

CURRICULUM VITAE

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LICENSURE State of California, 1981, G45822
State of New York, 1982, 149831

EDUCATION

1971-1974 Bronx High School of Science

1974-1976 Northwestern University, Evanston, IL.
B.S.

1976-1980 Northwestern University Medical School, Chicago, IL.
M.D.

1980-1981 Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA.
Pediatric Intern

1981-1982 Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA.
Pediatric, PL-2

1982-1983 The New York Hospital, New York, New York
Pediatric, PL-3

1983-1984 The Jules Stein Eye Institute-UCLA, Los Angeles, CA.
Ophthalmology, PL-2

1984-1985 The Jules Stein Eye Institute-UCLA, Los Angeles, CA.
Ophthalmology, PL-3

1985-1986 The Jules Stein Eye Institute-UCLA, Los Angeles, CA.
Ophthalmology, PL-4

1986-1987 The Jules Stein Eye Institute/Henry I. Baylis, M.D.
Fellowship in Ophthalmic Plastic, Reconstructive and
Orbital Surgery

WORK EXPERIENCE

Private Practice Rona Z. Silkiss MD, FACS limited to Oculofacial

Plastic and Orbit Surgery, 1987-present.

Skin Institute, Remarkables Park, Queenstown, NZ, ~2014-2024

CERTIFICATIONS

Diplomate, National Board of Medical Examiners, 1981
Board Certified, American Board of Pediatrics, 1985
Board Certified, American Board of Ophthalmology, 1987

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL AND SCHOLARLY SOCIETIES

Alpha Omega Alpha, 1980- present
Fellow, American Academy of Pediatrics, 1983-present
Fellow, American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic &
Reconstructive Surgery, 1988- present
Fellow, American College of Surgeons, 1990-present
Fellow, American Academy of Ophthalmology, 1988-present
Fellow, American Academy of Cosmetic Surgeons, 1999-2016
Fellow, American Ophthalmological Society, 2016- present

American Medical Association
California Academy of Ophthalmology
Women in Ophthalmology
Association of Women Surgeons
American Medical Women's Association
California Medical Association
Alameda-Contra Costa Medical Association
San Francisco Medical Association
Santa Clara Medical Association

TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

Chief, Division of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery,
California Pacific Medical Center 2000-present
Core Teaching Faculty, Oculofacial Plastic and Orbit Surgery,
California Pacific Medical Center, 1988-present.
Lecturer, Jules Stein Eye Institute, 1988-present
Assistant Clinical Professor, University of California, Berkeley
Assistant Clinical Professor, University of California, San
Francisco 1997- 2005
Clinical Professor, California Pacific Medical Center, 2000-
present

PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Board of Directors, California Academy of Ophthalmology,
1997-2018

Assistant Vice President of Public Information, California
Academy of Ophthalmology, 1997-1998

Assistant Vice President of Insurance Affairs, California
Academy of Ophthalmology, 2001-2007

President, East Bay Ophthalmology Society, 1993-1995

Education Committee, American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and
Reconstructive Surgeons, 1995-present

Councilor, American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic Reconstructive
and Orbital Surgery, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011

Alternate Councilor, American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and
Reconstructive Surgeons, 1999-2004

Nominating Committee Subspecialty Section, American Academy of
Ophthalmology Council, 2008, 2009

Advocacy Committee, American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and
Reconstructive Surgeons, 2006, 2007

Awards Committee, American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2005, 2006,
2007

Co-chair, CAR Section, Midyear Forum, American Academy of
Ophthalmology, 2007

Co-chair, Pacific Northwest Section, Midyear Forum, American
Academy of Ophthalmology, 2007

Co-chair. Pacific Northwest Section, Fall Council Meeting,
American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2007

Media Consultant, American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2006-
present

Specialty Physician Advisor, California Advantage
Admissions Committee, Northwestern University Medical School,
1988-present

Advisory Board, California Society of Cosmetic Surgeons

Ask the Expert, Oculofacial Plastics and Orbit, American Academy
of Ophthalmology, 2012- present.

Editorial Board, Eye Wiki, American Academy of Ophthalmology,
2013- present.

SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD

Raven Biotherapeutics, South San Francisco, 2006- 2008

Myoscience, South San Francisco, 2008- 2009

Immunovant, 2022

Lassen Therapeutics, 2022-present

CONSULTANT

GLG

Expert Connect
ClearView
Dialectica

CLINICAL TRIALS- PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

The Use of Rituximab for Thyroid Eye Disease- completed 2014.

Epidiolex for the Treatment of Benign Essential Blepharospasm-
completed 2020.

Tourmaline Bio, IL6 Inhibition for TED, 2025.

Argenx, FcRn Inhibition for TED, 2025.

REVIEWER

The Journal of Ophthalmic Plastic Reconstructive and Orbital
Surgery

Orbit

The Journal of the American Medical Association- Ophthalmology

Survey of Ophthalmology

American Journal of Ophthalmology Case Reports

Clinical, Cosmetic and Investigational Dermatology

Journal of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgery

Ophthalmology and Therapy

BMC Ophthalmology

BMC Endocrine Disorders

International Ophthalmology

Abstracts Reviewer, Aesthetic Section, Annual Meeting of the
American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive
Surgery, 2005-2010

Abstracts Reviewer, Reconstructive Section, Annual Meeting of
the American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive
Surgery, 2008-2010

Editorial Board, EyeWiki, AAO, 2012-present
Ask the Expert, AAO, 2012-present.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Pacific Vision Foundation, 2015-present
Aspen Surgery Center, 2019-present
Buck Institute, 2022-2024

HONORS

Arista Honor Society
Salutatorian - Bronx High School of Science
Governor's Citation for Excellence
Alpha Lambda Delta, Honor Society
Dean's List - Northwestern University
Alpha Omega Alpha
American Medical Women's Association Award
Lange Award
Parkinson's Disease Foundation Fellowship
Merle Carson Prize for Pediatric Research
Jules Stein Institute Research Award
Robert Axelrod Memorial Lecturer, 1999
American Academy of Ophthalmology Achievement Award, 2003
California Pacific Medical Center, Resident Recognition Award,
2010
American Academy of Ophthalmology, Distinguished Service Award,
2011
American Academy of Ophthalmology, Best Paper, 2010
American Academy of Ophthalmology Senior Achievement Award, 2012
American Ophthalmological Society, 2016

Barkan Society Research Award, Mentoring Dr. Ako Takakura, 2013
Barkan Society Research Award, Mentoring Dr. Ako Takakura, 2014
Barkan Society Research Award, Mentoring Dr. M. Govorkova, 2016
Barkan Society Research Award, Mentoring Dr. M. Govorkova, 2017
Barkan Society Research Award, Mentoring Dr. M. Govorkova, 2018
Barkan Society Research Award, Mentoring Drs. T. Truong and
Koppinger, 2021
Barkan Society Research Award, Mentoring Dr. T. Truong, 2022
Barkan Society Research Award, Mentoring Dr. S. Griffin, 2025

California Pacific Medical Center Resident Teaching Award, 2010
California Pacific Medical Center Resident Teaching Award, 2017
California Pacific Medical Center Resident Teaching Award, 2025

Northwestern University 33rd Annual Resident Research Day
Lecturer, 2017

Merrill Reeh Pathology Award, ASOPRS, 2019

William B. Spencer Lecture, CPMC, 2021

Best Doctors in America- 2002-2025

America's Top Ophthalmologists- 2005-2025

People's Choice Doctor- 2009-2025

MISSION SURGERY

KENYA 1987

PAKISTAN 1989

CAMBODIA 1992

UZBEKISTAN 1993-PROJECT ORBIS

LITHUANIA 1999-PROJECT ORBIS

TIBET 2009- TIBET VISION PROJECT

PUBLICATIONS

PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES

Silkiss RZ, Baylis HI, Autogenous Fat Grafting by Injection. Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, 1987; 3(2):71-75

Baylis HI, Silkiss RZ, A Structurally Oriented Approach to the Repair of Cicatricial Entropion. Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, 1987; 3(1):17-20

Baylis HI, Silkiss RZ, Jaeger Eyelid Plate from Pyrex Glass. Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, 1987; 3(1): 49

Silkiss RZ, Glasgow BJ, Baylis, HI, Revascularization Studies of an Opposing Eyelid Pedicle Flap. Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, 1989; 5(1):110-117

Silkiss RZ, Carroll RP, Transconjunctival Surgery, Ophthalmic Surgery. 1992; 23(4):288-91

Silkiss RZ, Axelrod RN, Iwach AG, Vassiliadis A, Hennings DR, Transcanalicular THC: YAG Dacryocystorhinostomy. Ophthalmic Surgery, 1992; 23(5):351-53

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Silkiss RZ, Eight-fold Path to Happiness for the Cosmetic Surgery Patient, Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, 2006; 22(3):157-160

Pham RT, Biesman BS, Silkiss RZ, Treatment of Trichiasis with the 810 nm Diode Laser: An Efficacy Study, Ophthalmic Plastic, Reconstructive and Orbital Surgery, 2006 Nov; 22(6):445-447

Management of complications after insertion of the SmartPlug™ punctal plug: a study of 28 patient, Smart Plug Study Group Ophthalmology 2006 Oct; 113(10):1859-1862

McCracken M, Khan J, Silkiss RZ. et al, Hyaluronic Acid Gel (Restylane) Filler for Facial Rhytids: Lessons Learned from American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery Member Treatment of 286 Patients. Ophthalmic Plastic Reconstructive and Orbital Surgery, 2006; 22(3):188-191

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Ho VH, Chevez-Barrios P, Jorgensen JL, Silkiss RZ, Esmaeli B Receptor Expression in Orbital Inflammatory Syndromes and Implications for Targeted Therapy; Tissue Antigen 2007 Aug; 70(2):105-9.

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Silkiss RZ, Pomerleau D, et al, Corneal Cupremia in Multiple Myeloma: A Clinicopathologic Correlation Archives Ophthalmol. 2008 Jul; 126(7):1005-6

Silkiss RZ, Green JE, Shetlar DJ, Small Cell Neuroendocrine Carcinoma of the Eyelid Ophthal Plast Reconstr Surg. 2008 Jul-Aug; 24(4):319-21

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Nielsen J, Fassi D, Nielsen C, Hegedus L, Lauer S, Silkiss RZ, Prause J. Evidence of Orbital B and T cell Depletion after Rituximab Therapy in Graves' Ophthalmopathy, *Acta Ophthalmol*, 2009 Nov; 87(8):927-9

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Treatment Failure of Rituximab for Thyroid Eye Disease,
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of Periocular and Orbital Basal Cell Carcinoma, JAMA Ophthalmol.
2013; 131(12):1591-1594. doi:10.1001/jamaophthalmol.2013.5018

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Orbitopathy.
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Orbit with Angiomyxoid Features, J Pediatr Ophthalmol Strabismus
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carcinoma--reply.
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Ophthalmopathy in Graves' Disease, OPRS, Ophthal Plast Reconstr
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in Severe Thyroid Eye Disease, Ophthal Plast Reconstr Surg. 2016
Jun 8.

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Resection Through the Use of Locking Forceps In Lieu of Traction
Sutures the American Journal of Cosmetic Surgery 1-4, 2016.

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Dysthyroid Ophthalmopathy as Studied with MRI, American
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Histopathologic and Immunohistochemical Study,
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Eyelid Retraction, Ophthal Plast Reconstr Surg. 2017 Oct 19

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Paap, M, Milman, T, Ugradar, S, Goldberg, R, Silkiss, RZ, Examining the Role of Retrobulbar Hyaluronidase in Reversing Filler-Induced Blindness: A Systematic Review. Ophthalmic Plast Reconstr Surg. 2019 Dec 24. doi: 10.1097/IOP.0000000000001568.

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Muir-Torre Syndrome Associated Periocular Sebaceous Neoplasms: Screening Patterns in Literature and in Clinical Practice
Ocul Oncol Pathol <https://doi.org/10.1159/000504984>

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Carrera, W, Damento, G and Silkiss, RZ, Orbital Arachnoid Cyst, *EyeNet*, 2021.

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Govorkova M, Silkiss RZ. Optical Device to Improve Eyelid Surgery. *Surg Innov*. 2021 Feb 18:1553350621996633. doi: 10.1177/1553350621996633.

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Reversible Punctal Occlusion, 1993. Consultant, Landec Corporation

810 nm Diode Laser for Treatment of Trichiasis, Cynosure 2003-present

Tumor Cell Line Development for Monoclonal Antibody Production, Investigator, Raven Biotechnology, 2002-2008.

The Rituximab Graves'Disease Study, Principal Investigator, Genentech, 2006-2009.

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Use of Epidiolex as Adjunctive Therapy for Benign Essential Blepharospasm, Principal Investigator, IST Jazz Pharmaceuticals, 2022.

Immunovant, Medical Advisory Board, 2022.

Lassen Therapeutics, IL-11 inhibitor, Clinical Researcher, 2022-present.

Tourmaline Bio, IL-6, TOUR-006, Co-Principal Investigator, 2025.

Argenx, FcRn inhibitor, UplightTED, Principal Investigator, 2025.

DESIGNER

IMORI (Inferior Medial Orbital Rim Implant) Manufactured by Porex

Fiber optic device for Jones Tube localization designed with and manufactured by Günter Weiss, Portland, Oregon.

Transcaruncular retractor, Manufactured by Bausch, and Lomb

Mucosatome, Concept accepted by Bausch and Lomb

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Provisional Patent-63/258,389- Device to Promote Bilateral Symmetry in Surgical Markings

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BOARD APPOINTMENT

Pacific Vision Foundation, 2015-present

California Academy of Eye Physicians and Surgeons, 2016-2018

Aspen Surgery Center, 2019-present

Buck Institute, 2022-2024

INVITED SPEAKER

Jules Stein Eye Institute: Blepharoplasty Symposium, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992

UC Berkeley: Ocular Symposium, 1988, 1990

International Symposium on Orbital Inflammation. Alicante, Spain, 1990.

California Society of Plastic Surgery: Transconjunctival Blepharoplasty, 1991

Grand Rounds: St. Francis Hospital. Transconjunctival Blepharoplasty, 1991

Residents Meeting: Eyelid Malposition. Pacific Presbyterian Medical Center, 1991

Orbital Anatomy/Dissection. Pacific Presbyterian Medical Center,

1990

Barkan Society: Transconjunctival Blepharoplasty, 1990
Ptosis after Cataract Surgery, 1989
Surgical Repair of Nasolacrimal Duct Injuries, 1996
Laser Blepharoplasty and Laser Resurfacing, 1998

Surgical Rounds: Children's Hospital of Oakland, 1990
John Muir Medical Center, 1989, 1992
Washington Hospital, 1992

Jules Stein Annual Meeting: Ptosis Surgery in Children. Los Angeles, 1992

Journal Club: Ptosis and Amblyopia. California Pacific Medical Center, 1992

Cosmetic Blepharoplasty. Mary Kay Cosmetics, 1992

Feldstein Meeting: Transconjunctival Blepharoplasty and Eyelid Malposition. Mt. Sinai, 1992

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Jules Stein Eye Institute: Advanced Lacrimal Surgery Seminar 1993.

American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting: Oculoplastic Trauma Chicago, 1993

American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting: Ptosis San Francisco, 1994

California Optometric Association Annual Meeting: Ptosis Update. San Francisco, 1995

American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting: Finesse in Oculoplastic Surgery. Atlanta, 1995.

American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting: Endoscopic Forehead Lift. Atlanta, 1995.

Lidski: Transconjunctival Blepharoplasty Stabilization of the

Lax Lower Lid, 1996.

Northern California Optometric Society: Ptosis, 1996.

Ocular Symposium: Oculoplastic Update, 1996.

Jules Stein Eye Institute: Finesse in Upper Eyelid Surgery, 1996.

University of California, Berkeley: Periocular Neoplasia and Eyelid Reconstruction, 1996.

Jules Stein Blepharoplasty Seminar: Finesse in Upper Blepharoplasty, 1997.

Jules Stein Blepharoplasty Seminar: Finesse in Upper Blepharoplasty, 1998.

Ocular Symposium: Eyelid Malposition, 1999

Jules Stein Blepharoplasty Seminar: Laser Blepharoplasty, 2000

Ocular Symposium: Ptosis Evaluation and Management, 2000

Santa Clara Optometric Association: Eyelid Malposition, 2000

International Ophthalmology Congress, Santiago, Chile: Laser Resurfacing, Ptosis, Laser Blepharoplasty, 2000

University of California, Berkeley School of Optometry: Eyelid Malposition, 2000-2005

California Pacific Medical Center Grand Rounds: Eyelid Malposition, 2000

UCSF/CPMC Plastics Seminar: Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction, 2001

Barkan Society: Cosmetic Enhancement Procedures, 2001

Grand Rounds UCSF: Medial Canthal Masses of the Orbit, 2001

Ocular Symposium: Cosmetic Enhancement Procedures, 2001

Jules Stein Blepharoplasty Seminar: Combined Posterior Ptosis and Blepharoplasty Procedures, 2001

Grand Rounds- Kaiser Permanente, Oakland: Periocular Neoplasia and Reconstruction, 2001

University of Otago, Dunedin: Eyelid Neoplasia and

Reconstruction, 2002

Jules Stein Eye Institute, Minimally Invasive Surgery Symposium:
Are Cosmetic Injectables Safe, Perceptions of Beauty, 2002

Jules Stein Eye Institute, Blepharoplasty Course: Style and
Blepharoplasty- How to Make an Aesthetic Eyelid, 2002

Ocular Symposium: Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction, 2002

UCSF/CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: The Anophthalmic Socket, 2003

UCSF/CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: Eyelid Neoplasia and
Reconstruction, 2003

The San Francisco Optometric Society: Eyelid Neoplasia and
Reconstruction, 2003

Ocular Symposium: Cosmetic Enhancement Procedures, 2003

University of Otago, Christchurch: Eyelid Neoplasia and
Reconstruction, 2003

UCSF/CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: Blepharoplasty, 2004

Jules Stein Eye Institute, Aesthetic Eyelid and Facial
Rejuvenation Course: Creating Happy Blepharoplasty Patients,
San Diego, 2004

University of California, Berkeley School of Optometry, Eyelid
Neoplasia and Reconstruction, 2004

University of California, Berkeley School of Optometry, Orbital
Disease, 2004

Endoscopic Forehead Lift, Skills Transfer Course Instructor,
American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2004

California Pacific Medical Center, Grand Rounds, Orbital Disease,
2004

University of California, San Francisco, The Eight-Fold Path to
Patient Happiness, Ophthalmology 2005.

Botox, Filler and Lasers: The Latest Advances in Facial
Rejuvenation, California Pacific Medical Center, March 2005
Course Director

UCSF/CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: Blepharoplasty, 2005

UCSF/CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: The Anophthalmic Socket, 2005

CPMC Rejuvenation Course, The Eight-Fold Path to Patient Happiness, March 2005

Morgan/Sarver Lecture, Cosmetic Oculoplastic Update, April 2005

Kaiser Permanente National Teleconference, Guest Speaker, Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction, April 2005

UCSF/CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction, Including the Canthus, May 2005

Ocular Symposium, Orbital Disease, San Francisco, June 2005

Grand Rounds, CPMC, Orbital Disease and Therapeutics, 2005

Facial Cosmetic Surgery, Las Vegas, NV, The Eight-Fold Path to Patient Happiness, June 2005

Facial Cosmetic Surgery, Las Vegas, NV, Upper Eyelid Ptosis Repair as a Part of Cosmetic Eyelid Surgery, June 2005

Facial Cosmetic Surgery, Las Vegas, NV, Concepts of Aesthetic Beauty and Relevance to our Practices, June 2005

The Expert's Secrets on Creating Happy Blepharoplasty Patients, Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetic Facial Surgery and Rejuvenation Course, Temecula, CA, 2005

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Eyelid Malposition, September 2005

Grand Rounds, CPMC, Eyelid Malposition, October 2005

American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic, Reconstructive and Orbital Surgery, Midface Implants and Fillers, October 2005

American Academy of Ophthalmology, Breakfast with the Expert, Botox, and Fillers: Selecting and Administering, October 2005

American Academy of Ophthalmology, Endoscopic Brow Skills Transfer Course, October 2005- 2013

American Academy of Ophthalmology, Botox and Fillers Skills Transfer Course, October 2005- 2013

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Orbital Disease, November 2005

UCSF/ CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: Blepharoplasty, November 2005

UCSF/CPMC Anatomy Lab, 2000-present

UCSF/CPMC Plastic Surgical Skills Transfer Lab, 2000-present

CPMC/UCSF Journal Club 2000- present

Grand Rounds California Pacific Medical Center, Upper Eyelid Anatomy with Surgical Correlation, March 2006

Grand Rounds California Pacific Medical Center, Lower Eyelid Anatomy with Surgical Correlation, March 2006

The Expert's Secrets on Creating Happy Blepharoplasty Patients, Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetic Facial Surgery and Rejuvenation Course, Los Angeles, CA, 2006

Stanford Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Upper Eyelid Anatomy with Surgical Correlation, 2006

Stanford Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lower Eyelid Anatomy with Surgical Correlation, 2006

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Eyelid Malposition, September 2006

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Orbital Disease, October 2006

Orbital Neoplasms- Clinical Correlation, Raven Biotechnologies, September 2006

Orbital Neoplasia, Joint Commission on Allied Health Personnel in Ophthalmology (JCAHPO), Las Vegas, 2006

Eyelid Malposition, Evaluation and Therapy, Joint Commission on Allied Health Personnel in Ophthalmology (JCAHPO), New Orleans, 2007

CPMC-UCSF Oculoplastics Journal Club, 2007

Grand Rounds, California Pacific Medical Center, October 2006

Grand Rounds, California Pacific Medical Center, March 2007

Grand Rounds, California Pacific Medical Center, May 2007

UCSF Minimally Invasive Surgery Course, San Francisco, May 2007
Functional and Aesthetic Evaluation of the Periorbital Complex, Lower Blepharoplasty- Transconjunctival Approach, Midface Implants

Barkan Meeting, June 2007 Rituximab for the Treatment of Graves' disease

Ocular Symposium, June 2007, Orbital Evaluation and Therapeutics

Stanford Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lacrimal Anatomy, Disease and Therapeutics, 2007

American Academy of Ophthalmology, New Orleans, November 2007

Breakfast with the Expert- Botox and Fillers

Endoscopic Forehead Lifting- Skills Transfer Course

Botox and Fillers- Skills Transfer Course

JCHAPO, New Orleans, November 2007 Eyelid Malposition- Evaluation and Therapeutics

Grand Rounds, California Pacific Medical Center, February 2008

Grand Rounds, Christchurch, New Zealand, March 2008

Grand Rounds, California Pacific Medical Center, May 2008

Prime Time, California Pacific Medical Center, Eyelid Malposition: Evaluation and Therapy May 2008

Anophthalmic Socket, CPMC-UCSF, Plastics Lecture Series, 2008

Ocular Symposium, San Francisco, Graves' Disease Update, 2008

Jules Stein Eye Institute Blepharoplasty Seminar, 2008

Stanford Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lacrimal Anatomy, Disease and Therapeutics, 2008

New Zealand General Practitioner Course 2008: Surgical Skills Workshop, Basic and Advanced

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Eyelid Malposition, 2008

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Orbital Disease, 2008

UCSF, Surgical Skills Course, 2008

Innovations in Cataract Surgery and More, Blepharoplasty and Botox for the General Ophthalmologist, Oakland, 2008

Eyelid Malposition: Evaluation and Therapy, Joint Commission on

Allied Health Personnel in Ophthalmology (JCAHPO), Atlanta, 2008

American Academy of Ophthalmology, Atlanta, November 2008
Breakfast with the Expert- Botox and Fillers
Endoscopic Forehead Lifting- Skills Transfer Course
Botox and Fillers- Skills Transfer Course

Oculoplastic Grand Rounds, California Pacific Medical Center,
November 2008.

CPMC Prime Time, Orbital Disease: Evaluation and Therapeutics,
November 2008.

UCSF Annual December Course, Moderator Plastics Section, 2008.

Eyelid Malposition: Evaluation and Therapy, San Mateo County
Optometric Association, 2009

CPMC-UCSF Oculoplastics Journal Club, 2009

Oculoplastic Grand Rounds, California Pacific Medical Center,
March 2009.

Oculoplastic Grand Rounds, California Pacific Medical Center,
June 2009.

Prime Time Resident Teaching Lecture, California Pacific Medical
Center, Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction, 2009

Ocular Symposium, 2009

Enucleation, Evisceration, Exenteration, Socket Reconstruction
CPMC-UCSF Plastic Lecture Series, 2009

Eyelid Reconstruction Including Canthi
CPMC-UCSF Plastic Lecture Series, 2009

California Academy of Eye Physician and Surgeons Annual Meeting,
Moderator, March 2009.

California Academy of Eye Physician and Surgeons Annual Meeting,
An Overview of Oculofacial Plastic Surgery, March 2009.

Barkan Meeting, Internet Physician Rating Services, June 2009.

Stanford Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lacrimal Anatomy,
Physiology and Management, June 2009.

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetic Course, Blepharoplasty, Beauty and Style: How to Create an Aesthetically Pleasing Eyelid, July 2009.

Botulinum Toxin- A Twenty-Year Review, Botulinum Toxin Beyond Aesthetics, California Pacific Medical Center, 2009

American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic Reconstructive and Orbital Surgery, 2009- Moderator Lacrimal Section

American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2009

Breakfast with the Expert- Botox and Fillers
Endoscopic Forehead Lifting- Skills Transfer Course
Botox and Fillers- Skills Transfer Course
Facelift Skills Transfer Course

Rituximab to Treat Graves' Disease, Lauer S and Silkiss RZ- Awarded "Best Paper"

JCHAPO Annual Meeting, Eyelid Malposition: Diagnosis and Management, 2009

CPMC Oculoplastic Grand Rounds, 2009

CPMC Prime Time, 2009

UCSF Annual Meeting- Topical Chemotherapy for the Treatment of Periocular Malignancy, 2009

CPMC Oculoplastic Grand Rounds, 2010

CPMC, Prime Time, 2010

Stanford University Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, 2010

Lacrimal Surgery
Upper Eyelid Anatomy and Surgery
Lower Eyelid Anatomy and Surgery

Jules Stein Blepharoplasty Seminar, How to Satisfy Patients and Create a Successful Blepharoplasty Practice, 2010.

JCHAPO Annual Meeting, Eyelid Malposition: Diagnosis and Management, 2010

JCHAPO Annual Meeting, Orbital Disease, 2010

JCHAPO Subspecialty Day, Blepharoplasty, 2010

Psychosocial Stressors and Graves' Disease, ASOPRS, 2010

American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2010

Endoscopic Forehead Lifting- Skills Transfer Course
Botox and Fillers- Skills Transfer Course
Facelift Skills Transfer Course

Subspecialty Day- Point-Counter Point-
Radiotherapy v. Biologics for Thyroid Eye
Disease

University of Otago, 2010 OSCE, Thyroid Eye Disease

University of Otago, 2010 OSCE, Botox and Fillers

University of California, Berkeley, Eyelid Malposition, 2010

University of California, Berkeley, Orbital Disease, 2010

University of California, San Francisco, Rituximab for Thyroid
Eye Disease, 2010

University of California, San Francisco, Systemic Treatment of
Thyroid Eye Disease, 2010.

CPMC Grand Rounds, 2011.

CPMC, Prime Time, Eyelid Malposition, 2011.

San Francisco Optometric Society, Eyelid Malposition, 2011.

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Reconstruction, 2011.

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April 2011.

CPMC Plastic Grand Rounds January 2011

Asia Pacific Association of Ophthalmology, Sydney, Australia,
Blepharoplasty in an Outpatient Setting, March 2011

UCSF-CPMC Evisceration lecture May 2011

Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Stanford University July 2011
Upper Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lower Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lacrimal Anatomy, Diagnostics and Therapeutics

Jules Stein Eye Institute Facial Rejuvenation Course, Lower
Blepharoplasty: Patient Selection and Technique, July 2011

Women in Ophthalmology, August 2011
The Thirty Minute Blepharoplasty
Facial Rejuvenation: Fillers and Toxins
Injection Laboratory: Hands on Teaching Session

UC Berkeley Eyelid Malposition September 2011
UC Berkeley Orbit October 2011

American Academy of Ophthalmology Orlando, 2011
Breakfast with the Expert: Entropion and Ectropion: Which
Procedure Do I Use?
Botox and Fillers Skill Transfer Course
Endoscopic Forehead Lift Skills Transfer Course

JCAHPO Orlando, 2011

Eyelid Malposition
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Orbit: Evaluation and Therapeutics

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Update on Accreditation and Certification, November 2011

Queenstown Medical Centre, New Zealand Eyelid Neoplasia:
Evaluation and Therapeutics, November 2011.

CPMC Plastics Grand Rounds December 2011

UCSF December Course December 2011 Update on Periocular
Rejuvenation: Fillers and Toxins

CPMC/UCSF 2012 Plastic Didactic Series:
Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction
Facial Rejuvenation: Fillers, Botox, Resurfacing

Rossmoor Education Series
Oculofacial Plastic Surgery for Seniors, January 2012

World Congress Abu Dhabi February 2012
Chair Minimally Invasive Surgery
Thirty Minute Blepharoplasty
Novel Biologics for the Treatment of Thyroid Eye Disease
Eyelid Reconstruction
Fascia for Frontalis Suspension- the Gold Standard

CPMC Grand Rounds, February 2012

Ocular Symposium, Update of Facial Rejuvenation, June 2012

CPMC/UCSF Oculofacial Plastics Journal Club, June 2012

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetic Course, How to Create an Aesthetically Pleasing Eyelid, June 2012

Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Stanford University July 2012
Upper Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lower Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lacrimal Anatomy, Diagnostics and Therapeutics

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Eyelid Malposition, September 2012

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Orbital Neoplasia, October 2012

JCAHPO Orlando, November 2012

Eyelid Malposition
Eyelid Neoplasia: Diagnosis and Treatment
Orbit: Evaluation and Therapeutics

American Academy of Ophthalmology Chicago, November 2012
Subspecialty Day: Use of Rituximab in Thyroid Eye Disease
Breakfast with the Expert: Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction
Botox and Fillers Skill Transfer Course
Endoscopic Forehead Lift Skills Transfer Course
Chair, AAO Oculoplastic Surgery Session
From Metal to Molecules: Advances in Oculofacial Plastic Surgery

UCSF: How to Create an Aesthetically Pleasing Eyelid, December 2012

CPMC Grand Rounds, December 2012

CPMC Prime Time, Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction, 2012

CPMC Grand Rounds, March 2013

CPMC Prime Time, Orbital Neoplasia: Evaluation and Diagnosis

UC Berkeley School of Optometry Morgan Sarver Lecture, 2013

Barkan Society, The Treatment of Thyroid Eye Disease at Crossroads, June 2013.

Ocular Symposium, Advances in the Treatment of Orbital Neoplasia, June 2013.

Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Stanford University July 2013
Upper Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lower Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lacrimal Anatomy, Diagnostics and Therapeutics

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Course, How to Create an Aesthetically Pleasing Eyelid, July 2013.

Genentech, Thyroid Eye Disease: Treatment at a Crossroads, August 2013.

CPMC Grand Rounds, September 2013.

CPMC Prime Time, Orbital Neoplasia, 2013

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Eyelid Malposition, 2013.

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Orbital Disease, 2013.

JCAHPO New Orleans, November 2013

Eyelid Malposition
Eyelid Neoplasia: Diagnosis and Treatment
Orbit: Evaluation and Therapeutics

American Academy of Ophthalmology, New Orleans, November 2013

Breakfast with the Expert: Blepharoplasty
Botox and Fillers Skill Transfer Course
Endoscopic Forehead Lift Skills Transfer Course

UCSF, Advances in the Treatment of Basal Cell Carcinoma, 2013

Santa Clara Optometric Society, Eyelid Neoplasia: Surgical and Nonsurgical Therapeutics, 2014

CPMC Grand Rounds, January, November, March 2014

CPMC Prime Time, Orbital Neoplasia: Evaluation and Diagnosis

Ocular Symposium, Identifying Disease Targets and Treating with Monoclonal Antibodies, June 2014.

Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Stanford University July 2014
Upper Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation

Lower Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lacrimal Anatomy, Diagnostics and Therapeutics

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Course, How to Create an Aesthetically Pleasing Eyelid, July 2014.

CPMC Prime Time, Orbital Neoplasia, 2014

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Eyelid Malposition, 2014

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Orbital Disease, 2014

JCAHPO Chicago, November 2014

Eyelid Malposition
Orbit: Evaluation and Therapeutics

American Academy of Ophthalmology Subspecialty Day, Monoclonal Antibodies to Treat Thyroid Eye Disease, Chicago, November 2014

American Academy of Ophthalmology Chicago, November 2014

Botox and Fillers Skills Transfer Course
Endoscopic Forehead Lift Skills Transfer Course

CPMC Oculoplastics, Journal Club, 2014.

Cosmetic Bootcamp, San Francisco, Considerations Regarding Periorbital and Orbital Anatomy for Injectables, 2014

Cosmetic Bootcamp, San Francisco, Live Patient Injection Demonstration, 2014

UCSF, IgG4 Disease, New Diagnostics Define an Old Disease, 2014.

CPMC Oculoplastics Lecture Series-
Thyroid Eye Disease- January 2015
Anophthalmic Socket-June 2015
Eyelid Malposition- November 2015

CPMC Grand Rounds, March, October, December 2015.

CPMC Prime Time, Eyelid Malposition

CPMC Prime Time, Eyelid Neoplasia and Reconstruction

CPMC Prime Time, Orbital Disease, Evaluation and Reconstruction

Ocular Symposium, Eyelid Anatomy and Relevance to
Cosmetic Rejuvenation Techniques, June 2015.

Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Stanford University July 2015
Upper Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lower Eyelid Anatomy with Clinical Correlation
Lacrimal Anatomy, Diagnostics and Therapeutics

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Course, Filler Panel, 2015.

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Course, Anatomy Lab,
Instructor, 2015.

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Eyelid Malposition, 2015.

UC Berkeley School of Optometry, Orbital Disease, 2015.

American Academy of Ophthalmology, Oculoplastic Update: What's
New for the Tearing Pediatric Patient, Las Vegas, 2015.

American Academy of Ophthalmology Las Vegas, November 2015

Botox and Fillers Skills Transfer Course
Endoscopic Forehead Lift Skills Transfer Course

JCAHPO Las Vegas, November 2015.

Eyelid Malposition
Orbit: Evaluation and Therapeutics

Orbital Master's Symposium, Jules Stein Eye Institute, Update:
Novel Biologics for Thyroid Eye Disease, 2016.

CPMC Oculoplastic Lecture Series: Eyelid Reconstruction
CPMC Oculoplastic Lecture Series: Lacrimal Anatomy, Physiology
and Management

Ocular Symposium, Ophthalmic Plastic Update, what is New for the
Tearing Child? June 2016.

American Academy of Ophthalmology Chicago, November 2016.

Botox and Fillers Skills Transfer Course
Endoscopic Forehead Lift Skills Transfer Course

JCAHPO Chicago, Eyelid Malposition, October 2016.

Alameda Optometric Society, Eyelid Malposition, 2017.
Ocular Symposium, Innovations in Oculoplastic Surgery, June 2017.

Northwestern University Robert G. Miller Memorial Lecture, New Perspectives in the Treatment of Thyroid Eye Disease, June 2017.

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Course, Cadaver Dissection Instructor, 2017.

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Course, The Secrets to Success in Upper Blepharoplasty-Patient Selection, Surgical Planning and Surgical Techniques, 2017.

JCAHPO, Eyelid Malposition: Diagnosis and Treatment, San Francisco, 2017.

CPMC Prime Time, Anatomic Considerations for Safe Injections and Periocular Pearls, 2017.

JCAHPO, Eyelid Malposition: Diagnosis and Treatment, New Orleans, November 2017.

Cosmetic Bootcamp, San Francisco, Anatomic Considerations for Safe Injections and Periocular Pearls, November 2017.

Cosmetic Bootcamp, San Francisco, Live Injections, November 2017.

CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: Eyelid Malposition: Diagnosis and Treatment, November 2017.

University of California Berkeley Practicum, January 2018.

CPMC Plastic Lecture Series: Eyelid Reconstruction, February 2018.

Jules Stein Eye Institute, Orbital Masters Course, Rituximab, Tocilizumab, and Teprotumumab: What is the Evidence, February 2018.

Ocular Symposium, June 2018.

Cosmetic Bootcamp, Aspen, July 2018.
 Filler and Toxin Complications
 Tear Trough Evaluation and Management

Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Stanford University July 2018

Lacrimal Anatomy, Diagnostics and Therapeutics

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Course: Secrets to Success in Blepharoplasty, July 2018.

American Academy of Ophthalmology Chicago, October 2018

Botox and Fillers Skills Transfer Course

CPMC Prime Time: Lacrimal Anatomy, Physiology and Treatment, December 2018

2019

Ocular Symposium: Ophthalmic Plastic Update, June 2019

The Mayo Clinic Meeting, June 2019.

Biologics for the Treatment of Thyroid Eye Disease
Congenital Nasal Lacrimal Duct Obstruction- Best Practices

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Course: Secrets to Success in Blepharoplasty, July 2019.

American Academy of Ophthalmology San Francisco, October 2019

Botox and Fillers Skills Transfer Course

CPMC Oculoplastics Lecture Series-
Thyroid Eye Disease- January 2019
Anophthalmic Socket-June 2019
Eyelid Malposition- November 2019

CPMC Oculoplastics Grand Rounds- November 2019

2020

CPMC Oculoplastics Lecture Series
Eyelid Reconstruction, February 2020

CPMC Grand Rounds- May 2020, November 2020

UCLA Orbital Masters Symposium- Medical Management of TED-
Biologics, March 2020

Toronto Ophthalmology Review Meeting-April 2020 video

Ocular Symposium- June 2020 cancelled secondary to Covid.

Covid Collection- Oculoplastics Series- five lectures

Pacific Vision Foundation- Eyelid Reconstruction- March 2020

Stanford Bay Area Ophthalmology Course- Lacrimal Anatomy and Physiology, 2020

William B. Spencer Lecture- The Medical Management of Thyroid Eye Disease- Update on Biologics, October 2020

American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons Annual Meeting, Moderator, Thyroid and Orbital Inflammation Session, 2020.

iFocus, Medical Management of Thyroid Eye Disease- Teprotumumab, 2020.

2021

American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons Spring Meeting, Moderator, Thyroid and Orbital Inflammation Session, 2021.

Surgical Skills Transfer Course, Director, CPMC, 2021

Stanford Bay Area Ophthalmology Course- Lacrimal Anatomy and Physiology, 2021

CPMC Oculoplastics Lecture Series-2021
Thyroid Eye Disease
Anophthalmic Socket
Eyelid Malposition

CPMC Oculoplastics Grand Rounds- November 2021

2022

Northwestern University Oculoplastics Seminar, 2022

Stanford University, Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lacrimal Anatomy and Physiology, 2022.

iFocus- Pleomorphic Adenoma, 2022

Jules Stein Eye Institute Orbital Masters Symposium, 2022

AAO Subspecialty Day, Biologics to Treat Thyroid Eye Disease, 2022

AAO, Fillers and Toxins Skills Transfer Course, 2022

ASOPRS, Reconstruction Break Out Session, 2022

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetic Course, 2022.

CPMC Grand Rounds, 2022

2023

Stanford University, Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lacrimal Anatomy and Physiology, 2023.

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Symposium, 2023

ASOPRS, Practice Pearls, 2023.

AAO, Fillers and Toxins Skills Transfer Course, 2023.

AAO, One Network, Video presentation, Truong, Silkiss, Nam
Conjunctival Rotation Flap to Treat Scleromalacia, 2023.

ATA, Prevalence of Thyroid Eye Disease in the US, A Real-World Data Study, Chen, Silkiss, Idowu, Haskova, Adesanya, Dayal, 2023.

ATA, LASN01, a High Affinity Anti-Interleukin-11 Receptor Antibody Blocks Pathological Mechanisms of Thyroid Eye Disease Previously Linked to Clinical Efficacy, Swaney, Jun, Elliot Lu1, Geller, Chail, Witherden, Arora, Silkiss, King, 2023.

ETA, Targeting Interleukin Signalling, An Emerging Pathological Mediator in Thyroid Eye Disease, Swaney, Jun, Elliot Lu1, Geller, Chail, Witherden, Arora, Silkiss, King, 2023.

CPMC Grand Rounds, 2023

2024

CPMC Grand Rounds, 2024

Stanford University, Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lacrimal Anatomy and Physiology, 2024.

Jules Stein Eye Institute Aesthetics Symposium, Patient Selection for Cosmetic Blepharoplasty 2024.

San Francisco, Optometric Society 2024.

AAO, ABSTRACT ID: 30078986

Spectral-domain Optical Coherence Tomography Imaging Findings in Patients Receiving Teprotumumab for Thyroid Eye Disease, 2024.

AAO, ABSTRACT ID: 30078982

Association between the COVID-19 Pandemic and Granuloma Formation following Lower Blepharoplasty, 2024.

AAO, ABSTRACT, Interleukin-11 Receptor Antibody (LASN01), May Offer a Novel Treatment Option for Thyroid Eye Disease (TED) Patients, Regardless of Prior Treatment, 2024

AAO, ABSTRACT, Interleukin-11 Receptor Antibody (LASN01), Blocks Fibro-inflammatory Drivers in Thyroid Eye Disease (TED), 2024

American College of Surgeons, Orbital Trauma, 2024.

American College of Surgeons, Ocular Trauma, 2024.

2025

CPMC Grand Rounds, 2025

Stanford University, Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lacrimal Anatomy and Physiology, 2025.

International Thyroid Eye Disease Symposium, The Use of Biologics in Thyroid Eye Disease, 2025.

Eye Institute, Dunedin Webinar, Eyelid Malposition, 2025.

American Academy of Ophthalmology, Botulinum Toxin and Fillers Skills Transfer Course, 2025.

American Society of Ophthalmic Plastic Reconstructive and Orbital Surgery, Private Practice Breakout Session Lead, 2025.

EyeWiki, Oculoplastic Surgery Section Editor, 2025.

Ask the Expert, American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2025.

2026

Stanford University Oculoplastic Dissection Course, Upper and Lower Blepharoplasty, 2026

CPMC Oculoplastics Lecture Series, Thyroid Eye Disease, 2026.

Stein Eye, Aesthetics Course, Secrets to Success in Blepharoplasty, 2026

CPMC Grand Rounds, 2026

Stanford University, Bay Area Ophthalmology Course, Lacrimal Anatomy and Physiology, 2026.

American Academy of Ophthalmology, Botulinum Toxin and Fillers Skills Transfer Course, 2026.

EyeWiki, Oculoplastic Surgery Section Editor, 2026.

Ask the Expert, American Academy of Ophthalmology, 2026.

International Virtual Oculoplastics Webinar, Update of Biologics for Thyroid Eye Disease, 2026.

Eye Institute, Dunedin, Ptosis Update, Optometric Webinar, 2026.

Otago Vision Specialists, Optometric Update, 2026.

TED International Working Group, 2026

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