

34th ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF VITREO RETINAL SOCIETY-INDIA (VRSI)							
GRAND HYAAT, GOA, INDIA							
Scientific Program							
Day 1: Friday : 31st October 2025							
	Hall A		Time		Hall B		Time
	1. Title of the Session: Green Horn Session - YOSI - Controversies in VR Key note lecture: 10 min ; Discussion: 2 min Talk: 5 min ; Discussion: 7 min Free Paper (FP) : 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Kartikey Singh Wise-council 1. Dr Manisha Agarwal 2. Dr Mahesh Gopalakrishnan 3. Dr Prof Shigeru Honda 4. Dr Madhu Kumar 5. Dr Alay Banker 6. Dr Lalit Verma		09:00 AM - 10:30 AM		2. Title of the Session: Future in VR (Medical / Surgical) Key note lecture: 10 min ; Discussion: 2 min Talk: 5 min ; Discussion: 7 min Free Paper (FP) : 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Chaitra Jayadev Wise-council 1. Dr Col Sanjay Kumar Mishra 2. Dr VR Saravanan 3. Dr Dinesh Talwar 4. Dr Rajeev Reddy 5. Dr Vishali Gupta 6. Dr Shashank Rai Gupta		09:00 AM - 10:30 AM
	Topic	Speakers	Time		Topic	Speakers	Time
	1 The Bloody Truth: A Head-to-Head Comparison of Medical and Surgical Strategies for Submacular Hemorrhage.	Dr Nikita Goel	09:00 AM - 09:12 AM		1 Preventing PVR - Myth or Miracle?	Dr Naresh Babu	09:00 AM - 09:12 AM
	2 Endophthalmitis Endgame: Deciphering Treatment Trends from the EVS and CEVE Studies.	Dr Saumil Sheth	09:12 AM - 09:24 AM		2 Suprachoroidal Delivery in Retinal Diseases: Science, Innovation, and Future Directions	Dr Ajay Aurora	09:12 AM - 09:24 AM
	3 The Urgency Dilemma: Optimizing Outcomes in Traumatic Retinal Detachments - Early vs. Late Surgery.	Dr Pranav Saluja	09:24 AM - 09:36 AM		3 AI ready OCT quantification tools that can fine tune outcomes	Dr Apoorva Ayachit	09:24 AM - 09:36 AM
	4 Precision vs Power: Navigating Gauge Selection in Complex Diabetic Vitrectomies	Dr Subash Bhatta - Key note lecture	09:36 AM - 09:48 AM		4 Preoperative Imaging Biomarkers in Rhegmatogenous Retinal Detachment: Predictors of Postoperative Visual Outcomes	Dr Dhaivat Shah	09:36 AM - 09:48 AM
	5 Management of Vitreo-Macular Traction Syndrome (VMTS)	Dr Sanyam Bajimaya - Key note lecture	09:48 AM - 10:00 AM		5 Newer drugs and routes of administration for sustained response in managing macular edema	Dr Manavi Deokrishna Sindal	09:48 AM - 10:00 AM
	6 Managing VR complex cases with superior control	Dr Vishali Gupta (10 min) - Alcon Sponsored	10:00 AM - 10:12 AM		6 A novel therapeutic approach for diabetic retinopathy using fenofibrate nanoparticle eye drops in diabetic mice (basic research)	Dr Prof Taiji Nagaoka - Key Note Lecture	10:00 AM - 10:12 AM
	7 Long-term Anatomic and Functional Outcomes of Myopic Tractional Maculopathy Eyes Treated Outside of the MTM Staging System Guidelines	Dr Rupal M Kathare (FP)	10:12 AM - 10:21 AM		7 Intrасlсleral Hydration vs. Conventional Sclerotomy Closure in 25-Gauge Silicon Oil Removal: Early Outcomes and AS-OCT Morphologic Insights	Dr Amber dubey (FP)	10:12 AM - 10:21 AM
	8 Short term PFCL endotamponade in the management of Giant Retinal Tear associated Retinal Detachment – A retrospective analysis.	Dr Neeti Agrawal (FP)	10:21 AM - 10:30 AM		8 AIs Have It! When LLMs Run Vitreoretinal Practice: A Comparative Study Between LLMs and VR Fellows in OPD Consultations and Vitreoretinal Procedures	Dr Atul Arora (FP)	10:21 AM - 10:30 AM
Coffee Break : 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM							
	3. Title of the Session: Video based complications: What went wrong / Was it me or the disease? Video: 3 min ; Discussion; 9 min Free Paper (FP) : 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Pradeep Susvar Wise-council 1. Dr Pramod Bhende 2. Dr Hemanth Murthy 3. Dr Alok Sen 4. Dr Rajeev Reddy 5. Dr Kim Ramaswamy 6. Dr Lalit Verma		11:00 AM – 12:30 PM		4. Title of the Session: ARMD Controversies Key note lecture: 10 min ; Discussion: 2 min Talk: 5 min ; Discussion : 7 min Free Paper (FP) : 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Mudit Tyagi Wise-council 1. Dr Parveen Sen 2. Dr Dhananjay Shukla 3. Dr Jayanth Guha 4. Dr Cyrus Shroff 5. Dr Dinesh Talwar 6. Dr Prof Taiji Nagaoka		11:00 AM – 12:30 PM
	Topic	Speakers	Time		Topic	Speakers	Time
	1 Taming or Being Tamed	Dr Rajesh Ramanjulu	11:00 AM - 11:12 AM		1 Rationale of brolucizumab every 6 weeks induction therapy for neovascular age-related macular degeneration	Dr Prof Shigeru Honda - Key Note Lecture	11:00 AM - 11:12 AM
	2 Unexpected PVR post-vitrectomy	Dr Raju Sampangi	11:12 AM - 11:24 AM		2 Can imaging Biomarkers predict the choice of anti VEGF agents	Dr Anand Rajendran	11:12 AM - 11:24 AM
	3 Trapped Shard: The High Stakes Hunt	Dr Kushal Delhiwala	11:24 AM - 11:36 AM		3 Antioxidants, dietary supplements, AREDS formulations: Are they actually beneficial	Dr Khushboo Chauhan	11:24 AM - 11:36 AM
	4 Management of ripped macular tear in macular coloboma	Dr VR Saravanan	11:36 AM - 11:48 AM		4 Is Treat and extend Superior to PRN	Dr Daraius Shroff	11:36 AM - 11:48 AM
	5 A thrilling Intraoperative Mishap	Dr Alok Sen	11:48 AM - 12:00 PM		5 Macular Surgery in ARMD	Dr Subendu Boral	11:48 AM - 12:00 PM
	6 Shaping the future of Vitreoretinal Surgery with Superior efficiency	Dr Shrinivas Joshi (10 min) - Alcon Sponsored	12:00 PM - 12:12 PM		6 Bridging the Gap in AMD Care: A Digital Amsler Grid for Functional Screening and Home-Based Monitoring	Dr Rupesh Agarwal - Key Note Lecture	12:00 PM - 12:12 PM
	7 Intra-Silicone oil Methotrexate for Resolution of Pre-retinal Bleed in Complex Diabetic Tractional Retinal Detachment	Dr Prof Naresh Babu Kannan (FP)	12:12 PM - 12:21 PM		7 Afibercept 8.0 mg outcomes in nAMD compared to 2.0 mg	Dr Prof Pradeep Kumar (FP)	12:12 PM - 12:21 PM

8	"LUMINDENT: DIY Construction and Real-World Efficacy in Relation to Scleral Thickness "	Dr Prithvi Chandrakanth (FP)	12:21 PM - 12:30 PM	8	Multimodal imaging and long-term outcomes of Lepto-choroid PCV in Indian eyes	Dr Neelamraju Lohita (FP)	12:21 PM - 12:30 PM
	5. Title of the Session: Roche sponsored symposia Moderator: Dr Chaitra Jayadev Chairperson: Dr Nancy Holekamp (V) Wise-council 1. Dr Debdulal Chakraborty 2. Dr Parveen Sen 3. Dr George Manayath 4. Dr Ritesh Narula 5. Dr Patricio Schlottmann 6. Dr Ramesh Venkatesh 7. Dr Vishal Agrawal		12:30 PM – 01:30 PM		6. Title of the Session: Novartis sponsored symposim - Understanding different perspectives on evolving Anti VEGF landscape in India Moderator: Dr Lalit Verma Wise-council 1. Dr Mangat Dogra 2. Dr Shigeru Honda 3. Dr Indu Singh 4. Dr Sabyasachi Sengupta 5. Dr Aniruddha Maiti		12:30 PM – 01:30 PM
	Topic	Speakers	Time		Topic	Speakers	Time
1	Welcome and setting the context	Dr Nancy Holekamp (V)	12:30 PM – 12:33 PM	1	Context Setting and Introduction	Dr Lalit Verma	12:30 pm - 12:35 pm
2	ChANGing outcomes in Retinal Diseases: Dual VEGF-A/Ang-2 Inhibition with Faricimab	Dr Patricio Schlottmann	12:33 PM – 12:53 PM	2	Early intensive treatment in nAMD: an overview	Dr Sabyasachi Sengupta	12:35 pm - 12:42 pm
3	Real world experience with faricimab	Dr Vishal Agrawal	12:53 PM – 01:00 PM	3	Changing treatment paradigm for PCV Management	Dr Aniruddha Maiti	12:42 pm - 12:49 pm
4	Real world experience with faricimab	Dr Ramesh Venkatesh	01:00 PM – 01:07 PM	4	Breaking the barriers in the management of Neovascular AMD	Dr Shigeru Honda	12:49 pm - 12:56 pm
	Panel discussion and Q&A		01:00 PM – 01:27 PM	5	My experience with Brolucizumab in nAMD	Dr Indu Singh	12:56 pm - 01:03 pm
	Closing remarks	Dr Nancy Holekamp (V)	01:27 PM – 01:30 PM	6	Challenging Cases of nAMD - My Centre's Experience	Dr Mudit Tyagi	01:03 PM - 01:10 PM
				Panel Discussion - Understanding different perspectives on evolving Anti VEGF landscape in India		13:10 pm - 13:30 pm	
Lunch Break : 01:30 PM – 02:30 PM							
	7. Title of the Session: Retinal detachment - Vitrectomy Controversies Key note lecture: 10 min; Discussion: 2 min Talk: 5 min: Discussion: 7 min Free Paper (FP): 5 min; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Mohit Dogra Wise-council 1. Dr Ramandeep singh 2. Dr Saurabh Luthra 3. Dr Sangeet Mittal 4. Dr Guruprasad A 5. Dr Dhanashree Ratra 6. Dr Shobhit chawla		02:30 PM – 04:00 PM		8. Title of the Session: Diabetic macular edema controversies Key note lecture: 10 min; Discussion: 2 min Talk: 5 min; Discussion : 7 min Free Paper (FP): 5 min; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Anand Rajendran Wise-council 1. Dr Lingam Gopal 2. Dr Anita Agarwal 3. Dr Dhananjay Shukla 4. Dr Umesh Behera 5. Dr Rohan Chawla 6. Dr Prashant Keshao Bawankule		02:30 PM – 04:00 PM
	Topic	Speakers	Time		Topic	Speakers	Time
1	Myopic Tractional Maculopathy: Prognostic factors for the surgical management	Dr Prof Wai-Ching Lam - Key Note Lecture	02:30 PM - 02:42 PM	1	Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitors. The science behind a new class of drugs	Dr Prof Michael Stewart - Key note Lecture	02:30 PM - 02:42 PM
2	Biometery & IOL calculation in VR Sx	Dr Chitra Ramamurthy	02:42 PM - 02:54 PM	2	The effects of medical treatment on ocular circulation in patients with diabetic macular edema (clinical research)	Dr Prof Taiji Nagaoka - Key Note Lecture	02:42 PM - 02:54 PM
3	Posterior drainage retinotomy versus drainage through peripheral break versus PFCL-assisted drainage through peripheral break	Dr. Vinod Aggarwal	02:54 PM - 03:06 PM	3	First Strike : Early in DME Therapy, Is it AntiVEGF always or is there a role for Steroids?	Dr Aditya Maitray	02:54 PM - 03:06 PM
4	360 degree laser versus lasering just the breaks and ILM peel versus no peel in primary vitrectomy for RRD	Dr Shishir Verghese	03:06 PM - 03:18 PM	4	Hitting The Wall : Managing Refractory DME - Switch, Combine or Alternatives	Dr Ramesh Venkatesh	03:06 PM - 03:18 PM
5	Oil versus gas: ideal endotamponde for pathological myopia associated RRD	Dr Jatinder Singh	03:18 PM - 03:30 PM	5	Crystal Ball : OCT Biomarkers in DME - Predictors, Prognosticators & Pretenders	Dr Ritesh Narula	03:18 PM - 03:30 PM
6	Principles to Practice: Ecosystem-Driven Refinements in Retinal Detachment Surgery	Dr P. Sriharanathan - Key Note Lecture	03:30 PM - 03:42 PM	6	Macular Cases with 27 G	Dr Manoj Khatri - (10 min) - Alcon Sponsored	03:30 PM - 03:42 PM
7	Five decades of endophthalmitis research publications in India. A bibliometric analysis.	Dr Umesh Chandra Behera (FP)		7	Reduced Hard Exudates and Microaneurysms with Faricimab Compared with Aflibercept: The YOSEMITE/RHINE Study	Dr Debdulal Chakraborty (FP)	03:42 PM - 03:51 PM
8	Perspectives on CRISPR- Based Diagnostic Platform in Management of Fungal Endophthalmitis	Dr Sreelakshmi P (FP)		8	Test Comparative Evaluation of Macular Image Quality from Artelus Ezzenial SD-OCT and Topcon 3D Maestro SD-OCT Systems in Normal Eyes	Dr Divyansh K Mishra (FP)	03:51 PM - 04:00 PM
	9. Title of the Session: Abbvie Sponsored Session - Precision Medicine in DME: Targeted Approach		04:00 PM - 04:30 PM		10. Title of the Session: Bayer Sponsored Session : From Molecule to management - A Global Expert Symposium		04:00 PM - 04:30 PM
	Moderator - Dr Chaitra Jayadev Expert Panelist : 1. Dr Dhanashree Ratra 2. Dr Chaitra Jayadev 3. Dr Aditya Sudhalkar				Chairpersion - Dr Lalit Verma Co-Chair - Dr George Manayath Moderator - 1. Dr M.R. Dogra 2. Dr Mudit Tyagi Expert Panelist : 1. Dr Nishikant Borse 2. Dr Debdulal Chakraborty 3. Dr Santosh GK 4. Dr Rajesh P		04:00 PM - 04:30 PM

	Predicting Outcomes in DME: Clinical Profiling and Innovations	Dr Dhanashree Ratra	04:00 PM - 04:08 PM	1	Beyond VEGF Inhibition: Molecular Distinctions and Mechanistic Insights into Anti-VEGF Agents	Keynote Lectures - Dr Michael Stewart (USA) 10 min / 5 min	04:00 PM - 04:15 PM
	Biomarker Landscape in DR: Molecular and Imaging Insights	Dr Chaitra Jayadev	04:08 PM - 04:16 PM	2	Enhancing Treatment Durability in Retinal Disease: Clinical Utility of the Anti VEGF in Treat-and-Extend Strategy	Keynote Lectures - Dr Peter Kaiser (USA) (V)10 min / 5 min	04:15 PM - 04:30 PM
	Precision Medicine in Naïve DME	Dr Aditya Sudhalkar	04:16 PM - 04:24 PM				
	Panel Discussion		04:24 PM - 04:30 PM				

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	11. Title of the Session: American Societyof Retina Specialists session (V)		04.30 PM - 05.30 PM		12. Title of the Session: - Egyptian Vitreoretinal Society session (V)		04.30 PM - 05.30 PM
	Adventures of managing challenging retinal cases				Atypical non-rhegmatogenous Retinal detachment in adults		
	Moderator - Dr S. Natarajan				Moderator - Dr Vaibhav Sethi	Moderator - Dr Mahmoud Soliman (V)	-
1	Sticklers Adventures	Dr Audina M. Berrocal (V)	04:30 PM - 04:40 PM	1	Exudative RD in uveal effusion syndrome	Dr. Sherif Sheta (V)	04:30 PM - 04:40 PM
2	Proliferative Sickle Cell Retinopathy: Practical Pearls	Dr Adrienne W. Scott (V)	04:40 PM - 4:50 PM	2	Retinal detachment Masquerades	Dr. Hany Hamza (V)	04:40 PM - 4:50 PM
3	Working Too Hard?	Dr Katherine E. Talcott (V)	04:50 PM - 05:00 PM	3	Subretinal fluid drainage in Coats disease	Dr. Mohamed Nawara (V)	04:50 PM - 05:00 PM
4	Retinoschisis Adventures	Dr Aleksandra V. Rachitskaya (V)	05:00 PM - 05:10 PM	4	Atypical CSR and pachychoroidopathy	Dr. Karim Adly (V)	05:00 PM - 05:10 PM
5	Management of Optic Disc Pit	Dr Sunir Gharg (V)	05:10 PM - 05:20 PM	5	VKH and other inflammatory causes of subretinal fluid	Dr. Dina Baddar (V)	05:10 PM - 05:20 PM
	Discussion	10 min	05:20 PM - 05:30 PM		Discussion	10 min	05:20 PM - 05:30 PM

Coffee Break : 05:30 - 06:00 pm							
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Day 2 : Saturday : 1st November 2025							
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Hall A		Time	Hall B		Time		
13. Title of the Session - Optimizing Medical Retina Practice		08:30 AM - 09:30 AM	14. Title of the Session - ROP Controversies & Pediatric Retina		08:30 AM - 09:30 AM		
Talk: 10 min: Discussion : 2 min			Key note lecture: 10 min; Discussion: 2 min Talk: 5 min; Discussion: 7 min				
Moderator: Dr Vishal Agarwal			Moderator: Dr Anand Vinekar				
Wise-council 1. Dr Neil Mascarenhas 2. Dr Deepti Kulkarni 3. Dr Syed Mohideen Abdul Khadar 4. Dr Vinod Agarwal 5. Dr Wathsala Gunasekara 6. Dr Col Sanjay Kumar Mishra			Wise-council 1. Dr Wai-Ching Lam 2. Dr Sanyam Bajimaya 3. Dr Mangat Dogra 4. Dr Pramod Bhende 5. Dr Karobi Lahiri 6. Dr Vasumathy Vedantham				
	Topic	Speakers	Time		Topic	Speakers	Time
1	Topic-Evidence on effectiveness and safety for clinicians in Antivgef(Ranieyes).	Dr Ashish Sharma Lupin Sponsored Talk	08:30 AM - 08:42 AM	1	Juvenile Retinoschisis: what is the road ahead?	Dr Prof Wai-Ching Lam - Key Note Lecture	08:30 AM - 08:42 AM
2	Impact of High-Resolution and true color Widefield Imaging on Clinical Decision Making in Retinal Disorders	Dr Gopal S. Pillai Ziess Sponsored Talk	08:42 AM - 08:54 AM	2	Single vs Multiple anti VEGF injections in ROP	Dr Alay Banker	08:42 AM - 08:54 AM
3	Multicolour Imaging : A funny looking Fundus Photo or more?	Dr Somnath Chakraborty Toshbro Sponsored Talk	08:54 AM - 09:06 AM	3	Bilateral treatment in ROP: anti VEGF and surgery	Dr Deeksha Katoch	08:54 AM - 09:06 AM
4	VISION-AF: Real-World Evidence on the Efficacy and Durability of Anti-VEGF in Indian Patients with DME	Dr Chaitra Jayadev Bayer Sponsored Session Talk	09:06 AM - 09:18 AM	4	ROP Litigation: safeguards and lessons learnt	Dr Samarth Agarwal	09:06 AM - 09:18 AM
5	Discussion		09:18 AM - 09:30 AM	5	Persistent Avascular Retina after Anti VEGF: what to do & when	Dr Anil Gangwe	09:18 AM - 09:30 AM

Coffee Break : 09:30 AM - 10:00 AM							
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10:00 – 11:30 am	15. Awards Session (On the Dais: President, Secretary, Scientific Committee Convener / President elect)	
	10.00 – 10.05 am : Introduction of Nataraja Pillai Oration Awardee - Dr Kim Ramasamy	
	10.05 – 10.20 am : Nataraja Pillai Oration - : Dr : Anita Agarwal, Collective Clues lead to Discoveries – Masters to Mere Mortals	
	10.20 – 10.25 am : Introduction of Dr. B Patnaik Oration Awardee - Dr. Manisha Agarwal	
	10.25 – 10.40 am : Dr. B Patnaik Oration- : Dr Vishali Gupta : Beyond Borders, Beyond Beliefs: Deconstructing White Dot Syndromes	
	10.40 – 10.45 am : Introduction of Dr S.S.Badrinath Oration Awardee - Dr Vishali Gupta	

		10.45 - 11.00 am : Dr S.S.Badrinath Oration - : Dr Ajit Babu Majji : Journey Through The Wood							
		11.00 - 11.05 am : Introduction of Prof Namperumalsamy Young Researcher Awardee- Dr P Mahesh Shanmugam							
		11.05 – 11.15 am : Prof Namperumalsamy Awardee Oration - : Dr Simar Rajan Singh : Laser -The Gold Standard for Management of Retinopathy of Prematurity							
Coffee Break : 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM									
	16. Title of the Session: IRD & Genetherapy - Controversies Key note lecture: 10 min ; discussion: 2 min Talk: 10 min ; Discussion : 2 min Free Paper (FP): 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Rajani Battu Wise-council 1. Dr Anita Agarwal 2. Dr Srikanta Kumar Padhy 3. Dr Parveen Sen 4. Dr Subina Narang 5. Dr Samendra Karkhur 6. Dr Dharmesh Kar		12:00 – 01:30 pm			17. Title of the Session: European VitreoRetinal Society Session - (V) Moderator: Dr Sangeet Mittal Wise-council 1. Dr Giampaolo Gini (V) 2. Dr Ahmed Sallam (V) 3. Dr David Martins (V) 4. Dr Tatiana Avanesova (V) 5. Dr Matteo Forlini (V) 6. Dr Nur Acar (V)		12:00 – 01:30 pm	
	Topic	Speakers	Time		Topic	Speakers	Time		
1	Restoring vision in inherited retinal disorders with synthetic opsin	Dr Samarendra Mohanty	12:00 PM - 12:12 PM	1	Unimanual segmentation	Dr Ameen Marashi (V)	12:00 PM - 12:12 PM		
2	Challenges in Gene Therapy	Dr Deepika Parameswarappa	12:12 PM - 12:24 PM	2	Mitomycin C in the management of pediatric retinal detachments to prevent PVR	Dr Jayanto Shekhar Guha	12:12 PM - 12:24 PM		
3	RPE replacement therapy in dry AMD	Dr Rajani Battu	12:24 PM - 12:36 PM	3	Suprachoroidal Viscopexy for Rhegmatogenous Retinal Detachment: A Novel Delivery Platform	Dr Rajeev Muni (V)	12:24 PM - 12:36 PM		
4	Advances in Inherited Retinopathies	Dr Prof Anita Agarwal - Keynote Lecture	12:36 PM - 12:48 PM	4	Peripheral Vascular Findings in Fluorescein Angiography after Primary Bevacizumab for ROP and in Spontaneous Regressed ROP	Dr Susana Teixeira (V)	12:36 PM - 12:48 PM		
5	Discussion		12:48 PM - 01:00 PM	5	GRT ; Paediatric age wise approach to treat	Dr Hussain Ahmad Khaqan (V)	12:48 PM - 01:00 PM		
6	Redefining Retinal Care with Prefilled Precision	Dr Daraius Shroff (10 min) Intas Sponsored Talk	01:00 PM - 01:12 PM	6	Aflibercept vs Ranibizumab Biosimilars: At the Crossroads of Treatment Choice	Dr Ashish Sharma	01:00 PM - 01:12 PM		
				7	Discussion	15 min	01:12 PM - 01:30 PM		
7	Phenotype – Genotype Correlation of Autosomal Recessive Best Disease (ARB) in South India	Dr U Sanjana Rao (FP)	01:12 PM - 01:21 PM:						
8	Establishing an Institutional Registry for Inherited Retinal Diseases in South India: Lessons from the ARIDE Program	Dr Anju Jose (FP)	01:21 PM - 01:30 PM						
Lunch Break : 1:30 PM – 2:30 PM									
	18. Title of the Session: J M Pahwa Session Presentation: 8 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Chitrnanjan Mishra Judges: 1. Dr Rajvardhan Azad 2. Dr Ajit Babu Majji 3. Dr N S Muralidhar 4. Dr Mangat Dogra 5. Dr Giridhar A 6. Dr Prashant Keshao Bawankule		02:30 – 04:30 pm			19. Title of the Session: Interesting Cases Presentation: 3 min ; Discussion: 7 min Moderator: Dr Vasumathy Vedantham Wise-council/ Judges: 1. Dr Prof Michael Stewart 2. Dr Anita Agarwal 3. Dr Taraprasad Das 4. Dr Lingam Gopal 5. Dr Naresh Babu Kannan 6. Dr Farhat Fatima		02:30 – 04:30 pm	
	Topic	Speakers	Time		Topic	Speakers	Time		
1	5-year Longterm Follow-up in RP Subjects Who Received Intravitreal MCO-010 in the Phase I/IIa Open Label, Dose-Escalation Study - The final report	Dr Santosh Kumar Mahapatra	02:30 PM - 2:42 PM	1	Foveal Hypoplasia: A Morphological Mystery with Genetic Clues!	Dr.Sumant Vinayak Sharma	02:30 PM - 02:40 PM		
2	When the Margins Glow Twice: Dual Autofluorescence as a Harbinger of Paradoxical Worsening in Tubercular Serpiginous-like Choroiditis	Dr Cherukuri Navya	02:42 PM - 2:54 PM	2	Macular telangiectasia with bidirectional network extending as epiretinal and subretinal neovascularization in proliferative diabetic retinopathy	Dr Shweta Jagdeesh	02:40 PM - 02:50 PM		
3	To compare the efficacy of Inj Ranibizumab 0.25 mg versus Inj Aflibercept 1 mg (1 mg in 0.025 ml) in infants with Retinopathy of Prematurity.	Dr Prof Pradeep Kumar	02:54 PM - 3:06 PM	3	Histopathological and cytological evidence of cysts of Toxoplasma gondii in an atypical case of bilateral necrotizing retinitis	Dr Prof Reema Bansal	02:50 PM - 03:00 PM		
4	Assessing Retinal Sensitivity Using Full-Field Stimulus Testing and Its Correlation With Fundus Autofluorescence in Inherited Retinal Diseases	Dr Deepika C Parameswarappa	03:06 PM - 3:18 PM	4	Challenges in management of optic nerve head capillary hemangioma with surface fibrosis	Dr Sriram R	03:00 PM - 03:10 PM		
5	Comparison of efficacy and recurrence rates of Intravitreal Ranibizumab and Ranibizumab biosimilar in Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP)	Dr Komal	03:18 PM - 3:30 PM	5	Seeing Beyond the Odds: CRAO in Pregnancy with atypical Delayed Reperfusion	Dr Srishti R	03:10 PM - 03:20 PM		
6	Microneedle scleral patch: A transscleral drug delivery study for retinoblastoma	Dr Vishal Raval	03:30 PM - 3:42 PM	6	Out of sight : A mysterious vision loss in the third trimester .	Dr Sandeep Kumar	03:20 PM - 03:30 PM		
7	Silicone oil PFCL layered sandwich (SPLASH) in complex and recurrent retinal detachments	Dr Khushboo Chauhan	03:42 PM - 3:54 PM	7	Coexistent IRVAN and ROP in a Preterm Infant- A Challenge	Dr Vivek Kumar Jha	03:30 PM - 03:40 PM		
8	Cracking the Macular Hole Code: Diving into the Void- A Novel Predictor For Surgical Success	D Tanya Balakrishnan	03:54 PM - 4:06 PM	8	When the Cure Causes a Crisis – Managing Post Anti-VEGF Endophthalmitis in Retinopathy of Prematurity	Dr Simar Rajan	03:40 PM - 03:50 PM		
9	Preoperative Intravitreal Visco-cohesive Injection Treatment in Rhegmatogenous Retinal detachment with Choroidal Detachment	Dr Devesh Kumawat	04:06 PM - 4:18 PM	9	The Myopic Horror	Dr Gagan Bhatia	03:50 PM - 04:00 PM		
10	Real-World Visual and Optical Outcomes of Pupilloplasty in Glued Intraocular Lens Eyes with Irregular Mydriatic Pupils	Dr Vipin Rana	04:18 PM - 4:30 PM	10	Uveitis Masquerade Syndrome in Lung Cancer	Dr Pratyusha G	04:00 PM - 04:10 PM		

					11	Retinal Clues in an Immune Maze - Atypical Toxoplasma Retinitis in MCTD Patient on Rituximab: Diagnostic Dilemma and Surgical Recovery After RD	Dr Sarang Gupta	04:10 PM - 04:20 PM
Physical Poster Judging 02.30 - 04.30 pm - Physical Poster Display Area -- Judges - Dr Rajpal Vohra , Dr P. Sriharanathan , Dr Manjunath B A, Dr Saurabh Luthra, Dr Samendra Karkhur								
	20. Title of the Session: Novartis sponsored symposim - Transcending Horizons in DME Management		04:30 PM - 05:00 PM		21. Title of the Session: Alexandria vitreoretinal Society Session		04:30 PM - 05:00 PM	
	Key note lecture: 10 min ; Discussion: 5 min				Key note lecture: 10 min ; Discussion: 5 min			
	Moderator: Dr Chaitra Jayadev				Moderator: Dr Lalit Verma			
	Wise-council 1. Dr Dr Prashant Bawankule 2. Dr Lalit Verma 3. Dr Debdulal Chakraborty				Wise-council 1. Dr Umesh Chandra Behera 2. Dr Col Sanjay Kumar mishra 3. Dr Wathsala Gunasekara			
1	Context Setting & Introduction	Dr Chaitra Jayadev	04:30 PM - 04:34 PM	1	A new macular buckle design for myopic macular hole detachment	Dr Ahmed Ezzat - Key Note Lecture	04:30 PM - 04:45 PM	
2	Current Paradigms of DME Management - transforming clinical practice	Dr Prashant Bawankule	04:34 PM - 04:41 PM	2	Controversies in PPV for tractional retinal detachment	Dr Ahmed Younis - Key Note Lecture	04:45 PM - 05:00 PM	
3	Our Centre's experience with a potent Anti VEGF in DME	Dr Debdulal Chakraborty	04:41 PM - 04:48 PM					
4	Challenging Case of DME - My approach	Dr Lalit Verma	04:48 PM - 04:55 PM					
	Q&A		04:55 PM - 05:00 PM					
GBM with Coffee served in the hall : 05:00 – 06:00 pm								
Gala Dinner - 07:00 pm Onwards								
Day 3 : Sunday : 2nd November 2025								
	Hall A		Time		Hall B		Time	
	22. Title of the Session : Top 12 Videos		08:30 AM- 10:00 AM		23. Title of the Session: Retinal Imaging & Controversies		08:30 AM - 10:00 AM	
	Video Presentation : 4 min ; Discussion : 3 min				Talk: 5 min ; Discussion : 7 min Key note lecture: 10 min ; Discussion: 2 min			
	Moderator: Dr Manoj Khatri				Moderator: Dr Unnikrishnan Nair			
	Judges: 1. Dr Giriraj Vibhute 2. Dr Guruprasad A 3. Dr Manisha Agarwal 4. Dr Vishali Gupta 5. Dr Rajvardhan Azad 6. Dr Srinivas Joshi				Wise-council 1. Dr Subash Bhatta 2. Dr Rupesh Agarwal 3. Dr Manayath George Joseph 4. Dr Karobi Lahiri 5. Dr Ritesh Narula 6. Dr Sribhargava N			
	Topic	Speakers	Time		Topic	Speakers	Time	
1	An IOL Fishing Expedition Gone Haywire: Retinal Incarceration In A SICS Wound	Dr Bagewadi Rasika	08:30 AM - 08:37 AM	1	Cannula vs. Camera: Has Invasive Angiography Become Obsolete?	Dr Santosh Gopikrishna	08:30 AM - 08:42 AM	
2	Beneath The Surface (Managing Submacular Haemorrhage)	Dr Tejaswita Verma	08:37 AM - 08:44 AM	2	Multimodal Imaging vs. OCT Solo: Innovation or Unnecessary Excess?	Dr Jay Sheth	08:42 AM - 08:54 AM	
3	How small is too small?! Managing retinal detachment in MPPC syndrome	Dr Vinay Patil	08:44 AM - 08:51 AM	3	Widefield imaging: Worth the cost for Routine Retina Care?	Dr Unnikrishnan Nair	08:54 AM - 09:06 AM	
4	Nuances of ILM flap in Failed macular Hole	Dr Avnindra Gupta	08:51 AM - 08:58 AM	4	OCT biomarkers: Research Metric or Clinical Tool?	Dr Shilpi Narnaware	09:06 AM - 09:18 AM	
5	Tug of war- a stretch in time saves nine!	Dr Daraius Shroff	08:58 AM - 09:05 AM	5	Deep Learning vs. Doctors: Will Algorithms Eclipse the Retina Specialist?	Dr Shane Mathew	09:18 AM - 09:30 AM	
6	Dancing worm	Dr Janani Sreenivasan	09:05 AM - 09:12 AM	6	Molecular mechanisms or the treatment for central serous chorioretinopathy	Dr Prof Shigeru Honda - Key Note Lecture	09:30 AM - 09:42 AM	
7	Innovative SRF Management Under Silicone Oil in ReRD: A Case of Precision Without BSS	Dr Annaji Rao Kota	09:12 AM - 09:19 AM	7	Ranibizumab Biosimilar (Oceva): Real-World Experience from India (RORE Study)	Dr Jay Seth (10 Min) SUN Sponsored Talk	09:42 AM - 09:54 AM	
8	Chorioretinectomy in PDR surgery	Dr Bidisha Panjjyok	09:19 AM- 09:26 AM					
9	Beneath the Retina: A Battle against Bleed	Dr Nikita Goel	09:26 AM - 09:33 AM					
10	Management Challenges following Expulsive Suprachoroidal Hemorrhage During Cataract Surgery in a One-Eyed Patient	Dr Devesh Kumawat	09:33 AM - 09:40 AM					
11	When time is a factor: managing an old submacular haemorrhage	Dr Vikas Ambiya	09:40 AM- 09:47 AM					

12	Resilience Proliferans	Dr Gagan Bhatia	09:47 AM- 09:54 AM				
	24. Title of the Session : Hack The Tech Video presentation : 3 min ; Discussion : 9 min Moderator: Dr Raju Sampangi Judges 1. Dr Sunil Ganekal 2. Dr Sachin Mahuli 3. Dr Piyush bansal 4. Dr Rajeev Jain 5. Dr Kim Ramasamy 6. Dr Rupak Kanti Biswas		10:00 – 11:30 am		25. Title of the Session : Ocular Oncology - Controversies Key note lecture: 15 min Talk: 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Free Paper (FP): 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Santosh Honawar Wise-council 1. Dr Carol L Shields 2. Dr Rolika Bansal 3. Dr Lingam Gopal 4. Dr Mahesh Shanmugam 5. Dr Mohit Dogra 6. Dr Neiwete Lomi 7. Dr Suguneshwari R 8. Dr Vishal Raval	10:00 – 11:30 am	
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1	Time-Lapse Tomography (TLT): Neural Interpolation of Serial OCTs for Dynamic Retinal Imaging	Dr Athul S Puthalath	10:00 AM - 10:12 AM		1 Choroidal Hemangioma - Injectables Vs Laser Procedures Vs Brachytherapy	Dr Carol L Shields (V) - Keynote Lecture	10:00 AM - 10:15 AM
2	ROP-SSTS - Retinopathy of Prematurity Screening - Sankara - Skill Transfer System	Dr Divyansh K Mishra	10:12 AM - 10:24 AM		2 DLBCL as an Initial Presentation of Richter Transformation	Dr Vishal Raval	10:15 AM - 10:24 AM
3	Piercing Precision: A Novel VR Technique for Premium IOL Stabilization	Dr Gaurav Malwe	10:24 AM - 10:36 AM		3 Shadows in the Young Eye - Diagnostic and Therapeutic Mysteries	Dr Neiwete Lomi	10:24 AM - 10:33 AM
4	i-Align: A Minimalist, Smart Headband to Monitor and Improve Postoperative Positioning After Retinal Surgery.	Dr Subhodeep Thakur	10:36 AM - 10:48 AM		4 Controversies in Managing Diffuse Vitreous Seeds in Retinoblastoma	Dr Rolika Bansal	10:33 AM - 10:42 AM
5	Novel Peripheral Micro-PVD Technique Using Flute Needle Connected to Active Suction to Facilitate Outside-In Dissection in Extensive Diabetic TRDs	Dr Srishti R	10:48 AM - 11:00 AM		5 Endoresection of Choroidal Melanoma	Dr Mohit Dogra	10:42 AM - 10:51 AM
6	Break free from the shackles- Micro-VFC guided subretinal BSS injection by a curved tip 40 G needle to combat submacular exudation in Coats' disease.	Dr Subhendu Kumar Boral	03:42 PM - 03:51 PM		Melanocytoma to melanoma - Pick the clues	Dr Suguneshwari G	10:51 AM - 11:00 AM
7	A Novel Sclerotomy Closure Device (CSSD : Sclerotomy Closure and Scleral Depressor Device)	Dr Ajay Aurora	03:51 PM - 04:00 PM		7 Retina Astrocytic Hamartoma With/Without Tuberous Sclerosis:A Comparative Analysis By Multimodal Imaging	Dr Dibya Prabha (FP)	11:03 AM - 11:12 AM
					8 Ultra-wide field OCT characteristics of Retinal Capillary Hemangioblastoma	Dr Yennapu Poorna Chandrika (FP)	11:13 AM - 11:22 AM
					9 Comparative Outcomes of Intravitreal Chemotherapy Regimens in Retinoblastoma: A Retrospective Cohort Analysis	Dr Renu Puthenvilayil Rajan (FP)	11:22 AM - 11:31 AM
	26. Title of the Session: USI session Controversies Key note lecture: 10 min ; discussion: 2 min Talk: 5 min : Discussion: 7 min Free Paper (FP): 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Sudharshan Wise-council 1. Dr Rupesh Agarwal 2. Dr Prof Jyotirmay Biswas 3. Dr Alay Banker 4. Dr Mudit Tyagi 5. Dr Aniruddha Agarwal		11:30 – 01:00 PM		27. Title of the Session : Scleral Buckling Controversies Key note lecture: 10 min ; Discussion: 2 min Talk: 8 min ; Discussion: 4 min Free Paper (FP): 5 min ; Discussion: 4 min Moderator: Dr Padmaja Kumari Rani Wise-council 1. Dr Vatsal Parikh 2. Dr Sourav Sinha 3. Dr Hemanth Murthy 4. Dr Naresh Yadav 5. Dr Satyen Deka 6. Dr Sharad Shantinath Bhomaj		11:30 – 01:00 PM
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1	The changing face of cytomegalovirus retinitis	Dr Prof Michael Stewart - Key Note	11:30 AM – 11:42 AM		1 Retinal Detachment Surgery: A Stepwise Approach to Fundamentals	Dr Wathsala Gunasekara - Key Note Lecture	11:30 AM - 11:42 AM
2	Biologicals as Primary Therapy: Are We There Yet? (A case-based discussion on the early use of biologics and potential side effects)	Dr Balamurugan	11:42 – 11:54 AM		2 Minimalist Scleral Buckling: Less is More?	Dr Abhishek Kothari	11:42 AM - 11:54 AM
3	Ocular Tuberculosis: Infection or Hypersensitivity? (Do we need ATT to treat even reactivations/recurrences)	Dr Rohan Chawla	11:54 – 12:06 PM		3 Encircling Band 42 Alone: One Size Fits All?	Dr Hemanth Murthy	11:54 AM - 12:06 PM
4	Therapeutic Vitrectomy in Uveitis: (Can it reduce infective load and/or treatment burden?)	Dr Mohit Dogra	12:06 – 12:18 PM		4 Drainage vs. No Drainage: To Tap or Not to Tap?	Dr Naresh Yadav	12:06 PM - 12:18 PM
5	Phacoemulsification with IOL in Pediatric Uveitis: (Is it ever a viable option? Or has it run its course ?)	Dr Natasha	12:18 – 12:30 PM		5 Chandelier-Assisted vs. Conventional Buckling: Visualizing the Future?	Dr Mohit Dogra	12:18 PM - 12:30 PM
6	Depot Steroids in Retinal Infections Alongside Anti-Infectives: Helpful adjunct or dangerous gamble?	Dr Amruta More	12:30 – 12:42 PM		6 Discussion		12:30 PM - 12:42 PM
7	Ultra-Widefield Imaging with Blend Function for Multifocal Choroiditis: An Emerging Alternative to Fundus Autofluorescence	Dr Mousumi Banerjee (FP)	12:42 – 12:51 PM		7 Short-Term Endotamponade With Perfluorocarbon Liquids for Giant Retinal Tear–Associated Retinal Detachment	Dr Naresh Babu (10 min) Aurolab Sponsored Talk	12:42 PM - 12:51 PM
8	Intraretinal and Subretinal Fluid Resolution with Vamikibart in Uveitic Macular Edema: DOVETAIL study	Dr Prof Jyotirmay Biswas (FP)	12:51 – 01:00 PM		8 Impact of Bacillary Layer Detachment on Visual Outcomes in Acute Fovea-Involving Rhegmatogenous Retinal Detachment.	Dr Pragati Raj (FP)	12:51 PM - 01:00 PM
Valedictory Function : 01:30 – 02:00 PM							
Lunch : 02.00 PM Onwards							
Dr. P. Mahesh Shanmugam, Convener, Scientific Committee VitreoRetinal Society of India							