



Saturday

07:00 **Arrival and registration**

08:00 **Opening and Welcome Address by Dr Jan Talma (SASCRS President)** *Ballroom 1, Level 2*

Session 1

Chair: Prof Paul Roux

08:05 **Corneal Transplantation**

- 08:05 Corneal Transplantation: Outcomes and Complications Mr Frank Larkin
- 08:45 DSAEK for Corneal Endothelial Failure Dr Frik Potgieter
- 08:55 Indications and Preparation for Corneal Transplantation Mr Frank Larkin

09:25 **Keratoconus**

- 09:25 Corneal Cross-linking and Simultaneous Laser Correction (SimLC) for Keratoconus Dr Arthur Cummings
- 09:40 Topography-Guided PRK with Corneal Cross-linking in Keratoconus Dr Pierre Wassermann
- 09:50 Deep Anterior Lamellar Corneal Grafts for Keratoconus Dr Frik Potgieter
- 10:00 Comparison of Phakic IOLs and Intacs in the Treatment of Keratoconus Dr Jan A Venter
- 10:10 Corneal Cross-linking – Review of 200 Eyes Dr Mukesh Joshi

10:20 **Break** - Refreshments will be served in the Ballroom Foyer

Session 2

Chair: Dr Bill Nortjé

10:40 **Astigmatism**

- 10:40 Enhancing IOL Performance by Using Penetrating Keratotomy Incisions for Astigmatic Correction Dr Jerre Freeman

10:50 **Lasik**

- 10:50 Mono-vision and its Uses in Laser Refractive Surgery Dr Arthur Cummings
- 11:00 Fine-tuning Enhancement after Corneal Refractive Surgery Dr Klaus Ditzen
- 11:10 Microkeratomes vs Femtosecond Laser Dr Tejas Shah

11:20 **Phakic IOL**

- 11:20 Initial Experience with the Toric Artiflex Lens Dr Jan A Venter
- 11:30 Personal Experience with Alcon Acrysof Phakic IOL Prof Michael Knorz



11:45 **Award Lecture** *Ballroom 1, Level 2*

The Epstein Memorial Lecture by Dr Hubrecht Brody

12:30-13:20 **Lunch** will be served in the Exhibition Area

Session 3

13:20-14:00 **"The Eye On Fire!"
A Workshop by Dr Jerre Freeman and Dr Spencer P Thornton**
Chair: Prof Andries A Stulting

Session 4

14:00-15:00 **Pentacam Symposium**
Chair: Dr Mark Deist

- The Use of the Pentacam in Cataract and Refractive Surgery – Why You Cannot Do Without It Dr Mark Deist
- The Added Value of the Pentacam in a Refractive Practice Dr Steven C Schallhorn
- Using the Pentacam in Refractive and Cataract Surgery as well as Fitting Contact Lenses Dr Klaus Ditzen
- The Pentacam - More than Just a Refraction Tool – Can You Work Without It? Dr Arthur Cummings

15:00-17:00 **The Rugby Alternative** *Ballroom 1, Level 2*
Chair: Dr Chris Van Niekerk

- "Why On Earth Did NASA Approve Lasik?" Dr Steven C Schallhorn
- The Life of a US Navy Fighter Pilot and Top Gun Instructor

Members of the Trade and Accompanying Persons are Welcome

15:00-17:00 **Rugby** *Exhibition Area*

- The International Rugby Match:
South Africa vs Australia on the Big Screen
 - Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area
- Members of the Trade and Accompanying Persons are Welcome

18:30 for 19:00 **Dinner sponsored by Alcon Laboratories**



Sunday

07:00-08:00 **"Survival Kit 2009!" by Dr Eugene Kemp** *Boardroom Level 2*
 Motivational prayer breakfast sponsored by Visicare
 Members of the Trade and Accompanying Persons are Welcome

Session 5

Chair: Dr Pierre Wassermann

08:00-09:00 **Customized Ablation Symposium** *Ballroom 1, Level 2*

Panel: Dr Arthur Cummings, Prof Michael Knorz, Dr Jan Venter

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08:15 Overview of Custom Ablation Dr Arthur Cummings

- Ray-tracing
- Decision-tree for Ablation Profiles
- Wavefront-guided Lasik
- Topography-guided Lasik

09:00 **The Retina and the Refractive Surgeon** Dr Klaus Lucke

- Retinal Complications of Refractive Procedures – Facts and Fiction
- Vitrectomy Combined with Refractive Lens Exchange

09:25 **Corneal Transplantation**

Corneal Grafting in High Risk Patients Mr Frank Larkin

10:05 **Break** -Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area

Session 6

Chair: Dr Jan Talma

Ballroom 1, Level 2

10:25 **Corneal Transplantation**

Corneal Allograft Rejection: Pathogenesis, Treatment and Prophylaxis Mr Frank Larkin

11:05 **Eyelid Surgery**

Using CO2 Laser in Ptosis and Eyelid Surgery Dr Hideharu Fukasaku

11:15 **Lasik**

Is It Important to Measure the Low Light Pupil? Dr Steven C Schallhorn

11:30 **Multifocal and Toric IOLs**

Multifocal IOLs: Indications and Limitations Prof Michael Knorz

11:50 **Corneal Diseases**

Management of Corneal Perforation Mr Frank Larkin



12:30 **Award Lecture** *Ballroom 1, Level 2*
The Kritzinger Safari Lecture by Dr Johan A De Lange

13:10 **SASCARS AGM - (SASCARS Members)** *Ballroom 1, Level 2*
• **National Health Insurance Discussion**
• **Combined Merchandising Agreements (CMA)**
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Lunch will be served in the Exhibition Area

Session 7

14:40 **Chair: Dr Marius Pretorius** *Ballroom 1, Level 2*
PRK

14:40 My Experience with Epi-lasik in The First 1000 Eyes Dr Mukesh Joshi

14:50 PRK Versus SBK: Which has the Better Visual Outcome? Dr Steven C Schallhorn

15:05 **Presbyopia**

15:05 Presbyopia Correction: An Overview Prof Michael Knorz

15:30 Laser Surgery Options for Presbyopia Dr Arthur Cummings

15:40 The Intra-COR Procedure in Presbyopia: The European Study Prof Michael Knorz

15:55 Refractive Corneal Surgery in Presbyopia Dr Klaus Ditzen

16:05 Presbyopic Lasik: The Nidek Excimer Laser Dr Tejas Shah

16:15 **Break** - Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area

Session 8

16:30-17:15 **The Artiflex Artisan Lens Workshop - Ophtec & Visicare**

Chair: Dr Jan A Venter *Ballroom 1, Level 2*

Session 9

17:15-18:00 **The Sulcoflex Range Workshop - Surgical & Ophthalmic Supplies (Pty) Ltd**

Chair: Prof Michael Amon *Ballroom 1, Level 2*

Panel: Dr Chris Van Niekerk, Dr Japie Vos, Rob Daniel

- The Answer for Refractive Surprises
- A New Approach to Correct Ametropia, Presbyopia and Corneal Astigmatism

18:00 **End**

19:00 for 19:30 **"Mamma Mia!"** *Sandton Sun Hotel*
SASCARS Dinner & Dance *Maroela Room*
Partly sponsored by Adcock Ingram & Genop
Healthcare



Monday

Session 10

Chair: Dr Michael Muller

Ballroom 1, Level 2

08:00

Corneal Diseases

Mr Frank Larkin

- Acanthamoeba Keratitis
- Herpes Simplex Keratitis - Management Problems

08:45

Multifocal and Toric IOLs

08:45 Mixing and Matching Multi-Focal IOLs, Results and Complications (Tecnis - AMO) and Accommodating IOL (Tetraflex - Lenstec) Dr Jan A Venter

08:55 Presbyopic Lens Extraction (Prelex) with the Restor IOL Dr Tejas Shah

09:05 The Use of Rayner’s Toric IOL for Correction of Myopia Dr Japie Vos

09:15 Astigmatic Correction with T-flex Prof Michael Amon

09:25 The Restor IOL in Previously Lasiked Patients Dr Tejas Shah

09:35

Trabeculectomy

09:35 CO2 Laser-assisted Non-penetrating Deep Sclerectomy Prof Ehud Assia

09:45 Micro-incision Trabeculectomy Dr Hideharu Fukasaku

09:55

Cataract Surgery

09:55 Management of Cataract in Patients with Corneal Disease Mr Frank Larkin

10:25 Tri-MICS - Three Port MICS Using Anterior Chamber Maintainer Prof Ehud Assia

10:35 Fork Tip for Phaco Cataract Surgery Dr Hideharu Fukasaku

10:45 Capsular Anchor – Novel Device for Subluxated Lenses Prof Ehud Assia

10:55

Break - Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area



Session 11

	Chair: Dr Frik Potgieter	<i>Ballroom 1, Level 2</i>
11:15	Cataract Surgery	
11:15	Closed System Fixation of Mal-positioned IOLs	Prof Ehud Assia
11:25	Understanding OVDs	Dr Tejas Shah
11:35	Intraocular Miniature Telescope - Concept and Clinical Results	Prof Ehud Assia
11:45	Four-point PC-IOL Fixation in the Absence of Capsular Support	Prof Ehud Assia
11:55	Wavelight Biograph in Practice	Dr Michael Muller
12:05	Traumatic Cataract Removed Decades After Penetrating Injury	Prof Ehud Assia
12:15	Protective Effect of Ascorbic Acid on Endothelial Cell Loss During Phaco - Preclinical and Clinical Studies	Prof Ehud Assia

12:25-13:10	The Crystalens Workshop - Bausch & Lomb (Pty) Ltd Chair: Dr Mark Deist Panel: Prof Michael Knorz	<i>Ballroom 1, Level 2</i>
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13:10 **Lunch** will be served in the Exhibition Area

Session 12

	Chair: Dr Japie Vos	<i>Ballroom 1, Level 2</i>
14:10	Corneal Diseases	
14:10	Step-By-Step Management of Allergic Eye Disease	Mr Frank Larkin
14:40	Aspects of the Management of Diffuse Lamellar Keratitis	Dr Frik Potgieter
14:50	Dry Eye Aetiology and Management	Mr Frank Larkin
15:20	Treating Dry Eye and Ocular Inflammation	Dr Spencer P Thornton
15:30	Ethics	Prof Andries A Stulting
15:50	Closure	Dr Harold König



Ophthalmic Assistants Programme

Speakers

Dr Petrus Gous	Dr Tejas Shah (India)
Dr Joanne Miller	Prof Andries A Stulting
Dr Clive Novis	Dr Jan Talma
Dr Robbie Nutt	Dr Spencer P Thornton (USA)
Prof Paul Roux	Dr Chris v Niekerk
Dr Steven C Schallhorn (USA)	

Programme

Venue: Ballroom 2, Level 2

7:00	Arrival & Registration	<i>Ballroom Foyer</i>
08:10	Opening & Welcome Address	Dr Jan Talma
08:20	Multifocal IOLs	Prof Paul Roux
08:50	LASIK and Customised Ablation or Pilots Flying Requirements	Dr Steven C Schallhorn
09:20	The Ophthalmic Assistant in the USA	Dr Spencer P Thornton & Dr Jerre Freeman
10:10	Break - Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area	
10:40	Ethics for ALL	Prof Andries A Stulting
11:10	Cross-linking: The Link to a Flatter Cornea	Dr Jan Talma
11:40	What on Earth is DSAEK ?	Dr Chris van Niekerk
12:35	The Latest and Best in Retinal Surgery	Dr Robbie Nutt
13:05	Lunch will be served in the Exhibition Area	
14:35	The Role of Avastin and Lucentis in Ophthalmology	Dr Joanne Miller
15:05	What NOT to Tell the Cosmetic Surgery Patient – OOPS!	Dr Petrus Gous
15:35	The Latest on Intra Ocular Lens Calculations	Dr Clive Novis
16:05	The Ophthalmic Assistant in India	Dr Tejas Shah
16:35	Break - Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area	
18:00	End	Dr Jan Talma