



## PRIMARY EYE CARE PROGRAM

**SATURDAY APRIL 13, 2013**

7:15 am	Registration	
8:00-9:00 am	<b>LEAN Design in Ophthalmology: Lessons from Industry</b> <b>Hamza Khan, MD, FRCSC</b>	<b>COPE #36860-PM</b> <b>1 Hour</b>
	The use of LEAN principles in auto manufacturing has been credited with great improvements in quality and efficiency. These have recently been applied with success to cataract surgery. This lecture will outline areas of potential application to eye care in order to improve quality of service delivery	
9:00-10:00 am	<b>Microincisional Cataract Surgery</b> <b>Hamza Khan, MD, FRCSC</b>	<b>COPE #36861-SP</b> <b>1 Hour</b>
	Modern cataract surgery provides tremendous visual gains and potential harm reduction through early rehabilitation. Techniques have evolved rapidly and are once again on the cusp of radical transformation. This lecture outlines the impact of reduced incision size and improved fluidics on the safety and quality of outcomes.	
10:00-10:30 am	Coffee Break	
10:30-12:30 pm	<b>Melton-Thomas Treatment Guidelines</b> <b>Ron Melton, OD, FAAO and Randall Thomas, OD, MPH, FAAO</b>	<b>COPE #27684-PH</b> <b>2 Hours</b>
	The Melton and Thomas team discuss some of the most common and not-so-common disorders often seen in the Primary Care Optometric practice. Current information and recommendations regarding approved drugs and treatment modalities, as well as off-label use of drugs, will be discussed.	
12:30-1:30 pm	Lunch	
1:30-3:30 pm	<b>Neuro Update</b> <b>Ron Melton, OD, FAAO and Randall Thomas, OD, MPH, FAAO</b>	<b>COPE #31862-NO</b> <b>2 Hours</b>
	This team-taught course will discuss a variety of common and not-so-common clinical presentations of neuro-ophthalmic pathological processes. Differential diagnosis and clinical management will be stressed.	

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**SUNDAY APRIL 14, 2013**

7:15 am Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:00-10:00 am **On Call with Melton-Thomas** **COPE #34840-GO**  
**Ron Melton, OD, FAAO and Randall Thomas, OD, MPH, FAAO** **2 Hours**

This lecture will assist you in gaining a better understanding of the challenges encountered during "weekend calls." These ocular urgencies present a unique opportunity to serve your patients and grow your practice.

10:00-10:30 am Coffee Break

10:30-12:30 pm **Separating the Good, the Bad and the Ugly: Is it Glaucoma or Not?** **COPE #32648-GL**  
**Ron Melton, OD, FAAO and Randall Thomas, OD, MPH, FAAO** **2 Hours**

This lecture will provide attendees with a review and update on the complexities and challenges of clinical decision-making of the "glaucoma suspect."

12:30-1:30 pm Lunch

1:30-3:30 pm **Clinical Decision Making in Microbial Keratitis** **COPE #37238-PD**  
**Gregory M. Schultz, OD, FAAO** **2 Hours**

The lecture reviews the management of corneal infection with emphasis on bacterial keratitis. Recognition and differential diagnoses from fungal, viral disease and sterile processes will be reviewed. Clinical characteristics that drive the diagnosis will also be discussed along with management of infection from sterilization phase to the healing phase. Special consideration is given to choice of antibiotic agents, use of steroids and when and how to culture these lesions.

3:30-4:00 pm Coffee Break

4:00-5:00 pm **Optic Neuritis: Where Are We Now?** **COPE #37169-PD**  
**Gregory M. Schultz, OD, FAAO** **1 Hour**

This lecture reviews what we have learned in the optic neuritis treatment trial. The clinical course of the disease, epidemiology and treatment recommendations are reviewed and we look at analysis of treatment data. Differential diagnosis is discussed including defining typical from atypical optic neuritis. Critical examination and medical work-up of these patients is also discussed along with new injectable and oral treatments for demyelinating disease.

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