.edu/ce](http://ketchum.edu/ce)  
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**July 18-21, Orlando  
FOA Annual Convention**

HOST: Florida Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 20+  
LOCATION: Disney's Yacht Club Resort,  
1700 Epcot Resorts Blvd.  
CONTACT: Hayley Howell  
[hayley@floridaeyes.org](mailto:hayley@floridaeyes.org)  
850-877-4697  
[floridaeyes.org](http://floridaeyes.org)

**July 19-20, Omaha, NE  
Iowa Summer CE**

HOST: Iowa Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: Embassy Suites Downtown  
Old Market, 555 S. 10th St.  
CONTACT: Jill Gonder  
[jillg@iowaoptometry.org](mailto:jillg@iowaoptometry.org)  
515-222-5679 ext. 3  
[www.iowaoptometry.org/upcoming-  
events](http://www.iowaoptometry.org/upcoming-events)

**July 19-21, Asheville, NC  
NSU Smokey Mountain Summer  
Conference**

HOST: Nova Southeastern University  
College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Annette Bade  
CE HOURS: 17  
LOCATION: Omni Grove Park Inn, 290  
Macon Ave.  
CONTACT: Vanessa McDonald  
[oceaa@nova.edu](mailto:oceaa@nova.edu)  
954-262-4224  
[optometry.nova.edu/ce/index.html](http://optometry.nova.edu/ce/index.html)

**July 21-30, Belfast, Killarney,  
Doonbeg, Ireland  
Tropical CE-Ireland**

HOST: Tropical CE  
KEY FACULTY: Mark Mayo, Brian  
Mathie, Jill Autry

CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Culloden Resort; Killarney  
Park Hotel; Hotel Doonbeg  
CONTACT: Stuart Autry  
[sautry@tropicalce.com](mailto:sautry@tropicalce.com); 281-808-5763  
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**July 22-31, Baltic Sea Cruise from  
Copenhagen, Denmark  
A Clinical Compendium**

HOST: Dr. Travel Seminars and NJ  
Society of Optometric Physicians  
KEY FACULTY: Leo Semes  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Norwegian Cruise Line's  
Norwegian Getaway  
CONTACT: Dr. Travel Seminars  
[info@drtravel.com](mailto:info@drtravel.com)  
800-436-1028  
[www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com)  
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**July 24-28, Grand Rapids, MI  
VT3/Strabismus & Amblyopia**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program  
Foundation  
KEY FACULTY: Paul Harris  
CE HOURS: 28  
CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org); 410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

**July 25-28, Estes Park, CO  
CE in the Rockies**

HOST: U. Houston Col. of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Danica Marrelli  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Ridgeline Hotel, 101 S St  
Vrain Ave.  
CONTACT: UHCO Continuing Education  
[optce@central.uh.edu](mailto:optce@central.uh.edu)  
713-743-1900  
[ce.opt.uh.edu](http://ce.opt.uh.edu)

**July 26-28, Incline Village, Lake Tahoe  
SVOS Tahoe Summit**

HOST: Sacramento Valley Optometric  
Society  
CE HOURS: 12  
LOCATION: Hyatt Regency Lake Tahoe  
Resort, 111 Country Club Dr.  
CONTACT: Tamalon Littlefield  
[svostamalon@gmail.com](mailto:svostamalon@gmail.com)  
916-813-6561  
[www.svos.info](http://www.svos.info)  
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**July 27-Aug. 3, On Board Royal  
Princess**

**AEA Cruises Alaska Optometric Cruise**  
HOST: AEA Cruises  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: Royal Princess  
CONTACT: Marge McGrath  
[aeacruises@aol.com](mailto:aeacruises@aol.com)  
773-594-9866  
[www.optometriccruiseseminars.com](http://www.optometriccruiseseminars.com)

# August

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Alaska Optometric Cruise						
					SWFOA Educational Retreat	
4 SWFOA Educational Retreat	5	6	7 NJ-AAO Annual Summer Seminar	8	9	10 Indiana University Fall Seminar Glaucoma in the Gorge
11 Indiana University Fall Seminar Glaucoma in the Gorge	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
				SCOPA Annual Meeting		
25 SCOPA Annual Meeting	26	27	28	29	30	31

EDUCATION TOPICS			
<b>AL</b> Allergy	<b>CS</b> Corneal surgery	<b>NO</b> Neuro-ophthalmics	<b>RE</b> Retinal disorders
<b>AM</b> Amblyopia	<b>CT</b> Cataract surgery	<b>NT</b> Nutrition & the eye	<b>RS</b> Refractive surgery
<b>BV</b> Binocular vision	<b>DE</b> Diabetes	<b>IN</b> Ocular infections	<b>SV</b> Sports vision
<b>CM</b> Comanagement	<b>DE</b> Dry eye	<b>DS</b> Optical dispensing	<b>SD</b> Systemic disease
<b>CL</b> Contact lenses	<b>EL</b> Eyelids/adnexa	<b>PE</b> Pediatric eye care	<b>TE</b> Technology
<b>CD</b> Cornea/conjunctiva	<b>GL</b> Glaucoma	<b>PH</b> Pharmacology	<b>UV</b> Uveitis
	<b>LT</b> Laboratory testing	<b>PM</b> Practice mgmt.	<b>VT</b> Vision therapy

## Aug. 2-4, Sanibel Island, FL SWFOA Educational Retreat

HOST: Southwest Florida Optometric Association  
 KEY FACULTY: Tammy Than, Caroline Pate, Ron Foreman, Stuart Kaplan  
 CE HOURS: 20 total (including 6 CEE-TQ), 18 max. per OD (including 6 CEE-TQ)

LOCATION: South Seas Island Resort,  
5400 South Seas Plantation Rd.  
CONTACT: Art Young  
[eyeguy4123@msn.com](mailto:eyeguy4123@msn.com)  
601-946-2174  
[www.swfoa.com](http://www.swfoa.com)  
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**Aug. 7, Neptune City, NJ**  
**NJ-AAO Annual Summer Seminar**  
HOST: New Jersey Chapter-American  
Academy of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: Jumping Brook Country  
Club, 210 Jumping Brook Rd.  
CONTACT: Dennis Lyons  
[dhl2020@aol.com](mailto:dhl2020@aol.com)  
732-920-0110  
[www.aaopt.org/membership/us-and-international-chapters/njchapter](http://www.aaopt.org/membership/us-and-international-chapters/njchapter)

**Aug. 10-11, Hood River, OR**  
**Glaucoma in the Gorge**  
HOST: Ocular Therapeutics CE  
KEY FACULTY: Jim Thimons, Tony  
Litwak  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: Best Western Conference  
Center, 1108 E Marina Dr.  
CONTACT: Tony Litwak  
[info@otce.net](mailto:info@otce.net)  
443-895-1682  
[www.otce.net](http://www.otce.net)  
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**Aug. 10-11, Bloomington, IN**  
**Fall Seminar**  
HOST: Indiana University School of  
Optometry  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: IU School of Optometry,  
800 E. Atwater Ave.  
CONTACT: Cheryl Oldfield  
[coldfiel@indiana.edu](mailto:coldfiel@indiana.edu)  
812-856-3502  
[expand.iu.edu/browse/iuso-ce](http://expand.iu.edu/browse/iuso-ce)

**Aug. 22-25, Myrtle Beach, SC**  
**SCOPA Annual Meeting**  
HOST: SC Optometric Physicians  
Association  
CE HOURS: 21  
LOCATION: The Westin Hilton Head  
Island Resort & Spa, 2 Grasslawn Ave.  
CONTACT: Jackie Rivers  
[jrivers@sceyedocors.com](mailto:jrivers@sceyedocors.com)  
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# September

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				OEP VT1/Visual Dysfunctions		
					Indiana University Alumni Weekend	
					Vermont Optometric Assn. Fall Conference	
						NSUOK Primary Eye Care Update
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
OEP VT1/Visual Dysfunctions			CE in Italy/Europe - Prague			
Vermont Optometric Assn. Fall Conference			MSO Wednesday Morning CE Series		NMOA Mid-Year Convention	
NSUOK Primary Eye Care Update					KOA Fall Conference	
Salus Current Advancements in Primary Care						
Joint SCCO, USC, VA Symposium						
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
KOA Fall Conference	CE in Italy/Europe - Tuscany			Vision Expo West		
					CE in Italy/Europe - Florence	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
CE in Italy/Europe - Florence				Wisconsin Optometric Assn. Annual Meeting		
Central PA Optometric Society Fall Forum					Nebraska Optometry's Meeting	
29	30					
Nebraska Optometry's Meeting						



**Sept. 5-9, Timonium, MD**

**VT1/Visual Dysfunctions**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program Foundation  
KEY FACULTY: John Abbondanza  
CE HOURS: 35  
CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org)  
410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

**Sept. 6-7, Bloomington, IN  
Alumni Weekend**

HOST: Indiana University School of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 6  
LOCATION: DeVault Alumni Center, 800 E. Atwater Ave./1000 E. 17th St.  
CONTACT: Cheryl Oldfield  
[coldfiel@indiana.edu](mailto:coldfiel@indiana.edu)  
812-856-3502  
[expand.iu.edu/browse/iuso-ce](http://expand.iu.edu/browse/iuso-ce)

**Sept. 6-8, Stowe, VT  
Vermont Optometric Association's  
Fall Conference**

HOST: Vermont Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 17  
LOCATION: Stoweflake Mountain Resort and Spa, 1746 Mountain Rd.  
CONTACT: Suzanne Corbitt, Kayla Brenden  
[vtcecoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:vtcecoordinator@gmail.com)  
[www.vtoptometrists.org](http://www.vtoptometrists.org)

**Sept. 7-8, Tahlequah, OK  
Primary Eye Care Update**

HOST: Oklahoma College of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 10  
LOCATION: NSU Event Center, 1041 N. Grand Ave.  
CONTACT: Callie McAtee  
[mcateec@nsuok.edu](mailto:mcateec@nsuok.edu)  
918-316-3602  
[optometry.nsuok.edu/ContinuingEducation/ScheduleofEvents/PrimaryEyeCareUpdate.aspx](http://optometry.nsuok.edu/ContinuingEducation/ScheduleofEvents/PrimaryEyeCareUpdate.aspx)

**Sept. 8, Elkins Park, PA  
Current Advancements in Primary  
Care Optometry**

HOST: Salus University  
CE HOURS: 8 (COPE approval pending)  
LOCATION: Salus University, 8360 Old York Road  
CONTACT: Janet Wilbur  
[jwilbur@salus.edu](mailto:jwilbur@salus.edu)  
215-780-1380  
[www.salus.edu/events](http://www.salus.edu/events)

**Sept. 8, Fullerton, CA  
Joint SCCO, USC, VA Symposium**

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum University, SCCO  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: MBKU Hopping Academic Center, 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre, Antoinette Smith  
[ce@ketchum.edu](mailto:ce@ketchum.edu)  
714-449-7495  
[ketchum.edu/ce](http://ketchum.edu/ce)  
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**Sept. 11, Massachusetts (city TBD)  
MSO Wednesday Morning CE Series**

HOST: Massachusetts Society of Optometrists  
CE HOURS: 3  
LOCATION: TBD  
CONTACT: Jessica Bertrand  
[info@maoptometry.org](mailto:info@maoptometry.org)  
[www.maoptometry.org/wednesday-morning-series.html](http://www.maoptometry.org/wednesday-morning-series.html)

**Sept. 11-13, Prague, Czech Republic  
CE in Italy/Europe**

HOST: James Fanelli  
KEY FACULTY: Joseph Pizzimenti, James Fanelli, Leonard Messner, Lorraine Lombardi  
CE HOURS: 12  
LOCATION: Hotel Grand Mark, Prague, Old Town Prague Historic Center  
CONTACT: James Fanelli  
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**Sept. 13-14, Santa Fe, NM  
New Mexico Optometric Association  
Mid-Year Convention**

HOST: New Mexico Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: Drury Plaza Hotel, 828 Paseo de Peralta  
CONTACT: Richard Montoya  
[newmexicooptometry@gmail.com](mailto:newmexicooptometry@gmail.com)  
575-751-7242  
[www.newmexicooptometry.org](http://www.newmexicooptometry.org)

**Sept. 13-15, Louisville, KY  
Kentucky Optometric Association  
Fall Conference**

HOST: Kentucky Optometric Association  
KEY FACULTY: TBD  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Marriott East Hotel, 1903 Embassy Square Blvd.  
CONTACT: Sarah Unger  
[sarah@kyeyes.org](mailto:sarah@kyeyes.org)  
502-875-3516  
[www.kyeyes.org](http://www.kyeyes.org)  
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**Sept. 16-19, Tuscany, Italy  
CE in Italy/Europe**

HOST: James Fanelli  
KEY FACULTY: Robert Wooldridge, Joseph Pizzimenti, James Fanelli, Leonard Messner, Lorraine Lombardi  
CE HOURS: 12  
LOCATION: Residence Le Santucce, Castiglion Fiorentino, Via Dante Historic Center  
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**Sept. 18-21, Las Vegas  
Vision Expo West**

HOST: Reed Exhibitions and The Vision Council  
KEY FACULTY: Michael Kling, Whitney Hauser, Danica Marrelli, Thomas Quinn, Paul Karpecki, Scott Morris  
CE HOURS: 309 total; 28 maximum per OD  
LOCATION: Sands Expo & Convention Center, 201 Sands Ave.  
CONTACT: Julia Moore  
[jmoore@thevisioncouncil.org](mailto:jmoore@thevisioncouncil.org)  
703-740-2248  
[west.visionexpo.com](http://west.visionexpo.com)  
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EDUCATION TOPICS			
<b>AL</b> Allergy	<b>CS</b> Corneal surgery	<b>NO</b> Neuro-ophthalmics	<b>RE</b> Retinal disorders
<b>AM</b> Amblyopia	<b>CT</b> Cataract surgery	<b>NT</b> Nutrition & the eye	<b>RS</b> Refractive surgery
<b>BV</b> Binocular vision	<b>DB</b> Diabetes	<b>IN</b> Ocular infections	<b>SV</b> Sports vision
<b>CM</b> Comanagement	<b>DE</b> Dry eye	<b>DS</b> Optical dispensing	<b>SD</b> Systemic disease
<b>CL</b> Contact lenses	<b>EL</b> Eyelids/adnexa	<b>PE</b> Pediatric eye care	<b>TE</b> Technology
<b>CD</b> Cornea/conjunctiva	<b>GL</b> Glaucoma	<b>PH</b> Pharmacology	<b>UV</b> Uveitis
	<b>LT</b> Laboratory testing	<b>PM</b> Practice mgmt.	<b>VT</b> Vision therapy



## CE is a Sure Bet During VEW

SEPT. 18-21, LAS VEGAS

September marks the start of fall and, of course, a trip to Las Vegas to attend the annual Vision Expo West (VEW) meeting. In 2019, VEW will be held from September 18 to 21 at the Sands Expo & Convention Center in always-happening Vegas.

“Vision Expo is committed to bringing meaningful and innovative educational content to both East and West through panels, sessions and programs that feature the leading experts in eyecare,” said Dr. Mark Dunbar, co-chairman of the conference advisory board. “Our goal is to provide a broad range of educational topics for every member of the eyecare team. We are especially proud of the legacy that we have built around Vision Expo East and West as the eyecare events of the year.”

For 2019, a total of 309 CE hours will be offered, and attendees can earn up to 28 credits.

Start scheduling your time at VEW 2019 with some of these meeting highlights:

### New Programs in 2019

- **Building a Business Workshop:**

Learn the key elements to build a strong business foundation for your eyecare practice. This two-hour limited seating session includes worksheets and action plans.

- **Innovation Series:** Differentiating your business means learning about and staying ahead of trends and introducing yourself to innovative products and services. Explore what’s new and next with courses that will help you re-imagine the status quo and move your business forward into the future. Sessions in this series will include: Innovations in Lens and Frame Technology, Combating Disruptive Forces in Eyecare, Amazing Contact Lens Technologies for Today and the Future and more.

- **Myopia Track:** Myopia impacts one-third of the population and is



one of the most common conditions that optometrists see in practice. This track presents opportunities for clinicians to educate patients and integrate new prevention methods and strategies to manage and slow the progression of myopia.

### Clinical Highlights

These programs will feature a deep dive into comprehensive ocular disease diagnosis, treatment and management as well as contact lenses, therapeutics and state-of-the-art imaging technology—all designed to bolster the quality and consistency of care in your practice. Clinical topics will include: glaucoma, dry eye and ocular surface disease and contact lenses.

- **Global Contact Lens Forum:** This free, informative and highly attended “meeting within a meeting” provides attendees with practical, timely tips in both clinical and business processes that will take your specialty contact lens practice to the next level. The forum will feature a panel of highly successful specialty lens fitters who will provide insight on how to start, grow and thrive in a specialty lens practice in the 21st century.

A grand rounds case presentation will follow, highlighting how to integrate advanced technology in a specialty contact lens practice. Finally, take a logical and methodical deep dive into billing and coding in specialty contact lens practice.

- **Owner’s and Manager’s Essentials Program:** Reflecting today’s biggest business challenges, this program for owners, managers and key decision makers will focus on the business side of optometry, including strategies doctors need to grow their business. Critical areas of focus include marketing your practice, growing and transitioning your practice, measuring financial success, building a great staff, competing in a digitally connected world and building the ultimate optical business.

- **Scleral Lens Track:** This is one of the fastest growing segments of a specialty contact lens practice. Its impact can be profound and life changing to the patient and to the practice. This track will provide comprehensive and clinical information on how to select a scleral lens design for both basic and advanced cases, how to assess the fit and how to solve problems that may develop.

Learn skills that will take your abilities and your patients' satisfaction to the next level.

For more information or to register, go to [west.visionexpo.com](http://west.visionexpo.com).

### Indulge in Las Vegas Sites Without Breaking the Bank

Whether you're pinching your pennies after losing big on the casino floor or you just want to enjoy Vegas without whipping out your Amex Black Card, Sin City offers a host of entertainment options for \$20 or less.

Here are some budget-friendly sure bets from [www.vegas.com](http://www.vegas.com):

**Fountains at Bellagio:** Free, 3600 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.bellagio.com](http://www.bellagio.com)

A Las Vegas landmark, this 8.5-acre lake has 1,214 jets that launch streams of water 460 feet into the air.

**Eiffel Tower Viewing Deck:** \$16, 3655 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.caesars.com](http://www.caesars.com)

From the rivets in its beams to its glass elevators, the Eiffel Tower replica at Paris Las Vegas encompasses the same je ne sais quoi as the original.

**The Neon Museum:** \$19 (daytime tour for those adults with local, military, student or senior discounts), 770 N. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.neonmuseum.org](http://www.neonmuseum.org)

Take in more than 120 of Vegas' most iconic neon signs that have been restored and collected.

**Bellagio Conservatory:** Free, 3600 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.bellagio.com](http://www.bellagio.com)

Each season, horticulturalists and designers transform this 14,000-square-foot space into a showcase of the distinctive sights and colors of each season—along with a special display for Chinese New Year.

**Brooklyn Bowl Bowling Lanes:** Sunday-Thursday \$20, additional \$4.95 for shoe rental. 3545 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.brooklynbowl.com/las-vegas](http://www.brooklynbowl.com/las-vegas)

It's a bowling alley, concert venue and restaurant all rolled into one. The bowling alley features 32 Brunswick lanes and huge, high-definition projection screens above

the pins. Adjacent to a concert venue, bowlers can enjoy restaurant-style service at the lanes and an elevated bowlers' lounge with comfy chesterfield sofas.

**Stratosphere Tower Observation Deck:** \$20 for adults (\$12 for hotel guests and \$10 for children), 2000 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.stratosphere-hotel.com/attractions](http://www.stratosphere-hotel.com/attractions)

Since its opening in 1996, the 1,149-foot-tall Stratosphere Tower has captured the attention of celebrities and tourists alike with its breathtaking view. With a panoramic view of the city, the Stratosphere's outdoor observation deck is the tallest of its kind in the country.

**Slotzilla Zip Line:** \$20, 425 Fremont St., [vegasexperience.com/slotzilla-zip-line](http://vegasexperience.com/slotzilla-zip-line)

Starting at the east side of the Fremont Street Experience, the Slotzilla zip line is 77 feet high and 850 feet long. The Zoomline option is 114 feet high and launches riders in a horizontal position, as if they are Superman, flying 1,700 feet—the entire length of the Fremont Street canopy—at speeds faster than 35 MPH.

**Ethel M (free factory tour):** 2 Cactus Garden Dr. [www.ethelm.com](http://www.ethelm.com)

At Ethel M Chocolate Factory and Botanical Cactus Garden, discover how chocolate is made, create your own box of goodies and stroll through diverse desert life.

**Kiss, By Monster Mini Golf:** \$11.95 for 18 holes, 3700 W Flamingo Rd., Rio Hotel Casino, [www.caesars.com](http://www.caesars.com)

If you want to test your golf skills and “rock and roll all nite,” you're in luck.

**Big Apple Rollercoaster (in the New York-New York Hotel):** \$15, 3790 S. Las Vegas Blvd. [www.newyorknewyork.com](http://www.newyorknewyork.com)

Get your thrills on the world's first coaster to feature a 180-degree “heartline” twist and dive maneuver. While you're there, enjoy video and arcade games in The Big Apple Arcade.

### Shhhh! 10 Secret Restaurants and Bars in Vegas

Vegas has plenty of high-ticket, gold-chandeliered eateries where you can drop a couple of C-notes in a blink of an eye, but the city also offers some secret restaurants and bars.

If you think the best slice of pizza is at the end of a nondescript hallway and the most memorable cocktail is served at a bar with a password, Eater Las Vegas has some suggestions for you to check out during your time at VEV.

**Kame Omakase:** 7331 W. Lake Mead Blvd. #104, [www.sushikame.com](http://www.sushikame.com)

This blink-and-you'll-miss-it spot sits alongside Yummi Grill & Sushi in Summerlin. The omakase-style sushi restaurant, which offers two seatings nightly (Monday through Saturday), takes diners on a journey of fresh fish over multiple courses. For \$165 per person, sushi lovers gain access to an exclusive experience and rare, seasonal fish selections.

**The Underground at The Mob Museum:** 300 Stewart Ave., [themobmuseum.org](http://themobmuseum.org)

What better place for a speakeasy than in the basement of the Mob Museum? The Underground pays homage to Prohibition-era speakeasies with art deco design and a working distillery, plus artifacts from the 1920s. To access The Underground, patrons must ring a bell and provide the password shared on social media. Once inside, they can order classic cocktails and moonshine and enjoy live jazz.

**Mike Morey's Sip'n'Tip:** 111 Las Vegas Blvd. S. (DCR alley), [www.frglv.com](http://www.frglv.com)

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A short trip down an alley between Sixth Street and Las Vegas Boulevard reveals the entrance to Mike Morey's Sip'n'Tip. The darkened, intimate bar was originally an event space for the adjacent Downtown Cocktail Room and now offers a simple space for locals in the know and enterprising tourists to order beer, wine, classic cocktails and shots.

**The Laundry Room:** 525 Fremont St., [www.commonwealthlv.com](http://www.commonwealthlv.com)

The chandelier-adorned downtown spot Commonwealth already oozes cool, but hidden inside is something even more stylish than the bar's main room. The Laundry Room is the Commonwealth's take on a speakeasy. The tiny, elegant space can only be accessed by texting 702-701-1466 and requesting a reservation and directions.

**The Paiza Club:** 3355 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.venetian.com](http://www.venetian.com)

Perched on the 36th floor of the Venetian, the Paiza Club is a dining experience that's so secret, the average Las Vegas tourist isn't even aware of its existence. Visitors to the Venetian won't find any signs on the casino floor pointing to the Paiza Club. The exclusive space is invite-only and is typically reserved for the highest of high rollers. Once invited inside, guests are treated to fine Asian cuisine and just about anything else they desire.

**Hari-Sushi Kaiseki:** 3945 S Durango Dr. #A6, [www.egasnakedfish.com](http://www.egasnakedfish.com)

Located inside Naked Fish's Sushi & Grill, Hari-Sushi Kaiseki is open Tuesday through Saturday by reservation only. The restaurant treats diners to a traditional multi-course Japanese dinner with optional sake pairings.

**é by José Andrés:** Level 3, Boulevard Tower, 3708 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.cosmopolitanlasvegas.com/restaurants/e](http://www.cosmopolitanlasvegas.com/restaurants/e)

A private room next to Jaleo's bar holds a unique dinner experience. The exclusive é by José Andrés offers only two seatings per night (Tuesday through Sunday) at the Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas. At \$275 per person, diners are served 20 courses that are as visually impressive as they are

delicious. The dining room only seats eight, and reservations often fill up three months in advance.

**Secret Pizza:** Level 3, The Boulevard Tower, 3708 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.cosmopolitanlasvegas.com](http://www.cosmopolitanlasvegas.com)

Late at night at the Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas, it's not uncommon to witness a curious sight: crowds of people disappearing into a narrow, nondescript hallway. This is the unmarked entrance to Secret Pizza, technically named The Pizzeria, an after-hours pizza eatery with New York-style slices plus beer.

**Talon Club:** 3708 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.cosmopolitanlasvegas.com](http://www.cosmopolitanlasvegas.com)

The Talon Club is just steps away from the action of the casino floor at the Cosmopolitan of Las Vegas, but the ultra high-limit gaming that goes on inside will dissuade the common gambler from trying his luck. For those inclined to bet big, the perks of high stakes include cuisine from chef Sam Yip (formerly of the Mansion at MGM), such as a specialty \$688 bowl of soup featuring Cordyceps fungus, a rare Himalayan fungus with healing properties.

**Bavette's Steakhouse & Bar:** 3770 S. Las Vegas Blvd., [www.parkmgm.com/en/restaurants/bavettes.html?icid=GMB\\_Restaurants\\_Bavettes](http://www.parkmgm.com/en/restaurants/bavettes.html?icid=GMB_Restaurants_Bavettes)

This swanky, refined steakhouse is outfitted in leather furnishings and Tiffany lamps. The expansive restaurant inside Park MGM features oysters, bone marrow and dry-aged bone-in rib-eye. There's also a hidden lounge at the back of the restaurant.



## Sept. 20-22, Florence, Italy CE in Italy/Europe

HOST: James Fanelli

KEY FACULTY: Robert Wooldridge, Joseph Pizzimenti, James Fanelli, Leonard Messner, Lorraine Lombardi  
CE HOURS: 12

LOCATION: Hotel Silla  
Via Dei Renai, downtown Florence

CONTACT: James Fanelli  
[jamesfanelli@CEinItaly.com](mailto:jamesfanelli@CEinItaly.com)

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## Sept. 22, Hershey, PA

### Central PA Optometric Society Fall Forum

HOST: Central PA Optometric Society  
CE HOURS: 6

LOCATION: Hotel Hershey, 100 Hotel Rd.

CONTACT: Erin Heinly  
[cposrsvp@gmail.com](mailto:cposrsvp@gmail.com)

## Sept. 26-28, Madison, WI

### Wisconsin Optometric Association Convention and Annual Meeting

HOST: Wisconsin Optometric Association

KEY FACULTY: Christopher Wolfe, Mile Brujic, Brad Sutton  
CE HOURS: 22

LOCATION: Marriott Madison West, 1313 John Q Hammons Dr.

CONTACT: Joleen Breunig  
[joleen@woa-eyes.org](mailto:joleen@woa-eyes.org)

608-824-2200

[www.woa-eyes.org](http://www.woa-eyes.org)

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## Sept. 27-29, Kearney, NE Nebraska Optometry's Meeting

HOST: Nebraska Optometric Association

LOCATION: Younes Conference Center, 416 W Talmadge Rd.

CONTACT: Emily Wilcox  
[ewilcox@assocoffice.net](mailto:ewilcox@assocoffice.net)

402-474-7716

[nebraska.aoa.org/education-and-training/fall-convention](http://nebraska.aoa.org/education-and-training/fall-convention)

## Melton & Thomas Spread Southern Hospitality—All Over the World

Optometry is blessed to have many dynamic speakers willing to give up their weekends and travel to far-flung locations to share their expertise with others. Among a stellar roster of lecturers, Ron Melton, OD, and Randall Thomas, OD, are surely on most people's must-see lists. Their innovative "team teaching" model, 70+ combined years of clinical experience and easygoing Southern charm ensures doctors of all skill levels get the advice they need to succeed. The North Carolina duo has given well over 1,000 lectures in all 50 states and throughout the world. At press time, here's where they are slated to appear in 2019. More meetings are likely to be added—check [www.reviewofoptometry.com/events](http://www.reviewofoptometry.com/events) for the latest!

Date	Location	Conference	Contact
Jan. 25–Feb. 6	Departs from Sydney, Australia	New Zealand Optometric CE cruise (with Dr. Thomas) <a href="http://www.drtravel.com">www.drtravel.com</a>	Robert Pascal <a href="mailto:info@drtravel.com">info@drtravel.com</a>
Feb. 10	Los Angeles	Los Angeles County Optometric Society Winter CE <a href="http://www.lacos.net/announcements">www.lacos.net/announcements</a>	Gary Polan, OD <a href="mailto:dr.polan@verizon.net">dr.polan@verizon.net</a>
Feb. 15-19	Aspen, CO	Winter Ophthalmic Conference <a href="http://www.winterophthalmic.com">www.winterophthalmic.com</a>	Lois DiDomenico <a href="mailto:reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com">reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com</a>
Mar. 8	Winston-Salem, NC	Winston-Salem District of North Carolina Optometric Society	<a href="mailto:temaseye@yahoo.com">temaseye@yahoo.com</a>
Mar. 30	Greenville, SC	South Carolina Optometric Physicians Assn. Spring Meeting <a href="http://www.sceyedoctors.com">www.sceyedoctors.com</a>	Michele Donovan <a href="mailto:mickeyeod@gmail.com">mickeyeod@gmail.com</a>
Apr. 6	Birmingham, AL	UAB Primary Eye Care Update CE Weekend <a href="http://www.uab.edu/optometry/home/alumni/continuing-education">www.uab.edu/optometry/home/alumni/continuing-education</a>	Katherine Klore, OD <a href="mailto:kklore@uab.edu">kklore@uab.edu</a>
Apr. 27	Boston	Massachusetts Society of Optometrists Education Conference <a href="http://www.maoptometry.org">www.maoptometry.org</a>	Jessica Bertrand <a href="mailto:info@maoptometry.org">info@maoptometry.org</a>
Apr. 28	Little Rock, AR	Arkansas Optometric Association Spring Convention <a href="http://arkansasoptometric.org/conventions.html">arkansasoptometric.org/conventions.html</a>	Vicki Farmer <a href="mailto:vicki@arkansasoptometric.org">vicki@arkansasoptometric.org</a>
May 2	Raleigh, NC	Eastern District of North Carolina Optometric Society <a href="http://www.nceyes.org">www.nceyes.org</a>	Lisa Wall-Fuller, OD <a href="mailto:smolenyak@hotmail.com">smolenyak@hotmail.com</a>
May 18	Pocono Manor, PA	Pennsylvania Optometric Association CE Meeting <a href="http://pennsylvania.aoa.org/education-and-events">pennsylvania.aoa.org/education-and-events</a>	Ilene Sauertieg <a href="mailto:ilene@poaeyes.org">ilene@poaeyes.org</a>
Jun. 15	Baton Rouge, LA	Optometry Association of Louisiana Annual Convention <a href="http://www.optla.org">www.optla.org</a>	Jim Sandefur <a href="mailto:optla@bellsouth.net">optla@bellsouth.net</a>
Jun. 22	St. Louis	Optometry's Meeting, American Optometric Association <a href="http://optometrymeeting@aoa.org">optometrymeeting@aoa.org</a>	
Jun. 28–Jul. 8	Dalmatian Coast, departs from Venice	Italy/Slovenia/Croatia Optometric CE cruise (Dr. Thomas) <a href="http://www.drtravel.com">www.drtravel.com</a>	<a href="mailto:info@drtravel.com">info@drtravel.com</a>
Oct. 4	Fargo, ND	North Dakota Optometric Association Annual Congress <a href="http://www.ndeyecare.com">www.ndeyecare.com</a>	Nancy Kopp <a href="mailto:nkopp@ndeyecare.com">nkopp@ndeyecare.com</a>
Oct. 12	Orlando	PSS Eye Care in Orlando <a href="http://www.psseyecare.com">www.psseyecare.com</a>	Deepak Gupta, OD <a href="mailto:education@psseyecare.com">education@psseyecare.com</a>
Oct. 13	Portland, OR	Great Western Council of Optometry <a href="http://www.gwco.org">www.gwco.org</a>	Patty Anderson <a href="mailto:gwcodirector@gmail.com">gwcodirector@gmail.com</a>
Nov. 9	Birmingham, AL	Alabama Optometric Association Annual Meeting <a href="http://alabama.aoa.org/events">alabama.aoa.org/events</a>	Teri Hatfield <a href="mailto:teri@alaopt.com">teri@alaopt.com</a>
Nov. 10	Charlotte, NC	North Carolina Optometric Society Fall Congress <a href="http://www.nceyes.org">www.nceyes.org</a>	Sean Smolenyak, OD <a href="mailto:smolenyak@hotmail.com">smolenyak@hotmail.com</a>

### Overheard in the Lecture Hall...

Here's what some ODs who attended the Melton & Thomas "Eye to Eye" meetings in 2018 had to say about the experience:

Always educational and fun to spend time with these doctors.

Great lecture! Engaging and educational and entertaining!

These doctors are my heros. Awesome!

I always learn new treatment strategies after attending Melton & Thomas lectures.

Great, logical, common-sense education.

Best course I've had in years.

### Plan Ahead — 2020 Cruise!

*Feb. 29–March 14, Buenos Aires, Argentina to Santiago, Chile.*

"Come cruise with us to South America!" enthuses Randall Thomas, OD. He and Dr. Melton "will be providing 12 hours of CE in some of the most spectacular scenery on Earth. A post-cruise experience will be available to join us touring the world famous Inca citadel of Machu Picchu! Plan to join us for this 'bucket list' trip."

Check [www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com) for more information.

# October

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Indiana Optometry's Fall Seminar	3	4	5 CAO Annual Education Conference
				IOP Annual Congress		
				SCO's Fall Homecoming/CE Weekend 2019		
				Missouri Optometric Assn. Annual Convention		
				OEP Art & Science of Behavioral Vision Care		
				SUNY Envision NY		
				North Dakota Optometric Association Annual Congress		Envision Conf. West
						UHCO CE in Austin
						NSU Fall Conference
6 CAO Annual Education Conference	7 OEP Art & Science of Behavioral Vision Care	8	9 Michigan Optometric Assn. Fall Seminar	10	11	12
SCO Fall Homecoming				PSS Forum on Ocular Disease		
MO OA Meeting				GWCO Congress		
MSO Fall CE						
SUNY Envision NY						
Envision Conf. West						
UHCO CE in Austin						
NSU Fall Conference						
MBKU Workshops						
13 PSS Forum on Ocular Disease	14	15	16	17	18	19
GWCO Congress				Iowa Optometric Assn. Hawkeye Institute		
				EastWest Eye Conference		
20 MSO Fall Conference	21 AFOS at Academy 2019	22 Optometric Glaucoma Society Annual Meeting	23	24	25	26
			Academy 2019 Orlando and 3rd World Congress of Optometry			
					North American Vision Symposium	
						AOE CE Seminar & Optifair Canada
						GOA Fall Education Conference
27 Academy 2019 Orlando and 3rd World Congress of Optometry	28	29	30	31		
North American Vision Symposium						
AOE CE Seminar & Optifair Canada						
GOA Fall Education Conference						

**Oct. 2-3, Bloomington, IN**  
**Indiana Optometry's Fall Seminar**  
 HOST: Indiana Optometric Assn.  
 CE HOURS: 14  
 LOCATION: Indiana Memorial Union,  
 900 E. 7th St.  
 CONTACT: Bridget Sims  
[blsims@ioa.org](mailto:blsims@ioa.org); 317-237-3560  
[www.ioa.org](http://www.ioa.org)

**Oct. 3-5, Boise, ID**  
**IOP Annual Congress**  
 HOST: Idaho Optometric Physicians  
 CE HOURS: 32 total; 19 max. per OD  
 LOCATION: Boise Centre, 850 West  
 Front St.  
 CONTACT: Randy Andregg  
[execdir@iopinc.org](mailto:execdir@iopinc.org)  
 208-461-0001  
[idaho.aoa.org](http://idaho.aoa.org)  
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**Oct. 3-4, Fargo, ND**  
**North Dakota Optometric  
 Association Annual Congress**  
 HOST: North Dakota Optom. Assn.  
 KEY FACULTY: Ron Melton, Randall  
 Thomas  
 CONTACT: Nancy Kopp  
 CE HOURS: 12  
[nkopp@ndeyecare.com](mailto:nkopp@ndeyecare.com)  
[www.ndeyecare.com](http://www.ndeyecare.com)

**Oct. 3-6, Memphis**  
**SCO's Fall Homecoming/CE  
 Weekend**  
 HOST: Southern Col. of Optometry  
 CE HOURS: 22 total, 17 max per OD  
 LOCATION: SCO, 1245 Madison Ave.  
 CONTACT: Jeanie Snider  
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 901-722-3397  
[www.sco.edu/continuing-education](http://www.sco.edu/continuing-education)

**Oct. 3-6, Osage Beach, MO**  
**MOA Annual Convention**  
 HOST: Missouri Optometric Assn.  
 KEY FACULTY: Elizabeth Steele  
 CE HOURS: 15  
 LOCATION: Tan-Tar-A Resort, 494  
 Tan-Tar-A Dr.  
 CONTACT: Lee Ann Barrett  
[moaed@moeyecare.org](mailto:moaed@moeyecare.org)  
 573-635-6151  
[www.moeyecare.org](http://www.moeyecare.org)  
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**Oct. 3-7, Timonium, MD**  
**Art & Science of Behavioral Vision Care**  
 HOST: Optometric Extension  
 Program Foundation  
 KEY FACULTY: Virginia Donati  
 CE HOURS: 35  
 CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org)  
 410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

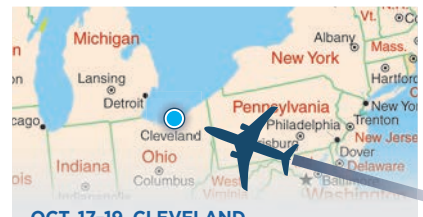
**Oct. 4-6, New York City**  
**Envision NY**  
 HOST: SUNY College of Optometry  
 CE HOURS: 49 total, 7 max. per day  
 LOCATION: SUNY College of  
 Optometry, 33 West 42nd St.  
 CONTACT: Betsy Torres  
[btorres@sunyopt.edu](mailto:btorres@sunyopt.edu)  
 212-938-5830  
[www.sunyopt.edu/cpe](http://www.sunyopt.edu/cpe)  
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**Oct. 5-6, Pomona, CA**  
**Envision Conference West 2019**  
 HOST: Envision University  
 CE HOURS: Total: 24, max. per OD: 12  
 LOCATION: Western University  
 of Health Sciences' College of  
 Optometry, 309 West Second St.  
 CONTACT: Michael Epp  
[michael.epp@envisionus.com](mailto:michael.epp@envisionus.com)  
 316-440-1515  
[www.envisionconference.org](http://www.envisionconference.org)  
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**Oct. 5-6, Austin**  
**CE in Austin**  
 HOST: U. Houston Col. of Optometry  
 KEY FACULTY: Pat Segu  
 CE HOURS: 16  
 LOCATION: Double Tree By Hilton,  
 6505 Interstate Highway-35 North  
 CONTACT: UHCO Continuing  
 Education  
[optce@central.uh.edu](mailto:optce@central.uh.edu)  
 713-743-1900  
[ce.opt.uh.edu](http://ce.opt.uh.edu)

**Oct. 5-6, Fort Lauderdale**  
**NSU Annual Fall Conference**  
 HOST: Nova Southeastern University  
 College of Optometry  
 KEY FACULTY: Sherrol Reynolds,  
 Joseph Sowka  
 CE HOURS: 12

EDUCATION TOPICS		
<b>AL</b> Allergy	<b>CS</b> Corneal surgery	<b>NO</b> Neuro-ophthalmics
<b>AM</b> Amblyopia	<b>CT</b> Cataract surgery	<b>NT</b> Nutrition & the eye
<b>BV</b> Binocular vision	<b>DB</b> Diabetes	<b>IN</b> Ocular infections
<b>CM</b> Comanagement	<b>DE</b> Dry eye	<b>DS</b> Optical dispensing
<b>CL</b> Contact lenses	<b>EL</b> Eyelids/adnexa	<b>PE</b> Pediatric eye care
<b>CD</b> Cornea/conjunctiva	<b>GL</b> Glaucoma	<b>PH</b> Pharmacology
	<b>LT</b> Laboratory testing	<b>PM</b> Practice mgmt.
		<b>RE</b> Retinal disorders
		<b>RS</b> Refractive surgery
		<b>SV</b> Sports vision
		<b>SD</b> Systemic disease
		<b>TE</b> Technology
		<b>UV</b> Uveitis
		<b>VT</b> Vision therapy



**OCT. 17-19, CLEVELAND**  
**The Buckeye State Hosts  
 EastWest Eye**

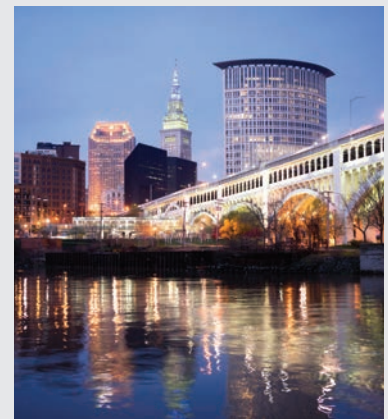
Cleveland is known as the home of the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame and—every October—the EastWest Eye Conference, where regional optometrists gather for this popular, regional meeting.

In 2019, EastWest will be held Oct. 17-19 at the Huntington Cleveland Convention Center. The event will offer a total of 185 continuing education credits, and ODs can earn up to 25 CE credits.

Hosted by the Ohio Optometric Association, the 2019 speakers' lineup includes optometrists Milton Hom, Joseph Sowka, Paul Karpecki, Ron Melton and Randall Thomas.

The education courses have been carefully crafted to help you learn the latest on a variety of well-selected topics, including allergy, amblyopia, binocular vision, comanagement, contact lenses, cornea/conjunctive, diabetes, dry eye, glaucoma, laboratory testing, neuro-ophthalmics, nutrition and the eye, ocular infections, optical dispensing, pediatric eye care, pharmacology, retinal disorders, sports vision, systemic disease, technology, uveitis and vision therapy.

For more information or to register, contact Jordan Quickel, [jquickel@ooa.org](mailto:jquickel@ooa.org), (800)-999-4939, or go to [www.eastwesteye.org](http://www.eastwesteye.org).





## GWCO: Westward, Ho!

Head to the Pacific Northwest October 10-13 for the Great Western Council of Optometry (GWCO)'s 2019 Annual Congress, which will offer 75+ hours of continuing education. Attendees can earn up to a maximum of 26 CE credit hours.

GWCO has lined up an impressive roster of key speakers for 2019 that includes optometrists Melissa Barnett, Mile Brujic, David Hicks, Aaron McNulty, Chris Wolfe, Sharon Carter and many more. The event will be held at the Oregon Convention Center in Portland, OR.

Whatever your clinical interest, GWCO's meeting topics will have you covered. In 2019, lectures will encompass discussions on pretty much everything a modern OD needs to know about: allergy, co-management, contact lenses, corneal/conjunctival disease, cataract surgery, diabetes, dry eye, eyelid/adnexal disease, glaucoma, neuro-ophthalmic disorders, nutrition and the eye, ocular infections, optical dispensing, pediatric eye care, pharmacology, practice management, retinal disorders, refractive surgery, systemic disease, technology and vision therapy.

LOCATION: NSU Main Campus, 3200 S. University Dr.  
CONTACT: Vanessa McDonald  
[oceaa@nova.edu](mailto:oceaa@nova.edu)  
954-262-4224  
[optometry.nova.edu/ce/index.html](http://optometry.nova.edu/ce/index.html)

### Oct. 5-7, Mystic, CT CAO Annual Education Conference

HOST: Connecticut Association of Optometrists  
CE HOURS: 18  
LOCATION: Mystic Marriott Hotel and Spa, 625 N Rd.  
CONTACT: Lynn Sedlak  
[lsedlak@cteyes.org](mailto:lsedlak@cteyes.org)  
860-529-1900

This year's meeting will also include a two-day exhibit hall marketplace, evening events, and COPE, ABO, NCLE and CPC accreditation.

GWCO was formed in 1991 to provide a common voice for members within organized optometry, to facilitate communication, enhance professional development and provide financial support to affiliated state optometric associations. GWCO is comprised of 13 member state optometry associations, representing Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.

For more information, contact [info@gwco.org](mailto:info@gwco.org), 206-209-5273 or go to: [www.gwco.org](http://www.gwco.org).



[www.cteyes.org/fall-annual-education-conference](http://www.cteyes.org/fall-annual-education-conference)

### Oct. 6, Fullerton, CA Applebaum Workshops: Injections, Laser, & Laboratory Testing

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum University, SCCO  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: MBKU Hopping Academic Center, 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
CONTACT: Bonnie Dellatorre, Antoinette Smith  
[ce@ketchum.edu](mailto:ce@ketchum.edu)  
714-449-7495  
[ketchum.edu/ce](http://ketchum.edu/ce)

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### Oct. 6, Westborough, MA

#### MSO Fall CE

HOST: Massachusetts Society of Optometrists  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: Double Tree Hilton, 5400 Computer Drive  
CONTACT: Jessica Bertrand  
[info@maoptometry.org](mailto:info@maoptometry.org)  
[www.maoptometry.org/wednesday-morning-series.html](http://www.maoptometry.org/wednesday-morning-series.html)

### Oct. 9-10, Lansing, MI Michigan Optometric Association Fall Seminar

HOST: Michigan Optometric Assn.  
LOCATION: Lansing Center, 333 E. Michigan Ave.  
CONTACT: MOA  
[info@themoa.org](mailto:info@themoa.org)  
517-482-0616  
[www.themoa.org/fall\\_seminar](http://www.themoa.org/fall_seminar)

### Oct. 10-15, Orlando Forum on Ocular Disease

HOST: PSS EyeCare  
KEY FACULTY: Jerome Sherman, N. Ron Melton, Randall Thomas, Nathan Lighthizer, Deepak Gupta  
CE HOURS: 18  
CONTACT: Sonia Kumari  
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203-415-3087  
[www.psseyecare.com](http://www.psseyecare.com)  
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### Oct. 10-13, Portland, OR GWCO Congress

HOST: Great Western Council of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Melissa Barnett, Mile Brujic, David Hicks, Aaron McNulty, Chris Wolfe, Sharon Carter  
CE HOURS: 75 total; 26 max. per OD  
LOCATION: Oregon Convention Center, 777 NE MLK Jr. Blvd.  
CONTACT: Patty Anderson  
[info@gwco.org](mailto:info@gwco.org)  
206-209-5273  
[www.gwco.org](http://www.gwco.org)  
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### Oct. 17-18, Coralville, Iowa Iowa 2019 Hawkeye Institute

HOST: Iowa Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 13  
LOCATION: Marriott Coralville Hotel & Conference Center, 300 E. 9th St.  
CONTACT: Jill Gonder  
[jillg@iowaoptometry.org](mailto:jillg@iowaoptometry.org)  
515-222-5679 ext. 3  
[www.iowaoptometry.org/upcoming-events](http://www.iowaoptometry.org/upcoming-events)



**Oct. 17-19, Cleveland, OH**

**EastWest Eye Conference**

HOST: Ohio Optometric Association  
KEY FACULTY: Milton Hom, Joseph Sowka, Paul Karpecki, N. Ron Melton, Randall Thomas  
CE HOURS: Total: 185, max. per OD: 25  
LOCATION: Huntington Cleveland Convention Center, 300 Lakeside Dr.  
CONTACT: Jordan Quickel  
jquickel@ooa.org  
800-999-4939  
www.eastwesteye.org  
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**Oct. 20, Westborough, MA  
MSO Fall Conference**

HOST: Massachusetts Society of Optometrists  
KEY FACULTY: TBD  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: DoubleTree by Hilton Boston/Westborough  
5400 Computer Drive  
CONTACT: Massachusetts Society of Optometrists  
info@maoptometry.org  
508-875-7900  
maoptometry.org

**Oct. 21-22, Orlando  
AFOS at Academy 2019**

HOST: Armed Forces Optometric Society  
KEY FACULTY: Federal Service Chiefs (Army, Navy, Air Force, VA and IHS) plus nationally recognized optometric educators  
CE HOURS: Total: 400+, max. per OD: 45  
LOCATION: Rosen Plaza Hotel and Orange County Convention Center, 900 International Drive  
CONTACT: Lindsay Wright  
lwright@afos2020.org  
720-442-8209  
www.afos2020.org

**Oct. 22, Orlando  
Optometric Glaucoma Society  
Annual Meeting**

HOST: Optometric Glaucoma Society (OGS)  
CONTACT:  
optometricglaucomasociety.org

**Oct. 23-27, Orlando  
Academy 2019 Orlando and 3rd  
World Congress of Optometry**

HOST: American Academy of Optometry/World Council of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 200+ total; 33 max. per OD

LOCATION: Orange County Convention Center, 9800 International Drive  
CONTACT: American Academy of Optometry  
aaoptom@aaoptom.org  
321-319-4860  
www.aaopt.org or www.worldcongressofoptometry.org  
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**Oct. 25-27, Windsor, Ontario, Canada  
North American Vision Symposium**

HOST: The Windsor Laser Eye Institute  
KEY FACULTY: Paul Karpecki, Marc Bloomenstein, Carlo Pelino, Eric Schmidt  
CE HOURS: 20  
LOCATION: Caesars Windsor, 377 Riverside Drive East  
CONTACT: Vicki Shaw  
vicki@wlei.com  
519-252-2020  
www.wlei.com  
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**Oct. 26-27, Brampton, Ontario, Canada  
AOE CE Seminar & Optifair Canada  
Trade Show**

HOST: The Academy of Ophthalmic Education  
CE HOURS: 14  
LOCATION: Embassy Grand Convention Centre, 8800 The Gore Rd.  
CONTACT: Claudia Marks  
cmarks@aoece.com  
905-731-6022  
aoece.com  
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**Oct. 26-27, Athens, GA  
GOA Fall Education Conference**

HOST: Georgia Optometric Association  
CE HOURS: 18  
LOCATION: University of Georgia Center for Continuing Education & Hotel, 1197 S. Lumpkin St.  
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# 2019 MEETINGS

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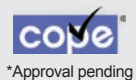
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OPTOMETRIC GLAUCOMA  
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**Southern CA**

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additional information and faculty.



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OCT. 23-27,  
ORLANDO



### Academy 2019's International Focus Means it's a Small World After All

Expect something different at the Academy meeting this year: for the first time, the American Academy of Optometry (AAO) will join forces with the World Council of Optometry (WCO) for a joint meeting, taking place Oct. 23-27 in Orlando. With this collaboration, attendees can expect a more global focus.

"The vision of WCO is of a world where optometry makes high quality eye health and vision care accessible to all people," says AAO President Barbara Caffery, OD. "Optometrists from all over the globe will meet with us in Orlando. There, we can exchange cultural and scientific information in the friendly atmosphere of the American Academy of Optometry annual meeting. It is a wonderful opportunity."

The Academy's 98th annual meeting will feature a wide array of relevant CE courses and cutting-edge research in the clinical and vision sciences. Attendees can choose from over 250 hours of lectures and workshops, section and special interest group symposia, hundreds of scientific papers and posters, and plenty of social events. The meeting will also offer 200+ hours of CE. Optometrists can earn upwards of 33+ CE hours during its duration.

Specific details about Academy 2019 will become available as the meeting approaches, but attendees can expect some outstanding staples of an Academy meeting: the popular Plenary session, the Ezell Fellows Present lecture, the Lawrence Gray Symposium on Neuro-ophthalmic Disorders, the Prentice and Fry Lectures, the Monroe J. Hirsch Research Symposium and the annual Academy Awards program.

Additionally, several specialty organizations hold meetings during Academy, including the Armed Forces Optometric Society, the Optometric



Glaucoma Society and the Ocular Wellness and Nutrition Society.

In conjunction with the Academy meeting, the third World Congress of Optometry will continue the tradition of the first and second World Congresses, held in Medellin, Colombia in 2015 and Hyderabad, India in 2017, respectively. The third Congress will serve as the global platform where practitioners, students, researchers and educators will share expertise and engage in the development of the future of the profession.

"We are happy to be co-hosting the third World Congress of Optometry with the American Academy of Optometry," says WCO's president, Scott Mundle, OD. "We are confident that our collaboration will grow the profession internationally while recognizing the Academy's mandate to expand its message globally."

The Congress will have two principal tracks: *scientific* and *educators*. The specially designed educators' track of the Congress will offer lectures, workshops and poster presentations maximizing the opportunity to advance the optometric education agenda across the world, and, through that, support the sustainable development of human resources. The scientific track will provide a diverse program of lectures, sympo-

sia, workshops, poster presentations, videos and photography covering a spectrum of significant themes.

For more information, go to: [www.aaopt.org](http://www.aaopt.org) or [www.worldcongressofoptometry.org](http://www.worldcongressofoptometry.org).

#### Merriment Beyond Mickey

Orlando is renowned for its theme parks, but if you're looking for something else to entertain you during breaks from CE classes during the Academy meeting, [visitorlando.com](http://visitorlando.com) has a few suggestions to please anyone with the urge to "get outside" in and around Orlando:

**Boggy Creek Airboat Rides:** 2001 E. Southport Rd., Kissimmee, [bcairboats.com](http://bcairboats.com)

Located in Kissimmee near Disney World, this attraction invites you to glide across the headwaters of the Florida Everglades at up to 40 MPH aboard six-passenger airboats that the Coast Guard have inspected and approved. During the 45-minute tour, you'll encounter areas untouched by man and witness a wide range of exotic wildlife. Night expeditions, which last an hour, are also available.

**Bok Tower Gardens:** 1151 Tower Blvd., Lake Wales, [www.boktowergardens.org](http://www.boktowergardens.org)

Just 10 miles from Legoland Florida, this National Historic Landmark was dedicated in 1929 as a gift

of gratitude from Edward Bok, a humanitarian, Pulitzer Prize-winning author and world peace advocate. Bok Tower Gardens encompasses nearly 700 acres of citrus groves, woodland gardens, nature trails, conservation lands and endangered plants.

**Central Florida Zoo and Botanical Gardens:** 3755 Hwy. 17-92, [www.centralfloridazoo.org](http://www.centralfloridazoo.org)

Nestled in lush, tropical foliage, the Central Florida Zoo is home to 23 acres gardens and more than 500 animals. It also features an insect zoo, a reptile house, a children's area with animals you can feed and pet, a splash playground and an adventure park. The zoo is in Sanford, about 20 minutes from downtown Orlando.

**Giraffe Ranch:** 38650 Mickler Rd., Dade City, [www.girafferanch.com](http://www.girafferanch.com)

Have you ever fed a giraffe? At this attraction in Dade City, about an hour west of Disney World, you'll get to know giraffes and other species from around the world, all in a setting that seems right out of Africa, with huge live oaks and open grasslands. Offering tours exclusively by reservation, the ranch is on 47 acres of countryside adjoining Florida's second largest wilderness area, the Green Swamp.

**Gatorland:** 14501 S. Orange Blossom Trail, [www.gatorland.com](http://www.gatorland.com)

Situated on more than 100 acres, one of Orlando's oldest attractions provides affordably priced family fun. See thousands of alligators and crocodiles, along with an aviary, a breeding marsh with observation tower, Florida panthers, a petting zoo and a splash pad for younger visitors.

**Orlando Tree Trek Adventure Park:** 7625 Sinclair Rd., Kissimmee, [www.orlandotreetrek.com](http://www.orlandotreetrek.com)



Located near Disney World in Kissimmee, this adventure park features 97 challenges for climbers of every skill level, including swings, nets, ropes and a trapeze. You'll be securely clipped to a safety cable, and all guests receive a safety demonstration from trained instructors.

**Orlando Watersports Complex:** 8615 Florida Rock Rd., [www.aktionparks.com/orlando-watersports-complex](http://www.aktionparks.com/orlando-watersports-complex)

Close to Orlando International Airport, this water park offers water-skiing, wakeboarding, wakeskating, wakesurfing and kneeboarding on a massive boat lake. It's also home to Central Florida's first aquapark, including inflatable, interlocking climbing obstacles, pathways and slides.

**Revolution Off-road:** 4000 State Road 33, Clermont, [www.revolutionoffroad.com](http://www.revolutionoffroad.com)

An off-road motor and fishing venue set in 230 acres of Florida countryside, Revolution Off Road is close to all major tourist attractions. You can jump in the driver's seat of all-terrain vehicles, dune buggies and even amphibious Mucky Ducks. Revolution also offers bass fishing, archery and clay shooting.

**Safari Wilderness Ranch:** 10850 Moore Rd., Lakeland, [www.safariwilderness.com](http://www.safariwilderness.com)

Here, knowledgeable and experienced guides will take you through large herds of exotic game on 260 acres of wilderness. Tours are offered daily, by reservation only.

### A Magic Kingdom of Food Options

Orlando offers many upscale restaurants beyond the venues found on the restaurant rows of Disney Springs and Universal CityWalk. Zagat offers up these delicious alternatives:

**Domu:** East End Market, 3201 Corrine Dr. Suite 100, [www.domufl.com](http://www.domufl.com)

Located in the East End Market, Domu is a contemporary ramen shop serving creative bowls of noodles (the Mazemen involves uni, pancetta, béchamel and bone marrow). The cocktail program is also a highlight: try the bright Kyoto mule, with Japanese shochu, lime, and lychee syrup.

**The Ravenous Pig:** 565 W. Fairbanks Ave., [www.theravenouspig.com](http://www.theravenouspig.com)

The Ravenous Pig has become one of the most well-known restaurants in Orlando, with its refined gastro

pub fare, emphasis on Florida local ingredients, and house-brewed beers. The spot was nominated for a James Beard Awards two years in a row. The restaurant recently moved to a new, airier space in the upscale Winter Park neighborhood.

**Kadence:** 1809 Winter Park Rd., [www.kadenceorlando.com](http://www.kadenceorlando.com)

A follow-up to the hip, intimate sushi bar Kappo, Kadence is a 20-seat restaurant serving sushi omakase and Kappo-style omakase dinners, alongside a selection of craft Japanese spirits.

**The Osprey Tavern:** 4899 New Broad St., [www.ospreytavern.com](http://www.ospreytavern.com)

The Osprey Tavern is a multipurpose restaurant—casual enough for drinks with friends but fancy enough for a nice evening out. Try the wood-grilled oysters or the tea-cured Sunburst Farms trout with faro, carrot puree, kohlrabi and pickled raisins.

**Yellow Dog Eats:** 1236 Hempel Ave., [www.yellowdogeats.com](http://www.yellowdogeats.com)

This casual spot serves up barbecue sandwich creations like The Rufus: pulled pork, Brie, cherry peppers and barbecue sauce. Don't miss the Retrievers Roast, seasoned mid-rare roast beef with vine-ripened tomatoes, smoked gouda, caramelized onions, and watercress with smoky pommery mustard and a cranberry-horseradish-jalapeno mayo served on thick sliced multi-grain bread.

**Kabooki Sushi:** 3122 E. Colonial Dr., [www.kabookisushi.com](http://www.kabookisushi.com)

This modern spot serves innovative dishes like lump crab with a chocolate demi-glace, and avocado rolls with bacon. It also offers a vast selection of fresh, high-quality sashimi.

**Banh Mi Nha Trang:** 1216 E Colonial Dr. #9

This tiny spot is run by a husband-and-wife team that serves bright and spicy banh mi made with pillow-soft baguettes. At \$3.50, it's one of the best lunch deals in town.

**Bulla Gastrobar:** 2500 Ponce De Leon Blvd., [www.bullagastrobar.com](http://www.bullagastrobar.com)

Bulla Gastrobar offers a lengthy menu of Spanish tapas and Spanish cheeses, including sweet, nutty manchego or smoky idiazábal. Also on the menu are cured meats along with classic small plates like tortilla española (a Spanish omelet) and gambas al ajillo (shrimp sautéed in garlic).

# November

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**Nov. 1-2, Rogers, AR**  
**Arkansas Optometric Association Fall Convention**

HOST: Arkansas Optometric Assn.  
 CE HOURS: 12  
 LOCATION: Embassy Suites NWA Hotel & Convention Center, 3303 W. Pinnacle Hills Parkway  
 CONTACT: Debbie Henley  
[aroa@arkansasoptometric.org](mailto:aroa@arkansasoptometric.org)  
 501-661-7675  
[arkansasoptometric.org/conventions.html](http://arkansasoptometric.org/conventions.html)

**Nov. 1-3, Nashville**  
**Music City Fall Classic**

HOST: Optometric Ed. Consultants  
 KEY FACULTY: Chair: Paul Karpecki  
 CE HOURS: 15-20  
 LOCATION: Marriott Nashville at Vanderbilt Univ. 2555 West End Ave.  
 CONTACT: Vanessa McDonald  
[optoec@gmail.com](mailto:optoec@gmail.com)  
 954-262-4224  
[www.optometricedu.com](http://www.optometricedu.com)  
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**Nov. 1-3, Baltimore**  
**Review's New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care**

HOST: RGVCE  
 KEY FACULTY: Chair: Paul Karpecki  
 CE HOURS: 18  
 LOCATION: Renaissance Baltimore Harborplace, 202 E. Pratt St.  
 CONTACT: Lois DiDomenico  
[reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com](mailto:reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com)  
 866-658-1772  
[www.reviewsce.com](http://www.reviewsce.com)  
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**Nov. 1-3, National Harbor, MD**  
**Maryland Optometric Association Annual Convention**

HOST: Maryland Optometric Assn.  
 CE HOURS: 16  
 LOCATION: The Gaylord National Resort and Convention Center, 201 Waterfront St.  
 CONTACT: Linda Cohen  
[lindacohen@marylandoptometry.org](mailto:lindacohen@marylandoptometry.org)  
 410-486-9662  
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**Nov. 3, New York City**  
**CE-NY Skaneateles**

HOST: SUNY College of Optometry  
 CE HOURS: 6  
 LOCATION: SUNY College of Optometry, 33 West 42nd St.  
 CONTACT: Betsy Torres  
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**Nov. 3, Elkins Park, PA**  
**Optometric Education**

HOST: Salus University  
 CE HOURS: 8 (COPE approval pending)  
 LOCATION: Salus University, 8360 Old York Road  
 CONTACT: Natalie Standig  
[nstandig@salus.edu](mailto:nstandig@salus.edu)  
 215-780-1381  
[www.salus.edu/events](http://www.salus.edu/events)

**Nov. 7-11, Pomona, CA**  
**VT2/Learning Related Visual Problems**

HOST: Optometric Extension Program Foundation  
 KEY FACULTY: John Abbondanza  
 CE HOURS: 35  
 LOCATION: Western University, 309 E 2nd St.  
 CONTACT: Karen Ruder  
[karen.ruder@oep.org](mailto:karen.ruder@oep.org); 410-561-3791  
[www.oepf.org](http://www.oepf.org)

**Nov. 7-12, Atlanta**  
**Symposium on Primary Eye Care**

HOST: PSS EyeCare  
 KEY FACULTY: Jerome Sherman, Michael Tolentino, Deepak Gupta  
 CE HOURS: 18  
 LOCATION: Marriott Hotel  
 CONTACT: Sonia Kumari  
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 203-415-3087  
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**Nov. 8-9, Madison, WI**  
**Wisconsin Optometric Association Primary Care Symposium**

HOST: Wisconsin Optometric Assn.  
 CE HOURS: 9

LOCATION: Glacier Canyon Lodge  
 45 Hillmann Rd.  
 CONTACT: Joleen Breunig  
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**Nov. 8-10, Birmingham, AL**  
**Alabama Optometric Association Annual Convention**

HOST: Alabama Optometric Association  
 KEY FACULTY: Ron Melton, Randall Thomas  
 CE HOURS: 17 for ODS, 12 for techs  
 LOCATION: TBD  
 CONTACT: Teri Hatfield  
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 334-273-7895  
[www.alaopt.org](http://www.alaopt.org)

**Nov. 8-10, Charlotte, NC**  
**Fall Congress**

HOST: North Carolina Optometric Society  
 CE HOURS: 18  
 LOCATION: The Westin Charlotte, 601 S. College St.  
 CONTACT: Christy Santacana  
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 919-977-6964  
[www.nceyes.org/fall-congress](http://www.nceyes.org/fall-congress)

**Nov. 8-10, Wichita, KS**  
**Kansas Optometric Association's Fall Eyecare Conference**

HOST: Kansas Optometric Association  
 CE HOURS: 13  
 LOCATION: DoubleTree by Hilton Wichita Airport, 2098 Airport Rd.  
 CONTACT: Rachelle Heatwole  
[rachelle@kansasoaptometric.org](mailto:rachelle@kansasoaptometric.org)  
 785-232-0225  
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**Nov. 9-10, Fort Worth, TX**  
**CE in Fort Worth**

HOST: University of Houston College of Optometry  
 KEY FACULTY: CourseMaster Marcus Gonzales  
 CE HOURS: 16  
 LOCATION: Dallas/Fort Worth Marriott Hotel and Golf Club, 3300 Championship Pkwy  
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EDUCATION TOPICS			
AL Allergy	CS Corneal surgery	NO Neuro-ophthalmics	RE Retinal disorders
AM Amblyopia	CT Cataract surgery	NT Nutrition & the eye	RS Refractive surgery
BV Binocular vision	DB Diabetes	IN Ocular infections	SV Sports vision
CM Comanagement	DE Dry eye	DS Optical dispensing	SD Systemic disease
CL Contact lenses	EL Eyelids/adnexa	PE Pediatric eye care	TE Technology
CD Cornea/conjunctiva	GL Glaucoma	PH Pharmacology	UV Uveitis
	LT Laboratory testing	PM Practice mgmt.	VT Vision therapy

**Nov. 13, Neptune City, NJ**

**NJ-AAO Educational Dinner Lecture**

HOST: New Jersey Chapter-American Academy of Optometry

CE HOURS: 2

LOCATION: Jumping Brook Country Club, 210 Jumping Brook Rd.

CONTACT: Dennis Lyons  
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**Nov. 13, Massachusetts (city TBD)**

**MSO Wednesday Morning CE Series**

HOST: Massachusetts Society of Optometrists

CE HOURS: 3

CONTACT: Jessica Bertrand  
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[www.maooptometry.org/wednesday-morning-series.html](http://www.maooptometry.org/wednesday-morning-series.html)

**Nov. 15-17, Monterey, CA  
Monterey Symposium**

HOST: California Optometric Association

KEY FACULTY: Mohammad Rafieetary, Michael DePaolis, Leonard Messner, Alan Kabat, Ryan McKinnis, James Thimons

CE HOURS: 35 total; 10 max. per OD

LOCATION: Monterey Convention

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**Nov. 15-17, Sedona, AZ  
Arizona Optometric Association  
Fall Congress**

HOST: Arizona Optometric Association

CE HOURS: 14 to 16

LOCATION: Sedona Hilton Resort, 90 Ridge Trail Dr.

CONTACT: Kate Diedrickson

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**Nov. 15-19, Orlando  
Symposium on Ocular Disease**

HOST: PSS EyeCare

KEY FACULTY: Jerome Sherman, Ron Melton, Randall Thomas, Nathan Lighthizer, Deepak Gupta

CE HOURS: 18

CONTACT: Sonia Kumari

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**Nov. 16-17, Orlando  
NSU Annual Orlando Campus  
Conference**

HOST: Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry

KEY FACULTY: Chandra Mickles

CE HOURS: 12

LOCATION: NSU Orlando Campus, 4850 Millenia Blvd.

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**Nov. 23-24, San Antonio  
Everything Therapeutic: San Antonio**

HOST: University of Houston College of Optometry

KEY FACULTY: Bruce Onofrey

CE HOURS: 16

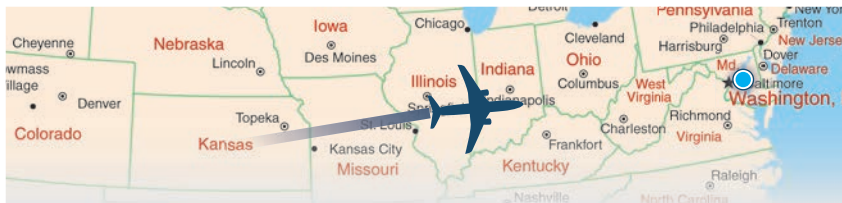
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**NOV. 1-3, BALTIMORE**

**Last Chance to see the 'New Tech' Series in 2019**

As the year starts to wind down, optometrists looking to fit in a few more CE hours in 2019 still have an opportunity to attend the final New Technologies & Treatments in Eye Care meeting slated for this year.

This series, hosted by *Review of Optometry*, features nationally known experts like Paul Karpecki (pictured at right) sharing their expertise at the podium, teaching hands-on procedures in workshops and engaging in direct one-on-one dialog with attendees all throughout the event.

"The workshops make these meetings stand out, since they help eye care practitioners gain practical knowledge they can use in their practice," Dr. Karpecki says. "Both the workshops and the formal sessions give doctors the edge they need to care for patients with a variety of serious eye conditions."



Collegial and interactive, these meetings customize education to your needs. Baltimore hosts the last meeting of the year, Nov. 1-3, at the Renaissance Baltimore Inner Harbor, with 18 CE credit hours available.

For information and registration, contact Lois DiDomenico at [reviewmeetings@jobson.com](mailto:reviewmeetings@jobson.com) or check [www.reviewsce.com](http://www.reviewsce.com).



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# December

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					NSUOK Tulsa Winter Weekend	
					Retina Update 2019	
						Indiana University Malinovsky Ocular Disease Weekend
						UHCO Cornea, Contact Lens & Contemporary Vision Care Symposium
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Optometric Management Symposium						
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UHCO Cornea, Contact Lens & Contemporary Vision Care Symposium						
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Modern Management of Ocular Disease Cruise						
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EDUCATION TOPICS			
<b>AL</b> Allergy	<b>CS</b> Corneal surgery	<b>NO</b> Neuro-ophthalmics	<b>RE</b> Retinal disorders
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<b>CD</b> Cornea/conjunctiva	<b>GL</b> Glaucoma	<b>PH</b> Pharmacology	<b>UV</b> Uveitis
	<b>LT</b> Laboratory testing	<b>PM</b> Practice mgmt.	<b>VT</b> Vision therapy

**Dec. 5-8, Lake Buena Vista, FL  
Optometric Management Symposium**  
 HOST: Pentavision Media, Optometric Management  
 KEY FACULTY: Greg Caldwell, April Jasper, Joseph Sowka



CE HOURS: 45 total; 25 max. per OD  
LOCATION: Disney's Yacht & Beach Club, 1700 Epcot Resorts Blvd.  
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### Dec. 6-7, Tulsa, OK Annual Tulsa Winter Weekend

HOST: Oklahoma College of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 9  
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### Dec. 6-7, Scottsdale, AZ Review's Retina Update 2019

HOST: Optometric Retina Society and RGVCE  
CE HOURS: 11  
LOCATION: Scottsdale Fairmont Princess, 7575 E Princess Dr.  
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#### DEC. 6-7, SCOTTSDALE

### Back to Front: Fundus Comes First at Retina Update 2019

For those who want to keep up on the very latest in retina—from research to technology to treatment tips from the experts—plan to attend Retina Update 2019, which will be put on by the Optometric Retina Society (ORS). The meeting will be held at the popular Fairmont Princess hotel in Scottsdale, AZ.

Attendees can expect top-notch lectures on topics that will shed light on retinal and macular disease origins and presentations, plus pearls on clinical care, presented by ORS members who are thought leaders in this specialty. Also of note in 2019 will be a keynote lecture by a leading retina specialist on key topics valuable for the care and treatment of your retina patients.

"If the past is any indication, this will be a great meeting," says optometrist Steven Ferrucci, immediate past president of ORS and education program meeting chair. "Those that attend can expect to return to their practices with some useful information they can implement to help take better care of their patients with retinal disorders."

For more information on Retina Update 2019 or to register, email Lois DiDomenico at [reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com](mailto:reviewmeetings@jhihealth.com), call 866-658-1772 or visit [www.reviewsce.com](http://www.reviewsce.com).



### Dec. 7-8, Bloomington, IN Malinovsky Ocular Disease Weekend

HOST: Indiana University School of Optometry  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Rawles Hall, 100, 831 E. 3rd St.  
CONTACT: Cheryl Oldfield  
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### Dec. 7-8, Houston Annual Cornea, Contact Lens & Contemporary Vision Care Symposium

HOST: University of Houston College of Optometry  
KEY FACULTY: Jan Bergmanson  
CE HOURS: 16  
LOCATION: Westin Memorial City, 945 Gessner Rd.  
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### Dec. 8, Fullerton, CA Contemporary Topics in Optometry

HOST: Marshall B. Ketchum U., SCCO  
CE HOURS: 8  
LOCATION: MBKU Hopping Academic Center, 2575 Yorba Linda Blvd.  
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### Dec. 22-29, Eastern Caribbean Cruise from Miami Modern Management of Ocular Disease

HOST: Dr. Travel Seminars and the New Jersey Society of Optometric Physicians  
KEY FACULTY: Edward L. Paul, Jr.  
CE HOURS: 16  
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## Attention, Earlybirds! A Sneak Peek at 2020 Meetings

Already thinking about your 2020 plans? Here's a preview of some winter destination events and other biggies to keep on your radar.

### Winter Getaways

**Caribbean and South America cruises:** Join hosts Dr. Travel Seminars and the New Jersey Society of Optometric Physicians February 15- 22, 2020, on a Western Caribbean Cruise (round-trip from Miami) for "Innovations in Primary Care Optometry," covering a diverse range of clinical topics taught by Whitney Hauser, OD. Attendees can earn up to 16 hours of continuing education credit aboard Royal Caribbean's Symphony of the Seas.

Next up from the team is a South American Cruise (Santiago, Chile to Buenos Aires, Argentina) from February 29 to March 14, 2020, aboard the Norwegian Cruise Line's Norwegian Star, sailing from Buenos Aires, Argentina to Santiago, Chile. On deck will be lecture circuit powerhouse ODs Ronald Melton and Randall Thomas, with 12 hours of CE credit that cover key areas of mainstream and advanced clinical care.

For more information on the 2020 cruises, contact Dr. Travel Seminars: [info@drtravel.com](mailto:info@drtravel.com), 800-436-1028, or go to [www.drtravel.com](http://www.drtravel.com).



**CE in Italy/Europe:** Spring 2020 meetings are planned for Budapest, Vienna and Tuscany, and fall meeting venues will be in Strasbourg, Florence and Tuscany. To get specific dates and details as they become available, go to [www.ceinitaly.com](http://www.ceinitaly.com).

**iTravelCE:** In 2020, this international meeting will take you to the Crazy Rich Asians sights of Singapore—from the hawkers stalls of Newton Food Centre to the top of Marina Bay



Sands to the spectacular super trees at Gardens by the Bay, says host Bridgitte Shen Lee, OD. Then, attendees will enjoy the beauty, beaches and culture of Bali. Check back on specific dates as they become available at [www.itravelce.com](http://www.itravelce.com).

**CE Sarasota Symposium:** Beat those January blues at this meeting, scheduled for January 10-11, 2020 in Sarasota, FL. The conference, hosted by CE Sarasota, will offer 11+ hours of CE credit. The event will be held at the Art Ovation Hotel, and topics will cover corneal/conjunctival disease, corneal surgery, cataract surgery, ocular infections, pharmacology, retinal disorders, refractive surgery and systemic disease. For more information, contact Marissa Rossnagle, [mrossnagle@centerforsight.net](mailto:mrossnagle@centerforsight.net), 941-480-2162 or go to [www.cesarasota.org](http://www.cesarasota.org).

**Winter Ophthalmic Conference:** Instead of escaping the cold, why not enjoy it? This annual meeting will happen February 14-18 over President's Weekend as always, offering its trademark mix of high-quality education and winter-weather fun for the whole family. More details will be posted at [www.reviewsce.com](http://www.reviewsce.com) as the meeting approaches.

### The Big Meetings

**American Academy of Optometry:** October 7-10 in Nashville.

**American Optometric Association:** June 24-28 in Washington, DC.

**SECO** returns to Atlanta for 2020 and the meeting will run March 4-8.

**Vision Expo East:** March 19-22 for the educational program, with exhibits March 20-22, in New York as always.

**Vision Expo West:** Education takes place Sept. 23-26 and exhibits will be featured Sept. 24-26, in Las Vegas.

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