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We are very pleased to have you all with us.

The Meeting will take place on the 15 – 16 January 2026 at the Grand Nile Tower Hotel, on the banks of the beautiful Nile River in the heart of Cairo.

This conference has been annually held and Kasr El-Ainy's Ophthalmology Department has always been a source of valuable knowledge.

Throughout this conference, I invite you to join us in shaping the future of Ophthalmology.

My personal respect and thanks to all of you.

Head of Ophthalmology Department
and President of the Conference

Prof. Dr. Hatem Ahmed Saeed

Hatem Saeed



Dean of Faculty of Medicine
Prof. Husam Salah Mourad

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Prof. Hatem Ahmed Saeed

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DAY ONE
THURSDAY 15 JAN.

**SCIENTIFIC
PROGRAM**

MAIN HALL

SESSIONS

THURSDAY 15 JANUARY 2026

08:00

Registration

08:30 - 10:00

Young Ophthalmologists Session

Moderator:

Riham Samy Allam

Panelists:

Hala El-Hilali, Maha Youssef, Mai Sharawy, Rania Abdelsalam, Sameh El Agha

08:30 - 08:35

Case 1: Breaking the mold in restoring ocular alignment

Marwa Elsayed

08:37 - 08:42

Case 2: Taking a closer look

Diana Milad

08:44 - 08:49

Case 3: Criss-cross

Rawan Hosny

08:51 - 08:56

Case 4: Hidden in a mutation

Sara Ahmed

08:58 - 09:03

Case 5: Not your classic hypertensive retinopathy

Mohamed Khattab

09:05 - 09:10

Case 6: The forgotten scratch: Clue or deception

Salma Fekry

09:12 - 09:15

Discussion (case 1-6)

09:15 - 09:20

Case 7: Not only small patches

Merna Tharwat

09:22 - 09:27

Case 8: Behind the yellow haze

Tarek Kelany

09:29 - 09:34

Case 9: When a simple test unveils the hidden pathology

Bassant Yasser

09:36 - 09:41

Case 10: Double trouble in a newborn eye

Sarah El-Nogoomi

09:43 - 09:48

Case 11: The battle beneath the skin. A rare encounter

Mostafa Wagih

09:50 - 09:55

Case 12: It doesn't always end well

Layla El Qadi

09:57 - 10:00

Discussion (case 7-12)

Each case is followed by 2 minutes discussion

Anterior Segment Symposium

10:00 - 11:15

Moderator:

Ahmed Sherif

Panelists:

Hazem Yassin, Sherif Gamal

10:00 - 10:08

ICL tips & tricks / A needle can save the day
Mohamed El-Basty

10:08 - 10:16

EDOF IOLs are safe after LVC , truth or myth?
Mohamed Hosny

10:16 - 10:24

Anterior lamellar keratoplasty for epicorneal dermoid
Sameh El Agha

10:24 - 10:32

Sclerocornea: How can we restore vision ?
Ihab Saad

10:32 - 10:40

Anterior segment multi challenges
Hazem Yassin

10:40 - 10:48

Descemet membrane graft harvesting: A technique made easy
Sherif Gamal

10:48 - 10:56

When challenges turn supportive ?
Marwa Metwally

10:56 - 11:04

Pediatric keratoplasty: The way to go
Nermine Bahgat

11:04 - 11:15

Discussion

11:15 - 11:45

Glaucoma Symposium: **Advancing Boundaries in Cyclophotocoagulation**

Moderator:

Mohamed El-Basty

Panelists:

Ayman El Shiaty, Riham Samy Allam, Yomna Magdy

11:15 - 11:22

An ode to diode
Yasmine El Sayed

11:25 - 11:32

MP- CPC
Ahmed M. Abdelrahman

11:35 - 11:42

ECP - MIGS
Fayrouz Aboalazayem

Each talk is followed by 3 minutes discussion

11:45 - 12:05

Free Paper Session

Moderator:

Hatem Saeed

Panelists:

Ahmed M. Abdelrahman, Sohair Esmat, Yehia Salah

11:45 - 11:49

Clinical Features and Initial Management Outcomes of Uveal Melanomas in a Single Tertiary Center in Egypt
Islam Swaify

11:51 - 11:55

Levator Muscle Complex Exploration During Surgery for Simple Severe Congenital Ptosis
Yomna Amr

11:57 - 12:01

Presumed Trematode-Induced Ciliary Body Granuloma; Clinical Patterns and Management
Rawan Hosny

12:03 - 12:05

Final Discussion

Each talk is followed by 2 minutes discussion

12:05 - 12:15

Prof. Gehad Elnahry Prize Award For The Best Assistant Lecturer
Hatem Saeed



12:15 - 12:30

Awards by Prof. Dr Hatem Saeed



12:30 - 13:00

Coffee Break



13:00 - 13:45

Retina Session: Do Unusual Cases Deserve Unusual Management?

Moderator:
Panelists:

Hany Hamza
Ayman Khattab, Hassan Mortada, Sherif Sheta

13:00 - 13:06

Unusual scenario for surgical treatment of DME
Mohamed Awadalla

13:09 - 13:15

Narrow funnel retinal detachment: The usual unusual technique
Ahmed Abdel Baki

13:18 - 13:24

Dual challenges: Single case
Ayman Khattab

13:27 - 13:33

Juvenile XLRS complicated by RD
Hesham Ashraf

13:36 - 13:42

Lamellar scleral resection for uveal effusion syndrome
Ahmed El-Sawy

Each talk is followed by 3 minutes discussion

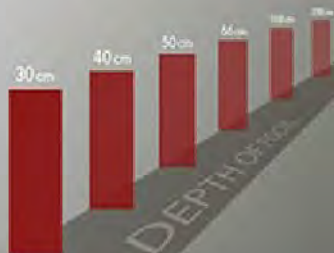
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13:45 - 15:15

Pediatric and Oculoplastics: Myopia Control

Moderators:
Panelist:

Ghada Gawdat, Tamer Gawdat
Haytham Nasr

13:45 - 13:52

Role of atropine in myopia control
Ghada Gawdat

13:52 - 13:59

Orthokeratology
Dina Hossam

13:59 - 14:06

Spectacles used to control myopia progression
Rawan Hosny

14:06 - 14:13

Using atropine in pediatric aphakia and pseudophakia
Dina Elfayoumi

14:13 - 14:20

ROP patients do have their share in myopia control
Alaa Badawy

14:20 - 14:30

Discussion

14:30 - 14:34

Team work makes the dream work
Aliaa Farag

14:36 - 14:40

An unpleasant surprise.....
Hagar Hamdy

14:42 - 14:46

The many shades of orbital infection
Raghda Mahmoud

14:48 - 14:52

Set it free and you will see
Yomna Amr

14:54 - 14:58

The stony secret of orbital varices: A rare intraoperative discovery
Baheya Mohsen Salem

15:00 - 15:04

Acute proptosis in a young female
Tamer Gawdat

15:06 - 15:10

From thrombosis suspicion to tumor excision: A color doppler imaging guided orbital case
Alia Nouredine

15:12 - 15:15

Discussion

Each talk is followed by 2 minutes discussion

MAIN HALL

SESSIONS

THURSDAY 15 JANUARY 2026

15:15 - 15:45

Neuro-Ophthalmology

Moderator:

Sherif Kamel

Panelists:

Hatem Kobtan, Raghda Mahmoud, Sherif Kamel

15:15 - 15:20

Sometimes, it is easier than you think

Sandra Safwat

15:20 - 15:25

It's not always the big fish!

Rokaya Radwan

15:25 - 15:30

Craniomania

Rawan Hosny

15:30 - 15:35

Overt or covert attacked by the same enemy

Ahmed Shalaby

15:35 - 15:45

Discussion

15:45 - 15:55

Memorial Lecture

Prof. Ahmed Emarah The Unforgettable Legend

Mohamed Hassaballah

MAIN HALL

SESSIONS

THURSDAY 15 JANUARY 2026

15:55 - 16:05

Memorial Lecture

Prof. Dr Yasser Soliman Memorial Lecture
Hisham Fathallah

16:05 - 16:15

Keynote Lecture

Exploring the future of the glaucoma care
Ahmed M. Abdelrahman

16:15 - 16:30

Prof. Mohamed Soliman Prize
Mahmoud Soliman



16:30 - 17:30	Video Session
Moderator:	Mahmoud Soliman
16:30 - 16:34	The most critical 3 minutes in big bubble DALK Tarek Katamish
16:36 - 16:40	PCR all scenarios Yehia Salah
16:42 - 16:50	Dealing with uveitis; get ready for surprises! Surprise 1 Surprise 2 Mahmoud Soliman
16:52 - 16:56	How to shorten a glaucoma device tube? Ahmed M. Abdelrahman
16:58 - 17:02	Two IOLs and one eye!! Ihab Saad
17:04 - 17:08	When the simple turns unexpectedly difficult Marwa Metwally
17:10 - 17:14	Tackling post-traumatic iris cyst: Surgical challenges Nermine Bahgat
17:16 - 17:20	An unusual foreign body Fayrouz Aboalazayem
17:22 - 17:26	Muscle lengthening procedure Marwa Elsayed
17:26 - 17:30	Discussion

Each talk is followed by 2 minutes discussion

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DAY TWO

FRIDAY 16 JAN.

**SCIENTIFIC
PROGRAM**

MAIN HALL

COURSES

FRIDAY 16 JANUARY 2026

08:30

Registration

09:00 - 10:15

Investigation Course

Moderator:

Shaymaa Hassan

Panelists:

Hala El Chewekh, Karim Raafat, Zeinab El Sanabary

09:00 - 09:10

UBM: A diagnostic game changer in infectious uveitis

Salma Fekry

09:10 - 09:20

Bringing OCTA to the front: Practical applications in anterior segment

Shaymaa Hassan

09:20 - 09:30

The sound and color of vision: Exploring orbital color doppler imaging in clinical practice

Alia Noureldine

09:30 - 09:40

Visualizing the Invisible: The role of hand-held AS-OCT in pediatric glaucoma assessment

Dina Elfayoumi

09:40 - 09:50

RetCam imaging of uncommon pediatric retinal disorders

Zeinab El Sanabary

09:50 - 10:00

Seeing beyond the surface: Ultrasound insights in ocular trauma and pediatric disorders

Hala El Chewekh

10:00 - 10:10

Atypical central serous chorio retinopathy

Karim Raafat

10:10 - 10:15

Discussion

09:00 - 10:15

Moderator:

Panelists:

Oncology Surgery Course

Dina Hossam

Ayman Khattab, Hany Hamza, Mostafa El Helw, Tamer Macky

09:00 - 09:10

An eye to remember: A rare clinical scenario in retinoblastoma
Layla El Qadi

09:10 - 09:20

Choroidal melanoma during pregnancy, a challenging scenario
Islam Swaify

09:20 - 09:30

An unusual anterior chamber Lesion: A diagnostic dilemma
Mostafa Wagih

09:30 - 09:40

An uninvited guest: Intraocular invasion from the ocular surface
Yasmine Meqdad

09:40 - 09:50

Scleritis and beyond: When inflammation masks malignancy
Salma Fekry

09:50 - 10:00

A simple excision...Or so we thought
Salma Fekry

10:00 - 10:15

Discussion

09:00 - 10:15

Cornea Course: **Leading The Excellence in Keratoplasty**

Moderator:

Marwa Metwally

09:00 - 09:15

Managing different PKP scenarios

Ahmed Sherif

09:15 - 09:30

Tips for executing the perfect BB & manual DALK

Tarek Katamish

09:30 - 09:45

Challenging DMEK or excellent ultrathin DSAEK

Hazem Yassin

09:45 - 10:00

How to achieve perfect outcomes in keratoplasty?

Marwa Metwally

10:00 - 10:15

Discussion

MAIN HALL

COURSES

FRIDAY 16 JANUARY 2026

10:15 - 11:30

Retina Course: **Excelling in Retinal Tamponades and Exchanges**

Moderator:

Mohamed Awadalla

Panelists:

Ayman Khattab, Hany Hamza, Tamer Macky

10:15 - 10:17

Introduction

Mohamed Awadalla

10:17 - 10:25

Pearls in SO selection, injection & removal

Ahmed Abdulla

10:25 - 10:33

Handling PFCL, avoiding nightmares

Abdelsalam Mohsen

10:33 - 10:41

PFCL Exchanges: How to get it right

Ahmed El-Sawy

10:41 - 10:49

The art of gas tamponade

Wael Ewais

10:49 - 10:57

Air-only and tamponade-free vitrectomy

Ahmed Abdel Baki

10:57 - 11:05

HSO dilemma. Why surgeons still hesitate

Ahmed Abd El-Azim

11:05 - 11:30

Discussion

Mohamed Awadalla

10:15 - 11:30

Moderator:

Panelists:

Glaucoma Course

Yasmine El Sayed

Ahmed M. Abdelrahman, Ayman El Shiaty, Mohamed El-Basty

10:15 - 10:24

What pressure to target?

Fayrouz Aboalazayem

10:24 - 10:33

Is it progression?

Iman Magdy

10:33 - 10:42

Dilemmas in NVG

Riham Samy Allam

10:42 - 10:51

Controversies in angle closure

Yasmine El Sayed

10:51 - 11:00

When blebs misbehave

Yomna Magdy

11:00 - 11:09

Managing surgical failure

Ahmed M. Abdelrahman

11:09 - 11:30

Discussion

10:15 - 11:30

Iris Repair Course:

Iris Surgery and Pupilloplasty Art, Tips and Tricks from Zero to Hero

Moderator:

Hazem Yassin

10:15 - 10:30

Introduction and plan of surgery

Rania Sobhi

10:30 - 10:45

Basic suturing techniques

Hazem Yassin

10:45 - 11:00

Iris prosthesis

Hazem Yassin

11:00 - 11:15

Complications

Hazem Yassin

11:15 - 11:30

Discussion

11:30 - 13:00

Gomaa Prayer & Coffee Break



13:00 - 14:15

Moderator:

Panelists:

Cataract: Inside the Mind of a Phaco Surgeon – A Cognitive Journey

Ramy Riad

Ahmed El-Sawy, Hazem Yassin, Sherif Gamal, Yehia Salah

Theme: The course simulates the mental process of an expert surgeon during advanced phaco — the “thinking behind the hand.”

Ramy Riad

13:00 - 14:15

Uveitis Course: **Pediatric Uveitis**

Moderator:

Maha Youssef

13:00 - 13:10

When VKH strikes early- unraveling the spectrum in children
Lameece Hassan

13:15 - 13:25

If there is a will, there is a way
Rana H. Amin

13:30 - 13:40

Pediatric vasculitis; the good, the bad & the ugly
Maha Youssef

13:45 - 13:55

The power of early IMT in pediatric uveitis
Mariam Raouf Fadel

14:00 - 14:10

Eye on immunity: Closer look at suppressing uveitis via drugs
Heba Atef Rashad

14:10 - 14:15

Discussion

Each talk is followed by 5 minutes discussion

13:00 - 14:15

Moderator:

Panelists:

Oculoplastic Course: **Orbit Case Oriented Course**

Sameh Hassan

Kareem Bakr, Rania Abdelsalam, Yomna Amr

13:00 - 13:13

Orbital imaging
Rania Abdelsalam

13:13 - 13:26

Orbital trauma
Aliaa Farag

13:26 - 13:39

Orbital vascular malformations
Kareem Bakr

13:39 - 13:52

Approach to thyroid orbitopathy: Guidelines and scenarios
Islam Swaify

13:52 - 14:05

Minimally invasive orbitotomies, indications and precautions
Yomna Amr

14:05 - 14:15

Discussion

14:15 - 15:40

Moderator:

Strabismus Surgery Course: **Reoperations**

Hatem Saeed

14:15 - 14:23

Reoperations: Why, when and how?
Lobna Khazbak

14:25 - 14:33

Minimizing adhesions after strabismus reoperations
Rehab Kasem

14:35 - 14:43

Management of residual exotropia
Sara Maher

14:45 - 14:53

Reoperation for residual ET in a highly myopic child
Shireen Mostafa

14:55 - 15:03

Management of consecutive exotropia
Ahmed Mostafa Kamal

15:05 - 15:13

Management of consecutive esotropia
Christina Farag

15:15 - 15:23

Exceedingly early second interventions
Ahmed Awadein

15:25 - 15:33

Reoperations for antielevation and inferior oblique adherence syndrome
Hala El-Hilali

15:35 - 15:40

Discussion

Each talk is followed by 2 minutes discussion

14:15 - 15:30

Moderator:

Refractive Surgery Course

Mohamed Hosny

Deciphering variable thickness ICRS

Sameh El Agha

Refractive keratoplasty

Riad Shalash

AI in refractive surgery

Amr Abdellatif

Lenticule intrastromal keratoplasty for hyperopia

Ahmed Sherif

Losartan for post PRK haze, mechanism and published data

Marwa Metwally

Light adapted IOLs or LAL revisited

Sara Azzam

New laser platforms

Mohamed Anis

Customization of the flap

Ramy Riad

Discussion

14:15 - 15:30

Moderator:

Electrophysiology of Vision – Basic Course

Randa El Mofty

Introduction

Randa El Mofty

Anatomy and physiology of the retina

Doaa Tolba

Electro-Retinogram (ERG)

Randa El Mofty

Electro-Oculogram (EOG)

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Visual Evoked Potentials (VEP)

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Clinical application and Interpretation

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Refining the diagnosis

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Hands-on: RETeval machine

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