XL Inter-American Course in Clinical Ophthalmology

An Advanced Course in Clinical Ophthalmology

November 4-7, 2018
Bascom Palmer Eye Institute
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Bascom Palmer Eye Institute would like to invite you to come to Miami to participate in our XL Inter-American Course in Clinical Ophthalmology. The Inter-American Course is designed for practicing ophthalmologists in Latin America and the Caribbean, to provide maximum emphasis on practical approaches to select clinical problems. Held every year in Miami after the American Academy of Ophthalmology meeting, hundreds of ophthalmologists from over 30 countries benefit from the knowledge and expertise shared by an outstanding guest faculty, as well as the faculty of Bascom Palmer Eye Institute. In addition to the course material presented with simultaneous English-Spanish translation, more than 50 commercial exhibitors participate in an accompanying trade show. We look forward to celebrating our 40th year of Curso with you!

PROGRAM DIRECTORS

Dr. Eduardo C. Alfonso

Dr. Carol L. Karp

Dr. Paul F. Palmberg
Program
Subject to change

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2018
3:00 – 5:00 pm
Early Registration

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2018
7:50 am
Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:50 am
Welcome Remarks
9:00 am
Cataract I
10:30 am
Imaging
12:00 pm
Group Photograph
12:30 pm
Exhibits and Lunch
2:00 pm
Retina I
3:30 pm
Refreshment Break
4:00 pm
Retina II
5:00 pm
Questions and Answers
5:30 pm
Opening Ceremony & Raffle

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2018
7:00 am
Continental Breakfast
8:00 am
Glaucoma Videos
9:00 am
Glaucoma I
10:30 am
Refreshment Break
11:00 am
Glaucoma II
12:30 pm
Exhibits and Lunch
2:00 pm
Cornea and External Diseases
3:30 pm
Refreshment Break
4:00 pm
Ocular Surface Diseases Symposium
5:30 pm
Raffle
# Schedule

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2018**

(*See optional Visual Electrophysiology Course*)

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Speakers

BASCOM PALMER EYE INSTITUTE FACULTY

GUEST FACULTY

Dr. Juan F. Batlle
Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

Dr. Rafael T. Cortez
Caracas, Venezuela

Dr. Javier Elizalde
Barcelona, Spain

Dr. David S. Friedman
Baltimore, MD, USA

Dr. David C. Gritz
Baltimore, MD, USA

Dr. Thomas R. Hedges, III
Boston, MA, USA

Dr. Samuel Masket
Los Angeles, CA, USA

Dr. Sujatha Mohan
Chennai, India

Dr. Ernesto J. Otero
Bogota, Colombia

Dr. Victor L. Pérez
Durham, NC, USA

Dr. Mohan Rajan
Chennai, India

Dr. Shigeto Shimmura
Tokyo, Japan

Dr. Laura C. Sperazza
New York, NY, USA
Visual Electrophysiology in Times of Gene Therapy

(If you plan on attending this optional course, please make sure you register by checking the box in the registration form)

Visual electrophysiology is a valuable tool in the diagnosis of inherited retinal diseases that currently can be treated using gene therapy. Recent developments in this field granted a comprehensive course that integrates basic concepts and clinical applications of this technology. All visual electrophysiology modalities (ERG, VEP, EOG, mfERG, PERG, mfVEP) will be reviewed, followed by clinical case presentations and discussion. We will emphasize the correct indications and interpretation of the different studies. A wet lab session will be available for participants to gain hands-on exposure in performing visual electrophysiology studies.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2018

Program

8:00 am  Session I: Visual Electrophysiology Is Not That Complicated: You Only Need to Understand Some Basic Principles

8:45  Session II: Exploring the Retina: Full Field ERG, Multifocal ERG and EOG

10:30  Refreshment Break

11:00  Session III: What About the Rest of the Visual Pathway? PERG, VEP, Objective Visual Acuity (Sweep VEP) and Objective Visual Field (mfVEP)

12:30 pm  Lunch

1:30  Hands-on workshop

4:00  Adjourn
DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Miami Airport & Convention Center
711 NW 72nd Ave, Miami
Florida 33126, USA
Tel. 305-261-3800

The modern DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Miami Airport & Convention Center is connected to the Miami International Merchandise Mart and the Miami Airport Convention Center (MACC). The hotel is just minutes from the Miami International Airport (MIA) and offers 24-hour complimentary airport transportation to and from Miami International Airport. A beauty salon and SPA, free wi-fi, four restaurants, shops, and a pool, are some of the amenities you will find at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Miami Airport.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

For additional hotel information and to make your reservation, call the hotel directly at 305-261-3800, or visit: http://bascompalmer.org/cme/inter-american-course-in-clinical-ophthalmology/accomodations.

The special hotel rate is US$179 plus tax per night for single or double occupancy for the first 150 reservations. A daily hotel fee of US$10.00 will be charged for each additional person over the age of 17. Check-in time is 4:00 pm; Check-out time is 12:00 noon. Special rate will apply three days before and three days after the conference based on availability.

Bascom Palmer’s preferred room bloc will be released on October 3, 2018. Reservations and deposits received after that date are subject to current rates and availability. Please contact the Hotel directly for cancellation policies.
CONFERENCE FEES
Registration fee is US$575 on or before October 12, 2018 and US$675 after October 12, 2018.

Payments can be made in the form of:
Major credit cards: MasterCard, VISA, or American Express.
Please do not send any personal checks or cash.

Registration fee includes:
Daily continental breakfast
Daily lunch and refreshment breaks
“La Fiesta del Curso” cocktail reception and dance (for 2 people)
Trade show exhibits
Optional Visual Electrophysiology Course
Raffles
Syllabus
Other course materials
Group photograph (will be emailed in electronic format)

REGISTRATION
Space is limited. Please register early.
To register on-line: http://bascompalmer.org/cme/inter-american-course-in-clinical-ophthalmology/registration
Or complete the registration form and send with your payment information to:
By mail: Inter-American Course in Clinical Ophthalmology
Bascom Palmer Eye Institute
Dept. of Continuing Medical Education
1400 NW 10th Avenue, Suite 508, Miami, FL 33136
By fax: 305-326-6518
By e-mail: curso@med.miami.edu
CANCELLATION POLICY
In case of cancellation, registration fee is not refundable.

EARLY REGISTRATION
Pre-registered attendees may obtain their registration materials at the Registration Desk at the Miami Airport Convention Center (MACC), on Saturday, November 3 from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

REGISTRATION HOURS
Standard registration hours will be from 7:50 am to 8:50 am on Sunday, November 4 at the Registration Desk at the Miami Airport Convention Center (MACC) for both new and pre-registered participants.

REGISTRATION CONFIRMATION
You will receive confirmation of your registration by e-mail within 14 days of receipt of your registration form and payment.

SERVICES FOR THE DISABLED
If special arrangements are required for an individual with a disability to attend this conference, please contact Danicza Zupcic at (305) 326-6110 before October 19, 2018.

NO AMA Continuing Medical Education Credits will be awarded.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
www.bascompalmer.org/cme/curso-interamericano-en-ofthalmologia-clinica
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Have you previously attended the Inter-American Course?  □ Yes   □ No
If so, which year did you last attend?
☐ Check box to register for complimentary Electrophysiology Course

First Name (as you want it to appear on your certificate)

Last Name (as you want it to appear on your certificate)

Address

Address

City/State/Province

County/Zip/Postal Code

Telephone (including country and city codes)

Fax (including country and city codes)

E-mail (confirmations to be sent via e-mail within 14 days)

LANGUAGE PREFERENCE:

☐ Spanish   ☐ English

REGISTRATION FEE (Non-refundable):

☐ Received on or before October 12  US$575
☐ Received after October 12  US$675

☐ Mastercard  ☐ Visa  ☐ American Express

Credit card number

Security code  Expiration date  Billing zip code

Name on card

Cardholder’s signature

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