

Scientific Performance

GCP Training Documentation

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Certificate Number: 516912 – 13/10/2018

28-31/03/2007 6th International Glaucoma Symposium, Athens, Greece

Poster1: “Effect of Travoprost on central corneal thickness in glaucoma patients. A prospective 12-months study”

Poster2: “Reproducibility of Ocular Response Analyzer measurements and their association with central corneal thickness in normal eyes”

08-12/09/2007 XXV Congress of the ESCRS, Stockholm, Sweden

Poster: “Intraocular Pressure Lowering Effect of Selective Laser Trabeculoplasty in Advanced Glaucoma Patients”

28/05-01/06/2008 41st Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Thessaloniki, Greece

Poster: “Improved reproducibility of Retinal Nerve Fiber Layer Thickness measurements with the Repeat-scan protocol using the Stratus OCT in normal and glaucomatous eyes”

Free paper: “Efficacy of Selective Laser Trabeculoplasty (SLT) in patients with open angle glaucoma”

Poster: “Association between ocular pulse amplitude and severity of glaucomatous damage”

11-13/09/2008 Annual Meeting of the SSO (Swiss Society of Ophthalmology), Interlaken, Switzerland

Poster: “Improved reproducibility RNFL Thickness measurements with the Repeat-scan protocol using the Stratus OCT in normal and glaucomatous eyes”

10-14/03/2008 Schober Refraktionskurs, München, Germany

27-31/05/2009 42nd Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Crete, Greece

Free paper: “Influence of antiglaucoma medication on Dynamic Contour Tonometry and Goldmann Applanation Tonometry measurements in a glaucoma and ocular hypertensive population”

Poster: “High repeatability and improved agreement of refraction error and intraocular pressure measurements with the auto ref-/tonometer TonorefII”

- 04-05/12/2009 Berlin-Brandenburgische Augenärztliche Gesellschaft (BBAG), Berlin, Germany
- Free paper:** “Digitale Gonioskopie als Screening-Verfahren bei Engwinkelglaukom”
- 26-30/05/2010 43rd Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Free paper:** “Digital Gonioscopy by means of SL-OCT in primary open angle and angle closure glaucoma”
- Poster1:** “Diode-laser Cyclophotocoagulation vs. Cyclocryotherapy in the treatment of refractory glaucoma”
- Poster2:** “Presentation of 3 objective cataract evaluation methods: LOCSII, AREDS, OXFORD”
- Poster3:** “Comparing IOL-Master to Immersion scanning in ocular axial length measurements”
- Poster4:** “Phacoemulsification history in Greece”
- 04-08/09/2010 XXVIII Congress of the ESCRS, Paris, France
- Free paper:** “Digital Gonioscopy: An objective screening method in angle closure glaucoma”
- 09-11/09/2010 28th ESOPRS Annual Meeting, Munich, Germany
- Free paper:** “Self-retaining stent assisted punctoplasty in patients with stenosis of the upper lacrimal duct”
- 20/11/2010 6th Annual Seminar of the anterior eye segment, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Free paper:** “New trends in corneal pachymetry and digital gonioscopy”
- 17-20/2/2011 15th ESCRS Winter Meeting, Istanbul, Turkey
- Free paper:** “Influence of intraocular lens asphericity and blue light filtering on visual outcome, contrast sensitivity and higher order aberrations after uneventful cataract extraction”
- 24-27/2/2011 25th International Congress of the HSIOIRS, Athens, Greece
- Free paper:** “The role of refractive surgery in presbyopia treatment today”
- 1-5/5/2011 The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology - ARVO 2011 Annual Meeting, Ft Lauderdale, Florida, USA

Poster and E-poster: “Influence of Antiglaucoma Medication On Dynamic Contour Tonometry And Goldmann Applanation Tonometry Measurements In A Glaucoma And Ocular Hypertensive Population”

18-22/5/2011

44th Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Vouliagmeni, Athens, Greece

FAN-Club Presentation: “Pregnancy-associated idiopathic CNV and treatment with intravitreal ranibizumab injections”

Greek young ophthalmologists Presentation: “Compressive optic neuropathy secondary to onodi cell mucocele”

Poster1: “Atypical presentation of bilateral endogenous fungal endophthalmitis after cystectomy”

Poster2: “Intravitreal bevacizumab vs intravitreal triamcinolone acetonide and their combination in patients with macular edema secondary to retinal vein occlusion”

16-17/9/2011

2nd Eucornea Congress, Vienna, Austria

Poster1: “Corneal perforation as a primary manifestation of keratoconus in a patient with an underlying connective tissue disorder”

Poster2: “Bevacizumab-assisted phacoemulsification in a patient with herpes simplex virus (HSV)-related corneal neovascularization”

Poster3: “Cyanoacrylate adhesive application on corneal scaffolding sutures for the management of traumatic tissue loss

17-20/9/2011

XXIX Congress of the ESCRS, Vienna, Austria

Free paper: “Decreased Ocular Pulse Amplitude associated to structural and functional damage in open angle glaucoma”

16-20/2/2012

World Ophthalmology Congress, WOC, Abu Dhabi, UAE

Free paper: “Comparison of selective laser trabeculoplasty (SLT) efficacy between advanced and beginning open angle glaucomas”

1-4/3/2012

26th International Congress of the HSIOIRS, Athens, Greece

Instructional course for residents: “Presbyopia treatment by means of refractive surgery”

Instructional course for residents: “Regular and Premium IOLs in cataract and refractive surgery”

Instructional course-Greek young ophthalmologists-SOE: “Nystagmus: Differential Diagnosis”

- Poster1:** “Postoperative papilledema e vacuo and hypotony maculopathy after intracapsular cataract extraction following blunt ocular trauma”
- Poster2:** “Certification process in the project European registry of Quality Outcomes for Cataract and Refractive Surgery (EUREQUO) of the European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons (ESCRS)”
- Poster3:** “Bevacizumab-assisted phacoemulsification in a patient with herpes simplex virus (HSV)-related corneal neovascularization”
- Poster4:** “Cyanoacrylate adhesive application on corneal scaffolding sutures for the management of traumatic tissue loss”
- 6-10/5/2012 The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology - ARVO 2012 Annual Meeting, Ft Lauderdale, Florida, USA
- Poster and E-poster:** “Electron-microscopy Study of Human Corneas after Amniotic Membrane Transplantation for Ocular Surface Diseases”
- 24-27/5/2012 45th Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Porto Carras, Greece
- Instructional course-Greek young ophthalmologists-SOE:** “Fungal Endophthalmitis”
- Poster1:** “Acute postoperative staphylococcus schleiferi keratitis and associated endophthalmitis following uneventful cataract surgery: first report in the literature”
- Poster2:** “Unilateral amaurosis following fall: a case report”
- 6-8/9/2012 3rd EuCornea Congress, Milan, Italy
- Poster:** “Acute postoperative staphylococcus schleiferi keratitis and associated endophthalmitis following uneventful cataract surgery: first report in the literature”
- 8-12/9/2012 XXX Congress of the ESCRS, Milan, Italy
- Poster:** “Refractive and visual outcome after bilateral implantation of toric intraocular lens”
- 30/11-02/12/2012 7th Panhellenic Congress of Ocular Inflammations and Infections, Volos, Greece
- E-Poster:** “Bilateral neuroretinitis with unilateral visual acuity decrease as the first manifestation of neurosyphilis”
- *Awarded as best e-poster presentation**
- 01/12 2012 8th Annual Seminar of the anterior eye segment, Thessaloniki, Greece

- Free paper:** “Training residents in cataract surgery”
Round table: “Phacoemulsification training in Greece”
- 08-12/02/2013 2013 ACES/SEE Caribbean Eye Meeting, San Juan, Puerto Rico
- Free paper:** “Visual Quality outcome after bilateral implantation of toric intraocular lens”
- 28/02-03/03/2013 27th International Congress of the HSIOIRS, Athens, Greece
- Free paper:** Training of resident ophthalmologists in cataract surgery: a comparative study of two approaches
Free paper: “Refractive and visual outcome after bilateral implantation of toric intraocular lens”
Instructional course for residents: “Presbyopia treatment by means of refractive surgery”
Instructional course for residents: “Regular and Premium IOLs in cataract and refractive surgery”
- 12-13/04/2013 Ocular Oncology Lessons by Prof. L. Zografos, Thessaloniki, Greece
- First place in written exams** and diploma acquisition
- 04-05/10/2013 4th Eucornea Congress, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- E-Poster:** “Corneal and conjunctival intraepithelial neoplasia regression after alcohol-assisted corneal abrasion and partial biopsy excision”
- 30/11/2013 9th Annual Seminar of the anterior eye segment, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Round table:** “Quantitative, topographic and kinetic ocular echography”
- 20-23/02/2014 28th International Congress of the HSIOIRS, Athens, Greece
- Instructional course:** “Phacoemulsification techniques in special circumstances: Traumatic cataract”
E-Poster: “Corneal and conjunctival intraepithelial neoplasia regression after alcohol-assisted corneal abrasion and partial biopsy excision”
- 2-6/4/2014 World Ophthalmology Congress, WOC, Tokyo, Japan

- Free paper:** “Influence of intraocular lens asphericity and blue light filtering on visual outcome, contrast sensitivity and higher order aberrations after uneventful cataract extraction”
- 9-11/5/2014 20th Scientific Congress of Hellenic Medical Students, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Round table:** “The interconnection of Ophthalmology to other medical specialties”
- 28-31/5/2014 47th Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Thessaloniki, Greece
- E-poster:** “Congenital ptosis associated with combined superior rectus, lateral rectus, and levator palpebrae synkinesis: the first reported case”
- 12-13/9/2014 5th EuCornea Congress, London, UK
- E-poster:** “Atypical presentation of Cogan’s epithelial dystrophy deteriorating refractive and visual outcome after uneventful cataract surgery and implantation of multifocal intraocular lens”
- 13-17/9/2014 XXXII Congress of the ESCRS, London, UK
- E-poster:** “Alterations in angle configuration and anterior chamber depth after phacoemulsification measured by anterior segment optical coherence tomography: a comparison between hydrophilic and hydrophobic IOLs”
- E-poster (presented):** “Influence of age to the incidence of posterior capsular rupture in phacoemulsification: a cross-sectional study”
**Nominated for best e-poster in cataract section*
- 29/11/2014 10th Annual Seminar of the anterior eye segment, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Round table:** “Premium IOLs”
- 5-7/12/2014 8th Panhellenic Conference on Ocular Inflammations and Infections, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Round table:** “Orbital Inflammations: Aetiology and Treatment”
- Free paper:** “Rhino-orbital mucormycosis in a patient diagnosed with myelodysplastic syndrome”
**Awarded as best free paper presentation*

- 26/2-1/3/2015 29th International Congress of the HSIOIRS, Athens, Greece
- Instructional course:** “Astigmatism correction in cataract surgery: Image guided systems”
E-Poster: “Gradually increasing regular corneal astigmatism in a patient diagnosed with Eales disease over the last 20 years”
- 14-17/5/2015 48th Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Olympia, Greece
- Free paper:** “Traumatic wound dehiscence of penetrating keratoplasty with subtotal graft detachment – surgical management
- 4-5/9/2015 6th EuCornea Congress, Barcelona, Spain
- E-Poster:** “Corneal melting leading to perforation treated medically in a patient with undiagnosed Sjogren's syndrome”
- 5-9/9/2015 XXXIII Congress of the ESCRS, Barcelona, Spain
- Free paper:** “Intraoperative floppy iris syndrome in female population”
Video competition1: “Successful management of inadvertent dexamethasone implant injection (ozurdex®) into the crystalline lens body”
Video competition2: “Iris fixation of a subluxated intraocular 3-piece lens”
- 08/10/2015 World Sight Day 2015
- Organization and Performance of Open Day to the Public with Ophthalmological Screening for Keratoconus and Age-related Macular Degeneration
2nd Department of Ophthalmology, Papageorgiou General Hospital, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 14-17/11/2015 AAO Annual Meeting, Las Vegas, USA
- Poster:** “Intraoperative floppy iris syndrome in the female population”
- 5-9/2/2016 World Ophthalmology Congress, WOC, Guadalajara, Mexico
- E-Poster:** “Culture of human corneal endothelial cells and xenotransplantation in rabbit eyes”
- 26-28/2/2016 20th ESCRS Winter Meeting, Athens, Greece

- Free Paper:** “Comparison and differences in the appearance of intraoperative floppy iris syndrome between males and females”
- 26-29/5/2016 49th Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Cornea FAN Club:** “Pressure induced intralamellar stromal keratitis after uneventful FEMTO-LASIK mimicking early myopic regression”
- Free Paper1:** “The Implementation of Closed Consolidated Medical Bills (Ken / Diagnosis Related Groups-DRGs) In Ophthalmology Field In Greece”
**nominated for best free paper presentation*
- Free Paper2:** “Surgical removal of multiple orbital foreign bodies after eyelid trauma with an intact globe”
- Poster:** “Antibiotic prophylaxis during cataract surgery complicated with capsular Rupture: an assessment of current practice in Greece”
- 24-25/06/2016 2nd European Meeting of Young Ophthalmologists (EMYO), Oviedo, Spain
- Controversies (invited speaker):** “Treatment of nasolacrimal duct obstruction: endoscopic or external dacryocystorhinostomy”
- 09-10/09/2016 7th EuCornea Congress, Copenhagen, Denmark
- Poster:** “Pressure induced intralamellar stromal keratitis after uneventful FEMTO-LASIK mimicking early myopic regression”
- 10-14/09/2016 XXXIV Congress of the ESCRS, Copenhagen, Denmark
- Poster:** “The Implementation of Closed Consolidated Medical Bills (Ken / Diagnosis Related Groups-DRGs) In Ophthalmology Field In Greece”
- 2-4/12/2016 9th Panhellenic Conference on Ocular Inflammations and Infections, Thessaloniki, Greece
- Round Table:** “IgG4-related orbital disease: An update”

- Free paper:** Generic trypan blue as a possible cause of a cluster of toxic anterior segment syndrome after uneventful cataract surgery
- 18-21/5/2017 50th Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Rodos, Greece
- Free paper:** “Safety and efficacy of hypertonic saline solution (5%) in the treatment of postoperative corneal edema after uneventful phacoemulsification: a prospective randomized double-blind trial”
- E-Poster:** “Unilateral maculopathy after high-voltage electric burn: 1st description of findings in OCT-A”
- 06-07/10/2017 8th EuCornea Congress, Lisbon, Portugal
- E-Poster:** “Bilateral Metachronous Corneal Perforation Associated to Ocular Rosacea”
- 07-11/10/2017 XXXV Congress of the ESCRS, Lisbon, Portugal
- E-Poster:** “Safety and efficacy of hypertonic saline solution (5%) in the treatment of postoperative corneal edema after uneventful phacoemulsification: a prospective randomized double-blind trial”
- Presented poster:** “Corneal changes after cataract surgery performed with two different techniques for achieving watertight incisions”
- 09-11/02/2018 22nd ESCRS Winter Meeting, Belgrade, Serbia
- Free paper:** “Risk factors for microbial keratitis after corneal collagen cross-linking with epithelial debridement”
- Poster:** “Safety and efficacy of prostaglandin analogues in the immediate postoperative period after uneventful phacoemulsification”
- 1-4/03/2018 29th International Congress of the HSIOIRS, Athens, Greece
- Free paper:** “Novel technique using the “hinge trephine” for DMEK graft harvesting: Presentation and preliminary results”
- Free paper:** “Bandage contact lens and topical steroids as risk factors for the development of microbial keratitis after corneal cross linking with epithelial debridement”
- *Awarded as best free paper presentation**
- 23/03/2018 Bowman Club Meeting 2018, Newcastle, UK

- Lecture:** Methods to prepare large donor corneas for DMEK
- 14-15/04/2018 Ophthalmological Society of Northern Greece, Limni Plastira
- Corneal Fan Club:** Interesting case reports
- 31/05-02/06/2018 51st Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Thessaloniki Greece
- Round Table: Corneal Cross-Linking. “Repeat-CXL”**
Satellite Symposium: “Management of ocular surface inflammation”
Free paper: “Comparison between methods to prepare large corneal grafts for DMEK”
Free paper: “Evaluation of anterior segment parameter changes after phacoemulsification in eyes with and without pseudoexfoliation”
E-Poster: “Bilateral metachronous corneal perforation associated with ocular rosacea”
- 13-14/07/2018 3rd European Meeting of Young Ophthalmologists (EMYO), Krakow, Poland
- Free paper:** “Bandage contact lens and topical steroids are risk factors for the development of microbial keratitis after corneal cross linking with epithelial debridement”
**Awarded as second-best free paper presentation*
Video: “Novel technique of DMEK graft harvesting: a quick and safe technique for both inexperienced and senior surgeons”
**Awarded as best video presentation*
- 22-26/09/2018 XXXVI Congress of the ESCRS, Wien, Austria
- E-Poster:** “Comparison between methods to prepare large donor grafts for DMEK”
Presented poster: “Evaluation of changes in anterior segment parameters in patients with and without pseudoexfoliation syndrome after phacoemulsification”
- 28-29/09/2018 4th Pan-Hellenic Congress of Salivary Glands Society
- Round table:** “Surgical management of paralytic eyelid in facial palsy”
- 30/11-02/12/2018 10th Panhellenic Conference on Ocular Inflammations and Infections, Thessaloniki, Greece

Invited Lecture: “IgG4-related orbital disease: A new entity with old habits”

7-8/12/2018

Controversies in Ophthalmology, Thessaloniki, Greece

Invited Lecture: “DSAEK vs DMEK”

1-2/2/2019

Corneal Meeting III, Moscow, Russia

Invited Lecture: “Repeat CXL”

15-17/02/2019

23rd ESCRS Winter Meeting, Athens, Greece

E-Poster1: “The "Yogurt Technique" in DMEK graft harvesting: a quick and safe method for both inexperienced and senior surgeons”

E-Poster2: “Intraobserver Reproducibility and Interobserver Agreement of Demarcation Line Depth Measurements in Keratoconic Eyes Following Accelerated Epi-Off Corneal Cross Linking”

10-12/05/2019

25th Scientific Congress of Hellenic Medical Students

Round table-Chairman: Corneal transplantation, a journey from darkness to light

Free paper session Ophthalmology – Chairman

06-08/06/2019

52nd Pan-Hellenic Ophthalmology Congress, Athens Greece

Satellite Symposium: Ocular Surface Problems in Depth

Free Paper: Eyelid and Orbital Dirofilariosis: A rare entity

Free Paper: “Relationship between epithelial thickness measurements and ocular surface parameters in subjects with prolonged computer use”

Free Paper: “Repeatability of corneal pachymetry and epithelial thickness measurements acquired with spectral-domain optical coherence tomography in subjects with prolonged computer use”

Video Presentation: “Novel technique for DMEK graft preparation”

***Awarded as best video presentation of the congress**

14-18/09/2019

XXXVII Congress of the ESCRS, Paris, France

Free Paper: “Repeatability of corneal pachymetry and epithelial thickness measurements acquired with spectral-domain optical coherence tomography in subjects with prolonged computer use”

E-poster: “Relationship between epithelial thickness measurements and ocular surface parameters in subjects with prolonged computer use”

Video: “New punch and techniques for DMEK graft harvesting”

13-14/09/2019

10th EuCornea Congress, Paris, France

E-poster: “The Yogurt technique for DMEK graft harvesting: preliminary results”

09-10/11/2019

Annual Meeting of the Central Greece Ophthalmological Society, Larissa, Greece

Round table: Educative Corneal session

29-30/11/2019

1st Congress of the Hellenic Ocular Surface and Dry Eye Society, Athens, Greece

Satellite Symposium: Anterior Ocular Surface Management for General Ophthalmologists

14/12/2019

Scientific Meeting of the Greek Ophthalmological Society, Athens, Greece

Invited video lecture: Novel method for DMEK graft preparation