Bascom Palmer Eye Institute invites you to Naples this spring to join us for our second annual Diabetic Retinopathy CME program. This unique and exciting symposium will be held April 1, 2017 at the beautiful Ritz-Carlton Golf Resort, Naples. We suggest you make your plans soon and bring your friends and family to join us in sunny Florida!
COURSE DESCRIPTION

Diabetic Retinopathy 2017 is designed to update retinal specialists, general ophthalmologists, and researchers on the latest diagnostic strategies and therapies for diabetic retinopathy and the integration of these new treatments into clinical practice. We will emphasize current and future treatments for diabetic macular edema and proliferative diabetic retinopathy.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, participants should be able to:

• Manage patients with anti-VEGF and steroid-based therapies through the preferred dosing practices
• Manage patients with diabetic macular edema and diabetic retinopathy using newer imaging modalities
• Analyze results of clinical trials in diabetic macular edema and apply to clinical practice
• Analyze the rationale for emerging treatments for diabetic macular edema and diabetic retinopathy
• Surgically manage advanced diabetic retinal disease as is indicated

Photo left: Poolside at the Ritz-Carlton Golf Resort, Naples
Photo below: Bascom Palmer Eye Institute at Naples
7:00 am  Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:00  Opening Remarks
  Jaclyn L. Kovach, MD

SESSION I: Diabetic Macular Edema
Moderator: Jaclyn L. Kovach, MD

8:05  Anti-VEGF Therapy for DME
  David S. Boyer, MD

8:35  Diabetic Retinopathy and Macular Edema Imaging
  Glenn J. Jaffe, MD

8:55  Intravitreal Steroids for DME
  Thomas A. Albini, MD

9:15  Cost Considerations of Diabetic Retinopathy
  William E. Smiddy, MD

9:35  Ultra-Widefield Angiography in the Management of DME
  Jorge A. Fortun, MD

10:00  Refreshment Break

SESSION II: DME Cases and Discussion
Moderator: Harry W. Flynn, Jr., MD

10:30  Case Presentations and Panel Discussion

12:00 pm  Lunch

SESSION III: Proliferative Diabetic Retinopathy
Moderator: Thomas A. Albini, MD

1:00  DRCR Update
  Harry W. Flynn, Jr., MD

1:20  Surgical Management of PDR
  Ninel Z. Gregori, MD

1:40  Cataract Surgery and Diabetic Retinopathy
  Wen-Hsiang Lee, MD, PhD

2:00  Case Presentations and Panel Discussion

3:00  Refreshment Break

SESSION IV: New Directions in Diabetic Retinopathy
Moderator: William E. Smiddy, MD

3:15  OCT Angiography and Diabetic Retinopathy
  Richard F. Spaide, MD

3:35  Ultra-Widefield Imaging and Teleophthalmology
  Victor M. Villegas, MD

3:55  Genetics and Diabetic Retinopathy
  Stephen G. Schwartz, MD, MBA

4:15  Evolution of Medical Therapies and Diabetic Retinopathy
  Jaclyn L. Kovach, MD

4:35  Therapies in Development for Diabetic Retinopathy
  Luis J. Haddock, MD

5:00  Scientific Session Adjourns/Cocktail Reception
SPEAKERS

COURSE DIRECTOR

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Associate Professor of Clinical Ophthalmology
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GUEST SPEAKERS

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University of Southern California
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Diabetic Retinopathy 2017

April 1, 2017
Registration is limited, so please register early.

Last Name / First Name (as you want it to appear on name badge) / Degree

Last Four Digits of Social Security Number (for record keeping purposes only)

Specialty / Sub-specialty

Affiliated Institution

Address (Check box if new address)

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Country / Zip or Postal Code

Office phone Office fax

Email

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  Continuing Medical Education
  1400 NW 10th Ave., Suite 508
  Miami, FL 33136
  (Attn: Karen Davila)
DATE
April 1, 2017

LOCATION
The Ritz-Carlton Golf Resort, Naples
2600 Tiburon Drive, Naples, FL 34109
Reservations: (877) 557-3092
Direct: (239) 593-2000

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