



PITTSBURGH OPHTHALMOLOGY SOCIETY

2020-2021 Meeting Series

POS will host Virtual Meetings

Virtual meetings begin at 5:00 pm and end at 7:15 pm

5:00 pm	Welcome and introduction of Guest Speaker (to be done by person who invited faculty or Dr. Buerger)
5:05 pm 5:50 pm	First Lecture begins (CME .75) (30 minutes lecture/15 minutes Q/A)
5:50 pm to 6:10 pm	Resident case presentation and questions, comments, and discussion w/Guest Faculty (20 minutes) CME .50
6:10 pm 6:20 pm	Business meeting (10 minutes)
6:20 pm to 6:30 pm	Visit with Exhibitors / Break (10 minute)
6:30 pm to 7:15 pm	Second Lecture begins (CME .75) (30-minute lecture / 15 minutes Q&A)
7:15 pm	Conclusion



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Thursday, SEPTEMBER 10 (Virtual Meeting)

Christopher D. Riemann, MD



Cincinnati Eye Institute
Volunteer Associate Professor, University of Cincinnati, Department of Ophthalmology
Director, Vitreoretinal Fellowship & Member, Clinical Governance Board, Cincinnati Eye Institute
Ophthalmology Section Leader, Bethesda North Hospital

Dr. Riemann specializes in medical and surgical vitreoretinal diseases including diabetic retinopathy, macular degeneration, retinal detachment, retinopathy of prematurity, vascular diseases of the retina, uveitis, histoplasmosis, complications of anterior segment surgery, endoscopic posterior segment surgery, and ocular trauma. In collaboration with the other Retinal Surgeons at Cincinnati Eye Institute.

His original research in the fields of Ophthalmology, Cardiology, and Endocrinology has been published in international peer reviewed scientific journals and has been presented at national scientific meetings. He has several patents for innovative surgical technologies and enjoys sharing his passion for the blend of engineering and medicine.

Thank you to Thierry Verstraeten, MD for inviting Dr. Riemann.

Thursday, OCTOBER 8 (Virtual Meeting)

Kenneth A. Beckman, MD, FACS



Comprehensive Eyecare of Central Ohio
Director, Corneal Services
Westerville, OH

Dr. Beckman is a board-certified ophthalmologist and cornea specialist. He has been practicing ophthalmology in Columbus since 1996 and joined Comprehensive Eye Care in July 2012 as Director of Corneal Services.

Dr. Beckman is a past president and past treasurer of the Columbus Ophthalmology and ENT society and a past member of the Board of Trustees for Prevent Blindness Ohio. Dr. Beckman is active in clinical ophthalmology research and has been involved in numerous clinical studies. He has published articles in ophthalmology journals and has presented his research at national meetings, such as the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery. He was recently involved in two FDA trials for the treatment of keratoconus and corneal ectasia using collagen cross-linking technology

Thank you to Deepinder Dhaliwal, MD for inviting Dr. Beckman.



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NOVEMBER No Meeting /AAO Virtual Meeting November 14-17

Thursday, DECEMBER 3

John P. Fezza, MD



**Cosmetic Facial Surgeon
Center for Sight Sarasota, FL**

Dr. John P. Fezza specializes in cosmetic facial and laser surgery. He has many years of subspecialty training focusing solely on eyelid, face and neck surgery, which he considers his passion. Dr. Fezza has repeatedly been honored as one of America's "Top Doctors" by the prestigious Top Doctors list published annually by Castle Connolly Medical, Ltd.

A nationally recognized author and lecturer on cosmetic facial and laser surgery, Dr. Fezza is a member of the American Academy of Cosmetic Surgery, the American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery (ASOPRS) and the American Board of Ophthalmology. Dr. Fezza is a consultant and lecturer for Allergan (maker of Botox®) and is involved in FDA clinical trials. He is also an ad hoc preceptor for ASOPRS fellows.

Thank you to David Buerger, MD, FACS for inviting Dr. Fezza..

Thursday, JANUARY 7, 2021

Inder Paul Singh, MD



**Glaucoma Specialist
The Eye Centers of Racine and Kenosha Racine, WI**

Throughout his Ophthalmology career, Dr. I. Paul Singh has been involved with clinical research and has published papers in several ophthalmology journals. He has also presented his research at various national meetings and universities.

He has brought several new technologies to the Racine and Kenosha areas and was the first one in Wisconsin to implant the smallest devices in the human body, the iStent, for the treatment of glaucoma. Dr. Singh has also pioneered the use of in-office lasers to remove visually significant floaters. Recently, he was instrumental in bringing laser assisted cataract surgery to the area. He enjoys giving lectures and teaching seminars around the globe to help other doctors adopt these and other newer technologies and techniques.

Thank you to Ian Conner, MD, PhD for inviting Dr. Singh.



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Thursday, FEBRUARY 11

Faruk H. Öрге MD, FAAO, FAAP



**William R. and Margaret E. Althans Chair and Professor
Director - Center for Pediatric Ophthalmology and Adult Strabismus
Rainbow Babies and Children's Hospital and University Hospitals Eye
Institute**

**Professor – Ophthalmology and Pediatrics Case Western Reserve
University SOM; Fellowship Program Director; Associate
Program Director - Ophthalmology Residency UH / CWRU SOM;
Medical Director for Quality – UH Eye Institute**

Dr. Öрге is widely recognized for his clinical expertise and is listed in the Best Doctors of America (since 2009), Top Doctors (since 2011), and Who's Who (2014). Dr. Öрге has served on and led many committees (Online, Public Education, Program committees) of the American Association of Pediatric Ophthalmology and has joined the AAPOS Board of Directors in 2018 as a director at large. He is an examiner for the American Board of Ophthalmology and serves as the AAPOS liaison to the ABO.

His innovations in teaching include work with ORBIS/Cyber-sight, AAPOS, and the AAO, with interests in telemedicine, live webinars (first to produce national and international sessions in the field of ophthalmology), online journal clubs, and unique learning tools such as an interactive strabismus and retinoscopy simulators. He is the editor-in-chief for the AAO's newly formed KTEF Pediatric Ophthalmology Education Center; the largest online educational source in the world for pediatric ophthalmology and strabismus, it has been visited more than 1 million times from more than 200 countries since its inception in 2015.

Thank you to Eric Pennock, MD for inviting Dr. Öрге



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56th ANNUAL MEETING

FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 2021

Pittsburgh Marriott City Center, Pittsburgh, PA



40TH Harvey E. Thorpe Lecturer Robert H. Osher, MD

Professor of Ophthalmology at the College of Medicine of the
University of Cincinnati

Medical Director Emeritus of the Cincinnati Eye Institute

Dr. Osher served his residency at the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute and completed three fellowships in Miami and at the Wills Eye Hospital in Philadelphia. He has received the Heed Ophthalmic Fellowship Award, the Maumenee Award, the Sheets Award, the Helen Keller Award, the **de Schweinitz Award**, the Ridley Award, the Rayner Award and the Arnott Award from England, the Canon Award from Japan, the Senior Academy Honor Award from AAO, the Lim Award from China, the Gold Medal Award from Australia, the Mooney Award from Ireland, the Nordan Lifetime Achievement Award, the Kelman Award from Greece, the Excellence Award and the Watson Award from Canada.

The American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery has given Dr. Osher its two highest honors, the prestigious Binkhorst Medal and the Innovator's Award. He also has received the Lifetime Achievement Award and the Kelman Award, the highest honor given to a cataract surgeon by the American Academy of Ophthalmology and more recently the Kelman Award from the Brazilian Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery.

Dr. Osher has designed many of the contemporary intraocular lenses and instruments used in cataract surgery, in addition to developing new techniques in this subspecialty. Dr. Osher's surgical videos have won more than 25 first-prize honors at the American, European, Asian and South American Cataract Societies including 3 Grand Prizes at ASCRS and ESCRS. He has delivered more than 100 named lectures to implant societies in more than 40 countries and he has contributed to a dozen textbooks in his subspecialty. He is the Founder and Editor of the *Video Journal of Cataract and Refractive Surgery* and has published more than 250 videos and peer-reviewed articles.

Besides his interest in cataract surgery, Dr. Osher has been a proud coach of more than 70 youth baseball and basketball teams reaching the National Championships in each sport. He served as the ophthalmic consultant for the Cincinnati Reds during the 1990's. Dr. Osher has also published 17 children's stories raising money with the proceeds for local and national charitable organizations.



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Guest Faculty



Daniel J. Briceland, MD

Medical Director, Spectra Eye Institute
Senior Secretary for Advocacy, American Academy of Ophthalmology;
Claims Chairman, Ophthalmic Mutual Insurance Company
Board Member, AAO and OMIC

Dr. Briceland was elected American Academy of Ophthalmology's Senior Secretary for Advocacy in 2015. He is a graduate of the Academy's Leadership Development Program, LDPII, class of 2000. Dr. Briceland also serves on the Academy's Awards Committee, Nominating Committee, and Executive Committee.

Dr. Briceland previously served as the Academy's Secretary for State Affairs, and as an Associate for Secretary for State Affairs. He served for six years as director of the Academy's Leadership Development Program, overseeing the development of future leaders of state, subspecialty and specialized interest societies and continues to be involved in this effort. Dr. Briceland also previously served on the Academy's Committee on Aging.



HANS BRUHN, MHS

Risk Manager
Ophthalmic Mutual insurance Company (OMIC)
San Francisco, CA

Mr. Bruhn has more than 30 years of experience working exclusively in the medical malpractice / professional liability insurance field. In his position, Hans works with physicians and their staff, advising them on how to reduce the risk of medical malpractice claims in their practice. In addition, Hans travels across the United States, giving presentations to various medical and subspecialty societies on risk management topics. He is also a contributing writer on risk management topics for OMIC and other publications



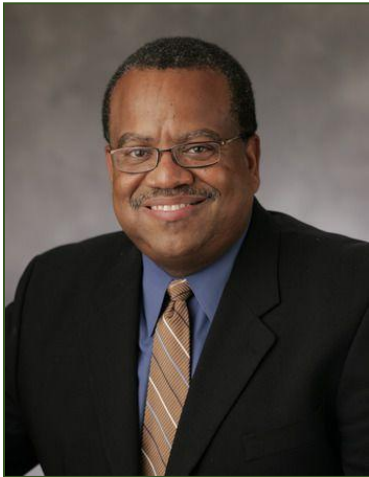
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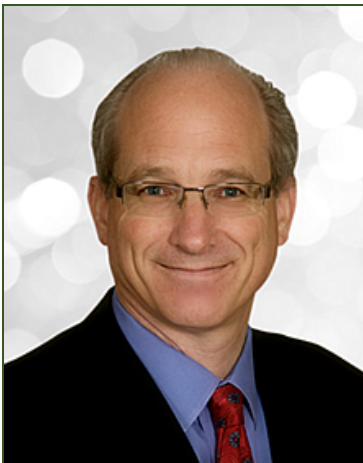


Keith D. Carter, MD, FACS

**Lillian C. O'Brien and Dr. C.S. O'Brien Chair in Ophthalmology
Chairman and Head, Department of Ophthalmology
Professor of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences
Professor of Otolaryngology**

Dr. Carter's clinical specialty is in oculoplastic surgery. A faculty member at University of Iowa Health Care since 1988, he now serves as chairman and head of the Department of Ophthalmology and Visual Sciences and holds a joint appointment as professor of otolaryngology at the University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine.

He served as the 2018 president of the American Academy of Ophthalmology. Dr. Carter was elected by the Academy's community of ophthalmologists in recognition of his scientific leadership, international reputation as a leading academician and teacher, and his deep commitment to advocacy for patients and the profession. He is a graduate of Purdue University Pharmacy School and earned his medical degree from Indiana University School of Medicine. He completed his ophthalmology residency training at the University of Michigan and oculoplastics and orbital surgery fellowship at University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics.



John S. Pollack, MD

**Illinois Retina Associates, PC, Chicago, IL
President, American Society of Retina Specialists**

Dr. Pollack is an internationally recognized retinal clinician, surgeon, and educator. He has served as Director or Invited Faculty at over 100 scientific meetings and has delivered over 200 scientific presentations at national and international scientific meetings. He has published over 60 scientific papers and book chapters and is a scientific reviewer for 6 ophthalmology journals. Dr. Pollack is an Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology at Rush University Medical Center and has been with Illinois Retina Associates since 1997.

Dr. Pollack has held several national leadership positions and received many honors. He is currently President of the American Society of Retina Specialists (ASRS) – the largest organization of retina specialists in the world.