Friday, March 7th

7:15 - 8:00 a.m. Registration & continental breakfast in exhibit area - Ballroom 21 - 24

8:00 - 9:50 a.m. General Session I - Ballrooms 25 & 26

8:00 a.m. (5)
Welcome and Introductions
Balaji Gupta, MD; President, Illinois Society of Eye Physicians & Surgeons
Alice Lyon, MD; President, Chicago Ophthalmological Society

Neuro-ophthalmology Update

8:05 am - 8:20 am (15)
Latest Findings From Clinical Trials in Neuro-ophthalmology
12 min. lecture & 3 min. discussion
Nicholas Volpe, MD; Chair, Department of Ophthalmology and George and Edwina Tarry Professor of Ophthalmology Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine; Chicago, IL

8:20 am - 8:35 am (15)
Neuro-Ophthalmic Emergencies: What You Can't Afford to Miss
12 min. lecture & 3 min. discussion
Susan Ksiazek, MD; Associate Professor of Surgery, University of Chicago, Department of Surgery, Section of Ophthalmology and Visual Science; Chicago, IL

Glaucoma Update

8:35 am - 8:50 am (15)
Glaucoma Clinical Trials update (OHTS, TVT and LALES)
12 min. lecture & 3 min. discussion
Rohit Varma, MD; Chair, Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences; Professor of Ophthalmology; University of Illinois at Chicago; Chicago, IL

8:50 am - 9:05 am (15)
Case Discussion: Complex Cases, My Approach to Various Stages of Glaucoma
Moderator - Rohit Varma, MD
Panelists - Edward Sung, MD, Wheaton Eye Clinic; Anjali Hawkins, MD, Geneva Eye Clinic; Anupama Anchala, MD, Northwestern University

Retina Update

9:05 am - 9:17 am (12)
Diabetic Macular Edema- What the DRCR Has Taught Us
Jennifer Sun, MD; Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology, Joslin Diabetes Center, Harvard Medical School; Boston, MA

9:17 am - 9:29 am (12)
What the AREDS2 Has Taught Us About ARMD
Emily Chen, MD; Deputy Director of the Division of Epidemiology and Clinical Applications and the Deputy Clinical Director, National Eye Institute, National Institutes of Health; Bethesda, MD

9:29 am - 9:39 am (10)
New Approaches to the Treatment of Vitreomacular Interface Disorders
Matthew MacCumber, MD PhD; Associate Professor and Associate Chairman for Research, Department of Ophthalmology, Rush University Medical Center; Chicago; Private Practice, Illinois Retina Associates, Chicago
9:39 am - 9:45 am (6) Discussion and Q/A

9:50 - 10:20 a.m. (30) Break - exhibit area - Ballroom 21 - 24
10:20 a.m. - 12:35 p.m. General Session II - Ballrooms 25 & 26

10:20 am - 10:50 am (30) Release Your Inner Nerd – Incorporating Technology into the Practicing Ophthalmologist’s Life
Beth Zeisenis; Your Nerdy Best Friend, San Diego, CA

Cornea Update

10:50 am - 11:05 am (15) Latest Findings From Clinical Trials in Cornea and External Disease
Surendar Dwarakanathan MD; Cornea Director, Stroger Hospital of Cook County, Chicago; Private Practice, Arbor Centers for Eye Care, Homewood

11:05 am - 11:25 am (20) Improving IOL Calculations for Sphere and Cylinder in Challenging Cases
Uday Devgan, MD; Private Practice, Devgan Eye Surgery, Los Angeles; Associate Clinical Professor of Ophthalmology, Jules Stein Eye Institute, UCLA School of Medicine, Los Angeles

11:25 am - 11:30 am (5) Q/A

11:30 am - 11:35 am (5) Introduction of the 69th Sanford R. Gifford Memorial Lecture
Nicholas Volpe, MD; Chair, Department of Ophthalmology, Northwestern University

11:35 am - 12:10 pm (35) GIFFORD LECTURE - Diabetic Retinopathy: Pathogenesis and Therapy
Lloyd P. Aiello, MD, PhD; Head, Section on Eye Research and Director Beetham Eye Institute, Joslin Diabetes Center; Associate Professor of Ophthalmology at Harvard Medical School; Boston

12:10 pm - 12:15 pm (5) Q/A

12:15 pm - 12:35 pm (20) What Ophthalmologists Need to Know about Medicare and ICD-10 Coding
Joy Newby, LPN, CPC; Newby Consulting, Indianapolis, IN

12:35 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. (55) Luncheon in the Exhibit Area - Ballroom 21 - 24

1:30 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. General Session III - Ballrooms 25 & 26

1:20 pm - 1:35 pm (5) CCO Teacher of the Year Presentation
Alice T. Lyon, MD; Department of Ophthalmology, Northwestern University, Chicago

1:35 pm - 1:40 pm (5) Introduction of the 27th Illinois Society for the Prevention of Blindness Lecture
Donna J. Dreiske, Executive Director, Illinois Society for the Prevention of Blindness; Chicago

Pediatric Ophthalmology Update

1:40 - 1:52 (12) ISPB LECTURE - What's New in Pediatric Retina- The BEAT ROP and STOP ROP Studies
Michael Trese, MD OD; Clinical Professor of Biomedical Sciences at The Eye Research Institute of Oakland University, Clinical Associate Professor at Wayne State University School of Medicine, and Chief of Pediatric and Adult Vitreoretinal Surgery at William Beaumont Hospital; Private Practice, Associated Retinal Consultants; Royal Oak, MI

1:55 - 2:10 (10) Pediatric Syndromes- What Not to Miss
Irene Maumenee, MD; Research Professor of Ophthalmology, University of Illinois at Chicago, Illinois Eye and Ear Infirmary; Chicago

2:10 - 2:15 (5) Questions & Answers
Oculoplastics Update

2:15 pm - 2:30 pm (15) Update in Oculoplastics
12 min. lecture & 3 min. discussion
Christopher Chambers, MD; Assistant Professor in Ophthalmology, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine; Chicago

2:30 pm - 2:45 pm (15) New Challenges in Oculoplastic Surgery
12 min. lecture & 3 min. discussion
Amjad Ahmad, MD; Clinical Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology, Oculoplastic & Reconstructive Surgery Service, University of Illinois at Chicago, Illinois Eye and Ear Infirmary; Private Practice, Lisle, IL

2:45 pm - 2:50 pm (5) Introduction of the 10th Annual ISEPS Frank J. Kresca, MD Lecture
Balaji Gupta, MD; President, Illinois Society of Eye Physicians & Surgeons

2:50 pm - 3:15 pm (25) KRESCA LECTURE - Obamacare Translated: What the Affordable Care Act Means for the Practicing Ophthalmologist
William Rich III, MD; American Academy of Ophthalmology; Medical Director of Health Policy, Private Practice, Falls Church, VA

3:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. (30) Break - exhibit area - Ballroom 21 - 24

3:45 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. General Session IV - Ballrooms 25 & 26

3:45 pm - 4:15 pm (30) Surgical (Mis)Adventures Panel
Moderator - Kourosh Rezaei, MD; Illinois Retina Associates
Panelists - Uday Devgan, MD; Thasarat Vajaranant, MD, Illinois Eye & Ear Infirmary; Charles Bouchard, MD, Chair, Department of Ophthalmology, Loyola University Medical Center

The Impact of Public Policy and Advocacy on Patient Care

4:15 pm - 4:35 pm (20) Advocating for Quality Medical and Surgical Eye Care - The View From the States
Daniel J. Briceland, MD; Secretary for State Affairs, American Academy of Ophthalmology; Private Practice, Sun City West, AZ

4:35 pm - 4:45 pm (10) Report from the Chicago Medical Society
Robert W. Panton, MD, President; Chicago Medical Society

4:45 pm - 4:55 pm (10) From Medical Marijuana to Medicaid - What You Need to Know about the Public Policy Debate in Illinois
Balaji Gupta, MD, President; and James F. McDonnell, MD, Board Member; Illinois Society of Eye Physicians & Surgeons

Risk Management and Ethics

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm (60) Academy Rules of Ethics: A Sword and a Shield in Litigation
(OMIC/AAO Ethics Committee Joint Seminar)
Ophthalmic Mutual Insurance Company -
Moderator - Paul Weber, JD, Vice President-Risk Management, Ophthalmic Mutual Insurance Company, San Francisco, CA
Participants - Tamara Fountain, MD, Chair, OMIC Board of Directors, Deerfield, IL; Ron W. Pelton, MD, OMIC Board of Directors, Colorado Springs, CO; Kent Mathewson, JD, Donohue Brown Mathewson & Smyth, Chicago; Daniel B. Mills, JD, Pretzel & Stouffer, Chicago

6:00 p.m. Meeting Adjourns for the day

6:30 p.m. Presidents' Dinner
Guest speakers, current board members, past-presidents & guests/spouses