

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 2020		
08:00-08:30	OPENING REMARKS Controversies in Ophthalmology – Asia/Australia 2020	HALL A
Program Chairs:	Neil Bressler, USA; Anat Loewenstein, Israel; José Cunha-Vaz, Portugal	
08:00-08:10	Welcome to COPHY EU 2020: Neil Bressler, USA; Anat Loewenstein, Israel	
08:10-08:20	Opening Remarks	
08:20-08:30	EU 2020 Recipients of Global Ophthalmology Awards Program (GOAP)* Moderators: Francesco Bandello, Italy; Peter Kertes, Canada (*GOAP is awarded by an independent committee of eminent ophthalmology professionals – consistent with COPHY priorities to support research and education of young ophthalmologists, European awardees of GOAP awards are presented at annual COPHY meetings, with poster presentations of awardees.)	
08:30-10:00	OPENING SESSION Big Controversies in Retina in 2020	HALL A
Chairs:	Neil Bressler, USA; Angela Carneiro, Portugal; Peter Kertes, Canada	
08:30-09:30	Debate 1: Bevacizumab and Aflibercept are the Same as Ranibizumab for Macular Edema from Retinal Vein Occlusion (SCORE, LEAVO trials)	
08:30-08:40	Yes: Angela Carneiro, Portugal	
08:40-08:50	No: Usha Chakravarthy, UK	
08:50-09:00	Discussion	
09:00-09:30	Debate 2: Treat and Extend for Neovascular AMD is Preferred to PRN	
09:00-09:10	Yes: Peter Kertes, Canada	
09:10-09:20	No: Susan Bressler, USA	
09:20-09:30	Discussion	
09:30-10:00	Debate 3: Proliferative Diabetic Retinopathy: Five-Year Outcomes Confirm Anti-VEGF without PRP is an Acceptable Initial Treatment	
09:30-09:40	Yes: Baruch Kuppermann, USA	
09:40-09:50	No: Paolo Lanzetta, Italy	
09:50-10:00	Discussion	
10:00-10:30	Visit to Exhibition & Coffee and Refreshment Break	

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	HALL A	HALL B
10:30-12:00	MEDICAL RETINA 1 Neovascular (“Wet”) AMD Degeneration	SURGICAL RETINA 1 Macular Holes
Chairs:	Susan Bressler, USA; Nicole Eter, Germany; Jordi Mones, Spain	Stratos Gotzaridis, Greece; Joseph Moisseiev, Israel
10:30-11:00	Debate 1: Brolucizumab Represents an Improvement over Aflibercept	Debate 1: Large Macular Holes (>700 microns) Should be Treated Surgically
10:30-10:40	Yes: Francesco Bandello, Italy	Yes: Joseph Moisseiev, Israel
10:40-10:50	No: Stela Vujosevic, Italy	No: Stratos Gotzaridis, Greece
10:50-11:00	Discussion	Discussion
11:00-11:30	Debate 2: Neither OCT nor OCTA is Good Enough for Anti-VEGF Follow-up All of the Time – Fluorescein Angiography is Needed At Least 10% of the Time	Debate 2: Some Cases of VMT can be Treated by Intravitreal Air or Gas Injection
11:00-11:10	Yes: Susan Bressler, USA	Yes: Stratos Gotzaridis, Greece
11:10-11:20	No: Angela Carneiro, Portugal	No: William Mieler, USA
11:20-11:30	Discussion	Discussion
11:30-12:00	Debate 3: Treatment of Non-exudative CNV should Begin when Detected on OCT Angiography, Even in the Absence of OCT Fluid or Fluorescein Leakage	Debate 3: Vitrectomy for ERM with Clear Lens: Typically Do Lens Extraction Simultaneously
11:30-11:40	Yes: Francesco Bandello, Italy	Yes: Joseph Moisseiev, Israel
11:40-11:50	No: Patricia Udaondo, Spain	No: Baruch Kupperman
11:50-12:00	Discussion	Discussion
12:00-12:10	Visit to Exhibition & Lunch Box Pick Up	
12:10-13:25	Industry-Sponsored Luncheon Symposium	
13:25-13:45	Visit to Exhibition & Dessert Break	



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13:45-15:00 Vision Academy in Retina 2020

Chairs: Neil Bressler, USA; Anat Loewenstein, Israel

13:45-13:55 An introduction to the Vision Academy: **Neil Bressler**, USA

13:55-14:10 An overview of posters presented at COPHY EU from the European 2020 recipients of the Global Ophthalmology Awards Program (GOAP): **Peter Kertes**, Canada

14:10-14:30 Debate I: Can Intravitreal Anti-VEGF Therapy be Used in Pregnant or Breastfeeding Patients?

14:10-14:15 For: **Jean-Francois Korobelnik**, France

14:15-14:20 Against: **Paolo Lanzetta**, Italy

14:20-14:25 Presentation of Viewpoint: **Anat Loewenstein**, Israel

14:25-14:30 Questions

14:30-14:50 Debate II: T&E Retreatment/Extension Decisions Should Differentiate Between Intraretinal and Subretinal Fluid in AMD

14:30-14:35 Yes: **Nicole Eter**, Germany

14:35-14:40 No: **José Cunha-Vaz**, Portugal

14:40-14:45 Presentation of Viewpoint: **Anat Loewenstein**, Israel

14:45-14:50 Questions

14:50-15:00 Looking forward with the Vision Academy: **Anat Loewenstein**, Israel

15:00-15:30 Visit to Exhibition & Coffee and Refreshment Break

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	HALL A	HALL B
15:30-17:00	MEDICAL RETINA 2 Diabetic Macular Edema (DME)	GLAUCOMA
Chairs:	Luis Arias, Spain; José Cunha-Vaz, Portugal; Paolo Lanzetta, Italy	Francesca Cordeiro, UK; Tony Hommer, Austria
15:30-16:00	Debate 1: Corticosteroids are Warranted in the Management of Chronic DME	Debate 1: There is too much Dark in the LiGHT Study
15:30-15:40	Yes: José Cunha-Vaz, Portugal	Yes: Tony Hommer, Austria
15:40-15:50	No: Susan Bressler, USA	No: António Figueiredo, Portugal
15:50-16:00	Discussion	Discussion
16:00-16:30	Debate 2: Vision or OCT Outcomes after Three Months Reliably Predict 2-Year Outcomes	Debate 2: The Trabecular Mesh Work is a Viable target in Glaucoma
16:00-16:10	Yes: Luis Arias, Spain	Yes: João Barbosa Breda, Portugal
16:10-16:20	No: Paolo Lanzetta, Italy	No: Len Levin, Canada
16:20-16:30	Discussion	Discussion
16:30-17:00	Debate 3: Ang2-inhibition Offers Long-Term Sustained Treatment Benefits For DME	Debate 3: AI has a Place in Glaucoma
16:30-16:40	Yes: Sandrine Zweifel, Switzerland	Yes: Francesca Cordeiro, UK
16:40-16:50	No: Patricia Udaondo, Spain	No: João Barbosa Breda, Portugal
16:50-17:00	Discussion	Discussion
17:00-18:00	Industry-Sponsored Symposium	
End of Day		

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2020

	HALL A	HALL B
07:45-09:00	Industry-Sponsored Symposium	
09:00-10:30	MEDICAL RETINA 3 Potentially Longer Acting Agents	NEURO-OPHTHALMOLOGY 1 The Afferent Pathway
Chairs:	Francesco Bandello, Italy; Stela Vujosevic, Italy	Pedro Fonseca, Portugal; Neil Miller, USA
09:00-09:30	Debate 1: Port Deliver Systems Represents An Incremental Improvement in AMD	Debate 1: Patients with Acute Optic Neuritis Typically Should Have an Assay for Anti-Aquaporin-4 Antibodies, Anti-MOG Antibodies, or Both
09:00-09:10	Yes: Eugene de Juan, USA	Yes: Eduardo Silva, Portugal
09:10-09:20	No: Stephan Michels, Switzerland	No: Pedro Fonseca, Portugal
09:20-09:30	Discussion	Discussion
09:30-10:00	Debate 2: Faricimab Represents An Improvement in DME	Debate 2: Patients with "Typical" Acute Optic Neuritis Usually Should be Treated with IV Methylprednisolone
09:30-09:40	Yes: Jean-Francois Korobelnik, France	Yes: Neil Miller, USA
09:40-09:50	No: Stela Vujosevic, Italy	No: Dalia Meira, Portugal
09:50-10:00	Discussion	Discussion
10:00-10:30	Debate 3: Abicipar Represents an Improvement in the Treatment of AMD	Case Presentations
10:00-10:10	Yes: Baruch Kuppermann, USA	Moderator: Neil Miller, USA
10:10-10:20	No: Jean-Francois Korobelnik, France	Panelists: <i>All Speakers</i>
10:20-10:30	Discussion	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A Young Man with Loss of Vision After Blunt Head Trauma 2. A Young Man With Painless Bilateral Sequential Visual Loss 3. A Child With Decreased Vision 4. An Older Woman With Sudden Painless Visual Loss 5. An Older Man With Episodes Of Transient Monocular Visual Loss
10:30-11:00	Visit to Exhibition & Coffee and Refreshment Break	

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2020		
	HALL A	HALL B
11:00-12:30	MEDICAL RETINA 4 AMD and Hereditary Retinal Degeneration Topics	TUMORS Ocular Melanoma
Chairs:	Jean-Francois Korobelnik, France; Hendrik Scholl, Switzerland; Rufino Silva, Portugal	Bertil Damato, UK; Mandeep Sagoo, UK
11:00-11:30	Debate 1: Gene Therapy is a Promising Strategy in in the Management of Non-Neovascular AMD	Debate 1: Monitoring of Melanocytic Chroidal Tumors is Dangerous
11:00-11:10	Yes: Jordi Mones , Spain	Yes: Bertil Damato , UK
11:10-11:20	No: Hendrik Scholl , Switzerland	No: Josep Caminal , Spain
11:20-11:30	Discussion	Discussion
11:30-12:00	Debate 2: Home Monitoring with OCT to Detect Onset of Choroidal Neovascularization will Improve Visual Acuity Outcomes	Debate 2: Randomized Clinical Trials are Needed to Evaluate Intra-Arterial Chemotherapy for Retinoblastoma
11:30-11:40	Yes: Jordi Mones , Spain	Yes: Bertil Damato , UK
11:40-11:50	No: Rufino Silva , Portugal	No: Mandeep Sagoo , UK
11:50-12:00	Discussion	Discussion
12:00-12:30	Debate 3: Genetic Testing for Clinical Care, Not Just Research, Sometimes is Warranted in Pattern Dystrophy Phenotypes	Debate 3: Adjunctive Treatment for Conjunctival Carcinoma Should be Topical Interferon and not Topical 5-FU
12:00-12:10	Yes: Hendrik Scholl , Switzerland	Yes: Mandeep Sagoo , UK
12:10-12:20	No: Stephan Michels , Switzerland	No: Bertil Damato , UK
12:20-12:30	Discussion	Discussion
12:30-12:40	Visit to Exhibition & Lunch Box Pick Up	
12:40-14:00	Industry-Sponsored Luncheon Symposium	
14:00-14:30	Visit to Exhibition & Dessert Break	

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	HALL A	HALL B
14:30-16:00	MEDICAL RETINA 5 Imaging Controversies	NEURO-OPHTHALMOLOGY 2 The Efferent Pathway and Systemic Disorders
Chairs:	Hendrik Scholl , Switzerland	Dalia Meira , Portugal; Eduardo Silva , Portugal
14:30-15:00	Debate 1: OCT A Should be Obtained Routinely in Cases of Age-related Macular Degeneration	Debate 1: A Patient With an Acute 6th Nerve Palsy Who is Over Age 50 and Who has Vascular Risk Factors Typically Requires Neuroimaging
14:30-14:40	Yes: Nicole Eter , Germany	Yes: Neil Miller , USA
14:40-14:50	No: Sandrine Zweifel , Switzerland	No: Pedro Fonseca , Portugal
14:50-15:00	Discussion	Discussion
15:00-15:30	Debate 2: Ultra Wide Field Retinal Photography is Essential to Managing Diabetic Retinopathy	Debate 2: A Temporal Artery Biopsy is Necessary in Almost Every Patient with Suspected Giant Cell Arteritis
15:00-15:10	Yes:	Yes: Pedro Fonseca , Portugal
15:10-15:20	No: Rufino Silva , Portugal	No: Dalia Meira , Portugal
15:20-15:30	Discussion	Discussion
15:30-16:00	Debate 3: Autofluorescence Imaging, Not Fundus Photos or OCT, Should be Used to Monitor Geographic Atrophy	Case Presentations
15:30-15:40	Yes: Hendrik Scholl , Switzerland	Moderator: Neil Miller , USA
15:40-15:50	No: Michael Stewart , USA	Panelists: <i>All Speakers</i>
15:50-16:00	Discussion	1. A Woman with Ptosis and Diplopia
		2. A Man with Ptosis and Diplopia
		3. A Child with Strabismus
		4. A Child with Funny Eye Movements
		5. A Elderly Man with Diplopia

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	HALL A	HALL B
16:00-17:30	UVEITIS	SURGICAL RETINA 2 Surgical Systems
Chairs:	Bahram Bodaghi , France; Zohar Habot-Wilner , Israel	William Mieler , USA; Stanislao Rizzo , Italy
16:00-16:30	Debate 1: Long Acting Intravitreal Corticosteroids for the Treatment of Noninfectious Posterior Segment Uveitis is Better than Systemic Treatment	Debate 1: Voretigene Neparvovec-RZYL is a Viable Approach to Hereditary Retinal Degenerations
16:00-16:10	Yes: Carlos Pavesio , England	Yes: William Mieler , USA
16:10-16:20	No: Bahram Bodaghi , France	No: Francesco Boscia , Italy
16:20-16:30	Discussion	Discussion
16:30-17:00	Debate 2: Topical Prostaglandins May be Used in Uveitic Hypertension/Glaucoma	Debate 2: 3D Monitors are Preferable to Surgical Microscope Systems
16:30-16:40	Yes: Zohar Habot-Wilner , Israel	Yes: Stanislao Rizzo , Italy
16:40-16:50	No: Carlos Pavesio , England	No: William Mieler , USA
16:50-17:00	Discussion	Discussion
17:00-17:30	Debate 3: OCT-Angiography is a Must-Have Tool for the Management of White Dot Syndromes	Debate 3: Vitrectomy is Warranted for Worsening Myopic Macular Schisis in the Absence of Vitreomacular Traction
17:00-17:10	Yes: Bahram Bodaghi , France	Yes: Stanislao Rizzo , Italy
17:10-17:20	No: Zohar Habot-Wilner , Israel	No: Francesco Boscia , Italy
17:20-17:30	Discussion	Discussion
End of Congress		