



Program

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Southern African Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery
Suider-Afrikaanse Vereniging vir Katarak en Refraktiewe Chirurgie

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Conference Venues

Main Congress Venue: Cape Town Convention Centre (CTICC)

Convention Square, 1 Lower Long Street, Cape Town
www.cticc.co.za Tel: +27 (0) 21 410 5000

Main Congress Hotel: Westin Cape Town

Linked to the CTICC - Convention Square, 1 Lower Long Street, Cape Town
www.westincapetown.com Tel: +27 (0) 21 412 9999

Lecture Venues

Refer to the Program schedule for details or visit the registration desk for directions.

- CTICC Meeting Rooms 2.60 - 2.66. Entrance to all these rooms through Room 2.60 on Level 2
- CTICC Auditorium2. Only use main entrance on Level 2.
- Westin Hotel Rooms: Vasco Da Gama, Bartholomew Diaz and Sir Francis Drake - Enter from Old Harbour Level

Speaker's Review Areas

Areas will be set up inside the Congress Offices which will be located near the lecture venues.

- CTICC Meeting Room 2.61
- CTICC Auditorium2 Translator room
- Westin Hotel Marco Polo Room - Enter from Old Harbour Level

Exhibition

Westin Hotel Ballroom and Ballroom Lobby - Enter from Old Harbour Level

Message from the President of SASCERS



It gives the Organizing Committee of the Southern African Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery (SASCERS) great pleasure to welcome all delegates, spouses, Industry stakeholders and International speakers to the Biennial Congress in the Mother City, Cape Town.

It was our aim to make this Congress a highlight in your Academic Program. We are glad that most South African ophthalmologists, ophthalmic assistants and others in our field will join us for this meeting. This year, SASCERS is highly privileged to have more than 20 acclaimed International speakers at this event to inform and teach delegates about new developments in Cataract and Refractive Surgery that will benefit our patients and the community at large.

Ophthalmology has become one of the fastest moving fields in Medicine due to both clinical and technological advances. In spite of ever changing funding models and difficulties in the Private Sector, as well as unique challenges within the Public Service, South African ophthalmologists have the legacy of being at the cutting edge of their field thanks to input from our International colleagues as well as the local Trade. We would like to maintain this standard for the benefit of our patients.

It was therefore the goal of the Organizing Committee to provide a balance of the latest developments in our field, along with ample opportunity for skills transfer. This can be seen in the composition of the program, which includes a total of eight instructional courses by experts in the field.

I want to convey a special word of thanks to Dr Asher Saks and his team, including Christi Truter, who organized this Congress with much dedication and enthusiasm. Congratulations to you all for a job well done!

SASCERS has an excellent relationship with the Ophthalmic Trade that enabled us to have this Congress in this world-class venue. Thank you for your support.

We trust that you and your partners will benefit from the Academic and Social Program, as well as the networking opportunities with friends and colleagues that this Congress will offer.

Geniet die Kongres! / Enjoy this Congress!

Frik Potgieter
President: SASCERS

Executive Committee

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Message from the Congress Chairman



Dear Delegate

We, the organisers of the 16th Biennial Congress of SASCRS, welcome you to Cape Town for our congress. We will be renewing old friendships and making new ones. A special welcome to our Faculty members, overseas guests and all who make a congress like ours a success.

The emphasis of this congress will be on the practical aspects of our discipline. Pearls are to be had for the experienced and not so experienced Ophthalmologist, for ultimate benefit and wellbeing of our patients, and we will be more contented having achieved this outcome.

The past thirty five years have seen tremendous advances in Ophthalmology, and we can only try and keep pace by attending congresses. Our financial climate has changed and will continue to do so in the future giving us less opportunity to attend overseas international congresses owing to financial constraints. It will become imperative to attend and support our local congresses, as we will be able to have our overseas invitees presenting cutting edge Ophthalmology to us. This is a gift and should not be squandered by not supporting our local congresses.

It is early spring in the Cape. Enjoy its flowers, its ambience and most of all our congress and all it has to offer.

Have a great congress

Asher Saks

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Epstein Memorial Award Lecture



The Epstein Memorial Award Lecture is dedicated to the late Dr Edward Epstein, who was the South African pioneer in the development of pseudophakic correction in cataract surgery in the fifties. He was a founding and honorary member of the SASCRC. This lecture is given at a Congress of the SASCRC by an ophthalmologist who has distinguished himself by outstanding international and local contributions for the advancement of cataract or refractive surgery.

The purpose of this award is to recognise an Ophthalmologist's consistent participation as an Ophthalmologist, in charitable activities, indigent care, community service and other humanitarian activities.

The qualifying criteria:

- The nominee must have demonstrated a pattern of humanitarian service in Africa over a period of several years. Qualifying service might include, but is not limited to, care for the indigent, service in inner city or rural African locations with disadvantaged persons, care for underprivileged individuals of specific racial or ethnic background and care in settings of high risk to the Ophthalmologist.
- Service must have been above and beyond the usual service commitment required of an Ophthalmologist.
- The service should have entailed personal sacrifice on the part of the Ophthalmologist.
- Only one such award may be given to an individual during his or her lifetime.

Previous Epstein Memorial Lecturers:

- 1999 Roberto Zaldivar, MD
- 2001 Emanuel S Rosen, MD
- 2003 Michael Knorz, MD
- 2005 Spencer Thornton, MD
- 2009 Dr Hubrecht Brody
- 2013 Dr Frik Potgieter

Congratulations to Prof Andries Stulting, for being elected by the SASCRC to deliver this year's Epstein Memorial Lecture.



Prof Andries A Stulting

Professional Qualifications:

MB ChB (Pret), MMed (Ophth) (Pret), FRCOphth (UK), FCS (Ophth) (SA), FACS, FICS, FEACO, F Hon CMSA, Dip Adv Management Program (Univ of Manchester), Dip Adv Health Management Program (Univ of Yale)

Professional Involvement in National and International Organizations:

- Prof Stulting served two terms as President of the Ophthalmological Society of South Africa, from 1989 to 1991 and again from 1997 to 1999.
- He served as Secretary of the Ophthalmological Society of South Africa from 1987 to 1989, from 1993 to 1997 and again from 1999 until 2015.
- He is a Founder member of the Southern African Intraocular Lens Society (later called the Southern African Society for Cataract and Refractive Surgery), has served on the Executive Committee from 1983 to 1998 and again from 2003 until 2015 and he is the current Immediate Past President.
- He was a Vice-President of the Colleges of Medicine of South Africa from 1998 until 2007.
- He was the President of the College of Ophthalmologists from 1998 to 2008.
- He was the Vice-Chairman of the South African Medical Association from 2001 until 2003.
- He served on the Board of Directors of SAMA (2001-2006 and again from 2012 to 2014).
- He was the President of the Free State Branch of SAMA during 1995, 2001, 2003 and 2011.
- Internationally, he served on the Leadership Management Group of the International Council of Ophthalmology (ICO).
- He is a Board member of MEACO (Middle East and Africa Council of Ophthalmology).
- He was the Organizer of the Annual Congresses of the Ophthalmological Society of South Africa during 1985, 1991, 1997 and 2003 and he served on the Organizing Committee in 2008 and 2014 where he was responsible for the Scientific Academic Program.
- He is a Former President of the South African Vitreo-retinal Society of South Africa and organized the Annual meetings (including invited overseas guest speakers) in 1989, 1991, 1993 and 1996.
- He is also a Former President of the South African Glaucoma Society from 2012 to 2014 and is the Immediate Past President.
- He has served on the Health Professions Council of South Africa (HPCSA) from 1998 to 1994 and Medical and Dental Professions Board (MDPB) from 1998 to 2009.

Kritzinger Safari Award Lecture (ISRS)



The Kritzinger Safari Award Lecture is a prestigious named lecture in honour of the late Dr Michiel Kritzinger. He distinguished himself as a pioneer in modern refractive surgery and identified the need to promote the subspecialty. As part of his efforts to further the field of refractive surgery, he originally instituted the lecture as the "Safari Lecture" in 1999 during a local meeting of the ISRS in Swaziland. After his passing in April 2000, the lecture was renamed to the Kritzinger Safari Lecture. Recipients of this award lecture have to exhibit the same character traits which Dr Kritzinger was known for, namely to be an original thinker and innovator, demonstrate the same leadership and perseverance, as well as show the energy so typical of him. Furthermore the recipient has to make a significant contribution to the field of refractive surgery.

Previous recipients of the lecture were:

- 1999 Klaus Ditzen
- 2000 J Charles Casebeer
- 2001 Andries A Stulting
- 2002 Michael Knorz
- 2003 Charles Claoué
- 2005 George O Waring III
- 2007 Stephen Updegraff
- 2009 Johan A De Lange
- 2013 Spencer P Thornton

This year the honour will be bestowed upon Guy M Kezirian, MD from Illinois, USA



Guy M Kezirian, MD

Guy M Kezirian, MD, MBA, FACS is an American ophthalmologist living in Scottsdale, Arizona. His academic background includes a BSC from McGill University in Montreal, Canada, a Medical Degree from Brown University in Rhode Island and a Masters of Business Administration (MBA) from the Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern University, outside of Chicago. His ophthalmology training includes residency at Lenox Hill Hospital in Manhattan, NY and a fellowship in oculoplastics at New York Medical College in Albany, NY.

Dr Kezirian is an active member of the American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO), the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery (ASCRS), the American European College of Ophthalmic Surgery (AECOS), and the International Society of Refractive Surgery (ISRS). His board certifications are from the American Board of Ophthalmology and the American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic Surgery (ASOPRS). He has published more than 20 peer review articles and scores of articles in the trade publications, and is a frequent speaker at major ophthalmic meetings.

Career milestones include:

- Established SurgiVision® PC in 1991, the first practice in the United States to exclusively offer refractive surgery.
- Work with J Charles Casebeer, MD to develop and present course in radial keratotomy and then LASIK.
- Administered the CRS LASIK Studies (also with Charles Casebeer) leading to the first FDA approvals for LASIK, with both the Summit and Visx lasers.
- Developed SurgiVision® DataLink software products for clinical outcomes and dynamic surgical planning algorithms, with development of some of the largest private refractive data registries in the world (over 1 million eyes).
- Designed and administered all the United States FDA studies for the WaveLight laser platform.
- First founding investor in Strathspey Crown, LLC, the first physician-owned growth-equity firm, which develops companies to provide products and services that serve private medicine.
- Founder of the Physician CEO™ program at Kellogg School of Management, Northwestern University.
- Founder of the Refractive Surgery Alliance, a physician based organization to support the growth and development of refractive surgery.

Inaugural CorneaSA Lecture

CorneaSA is the 'new kid' on the SASCRC block. This group was founded in 2015, offering like-minded Ophthalmologists a sub-speciality forum focusing on corneal and external disease. With many exciting plans for the future, the group aims to continually raise the bar in terms of corneal matters. Thus, our invited guest speaker will be an internationally recognized authority on corneal and external disease. The invitee will be regarded as a pioneer and will have distinguished him- / herself as one who challenges conventional thinking. Furthermore, the individual will be held in high regard by his / her peers; to such an extent that all of us would be poorer had it not been for their significant contribution to the field.

It is a great honour to have Mark A Terry, MD as our first guest to present the inaugural CorneaSA lecture.



Mark A Terry, MD

Director of Cornea Services Devers Eye Institute
 Medical / Surgical Director, Lions VisionGift of Oregon
 Scientific Director, Lions VisionGift Research Laboratory of Oregon, USA

Education:

- BA, Psychology, Yale University, New Haven, CT.
- MD, St Louis University School of Medicine, St Louis, MO.

Postgraduate Education:

- Internship, Naval Regional Medical Center / UCSF, Oakland, California.
- Residency, Ophthalmology, Naval Regional Medical Center / UCSF, Oakland, California.
- Fellowship, Cornea, Dean A. McGee Eye Institute, University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Professional affiliations:

- American Academy of Ophthalmology.
- Cornea Society.
- Oregon Academy of Ophthalmology.
- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology.
- Paton Society.
- Eye Bank Association of America.
- American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons.

Clinical interests and expertise:

- Endothelial keratoplasty (DMEK / DSAEK / DSEK).
- Simple and complicated corneal transplantation.
- Simple and complicated cataract surgery.
- Advanced multifocal and accommodative intraocular lens implantation.
- Refractive surgery.
- Corneal and anterior segment trauma.
- Anterior segment reconstruction.

Research interests and expertise:

- Endothelial keratoplasty (DMEK/DSAEK/DSEK).
- Deep anterior lamellar keratoplasty (DALK).
- New instrumentation for corneal transplantation.
- Corneal endothelial physiology .

Social Program

Welcome Reception

Thursday 20 Aug

You are invited to attend the Welcome Reception and opening of the SASCERS Exhibition.

Time: 17:30 for 18:00

Venue: SASCERS Exhibition located in the Westin Hotel Ballroom & Lobby, Old Harbour Level.

Attire: Smart casual

Cost: Registered Attendees: Free

Non-registered Accompanying Guests R400pp - booking essential, please pay at registration.

Children accompanying registered attendees: 0 - 6yrs Free | 7 - 12yrs R200pp | 13 - 18yrs R400pp

Included: Cocktail meal. Cash bar will be available.

SASCERS Dinner

Saturday 22 Aug 19:00 - 21:30

Experience the true Cape Town hospitality and a scrumptious meal.

Venue: Gold Restaurant, Cape Town

Transfers will depart from the Westin hotel 18:45 to 19:15.

Attire: Smart casual / business attire / jacket & tie. The dress of your country or culture will also be appropriate.

Cost: Registered Attendees: Free - Please ensure that you have booked for this event.

Non-registered Accompanying Guests: R400pp - booking essential, please pay at registration

Children accompanying Registered Attendees: 0 - 6 yrs Free | 7 - 12yrs R200pp | 13 - 18yrs R400pp

Included: Transfers. Buffet-style dinner and beverages. Cash bar will be available

Christian Prayer Breakfast

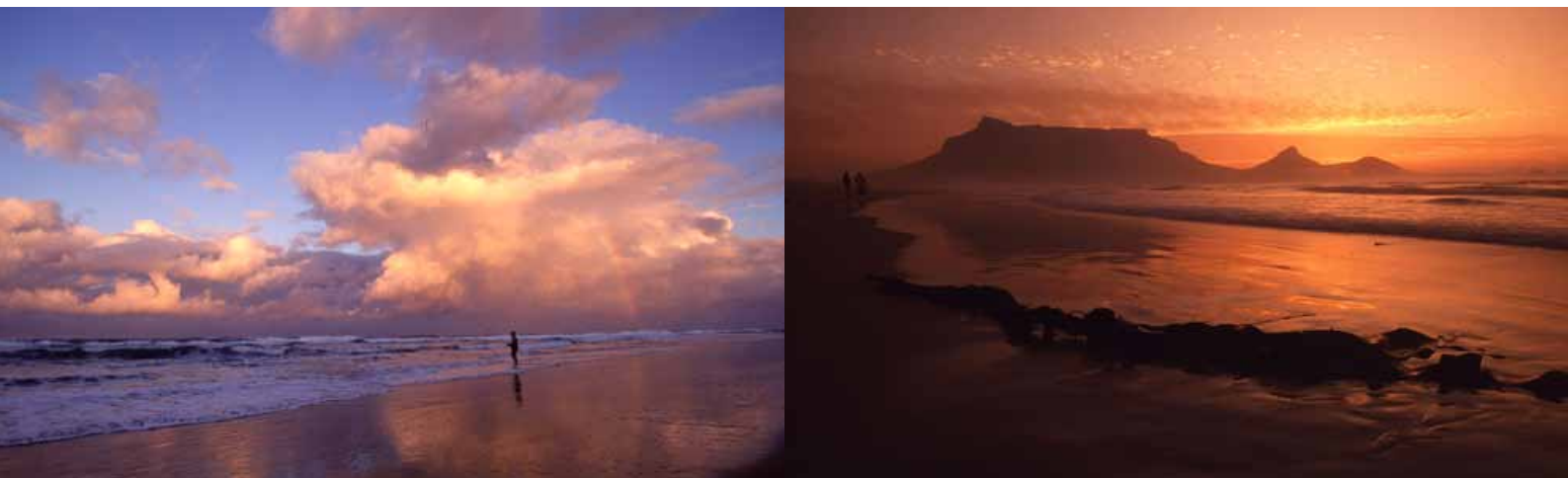
Sunday 23 Aug 06:45 - 07:45

Join us for breakfast and an inspirational message by Dr Frik Potgieter.

Venue: Westin Hotel, Sir Francis Drake

Cost: Westin Hotel Residents: R95pp / Non Residents: R195pp

Included: Continental Breakfast



Information

General Information

Terms & Conditions

- Please ensure that you have read and understand all terms & conditions, as they will apply. Each hotel has different Terms and Conditions. Please read it and request a quotation before confirming your reservation, and paying the non-refundable deposit.
- By submitting a registration, you agree to all Terms & Conditions

Cancellation and Refund Policy

Application to cancel must be made in writing, signed by the registrant and submitted to Organising Chairman, with a copy to the Congress Office E-mail address.

- Cancellation After 15 July 2015 - No Refund will be made
- Refunds will be processed after the congress.
- No refunds will be made for meals not taken.

Compliance with Laws

Participants shall comply with all local, laws, statutes, ordinances, regulations and rules applicable to the venue which are in force or applicable during the Congress, including without limitation those relating to health and safety, hygiene and fire hazards.

Copying or Recording of Lectures and Presentations

Intellectual property rights restrict the copying or recording of lectures and presentations.

CPD

- Accreditation points will be allocated for every session.
- Personnel will be scanning name badges at the entrances to lecture venues.
- The certificates will be distributed via E-mail or available from the website.

Force Majeure

SASCERS and the Organisers shall not be liable for the failure to comply with any obligation as a result of any force majeure event which shall include without limitation, acts of God, strikes, lock-outs, acts of war, terrorism, fire, protest, power failure or other natural disasters.

Governing Law

This agreement shall be governed in all respects by the law of the Republic of South Africa.

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Photography

The Organizing Committee, SASCERS staff, presenters and journalists may photograph or take video footage of events and exhibitions. Please inform the organisers if you do not wish to be photographed.

Meals / Lunch & Refreshment Breaks

- Food and beverages will be served in the exhibition areas during scheduled lunch and refreshment breaks.
- Food serving stations will be set up for all delegates.

- Meals not taken cannot be refunded.

- Participants requiring STRICT Halaal or STRICT Kosher meals must indicate so on the registration forms. A fee will be payable for meals ordered from outside kitchens. Meal orders must be placed in writing and paid for before 7th August 2015.
- Vegetarian options will be available during meals.
- Food allergies and other dietary requirements: It is the participant's responsibility to notify the organisers in advance and also the staff at the dining venue/s: Upon arrival at the hotel, notify the chef/s or banquet manager in order for them to arrange alternatives. At the dining venue, notify the manager on duty or waiter at your table.

Privacy

Newsletters: From time to time, you may receive information regarding Ophthalmology Congresses by from SASCERS, the organisers or SASCERS 2015 sponsors/exhibitors. You may opt out at any time by returning your E-mail with "unsubscribe" in the subject line. Contact information will not be shared with other parties that are not participating in this SASCERS 2015 congress.

Product Disclaimer

The acceptance of a product or service for exhibition does not in any manner constitute an endorsement by the organisers, the SASCERS Committees or the SASCERS members.

Safety

Your safety and wellbeing is our most important concern. As in all large cities, we ask you to be careful and take the usual precautions. Every effort will be made to ensure that your visit will be a happy, safe and memorable experience.

Security & Insurance

Please note that the Old Harbour Level Lobby is a public area.

- The Hotel and SASCERS shall ensure that suitably qualified security personnel are present at the venue during daily conference Program times.
- The lecture venues will be locked up once conference activities have closed for the day.
- Participants are strongly advised not to leave valuables unattended, nor to leave same in the venues overnight.
- Additional exhibition stand security may be ordered at a cost payable by exhibiting companies.
- The CTICC and Westin Cape Town Hotel will have General Public Liability cover for the event, but each company will be required to carry their own insurance for their equipment and stands.
- Participants understand that neither the organisers nor the SASCERS maintain insurance coverage. All participants are advised to take out insurance coverage against injury to persons, fire, theft, damage to or loss of property, medical expenses, accidents, loss, etc.

Smoking

This is a non-smoking conference. Smoking is only allowed outdoors in designated areas.

Information

Registration

ALL speakers, accompanying guests, personnel, exhibitors and representatives are required to register for the congress

- **Users Meetings: CTICC Meeting Room 2.60**
 - WaveLight: Wednesday 19 Aug 07:30 - 08:00
 - Pentacam: Wednesday 19 Aug 14:00 - 15:00
- **Congress Registration: Westin Hotel Reception Area**
 - Daily from 07:00 for the duration of the Congress.

Name Badges

Attendees and Accompanying Guests must wear the congress name badges for access to academic sessions, the exhibition and official congress events.

Accompanying Guests

- Optional Day and Halfday Trips: <http://signaturetours.co.za/conference/sascrcs2015>
- Entitlements: Payment of the Accompanying Guest's registration fee of R800 pp entitles the guest to: Name badge, access to congress exhibition, Welcome Reception and SASCRC Dinner.
- To include access to the lectures, lunch and tea and coffee breaks: Pay at Registration

Speaker Ready Room

Speakers are required to visit Speaker Ready Room as soon as possible after arrival to meet the technical team and set a time to load, review and test their presentations for AV compatibility.

- Speakers presenting on Thursday before 13:00: Visit the Speaker Ready Room on Wednesday 19 Aug from 16:00 - 19:00 in the CTICC Meeting Room 2.60
- Technical staff will be available for downloading and testing presentations from Wednesday 16:00 and on a daily basis from 07:00

Notes to Exhibitors

The complete Exhibition Guide & Terms document including Codes of Conduct is available from the congress website: www.sascrcs.com

Activities, Scientific Meetings or Social Events

- Companies must plan their activities in a way to enhance the scientific objective of the meeting and their commercial activities shall not interfere with the scientific objective of the congress.
- No unofficial competing meetings, social events or activities may be held for 1 week prior to the congress, during the entire congress and up to 1 week after the congress without the written permission of the SASCRC 2015 congress organising committee. This restriction applies to the period from 12 to 31 August 2015.
- No activities may be organized in parallel to the scientific sessions or social functions.

Safety

- Exhibitors are required to acquaint themselves and adhere to the local fire, safety, environmental laws and building regulations.
- The use of flammable or hazardous materials in the decorating of stands, are strictly prohibited.
- The Committee will not approve exhibits that do not comply with accepted standards, until the necessary changes have been made.
- The Committee reserves the right to alter the general layout or limit the space allotted to each exhibitor, postpone the exhibition or transfer it to another site if unforeseen circumstances warrant such action.

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Time Table of Operations

- Build up Period: 19 Aug 07:00 - 22:00. ALL exhibition stands must be clean and ready by 12:00 on Thursday 20 Aug
- Exhibition Period: Thursday 20 Aug 13:00 - Sunday 23 Aug 11:00
- Dismantling Period: 23 Aug 11:00-22:00

Courses

1. Basic Phaco-emulsification

Thursday 20 Aug 08:00 - 10:00 2 CEUs



Stephen L Beaty

- Phaco-emulsification in the 21st Century. An overview of the procedure of phaco-emulsification, preparations and selections of patients as a novice surgeon, surgical steps and management of routine phaco cataract surgery in the learning phase of this procedure.
- Phacodynamics. A discussion of the fluidics and ultrasonics of phaco-emulsification technology, and ways to improve efficiency and speed in phaco cataract surgery.
- Phaco-emulsification in the 21st Century - Handling Surgical Complications. A discussion of complications and solutions in each step and aspect of phaco cataract surgery.

This course was made possible by the unconditional educational grant from Alcon.

2. Pediatric Cataract Surgery

Thursday 20 Aug 08:00 - 10:00 2 CEUs



Erick Bothun



Faruk H Öрге



Marie-José Tassignon



Jacobus Pauw



Abhay R Vasavada

- Infant and pediatric cataract surgery videos of each step and instruction / tips.
 - Discussion of the newest Infant Aphakia Treatment Study results and impact on pediatric cataract surgery care.
 - Managing the anomalous pediatric lens (sublimed lens management, removal, and videos of IOL in settings lacking capsular support. This includes the Artisan IOL surgery in children.
- Tips and guideline sharing for managing the pediatric aphakic or pseudophakic patient in the office.

This course was made possible partly by a contribution from EpicVision as well as unconditional educational grant from Alcon.

3. DALK

Thursday 20 Aug 10:45 - 12:15 1.5 CEUs



Massimo Busin



Mark A Terry

- Purpose: To standardize a rather new and “unpredictable” surgical technique and make it affordable to the average corneal surgeon.
- Deep trephination for standardized DALK: How to substantially shorten your learning curve. (Massimo Busin)
 - The small “big-bubble” technique for DALK. (Massimo Busin)
 - DALK: A standard technique that improves operating time and avoids complications. (Mark Terry)
 - DALK: Intraoperative OCT insights. (Mark Terry)

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4. MIGS for the Comprehensive Cataract Surgeon

Thursday 20 Aug 14:00 - 17:00 3 CEUs



James C Hays



Jacobus Pauw



Petrus Gous



Marissa Willemse



Mark Packer

- The Clinical Pearls and Pitfalls of combining Minimally Invasive Glaucoma Surgery (MIGS) with cataract surgery will be discussed and illustrated. The practicalities of introducing MIGS techniques such as i-Stent, Trabectome or Canal Expander to your armamentarium as a comprehensive cataract surgeon will be discussed, with specific reference to IOP results, indications, contra-indications, surgical techniques and tips, prevention and management of complications and choice of procedures.

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Courses

5. Endothelial Keratoplasty

Friday 21 Aug 08:00 - 10:00 2 CEUs



Massimo Busin



Mark A Terry

Purpose: To standardize a rather new and “unpredictable” surgical technique and make it affordable to the average corneal surgeon.

- DSAEK for Challenging cases. (Massimo Busin)
- Endothelial Keratoplasty: Which technique today? (Massimo Busin)
- Pull-through technique for standardized DMEK graft delivery. (Massimo Busin)
- A Standardized DMEK Technique with a short learning curve to improve results and minimize complications. (Mark Terry)
- DSAEK: Complications and how to avoid them. (Mark Terry)
- DMEK: How to decide when to re-bubble and when not to re-bubble. (Mark Terry)

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6. Management of Posterior Capsule Rupture

Friday 21 Aug 10:45-12:15 1.5 CEUs



Abhay R Vasavada

Posterior capsule rupture (PCR) is one complication every cataract surgeon will encounter. However, it is crucial that the situation is managed effectively in order to achieve 2 goals –

- a) preventing further enlargement of the PCR along with vitreous management, and
- b) being able to implant an intraocular lens (IOL) in the capsular bag.

This course will highlight and discuss through actual cases, different scenarios where PCR occurs and how the surgeon should effectively manage the situation in order to ensure consistent outcomes. It will also discuss the role of pars plana vitrectomy versus limbal vitrectomy for the cataract surgeon. Using the pars plana approach will make sure that we do not exert additional traction on the vitreous from top, as well as will prevent enlargement of the PCR as we are pulling the vitreous down instead of pulling it up. It will also show, in a stepwise manner, how the anterior segment surgeon can easily perform anterior vitrectomy through the pars plana approach, without the need for any special instrumentation or a retinal surgeon.

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7. Management of Difficult Cataracts & Challenging Situations

Saturday 22 Aug 08:00 - 10:00 2 CEUs



Abhay R Vasavada

This course shall attempt to identify the challenges arising during emulsification of difficult cataracts in adverse environments and discuss surgical strategies to deal with them successfully. It will highlight appropriate surgical options for a reproducible and optimum outcome whenever the surgeon encounters difficult situations. Situations such as posterior polar cataracts, malpositioned IOLs and subluxated lenses will be discussed. At the end, the attendee will be able to choose the most appropriate surgical strategy to effectively manage complicated cataract cases.

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8. Highlights from the Physician CEO™ Program: “Designs for Practice Growth.”

Saturday 22 Aug 14:00 - 17:00 6 Ethics



Guy M Kezirian

CEOs lead, they do not manage. Leadership is about strategy, values and purpose. Medical practices hold patient benefit as core value. It is time for physicians to recapture leadership in medicine - it is time for the Physician CEO™.” www.Physician-CEO.com

The Physician CEO™ program is offered at the Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern University outside of Chicago, which is a globally top-ranked business school for executive education. The program is offered on an annual basis to physicians and is focused specifically to impact practice growth.

Dr Kezirian will present highlights from the Physician CEO™ program. The premise underlying the program is that physicians can and must provide the leadership for effective medical systems, and the program gives physicians the tools they need to do so. Topics include: Finance, Leadership, Marketing, Negotiations, Operations and Strategy.

Workshops

WaveLight Users Meeting

Venue: CTICC 2.60

Wednesday 19 Aug 08:30 - 12:30
Guest Speaker: Dr Matthias Maus
Organised & Sponsored by Alcon
Register at the venue: 08:00 - 08:30
Lunch will be served: 12:30 - 13:30

Pentacam Users Meeting

Venue: CTICC 2.60

Wednesday 19 Aug 15:00 - 17:30
Speaker: Dr Bill Nortje
Organised & Sponsored by Genop
Register at the venue: 14:00 - 15:00
Cocktails will be served afterwards

EyePharma Workshop

Venue: Westin Sir F Drake

Thursday 20 Aug 06:30 - 07:45
Title: "The Use of Customised and Personalised Lenses in Cataract and Refractive Surgery"
Speaker: Mr Sanjay Argal, Head of Research & Development, Care Group
Organised & Sponsored by EyePharma
Breakfast will be served

Oculentis Users Meeting

Venue: Westin Sir F Drake

Saturday 22 Aug 07:00 - 08:00
Speakers: Mike Holzer, Mark Lansu, Jackie Oosthuizen, Volker Rasch
Organised & Sponsored by Oculentis GmbH / Pro Vision

Meetings

PowerVision Inc Investigators Breakfast Meeting

Venue: Westin Sir F Drake
Friday 21 Aug 06:30 - 07:45
Organised & Sponsored by PowerVision Inc
Attendees: By invitation
Breakfast will be served

SASCRS Annual General Meeting (AGM)

Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
Thursday 20 Aug 16:00 - 16:45
Attendees: SASCRS Members

Ophthalmology Management Group (OMG)

Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
Thursday 20 Aug 17:00 - 18:00
Attendees: SA Ophthalmologists



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Thursday 20 Aug

06:30 - 07:45 **Workshop Organised and Sponsored by EyePharma** Venue: Westin Sir F Drake

Session 1	Cornea		Moderator: Dr Cor van Zyl	Venue: CTICC 2.60
08:00 - 08:04	Frik Potgieter	Opening		
08:05 - 08:19	Andrzej Grzybowski	History of Early Cornea Transplants		
08:20 - 08:34	Moones Abdalla	Combined ICR and CxL for Moderate Keratoconus		
08:35 - 08:49	Mark Terry	A Comparison of DSAEK to DMEK: Vision, Complications and Endothelial Survival		
08:50 - 09:04	Osama Ibrahim	Femto DALK: Are We There?		
09:05 - 09:19	Mark Terry	Ultra-thin DSAEK: What is it really, and is it as good as DMEK?		
09:20 - 09:34	Moones Abdalla	SMILE for Post-keratoplasty Astigmatism		
09:35 - 09:59	Panel Discussion			

Course 1 **Basic Phaco-emulsification (Parallel Session)** Venue: Westin Sir F Drake
 08:00 - 10:00 Stephen Beaty

Course 2 **Pediatric Cataract Surgery (Parallel Session)** Venue: Westin B Diaz
 08:00 - 10:00 Erick Bothun, Faruk Örgе, Jacobus Pauw, Marie-José Tassignon, Abhay Vasavada

10:00 - 10:44 Tea / Coffee break Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area Venue: Westin Ballroom

Session 2	Cataract I - Multifocal IOLs		Moderator: Dr Jan Talma	Venue: CTICC 2.60
10:45 - 10:55	Abhay Vasavada	Customised IOL Solutions for Your Patient		
10:56 - 11:06	Johann Krüger	South African Results of Visual Outcomes and Patient Satisfaction of Cataract Surgery with Implantation of the Caregroup iDiff Plus Presbyopic IOL		
11:07 - 11:17	Lourens van Zyl	Visual Acuity and Patient Satisfaction Results with the New Zeiss AT LISA Trifocal Diffractive IOL		
11:18 - 11:28	Jan Venter	Clinical Outcomes of Micro-monovision with Tecnis Symphony Intraocular Lens		
11:29 - 11:39	Johan de Lange	Comparing Six Different Multifocal IOLs Over a Period of Six Years		
11:40 - 11:51	Marie-José Tassignon	IOL Exchange of mIOLs in Unsatisfied Patients		
11:52 - 12:02	Andries Stulting	Future Trends in IOLs		
12:03 - 12:14	Panel Discussion			

Course 3 **DALK (Parallel Session)** Venue: Westin B Diaz
 10:45 - 12:15 Massimo Busin, Mark Terry

CorneaSA Lecture Venue: CTICC 2.60
 12:15 - 12:19 Cor van Zyl Introduction of CorneaSA Lecture
 12:20 - 12:59 Mark Terry CorneaSA Lecture: The Evolution and Revolution of Endothelial Keratoplasty

13:00 - 13:59 Lunch Lunch will be served in the Exhibition Area Venue: Westin Ballroom

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Session 3	Cataract II - IOLs	Moderator: Dr Asher Saks	Venue: CTICC 2.60
14:00 - 14:11	Mark Packer	Aspheric IOLs: What Have We Learned?	
14:12 - 14:23	Erick Bothun	The Artisan Lens Study: Refractive Surgery	
14:24 - 14:35	Faruk Öрге	Implications of IOL Management in Infants, Recent Results from the Infant Aphakia Treatment Study	
14:36 - 14:47	Andrzej Grzybowski	Glistening and Whitening - Myths and Facts	
14:48 - 14:59	Calvin Roberts	Do IOL Glistenings Affect Vision?	
15:00 - 15:11	Volker Rasch	Fine Tuning of Light-Adjustable IOLs: Capsular Shields Protecting the Retina During Radiation Exposure	
15:12 - 15:23	Mike Holzer	Reading Performance of a Diffractive Trifocal IOL	
15:24 - 15:29	Panel Discussion		

Course 4a	MIGS for the Comprehensive Cataract Surgeon (Parallel Session)	Venue: Westin B Diaz
14:00 - 15:30	Petrus Gous, James Hays, Mark Packer, Jacobus Pauw, Marissa Willemse	
15:30 - 15:44	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area
		Venue: Westin Ballroom

Session 4	Miscellaneous I	Moderator: Dr Marius Pretorius	Venue: CTICC 2.60
15:45 - 15:55	Lourens Coetzee	Evaluating the Accuracy and Predictability of Limbal Relaxing Incisions Using the De Lange Nomogram	
15:56 - 16:06	Lourens van Zyl	Refinement of Pre-set Corneal Epithelial Thickness and Stromal Ablation Rate in One-step Trans-epithelial Ablations	
16:07 - 16:17	Johann Krüger	Results With a New Foldable Posterior Chamber Phakic IOL in Patients with High Degrees of Hyperopia, Myopia and Moderate Astigmatism	
16:18 - 16:28	Mike Holzer	Comparison of Two Combined Cohesive and Dispersive Ophthalmic Viscoelastic Devices During Cataract Surgery	
16:29 - 16:39	Andrzej Grzybowski	Controversies Regarding Antibiotics Use in Cataract Surgery	
16:40 - 16:50	Mark Packer	The Physician-Patient Relationship in a Digital World	
16:51 - 17:00	Panel Discussion		

Course 4b	MIGS for the Comprehensive Cataract Surgeon (Parallel session continued)	Venue: Westin B Diaz
16:45 - 17:00	Petrus Gous, James Hays, Mark Packer, Jacobus Pauw, Marissa Willemse	

Friday 21 Aug

06:30 - 07:45	PowerVision Inc Investigators Meeting		Venue: Westin Sir F Drake
Session 5	FemtoLaser Surgery	Moderator: Prof Andries Stulting	Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
08:00 - 08:12	Andrzej Grzybowski	The First Idea of IOL Implantation	
08:13 - 08:25	Mark Packer	What Can a Femtosecond Laser Do for Your Cataract Surgery?	
08:26 - 08:38	Calvin Roberts	Femtosecond Assisted Phaco Free Surgery	
08:39 - 08:51	Lourens van Zyl	Femtosecond Laser Assisted Cataract Surgery: Initial Experience From a Recent Convert	
08:52 - 09:04	Abhay Vasavada	Femtocataract Surgery: How It Has Affected My Practice	
09:05 - 09:17	Klaus Ditzen	Femto-Flap Problems: Incomplete Flap with Suction Loss	
09:18 - 09:30	Osama Ibrahim	Femto-assisted ICR Implantation for Irregular Astigmatism: KC, post-PKP and post-RK	
09:31 - 09:59	Panel Discussion		
Course 5	Endothelial Keratoplasty (Parallel Session)		Venue: Westin B Diaz
08:00 - 10:00	Massimo Busin, Mark Terry		
10:00 - 10:44	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area	Venue: Westin Ballroom
Session 6	Miscellaneous II	Moderator: Dr Daniel Kritzinger	Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
10:45 - 10:56	Mark Packer	Digital Imaging in the Clinic and the Operating Room	
10:57 - 11:08	Dylan Joseph	Refractive Fellowship Course - When Irish Eyes are Smiling	
11:09 - 11:20	Rookaya Mather	Corneal Pain without Stain: Neurosis or Neuropathy? A Case Report	
11:21 - 11:32	James Hays	The Application of the iTrace in Cataract Surgery	
11:33 - 11:44	Osama Ibrahim	Schematic Approach to Keratoconus Management	
11:45 - 11:56	Moones Abdalla	Combined SMILE and CxL (SMILE extra) for Suspicious Corneas and Stabilized Keratoconus	
11:57 - 12:14	Panel Discussion		
Course 6	Management of Posterior Capsule Rupture (Parallel Session)		Venue: Westin B Diaz
10:45 - 12:15	Abhay Vasavada		
Kritzinger Safari Award Lecture			Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
12:15 - 12:19	Frik Potgieter	Introduction of Kritzinger Safari Award Lecturer	
12:20 - 12:59	Guy Kezirian	Kritzinger Safari Award Lecture: Refractive Surgery: Growth for Good	
13:00 - 13:59	Lunch	Lunch will be served in the Exhibition Area	Venue: Exhibition Area
Session 7	Refractive Surgery I - Presbyopia	Moderator: Dr Jan Talma	Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
14:00 - 14:13	Mark Packer	Immediate Sequential Bilateral Refractive Lens Surgery	
14:14 - 14:27	Dylan Joseph	Presbyopic Solutions: The Holy Grail of Ophthalmology	
14:28 - 14:41	Japie Vos	Initial Experience with Supracor for Corneal Presbyopia Treatment on the Technolas 217 Excimer Laser	
14:42 - 14:55	Paul Roux	Capsular Bag Biocompatibility of a New Accommodating IOL	
14:56 - 15:09	Frik Potgieter	Unique Aspects Related to an Accommodating IOL	
15:10 - 15:23	Klaus Ditzen	Binocular Correction in Hyperopic Presbyopia	
15:24 - 15:29	Panel Discussion		
15:30 - 15:59	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area	Venue: Exhibition Area
16:00 - 16:45	SASCRC AGM		Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
17:00 - 18:00	OMG Meeting		Venue: CTICC Auditorium2

Saturday 22 Aug

06:30 - 07:45	Oculentis Users Meeting		Venue: Westin Sir F Drake
Session 8	Cataract III - Complicated Cataract Surgery	Moderator: Prof Andries Stulting	Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
08:00 - 08:20	Marie-José Tassignon	Secondary Anterior Segment Repair of Aniridia and Aphakia	
08:21 - 08:32	Andrzej Grzybowski	Iris-claw IOLs in Aphakia Management	
08:33 - 08:44	Volker Rasch	Capsular Tension Rings With Coloboma-Correcting Segments - Less Stress With the Right Procedure for Implantation	
08:45 - 08:56	Lourens van Zyl	Scleral Tunnel Intraocular Lens Explantation	
08:57 - 09:08	Sydney Sebiloane	Pearls and Pitfalls of the Bag-in-the-lens Technique	
09:09 - 09:22	Marie-José Tassignon	Bag-in-the-lens Implantation in Patients with Loose Zonules	
09:23 - 09:34	Andrzej Grzybowski	Floppy-iris Syndrome: Update 2015	
09:35 - 09:45	Marie-José Tassignon	Cataract Surgery in Rock-hard Cataracts	
09:46 - 09:59	Panel Discussion		
Course 7	Management of Difficult Cataracts and Challenging Situations (Parallel Session)		Venue: Westin B Diaz
08:00 - 10:00	Abhay Vasavada		
10:00 - 10:44	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area	Venue: Westin Ballroom
Session 9	Cataract IV - Toric IOLs & Retina	Moderator: Dr Malcolm Carey	Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
10:45 - 10:56	Mike Holzer	Diagnostic and Surgical Specifications for Toric IOL Implantation and Experiences with the Precizon Toric IOL	
10:57 - 11:08	Mark Packer	Improving Accuracy with Toric IOLs	
11:09 - 11:20	Lourens van Zyl	Adjustment of Anterior Corneal Astigmatism Values to Incorporate the Likely Effect of Posterior Corneal Curvature for Toric IOL Calculation	
11:21 - 11:36	Marie-José Tassignon	New Insights About Anterior Vitreo-lenticular Interface	
11:37 - 11:48	Helena Cilliers	Cataract Surgery Outcome in Patients with Intra-vitreous Dexamethasone / Ozurdex Implant for Retinal Vein Occlusions	
11:49 - 12:01	Marie-José Tassignon	YAG Laser Vitreolysis of Vitreous Floaters	
12:02 - 12:09	Panel Discussion		
Epstein Memorial Award Lecture			Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
12:10 - 12:19	Spencer Thornton	Shoulders on Which We Stand / Introduction of Epstein Memorial Award Lecturer	
12:20 - 12:59	Andries Stulting	Epstein Memorial Award Lecture	
13:00 - 13:59	Lunch	Lunch will be served in the Exhibition Area	Venue: Westin Ballroom
Course 8a	Business: Physician CEO		Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
14:00 - 15:30	Guy Kezirian		
15:31 - 15:59	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area	Venue: Exhibition Area
Course 8b	Business: Physician CEO (Continued)		Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
16:00 - 17:00	Guy Kezirian		

Sunday 23 Aug

06:30 - 07:45	Christian Prayer Breakfast		Venue: Westin Sir F Drake
Session 10	Refractive Surgery II - ReLeX	Moderator: Dr Frik Potgieter	Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
08:00 - 08:12	Jan Venter	Initial Experience with the Small Incision Lenticule Extraction (SMILE) to Treat Myopic Refractive Error	
08:13 - 08:25	Osama Ibrahim	Long Term Follow Up of Over 5000 Eyes of SMILE for Myopia	
08:26 - 08:38	Klaus Ditzen	SMILE-Procedure: Femtosecond Laser Correction for Myopia and Astigmatism	
08:39 - 08:51	Moones Abdalla	SMILE for Hyperopic and Mixed Astigmatism	
08:52 - 09:04	Frik Potgieter	SMILE for Myopia and Myopic Astigmatism	
09:05 - 09:17	Osama Ibrahim	SMILE Beyond Myopia and Myopic Astigmatism	
09:18 - 09:30	Moones Abdalla	SMILE Technique: Pearls and Pitfalls	
09:31 - 09:57	Panel Discussion		
09:58 - 10:00	Frik Potgieter	Congress closure	
10:00 - 10:44	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Exhibition Area	Venue: Westin Ballroom
10:45 - 12:59	SASCERS EXCO Meeting		Venue: Westin M Polo

Ophthalmic Nurses & Assistants



Dear Ophthalmic Nurses and Assistants

These lecture Programs are designed to equip you with the expertise and the understanding of the latest technology used in Ophthalmic practice today. The intention is to make your role in the theatre or practice more enjoyable and rewarding for the ultimate benefit of the patient in your care.

Kindest regards

Dr Asher Saks, Congress Chairman

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Dr Malcolm Carey	Dr Andrew Perrott
Dr Rudi Claassen	Prof Paul Roux
Dr Deon Doubell	Dr Carina Slazus
Dr Tony Dos Ramos	Dr Jan Talma
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Dr Dale Harrison	Dr Marianthy Vayanos
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Mr Rowan Emslie - Genop
 Ms Rene Karg - Alcon
 Mr Morné Muller - Surgical & Ophthalmic Supplies
 Ms Jackie Oosthuizen - Provision
 Mr Casper Venter - Ophthalmology Management Group



Friday 21 Aug - Ophthalmic Nurses & Assistants

07:00 - 07:59	Arrival & Registration		Venue: Westin Hotel
Session 1			Chair: Ms Brenda Good Venue: CTICC 2.60
08:00 - 08:04	Opening		
08:05 - 08:34	Dr Paul Keet	Curious Clinical Cases and other Mysteries	
08:35 - 08:59	Dr Marcel Niemandt	Common Ocular Emergencies	
09:00 - 09:29	Dr Rudi Claassen	History and Development of Refractive Surgery	
09:30 - 09:59	Dr Carina Slazus	Evolution of Cataract Surgery	
10:00 - 10:44	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
Session 2			Chair: Ms Anneli Claassens Venue: CTICC 2.60
10:45 - 11:14	Dr Henning van den Heever	Bridging the Infection Control Gap in Ophthalmology (TASS and endophthalmitis)	
11:15 - 11:44	Dr Petrus Gous	i-Stent	
11:45 - 12:09	Dr Emma Hurley	Anti-VEGF	
Kritzinger Safari Award Lecture			Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
12:10 - 12:14	Join the main Program in the CTICC Auditorium2		
12:15 - 12:19	Dr Frik Potgieter	Introduction of Kritzinger Safari Award Lecturer	
12:20 - 12:59	Dr Guy Kezirian	Kritzinger Safari Award Lecture: Refractive Surgery: Growth for Good	
13:00 - 13:59	Lunch	Lunch will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
14:00 - 14:29	Exhibition Tour	Organised by Surgical & Ophthalmic Supplies	Venue: Westin Ballroom
Session 3			Chair: Ms Tarryn Lotz Venue: CTICC 2.60
14:30 - 14:59	Dr Marcel Niemandt	Common Corneal Surgeries	
15:00 - 15:29	Dr Andrew Perrott	Lasers in Ophthalmology	
15:30 - 15:59	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
Session 4			Chair: Ms Christina Zeeman Venue: CTICC 2.60
16:00 - 16:29	Dr Deon Doubell	Patient Safety: Eliminating Wrong Side Surgery	
16:30 - 16:59	Dr Gerhard Kok	Femtosecond Laser Assisted Intrastromal Corneal Ring Segments (ICRS) for Keratokonus	
17:00 - 17:05	Close		

Saturday 22 Aug - Ophthalmic Nurses

07:00 - 08:24	Arrival & Registration		Venue: Westin Hotel
Session 5		Chair: Ms Brenda Good	
08:25 - 08:29	Opening		Venue: CTICC 2.60
08:30 - 08:59	Dr Tony Dos Ramos	LASIK Surgery	
09:00 - 09:29	Sr Margaret van Wyngaardt	Optimal Time Management for Cataract Surgery	
09:30 - 10:59	Prof Paul Roux	Not just "Another Cataract" surgery – Complicated Cataract Surgery	
10:00 - 10:44	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
Session 6		Chair: Ms Christina Zeeman	Venue: CTICC 2.60
10:45 - 11:14	Mr Morné Muller	Minimally Invasive Glaucoma Surgery	
11:15 - 11:44	Dr Marissa Willemse	Trabeculectomy	
11:45 - 12:04	Dr Jan Venter	Femtosecond Cataract Surgery	
Epstein Memorial Award Lecture			Venue: CTICC Auditorium2
12:05 - 12:09	Join the main Program in the CTICC Auditorium2		
12:10 - 12:19	Prof Spencer Thornton	Shoulders on Which We Stand / Introduction of Epstein Memorial Award Lecturer	
12:20 - 12:59	Prof Andries Stulting	Epstein Memorial Award Lecture	
13:00 - 13:59	Lunch	Lunch will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
14:00 - 14:59	Exhibition Tour	Organised by Surgical & Ophthalmic Supplies	Venue: Westin Ballroom
Session 7		Chair: Ms Brenda Good	Venue: CTICC 2.60
15:00 - 15:29	Ms Anneli Claassens	Corneal Transplant	
15:30 - 15:59	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
Session 8		Chair: Ms Christina Zeeman	Venue: CTICC 2.60
16:00 - 16:19	Mr Morné Muller	Instrument Care and Handling	
16:20 - 16:39	Ms Jackie Oosthuizen	Cross-linking Procedure	
16:40 - 16:59	Mr Morné Muller	Intra-ocular Lenses - Past, Present and Future	
17:00 - 17:05	Close		

Saturday 22 Aug - Ophthalmic Assistants

07:00 - 07:55	Arrival & Registration		Venue: Westin Hotel
Session 5		Chair: Ms Anneli Claassens	
07:55 - 07:59	Opening		Venue: CTICC 2.60
08:00 - 08:14	Ms Ashleigh Wiggill	Ophthalmic Photographers Workshop	
08:15 - 08:39	Dr Andrew Boliter	Femto Cataract / Right To Sight	
08:40 - 09:04	Dr Malcolm Carey	Astigmatism and Cataract Surgery	
09:05 - 09:29	Dr Ed Anderson	Pre-LASIK work-up with specific focus on Keratoconus Exclusion	
09:30 - 09:59	Dr Marissa Willemse	Visual Development	
10:00 - 10:44	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
Session 6		Chair: Ms Tarryn Lotz	
10:45 - 11:09	Dr Marianthy Vayanos	Visual Fields	
11:10 - 11:34	Mr Casper Venter	Medical Aid: What does the Ophthalmic Assistant need to know	
11:35 - 12:04	Dr Jan Talma	Global Fees	
Epstein Memorial Award Lecture		Venue: CTICC Auditorium2	
12:05 - 12:09	Join the main Program in the CTICC Auditorium2		
12:10 - 12:19	Prof Spencer Thornton	Shoulders on Which We Stand / Introduction of Epstein Memorial Award Lecturer	
12:20 - 12:59	Prof Andries Stulting	Epstein Memorial Award Lecture	
13:00 - 13:59	Lunch	Lunch will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
14:00 - 14:29	Exhibition Tour	Organised by Surgical & Ophthalmic Supplies	Venue: Westin Ballroom
Session 7		Chair: Ms Anneli Claassens	
14:30 - 14:59	Dr Dale Harrison	Choosing an IOL	
15:00 - 15:29	Mr Rowan Emslie	OCT Imaging	
15:30 - 15:59	Tea / Coffee break	Refreshments will be served in the Thirty7 Restaurant, Westin	Venue: Westin Restaurant
Session 8		Chair: Ms Tarryn Lotz	
16:00 - 16:19	Ms Rene Karg	Ophthalmic Pharmacology	
16:20 - 16:24	Close / Exhibition		
16:25 - 17:00	Exhibition		

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