



SATURDAY 14 JUNE 2025 / PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

TIME	SESSIONS	SPEAKER
09:00 - 10:00	REGISTRATIONS - EXHIBITION AREA OPEN - WELCOME MORNING COFFEE!	
09:45 - 10:00	<p>Καλώς Ορίσατε – Τί να περιμένετε! – Μέρα 1η Welcome – What to Expect! – Day 1 [4 pillars:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Scientific/ Clinical Excellence 2. Inclusion 3. Eye- & mind-opening 4. “Kefi”] 	<p>1. Dr Dimitra Makrynioti BSc(Hons) MSc PhD FBCLA UNSW Visiting Fellow, Optician – Optometrist, OOCL Scientific Consultant, Assistant Professor in Contact Lenses’ Optics and Optometry with emphasis on Corneal Morphology, University of Patras, Greece - Forum Scientific Chair</p> <p>2. Vassileios Goulielmos Forum Organizer</p>
10:00 - 11:00	<p>WORKSHOP FOR ALL - “DRY EYE”: 1. Οπτική και Οπτομετρία Φακών επαφής με έμφαση στη μορφολογία του κερατοειδούς και τη ΝοΞΟ (Νόσο Ξηρού Οφθαλμού) Optics and Optometry of CLs with emphasis on corneal morphology and DED</p> <p>2. Dry Eye Workshop (Interactive)</p>	<p>1. Dr Dimitra Makrynioti BSc(Hons) MSc PhD FBCLA UNSW Visiting Fellow, Optician – Optometrist, OOCL Scientific Consultant, Assistant Professor in Contact Lenses’ Optics and Optometry with emphasis on Corneal Morphology, University of Patras, Greece - Forum Scientific Chair</p> <p>2. Dr Byki Huntjens PhD PGDipAP MSc BOptom FBCLA FIACLE, Consultant Educator, Optometrist, UK/Netherlands (1, 2, 3)</p>
11:00 - 11:30	<p>Ο Οπτικός - Οπτομέτρης απέναντι στο διαδίκτυο Optician – Optometrist and Internet</p>	<p>Adolfos Kannetis Optician-Optometrist, Cyprus (1, 3)</p>
11:30 - 12:00	<p>Χρησιμοποιώντας τεχνητή νοημοσύνη στην ανάλυση δεδομένων πωλήσεων και προφίλ πελατών Using AI in Sales data analysis and client profiling</p>	<p>Dimitrios Vergas BA MSc MPS, Neurosales Practitioner - Behavioural Economist, Athens, Greece (1, 3)</p>
12:00 - 12:30	<p>5min each – presentation of National and International Optical-Optometric Associations</p>	<p>National & International Associations’ Time (1, 2, 3)</p>
12:30 - 13:00	<p>1. The Enigma between Sebum, Meibum and Dry Eyes: A Research Journey.</p> <p>2. Ευαισθησία αντίθεσης και περιμετρία σε φυσιολογικούς και γλαυκωματικούς ασθενείς, και ο ρόλος του κίτρινου φίλτρου Contrast sensitivity and perimetry in normal and glaucomatous patients and the yellow filter role</p>	<p>1. AUSTRALIA: Dr Jim Kokkinakis Optometrist, Adjunct Senior Lecturer, University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia</p> <p>2. GREECE: Georgios Triantafyllopoulos 1st PhD student University of West Attica, Optician-Optometrist, Athens, Greece</p>
13:00 - 14:00	LUNCH BREAK - EXHIBITION AREA (1, 4)	
14:00 - 15:00	<p>Contact Lenses... Simple to Success (Interactive)</p>	<p>Brian Tompkins BSc Hons FC Optom FBCLA, Optometrist, UK (1, 2, 3)</p>
15:00 - 16:00	<p>Psychology of the Presbyope</p>	<p>Professor Fiona Fylan Chartered Health Psychologist, Leeds Beckett University, UK (1, 3)</p> 
16:00 - 17:00	<p>WORKSHOP FOR ALL “People don’t always remember what you say or do, but they remember how you make them feel” - How to develop the wearer’s visual experience and spectacle satisfaction (Interactive)</p>	<p>Sally Bates BSc(Hons) FBDO Cert Ed, Dispensing Optician, UK (1, 2, 3)</p> 
17:00 - 18:00	<p>COFFEE BREAK - EXHIBITION AREA OPEN (1, 4)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Play a game – find the eyes! – με βραβείο • Piece of Art – Day 1 10min meditation – b4 work 	
18:00 - 19:00	<p>Επιπλοκές και υγεία οφθαλμού: τί θα ήταν καλό να γνωρίζει ένας Οπτικός – Οπτομέτρης – Εφαρμοστής Φακών Επαφής Eye health and complications: what should an Optician-Optometrist/ Contact Lens practitioner know</p>	<p>Professor Vasileios Kozobolis MD PhD, Ophthalmologist, Professor of Ophthalmology, University of Patras, Greece (1)</p>
19:00 - 20:00	<p>Past, Present and Future of Contact Lenses – An International Inventor’s & Inspirer’s View</p>	<p>Professor Eric Papas PhD BSc (Optom) BSc (Physics) DipCL, Emeritus Professor, School of Optometry and Vision Science, Faculty of Medicine & Health, University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia (1)</p>
20:00 - 20:15	<p>Closing remarks</p>	<p>Dr Dimitra Makrynioti BSc(Hons) MSc PhD FBCLA UNSW Visiting Fellow, Optician – Optometrist, OOCL Scientific Consultant, Assistant Professor in Contact Lenses’ Optics and Optometry with emphasis on Corneal Morphology, University of Patras, Greece - Forum Scientific Chair</p>
20:15 - Midnight (4)	PARTY TIME!	