

THE ASPEN RETINAL DETACHMENT SOCIETY

“Oh vitreous where is thy humor”

36th
Annual
**Aspen Retinal
Detachment Society
Meeting**

March 2–6, 2008

Snowmass Conference Center

Snowmass Village, Colorado

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36th Annual Meeting Program

Sunday

MARCH 2

4:00-9:00 PM

Registration

NASTAR Ski Race &
Picnic Lunch Registration

Welcome Dinner

Snowmass Conference Center
Hoaglund Room

Monday

MARCH 3

3:15-4:00 PM

Exhibits/Après ski refreshments

4:00-4:25 PM

Age-related Macular
Degeneration – What Can
Your Own Database Tell You?
Prof. Ian J. Constable

4:25-4:35 PM

Discussion

4:35-5:00 PM

Re-Treatment Decision Making
for Choroidal Neovascularization:
Comparison of OCT vs. Fluorescein
Diana V. Do, MD

5:00-5:10 PM

Discussion

5:10-5:35 PM

Is There a Rationale for Blue-
filtering Lenses to Prevent AMD?
Prof. Albert Augustin

5:35-5:45 PM

Discussion

5:45-6:15 PM

Break

6:15-6:40 PM

Optimizing an Anti-VEGF
Treatment Regimen in AMD:
Does Maintenance Benefit
the Fellow Eye?
K. Bailey Freund, MD

6:40-6:50 PM

Discussion

6:50-7:15 PM

The Future of Physician
Reimbursement
George A. Williams, MD

7:15-7:30 PM

Discussion

Tuesday

MARCH 4

3:15-4:00 PM

Exhibits/Après ski refreshments

4:00-4:35 PM

Ocular Ultrasound:
Past, Present and Future
R.V. Paul Chan, MD

4:25-4:35 PM

Discussion

4:35-5:00 PM

Retinal Neuroprotection:
The Next Frontier
George A. Williams, MD

5:00-5:10 PM

Discussion

5:10-5:35 PM

The Latest Rap on RAP:
A Revised Classification for
Choroidal Neovascularization
K. Bailey Freund, MD

5:35-5:45 PM

Discussion

5:45-6:15 PM

Break

6:15-6:40 PM

Illumination in VR Surgery
Carl Claes, MD

6:40-6:50 PM

Discussion

6:50-7:15 PM

Surgical and Non-surgical
Treatment of Macular Edema
Prof. Albert J. Augustin

7:15-7:30 PM

Discussion

Wednesday

MARCH 5

12:00 NOON

NASTAR race at the Spider Sabich
Race Arena followed by lunch at the
Spider Sabich Picnic Cabin. Racers
and non-racers are invited. Picnic
will be held if races are cancelled.
Check for location of picnic in
case of race cancellation.

3:15-4:00 PM

Exhibits/Après ski refreshments

4:00-4:25 PM

Does 25g Vitrectomy Increase the
Risk for Endophthalmitis?
Diana V. Do, MD

4:25-4:35 PM

Discussion

4:35-5:00 PM

The Evolution of
25 Gauge Techniques
Steve T. Charles, MD

5:00-5:10 PM

Discussion

5:10-5:35 PM

Techniques and Tips for
Microincision Vitrectomy
Surgery 2008
Allen C. Ho, MD

5:35-5:45 PM

Discussion

5:45-6:15 PM

Break

6:15-6:40 PM

20G Sutureless Vitrectomy
Carl Claes, MD

6:40-6:50 PM

Discussion

6:50-7:20 PM

THE TAYLOR SMITH LECTURE
Scleral Buckling for Retinal
Detachment
Allan E. Kreiger, MD

7:20-7:30 PM

Discussion

7:30 PM

Van departure from Snowmass
Conference Center to L'Hosteria
Ristorante

8:00 PM

Closing dinner at L'Hostaria
Ristorante with presentation of
NASTAR ski prizes

Thursday

MARCH 6

3:15-4:00 PM

Exhibits/Après ski refreshments

4:00-4:25 PM

Dry Age-related Macular
Degeneration: The Next Big Thing
Allen C. Ho, MD

4:25-4:35 PM

Discussion

4:35-5:00 PM

Retinopathy of Prematurity:
Screening and Update on
Treatment Options
R.V. Paul Chan, MD

5:00-5:10 PM

Discussion

5:10-5:35 PM

Clinical Applications of the
PASCAL Laser
Steve T. Charles, MD

5:35-5:45 PM

Discussion

5:45-6:15 PM

Break

6:15-6:40 PM

Portable Video Screening
for Eye Disease
Prof. Ian J. Constable

6:40-6:50 PM

Discussion

6:50-7:15 PM

Late-Breaking Issues in
Vitreoretinal Diseases
Panel Discussion

7:15-7:30 PM

Discussion

7:30 PM

Meeting adjourns

Speakers

Prof. Dr. Albert J. Augustin
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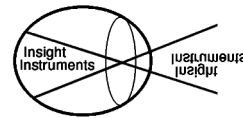
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NASTAR Ski Race and
Picnic Lunch

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Meeting Notes
Audience Response System

Course Objectives

At the end of this program, participants will be able to:

- Critically assess one's own AMD clinical database
- Weigh the utility of OCT and FA for re-treatment decisions in CNV
- Consider blue-filtering lenses for AMD prevention
- Discuss current data for a preventive contralateral effect anti-VEGF treatment
- Ponder the future of physician reimbursement
- Discuss the past, present, and future developments in ocular ultrasound
- Discuss possible retinal neuroprotective treatment
- Discuss a revised classification of CNV
- Evaluate illumination for vitreo-retinal surgery
- Evaluate current treatment options for macular edema
- Assess the possibility that 25g vitrectomy results in an increased risk of endophthalmitis
- Review the evolution of 25g techniques
- Apply pearls to microincision vitrectomy surgery
- Evaluate 20g sutureless vitrectomy
- Review the history and future of scleral buckling for the repair of retinal detachment
- Speculate on the understanding and treatment of dry AMD
- Review screening and treatment options for ROP
- Consider clinical applications of the PASCAL Laser
- Evaluate a technique for video screening of eye disease
- Consider new issues in VR Disease



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