PROGRAM

53. DETACHMENT COURSE
with International Faculty:

RETINAL AND VITREOUS SURGERY

MONTERREY, Mexico, Sept. 6 – 7, 2007
In connection with the International Meeting of Retina, Monterrey 2007, Sept. 7 – 8, 2007

Topics
- Diagnostics
- Scleral Buckling
- Gas Operations, Vitrectomy
- Reoperation
- Comparison of Surgical Techniques
- The Diabetic Eye, Pharmacotherapy
- Panel Discussion with Case Presentations

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Wednesday, Sept. 5, 2007

8 – 9 p.m. COCKTAIL RECEPTION and REGISTRATION
Registration starting 5.00 p.m.
Hotel Presidente Intercontinental
Jose Vasconcelos 300 Ote
Residencial San Agustin,
Garza Garcia N.L.
Tel.: +52 81 83686000, Fax: -83686040

Thursday, Sept. 6, 2007

8 a.m. REGISTRATION
1st Floor, Dow Jones Ballroom
Hotel Presidente Intercontinental

9 a.m. WELCOME
Gonzales Cortes (Mexico)
Kreissig (Germany)

1. DIAGNOSTICS OF RETINAL DETACHMENTS
Moderators: Gonzales Cortes (Mexico)
Kreissig (Germany)

1.1. Changing concepts in surgery for rhegmatogenous retinal detachment
Kreissig (Germany)

1.2. Rhegmatogenous vs. non-rhegmatogenous detachments:
Differential diagnosis
Mennel (Germany)

1.3. Preoperative evaluation and documentation of retinal detachment
Boeker (Germany)

1.4. Ambulatory binocular occlusion:
Vitreous hemorrhage, ret. detachment
Lincoff (USA)
1.5. The 4 Rules to find the primary break  
Kreissig (Germany)

1.6. A rhegmatogenous detachment  
"without" a break: What to do?  
Goldbaum (USA)

11:10 – 11:30       COFFEE / TEA BREAK

11.30 – 12:30 p.m.  2. FELLOW EYE OF RETINAL DETACHMENT  
Moderators: Graue-Wiechers (Mexico)  
Mennel (Germany)

2.1. Lattice degenerations and breaks in fellow eye: What to do or not to do?  
Mennel (Germany)

3. CERCLAGE WITH DRAINAGE  
3.1. Rationale, indications, complications, results  
Goldbaum (USA)

4. MINIMAL SEGMENTAL BUCKLING WITH BALLOON  
4.1. Surgical technique, indications, complications, results  
Kreissig (Germany)

12:30 – 12:45       GROUP PHOTO

12:45 – 2:15        LUNCH

2:15 – 4:00 p.m.  5. MINIMAL SEGMENTAL BUCKLING WITH SPONGE(S)  
Moderators: Lincoff (USA)  
Schmidt (Germany)

5.1. Surgical technique, optimal tamponade of breaks  
Mennel (Germany)
5.2. Complications, longterm anatomical and functional results
Boeker (German)

5.3. Differential diagnosis of residual fluid: What to do or not to do?
Gonzales Cortes (Mexico)

6. SPECIAL LECTURE
Retinal detachment emanating from retinoschisis
Lincoff (USA)

7. DETACHMENT PRESENTATIONS
Moderator: Kreissig (Germany)
Organiser: Boeker (Germany)
Panel: Goldbaum, Gonzales Cortes, Lincoff, Mennel, Quiroz-Mercado, Stanga
Case Presentations: Gonzales Cortes, Pineyro, participants

4:00 – 4:20 COFFEE / TEA BREAK

4:20 – 6:00 p.m. 8. The Diabetic Eye
Moderators: Goldbaum (USA) Stanga (UK)

8.1. Classification of diab. retinopathy
Goldbaum (USA)

8.2. Diabetic macular edema: Laser or pharmacotherapy?
Stanga (UK)

8.3. Optimal treatment of diabetic retinopathy: When laser, when cryo?
Mennel (Germany)

8.4. Differential diagnosis of retinal "elevations" in the diabetic eye
Stanga (UK)
8.5 Vitrectomy in the diabetic eye: Rationale, indications, longterm results
Schmidt (Germany)

9:00 p.m. DINNERS
Regional Dinner and Folkloric Ballet
Hotel Presidente Intercontinental
Friday, Sept. 7, 2007

9 - 10:25 9. INTRAOCULAR GAS OP
Moderators: Kreissig (Germany)
Quiroz-Mercado (Mexico)

9.1. Perfluorocarbon gases
Boeker (Germany)

9.2. Pneumatic retinopexy for uncomplicated detachments
Stanga (UK)

10. PRIMARY VITRECTOMY
10.1. Indications, complications, results
Schmidt (Germany)

11. COMPARISON OF PRESENT TECHNIQUES FOR DETACHMENT

11.1 Pneumatic retinopexy versus primary vitrectomy
Boeker (Germany)

11.2. Primary vitrectomy versus segmental buckling
Kreissig (Germany)

10:25 – 10:45 COFFEE / TEA BREAK
a.m.
10:45-13:00  12. CASE PRESENTATIONS
Moderator: Lincoff (USA)
Organiser: Boeker (Germany)
Panel: Gonzales Cortes, Goldbaum, Graue-Wiechers, Kreissig, Mennel, Schmidt, Stanga
Case Presentations: Enriquez, participants

13. MINIMAL SEGMENTAL BUCKLING FOR COMPLICATED DETACHMENTS
   Moderators: Boeker (Germany) Lincoff (USA)

13.1. Classification of PVR
   Graue-Wieches (Mexico)

13.2. How to minimize risk of PVR
   Schmidt (Germany)

13.3. PVR detachments of moderate degree: Try buckling first: Longterm visual results
   Stanga (UK)

13.4. Reoperation: The 4 Rules to find the undetected break
   Kreissig (Germany)

14. VITRECTOMY FOR VITREO-RETINAL PROBLEMS
14.1. Vitrectomy for detachments with severe PVR: Indications, longterm visual results
   Quiroz-Mercado (Mexico)

14.2. 25-gauge vitrectomy: Indications and longterm visual results
   Schmidt (Germany)

DISTRIBUTION OF DIPLOMAS
Gonzales Cortes (Mexico)
Kreissig (Germany)
Lincoff (USA)
Informations:

- **Congress Language:** English
  **Simultaneous Translation:** Spanish

- **Cocktail Reception and Registration:**
  Sept. 5, 2007 from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
  Registration starting 5:00 p.m.
  **Location:**
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  Sept. 5, 2007 starting 5:00 pm.
  Hotel Presidente Intercontinental
  Sept. 6, 2007 starting 8:00 a.m.

- **Location of Course:**
  1st Floor, Dow Jones Ballroom
  Hotel Presidente Intercontinental

- **Dinner:**
  Regional Dinner and Folkloric Ballet
  Sept. 7, 2007 at 9:00 p.m.
  **Location:**
  Hotel Presidente Intercontinental

- **Registration Fee:**
  Fee covers also: 2 lunches, 3 coffee breaks, 
  Cocktail Reception, Dinner, Syllabus with Cases
  Prior to June 4, 2007 : 200 USD.
  Prior to August 31, 2007: 250 USD.
  Onsite: 300 USD.
  **Residents in Training:**
  Prior to June 4, 2007 : 50 USD.
  Prior to August 31, 2007: 80 USD.
  Onsite: 100 USD.

- **Hotel Reservation and Bank Transfer:**
  Please, refer to “Congreso Internacional de Retina Monterrey 2007”;
  B-P Servimed, SA de CV