

Intermediate & advanced Surgical Retina

1 – 5 February 2016, Lugano/Switzerland

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	MONDAY, 1 FEBRUARY 2016	
09:00	Uncomplicated PRRD: choice and techniques of treatment with temporary balloon buckling, pneumatic retinopexy, suprachoroidal buckling, segmental buckling	Dov Weinberger, Israel
10:00	Cerclage and drainage: limited indications, material and techniques of treatments, causes of failure	
10:45	COFFEE BREAK	
11:15	Vitrectomy for PRRD: rationale, indications, pearls and tricks, complications, long-term results	Dov Weinberger, Israel
12:00	Pathologies of vitreomacular interface: Pre-surgical evaluation and prognostic indicators of visual recovery	Joachim van Calster, Belgium
12:30	LUNCH	
13:30	Ocriplasmin: trials, real world results, complications	Joachim van Calster, Belgium
14:15	Surgical treatment of the pathologies of vitreomacular interface: how to demonstrate and effectively remove an attached posterior hyaloid, ERM, ILM and close a FTMH	
15:15	COFFEE BREAK	
15:30 – 16:30	Myopic foveoschisis	Joachim van Calster, Belgium
	TUESDAY, 2 FEBRUARY 2016	
08:30	Pits and pearls for principle steps of vitrectomy	Anselm Jünemann, Germany
09:00	Physics of vitrectomy: pumps, cutter, fluid and IOP control	
09:30	Visualization in vitrectomy: light and dyes	Robert Rejdak, Poland
10:15	COFFEE BREAK	
10:30	The market of vitrectomy equipment	Anselm Jünemann, Germany
11:00	Dry-Lab: possibilities and limitations	
11:45	Preparatory lecture to Wet-Lab	Robert Rejdak, Poland
12:30	LUNCH	
13:30 – 17:30	Wet-Lab / Dry-Lab GROUP 1 + Video Session: Challenging cases and complications in vitreoretinal surgery	Anselm Jünemann, Germany Robert Rejdak, Poland
	WEDNESDAY, 3 FEBRUARY 2016	
08:30	Wet-Lab / Dry-Lab GROUP 2 + Video Session: Challenging cases and complications in vitreoretinal surgery	Anselm Jünemann, Germany Robert Rejdak, Poland
12:30	LUNCH	
13:30 – 17:30	Wet-Lab / Dry-Lab GROUP 3 + Video Session: Challenging cases and complications in vitreoretinal surgery	Anselm Jünemann, Germany Robert Rejdak, Poland
	THURSDAY, 4 FEBRUARY 2016	
09:00	Wet-Lab / Dry-Lab	Anselm Jünemann, Germany Robert Rejdak, Poland

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	THURSDAY, 4 FEBRUARY 2016	
12:30	LUNCH	
	OCULAR TRAUMA COURSE	
13:30	IOFB penetrating through cornea and embedded in the retina	Athanasios Nikolakopoulos, Greece
14:15	Scleral rupture with hemorrhagic choroidal detachment and rhegmatogenous retinal detachment	Cesare Forlini, Italy
15:00	COFFEE BREAK	
15:15	Severe posterior eye injury complicated with endophthalmitis	Cesare Forlini, Italy
16:00 – 16:45	The lens problem in ocular trauma: subluxated, luxated, expulsed	Athanasios Nikolakopoulos, Greece
	FRIDAY, 5 FEBRUARY 2016	
	THE PVR CHALLENGE: HOW TO MAKE THE RIGHT MOVE	
09:00	How to minimize risk of PVR: surgical procedure and pharmacological agents	Tommaso Rossi, Italy
09:30	Lensectomy: why, when, how	
10:00	COFFEE BREAK	
10:30	Use of viscoelastics and tamponades	Tommaso Rossi, Italy
11:30	Epiretinal, preretinal, and subretinal membrane management	Stratos Gotzaridis, Greece
12:30	LUNCH	
13:30	Management of dislocated IOLs	Stratos Gotzaridis, Greece
14:30	- Pathology and management of RRD. Why, when, how. - Relaxing retinotomies	
15:30 – 16:00	Certificates and farewell	