



Virtual Program Schedule

*times listed in Eastern Daylight Time

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

5:45 PM – 6:00 PM **Welcome / Opening Session / Meeting Kick-off** [LIVESTREAM](#)

Carla Bourne, WIO Program Committee Chair

Anna Momont, WIO Program Committee Co-Chair

Grace Sun, WIO President

Lisa Nijm, WIO CEO

6:00 PM – 7:00 PM **CME Spotlight Session** [LIVESTREAM](#)

Neurotrophic Keratitis: Improving Detection and Restoring Sensation

Speakers: Alice Epitropoulos, Lisa Nijm

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

6:55 AM – 7:00 AM **Welcome** [LIVESTREAM](#)

Carla Bourne

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM **CME Spotlight Session** [LIVESTREAM](#)

Keeping an Eye on New Advances in Glaucoma Meds and MIGS

Speaker: Analisa Arosemena

UPRISE SESSION I: THE TACTICAL PLAN

8:00 AM – 8:40 AM **Keynote Session: Awareness, Resilience & Adaptability** [LIVESTREAM](#)

Moderator: Carla Bourne

Figuring Self – Tips on Defining Identity

Speaker: Ruth Williams

Resilience – Harnessing Personal Power & Building Muscle

Speaker: Tara Capalbo

Achieving Sustainability Within a Dynamic Environment

Speaker: Jeannette Banks

Handling Derailment – What to Do When Your Career is Disrupted

Speaker: Stephanie Pearson

8:40 AM – 9:10 AM **Bernice Z. Brown Memorial Lecture & Award** [LIVESTREAM](#)

The Tapestry of Vocation, Avocation, and Vacation

Introduction: Lisa Nijm

Awardee: Susan Day

9:10 AM – 9:25 AM **View Our Virtual Posters!**

9:25 AM – 9:40 AM **What the hELIOS – Brought to you by Elios Vision**

Speaker: Christine Funke

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 25 (CONTINUED)

UPHEAVAL SESSION I: THE GLOBAL SCIENCE SQUAD

9:40 AM - 10:15 AM	Pipelines & Progress – Global Hot Topics <small>LIVESTREAM</small> <i>Moderator: Oluwatosin Smith</i>
	Surgical Advances in Cataract Surgery – Upgrading Education with Simulation Training <i>Speaker: Maria Montero</i>
	Robots & 3D Surgery – What is the Future in Surgical Retina? <i>Speaker: Maria Berrocal</i>
	Clinically Meaningful Dry Eye Outcomes and Metrics <i>Speaker: Esen Akpek</i>
	New Drug Delivery Options in Glaucoma <i>Speaker: Sayoko Moroi</i>
10:20 AM - 11:00 AM	Mind the Gap & Climb the Wall – Navigating Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Challenges <small>VIRTUAL ONLY</small> <i>Moderator: Thandeka Myeni</i>
	The Need for Diversity in Clinical Trials and Research <i>Speaker: Jennifer Lim</i>
	Handling the Backlash <i>Speaker: Vandana Reddy</i>
	Maintaining a Culture of Inclusion in Academia <i>Speaker: Leslie Jones</i>
11:00 AM - 11:40 AM	Ocular Cornucopia <small>VIRTUAL ONLY</small> <i>Moderator: Jaya Kumar</i>
	Artificial Intelligence to Diagnose Papilledema in Children <i>Speaker: Melinda Chang</i>
	Fundamentals in Pediatric Retinal Trauma <i>Speaker: Vaidehi Dedania</i>
	Updates on Optic Nerve Regeneration <i>Speaker: Kimberly Gokoffski</i>
11:40 AM - 12:00 AM	Break – Visit Our Virtual Exhibit Hall!
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	CME Spotlight Session <small>LIVESTREAM</small> Practical Management Updates for Thyroid Eye Disease <i>Speakers: Erin Shriver, Sara Wester</i>

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 25 (CONTINUED)

UPLIFT SESSION I: OPERATION EMPOWER

1:00 PM – 1:20 PM	International Inspirers – Leading by Example <small>LIVESTREAM</small> <i>Moderators: Ashlie Bernhisel, Sara Wester</i>
	Developing and Empowering Others, a Vision to Boost Your Leadership <i>Speaker: Lucia Silva</i>
	Leadership: Facilitate to Grow <i>Speaker: Ava Hossain</i>
1:20 PM – 1:40 PM	Combat Communication – Handling Hostile Conversations <small>LIVESTREAM</small> <i>Speaker: Marsheila DeVan</i>
1:45 PM – 2:30 PM	Non-traditional Career Path – What Else Can I Do after Ophtho Residency? <small>VIRTUAL ONLY</small> <i>Moderators: Lola Idowu, Wanda Martinez</i>
	Entrepreneurship Pathway <i>Speaker: Anika Goodwin</i>
	Industry Pathway <i>Speaker: Vanessa Vera</i>
	FDA Pathway <i>Speaker: Tasha Tanhehco</i>
	Locum Tenens Pathway <i>Speaker: Anika Goodwin</i>
2:30 PM – 3:15 PM	Tight Spots & Sticky Situations – Cross-specialty Collaboration <small>VIRTUAL ONLY</small> <i>Moderator: Yara Catoira-Boyle</i>
	Managing the Vasculopath
	Stepwise Approach to Stevens Johnsons
	Managing Glaucoma & Ptoisis in the Post Corneal Transplant Patient <i>Speakers: Swetangi Bhaleeya, Misha Faustina, Tanya Khan, Ang Li, Sabrina Mukhtar</i>
3:15 PM – 3:30 PM	Virtual Live Well <small>VIRTUAL ONLY</small>
	Meditation – Workday Decompression <i>Instructor: Gautham Bodepudi</i>
3:30 PM – 4:15 PM	Real Women, Real Life – Tools for Improved Work & Personal Fulfillment <small>VIRTUAL ONLY</small> <i>Moderator: Shelly Jain</i>
	Mindful Living <i>Speaker: Mona Kaleem</i>
	Level Up – Low Sweat High Yield Tools to Revamp Office Culture <i>Speaker: Simarta Brennen-Prescod</i>
	Do What Energizes You & Play to Your Strengths <i>Speaker: Jella An</i>

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 25 (CONTINUED)

Achieving the Dream of Job Satisfaction – How Do We Get There?

Speaker: Meenakshi Chaku

4:15 PM – 5:30 PM

View Our Virtual Posters and Surgical Videos!

INSPIRE SESSION I: BECOMING UNCONQUERABLE

5:30 PM – 6:30 PM

Keynote Session: Without a Doubt – How to Go from Underrated to Unbeatable **LIVESTREAM**

Introduction: Lisa Nijm

Speaker: Surbhi Sarna

6:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Friday Night Dinner Symposium **LIVESTREAM**

SYFOVRE® (Pegcetacoplan Injection): The Importance of Identifying and Treating Patients

Speaker: Jordana Fein

Miebo – The First & Only Prescription Eye Drop for DED that Directly Targets Evaporation

Speakers: Preeya Gupta, Lisa Nijm

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM

CME Spotlight Session **LIVESTREAM**

Improving Ocular Surface and Eyelid Health in the Here and Now

Speakers: Preeya Gupta, Lisa Nijm

UPRISE SESSION II: AWAKE & UPRISE

8:00 AM – 8:40 AM

New Plays for Old Crusades **LIVESTREAM**

Moderators: Anna Momont, Aruoriwo Oboh-Weilke

Multifocal IOL Solution Primer

Speaker: Cathleen McCabe

Keratitis, New Paradigms in Diagnosis & Treatment

Speaker: Sandra Cremers

The Canal Challenge – Optimizing Your MIGS Outcomes

Speaker: Zarmeena Vendal

Geographic Atrophy, What's New on the Horizon

Speaker: Sruthi Arepalli

8:40 AM – 9:25 AM

Keynote Session: Raise Your Play – Leadership Lessons **LIVESTREAM**

Moderator: Lisa Nijm

Speakers: Yolande Barnard, Susan Benton, Jennifer Cross, Kate Kline, Cindy Metrose, Lori Tierney

9:25 AM – 9:55 AM

Break – View Our On-demand Videos!

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 26 (CONTINUED)

10:00 AM – 10:30 AM	WIO Honorary Lecture & Award <small>LIVESTREAM</small> A Vision for Change: Examining the Past, Advancing the Present, and Shaping the Future of Gender Equality in Healthcare <i>Introduction: Grace Sun</i> <i>Awardee: Bonnie Henderson</i>
10:30 AM – 10:55 AM	Best Research Abstract Presentations, Top Surgical Video, & Joanne Angle Abstract of Distinction Award Presentation <small>LIVESTREAM</small> <i>Moderators: Jennifer Galvin, Kimberly Wings</i> The Effect of Face Masks on the Ophthalmologist-Patient Relationship During the COVID-19 Pandemic <i>Speaker: Zahra Markatia</i> Human Breast Milk Enhances Cellular Proliferation in Corneal Wound Healing <i>Speaker: Sarah Seiwald</i> ZETA-1 Phase 2 Trial Safety and Tolerability Results for of APX3330: A Novel, Oral Ref-1 Inhibitor for the Treatment of Diabetic Retinopathy <i>Speaker: Priya Vakharia</i>
11:00 AM – 11:45 AM	Caring for Cornea: Concepts & Controversies <small>VIRTUAL ONLY</small> <i>Moderator: Claudia Perez-Straziota</i> Keratoprosthesis <i>Speaker: Julie Shallhorn</i> Corneal Allogenic Intrastromal Ring Segments (CAIRS) <i>Speaker: Soosan Jacobs</i> Crosslinking: Epi On vs. Off <i>Speaker: Kathryn Hatch</i> Masquerades in Dry Eye Disease: A Case Based Approach <i>Speaker: Preeya Gupta</i>
11:45 AM – 12:00 PM	Break – View Our Surgical Videos!
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	CME Spotlight Presentation <small>LIVESTREAM</small> Injectable Solutions That Meet Treatment Goals in nAMD and DME Management <i>Speakers: Margaret Chang, Christina Weng</i>

UPHEAVAL SESSION II: MINDSET CHANGE

1:00 PM – 1:20 PM	Alignment with Allies – Make or Break Moves in Cross Specialty Collaborative Cases <small>LIVESTREAM</small> <i>Moderators: Cat Burkat, Phoebe Lenhart</i> Fusion & Confusion – Addressing Post-op Diplopia and Dystopia after Cataract, Refractive, Glaucoma, & Retina Surgery <i>Speakers: Sarah Logan, Praneetha Thulasi, Dana Wallace-Bryson</i> Taking Torture Out of TED – Dry Eye, Eyelid, Orbit & Optic Nerve Management <i>Speakers: Christina Mamalis, Ellen Mitchell, Nikisha Richards</i>
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UPLIFT SESSION II: DELVE & THRIVE

1:20 PM – 2:00 PM	Lemons to Lemonade – How to Minimize Stress during Transitions VIRTUAL ONLY <i>Moderator: Wanda Martinez</i> <i>Speakers: Pamela D’Souza-David, Angeline Nguyen, Erin Shriver, Kimberly Stepien</i>
2:00 PM – 2:45 PM	Real World EyeCare – Exploring Global Ocular Care VIRTUAL ONLY <i>Moderator: Jiaxi Ding</i> <i>Speakers: Ashlie Bernhisel, Cathleen McCabe, Lucia Silva</i>
2:45 PM – 3:00 PM	Break – Visit Our Exhibitors!
3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Hot Topics in Ophthalmology VIRTUAL ONLY <i>Moderator: Anna Momont</i> What’s New in Age Related Macular Degeneration <i>Speaker: Kathleen Schildroth</i> Strabismus – From Crossed Eyes to Smooth Sailing: Botox, Esotropia, and You <i>Speaker: Pavlina Kemp</i> Oculoplastics – Not Just a Pretty Face <i>Speaker: Molly Fuller</i> Enhanced Depth Lenses in the LASIK Patient <i>Speaker: Sarah Nehls</i>

INSPIRE II: CELEBRATING YOU

4:00 PM – 4:30 PM	Brave & Bold – Everything You Need to Go Solo VIRTUAL ONLY <i>Speakers: Laxmi Devisetty, Geeta Lalwani</i>
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SUNDAY, AUGUST 27

7:30 AM – 8:30 AM	CME Spotlight Presentation LIVESTREAM Dry Eye Disease and Meibomian Gland Dysfunction: Imperfect Together <i>Speakers: Preeya Gupta, Jennifer Loh</i>
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UPHEAVAL SESSION III: LEVERAGING CURRENCY

8:30 AM – 9:40 AM	Keynote Session: Battle of the Wage Gap LIVESTREAM <i>Moderators: Tamara Fountain, Kimberly Wings</i> Know the Numbers - The Truth about the Wage Gap <i>Speaker: Analisa Arosemena</i> Industry Relationships & Payment <i>Speaker: Jella An</i>
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SUNDAY, AUGUST 27 (CONTINUED)

Own Your Power - Addressing DEI in 2023

Speaker: Nadine Smith

Contract Negotiation: The Challenges

Speaker: Sarwat Salim

No Apology Needed

Speaker: Brent Simpson

Institutional Change - Own Your Voice

Speaker: Marie Somogyi

UPLIFT SESSION III: LEVEL UP YOUR COMMUNICATION PROWESS

9:40 AM - 10:25 AM

A Girl's Ultimate Field Bag of Advanced Communication Tricks **LIVESTREAM**

Speaker: Marsheila DeVan

INSPIRE SESSION III: COMING FULL CIRCLE

10:25 AM - 11:00 AM

Operation Eye Flight - Multi-specialty Advancements for Ocular Care **LIVESTREAM**

Moderator: Andrea Kossler

Innovations on the Horizon for Oculoplastics

Speaker: Femida Kherani

Expansions in SMILE

Speaker: Mitra Nejad

Glaucoma, Get Ready for Action, 2023 & Beyond

Speaker: Regine Pappas

ARMD, Rethinking Treatment Paradigms

Speaker: Mehnaz Khan

UPRISE SESSION III: CALL TO ACTION

11:00 AM - 11:25 AM

Preservation & Perseverance **LIVESTREAM**

Moderator: Cathy Cohen, Christina Weng

AAO Surgical Scope Fund & Advocacy

Speaker: Ninita Brown

VA Supremacy

Speaker: Jigna Joshi

EyeSustain

Speaker: Aakriti Shukla

11:25 AM - 11:30 AM

Meeting Wrap-Up **LIVESTREAM**

Speakers: Carla Bourne, Anna Momont, Lisa Nijm, Grace Sun

On-Demand Content

VIRTUAL POSTERS

VIRTUAL EXHIBIT HALL

SURGICAL ON-DEMAND VIDEOS

OMIC RISK MANAGEMENT SESSION: MITIGATING THE RISKS OF ENDOPHTHALMITIS CLAIMS

Speakers: Hans Bruhn, Mark Rolain

VIRTUAL LIVE WELL

Stretch for Success – Between Case Stretches to Preserve Your Career

Instructor: Amy Zhang

FUN ON-DEMAND VIDEOS

Having Fun as the Addams Family

Cat Burkat & Daughter, Hisa

Mocktails & Cocktails - A Mummy and Mini-Me, Barbados Sunrise Experience

Carla Bourne & Daughter, Abrielle

How to Make the Most Marvelous Mango Ice Cream Using Ninja Cream Machine

Make-up Made Simple - How to Apply Makeup Using a Few Simple Products & Steps

Regine Pappas

Finance for Kids

Brent Simpson & Daughter, Kadence