



Program Agenda

**40th Annual Christian Ophthalmology Society Meeting
Portland, OR
August 3 – August 7, 2016**

Wednesday, August 3, 2016

- 5:00 – 9:00 p.m. **Registration & Exhibits Visitation**
- 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. **The Ethos of Boldness in Faith and Practice**
Jeff Rutgard, MD
Howard Gimbel, MD
An Interactive Audience Discussion

Thursday, August 4, 2016

“Service through Ophthalmology – Patients, Staff, Colleagues, World”

- 7 – 8:15 a.m. **Breakfast, Registration & Exhibits Visitation**
- 8:15 - 8:20 a.m. **Welcome and Opening Prayer**
Glenn Strauss, MD
Missions Director, COS, Tyler, TX
- 8:20 - 8:45 a.m. **The Surgeon as an Instrument**
Howard Gimbel, MD
Calgary, CA
- 8:45 - 9:10 a.m. **Building a Community of Service in Ophthalmology**
Mitch Brinks, MD
Portland, OR
- 9:10 - 9:35 a.m. **A Wholistic Approach to Resident Education**
Pedro Gomez, MD
University of Montemorales, MX

Queretero, Mexico

2:30 - 2:50 p.m. ***Break and Exhibits Visitation***

2:50 – 3:15 p.m. ***Tips for Learning MSICS***
Jeff Rutgard, MD
La Jolla, CA

3:15 - 3:40 p.m. ***Tips for Teaching MSICS***
Carlos Gomez, MD
Santo Domingo, DR

3:40 – 4:25 p.m. ***Approach to Difficult Training Situations in MSICS: A Panel Discussion***
Dan Gradin
Glenn Strauss
Carlos Gomez
Dan Siapco
Jeff Rutgard

4:25 p.m. ***Adjourn***

4:25 – 8:30 p.m. ***Family Time in Portland – Supper & Fellowship with Other Attendees***

Special Session

8:30 – 9:30 p.m. ***Chocolate Fountain*** (families invited)
Surprise Mission Speakers



Saturday, August 6, 2016

- 7:00 - 8:30 a.m. ***Breakfast and Exhibits Visitation***
- 7:30 – 8:30 a.m. **Small Group Prayer**
- 8:30 – 8:35 a.m. ***Opening Prayer***
Matt McCauley, MD
Vice President, Christian Ophthalmology Society
Houston, TX
- 8:35 - 9:00 a.m. ***Ethical Issues in Ophthalmology: Cases That Have You Asking “What Should I Do?”***
Donna Kim, MD
Portland, OR
- 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. ***Ocular Complications of AIDS: Learning from the Past***
John Kempen, MD
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
- 9:30 - 9:55 a.m. ***Ocular Anti-VEGF Treatment at 10 years***
Thomas Hwang, MD
Portland, OR
- 9:55 - 10:20 a.m. ***Challenges and Opportunities in Improving the Care of Children with Retinopathy of Prematurity in the US and Around the World.***
Pete Campbell, MD
Portland, OR
- 10:20 – 10:30 a.m. ***Panel & Questions – Morning Speakers***

A special worship service will also be held on Saturday morning in a separate room

10:30 – 10:55 AM Gathering and Worship
10:55 – 11:30 AM The Secret to Serving God
I Peter 4:7-11
Scott Lawrence, MD
Sight for Souls
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

- 10:30 - 10:55 a.m. ***Break and Exhibits Visitation***

- 10:55 - 11:20 a.m. ***Update on Infectious Keratitis***
Jennifer Rose, MD
- 11:20 – 11:50 a.m. ***How to Save More People from Going Blind from Glaucoma –a Swedish Model***
Johan Semby, MD
Hallands Hospital, Sweden
- 11:50 - 12:10 p.m. ***Exploring the Rich History of the COS***
Brad Farris, MD
Oklahoma City, OK
- 12:10 - 12:25 p.m. ***COS Annual Business Meeting***
- 12:25 p.m. ***Adjourn***
- 12:45 p.m. ***COS Board Luncheon***
COS Board members & spouses
- 4:00 -5:00 p.m. ***Practice Opportunity Meeting***
Open to any job seekers and employers
- 6:15 p.m. ***Evening Banquet*** (Advance reservation required)
- 7:15 p.m. ***Worship with SardiUS***
- 8:00 p.m. ***Portraits of Jesus***
Nathan Greene
Eau Claire, MI
- 9:00 p.m. ***Adjourn***
- 9:00 – 10:00 p.m. ***SardiUS concert for all***



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Sunday, August 7, 2016

- 7:00 – 8:00 a.m. ***Breakfast***
- 8:00 – 8:25 a.m. ***Gathering & Worship Together***
- 8:25 – 9:00 a.m. ***The Secret to Serving God (I Peter 4:7-11)***
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- 9:00 a.m. ***Adjourn***