

Mississippi Optometric Association Presents

70th Annual Fall Conference and Vision Expo

Pathway to Progress

Thursday – Sunday, Oct. 2 – Oct. 5, 2025
Sheraton Flowood: The Refuge Hotel and Conference Center
2200 Refuge Boulevard, Flowood, MS 39232

OD / Para Registration Packet

ATTENTION: Early Registration Ends Friday, August 15, 2025
Registration Ends Friday, September 26, 2025
On-Site Registration will be available for an additional fee.

*For more information, to register online, to see the agenda, and more, go to www.mseyes.com

THE 2025 MOA 70th ANNUAL FALL CONFERENCE AND VISION EXPOSITION

OD Registration Form

OD Name: _____

Clinic: _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____ Fax _____ Email _____

Names for registration badges:

Badge #1 _____ Badge #2 _____

Badge #3 _____ Badge #4 _____

Registration Options

The 18 COPE hours will be available for virtual attendance. CHECK THIS BOX IF YOU ARE ATTENDING VIRTUALLY.

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	Before Aug. 15 Cutoff	After Aug. 15 Cutoff	Totals
MOA/AOA Member, Dues Current	\$350	\$399	\$ _____
MOA/AOA Member, 2025 Graduate / Student / Intern	NO FEE	NO FEE	\$ _____
AOA Member (outside MS), Dues Current	\$400	\$449	\$ _____
Non-MOA/AOA Member	\$575	\$625	\$ _____
Life / Retired Status NOT requiring CE credit	NO FEE	NO FEE	\$ _____
MOA Life / Retired Status WITH CE credit; 2024 Grad	\$175	\$195	\$ _____
AOA Life / Retired Status WITH CE credit; 2024 Grad	\$225	\$245	\$ _____
**CPR Renewal (MUST register before Sept. 26 to attend. Limited space available.)		\$85	\$ _____

***CPR is renewal course only.*

For hourly course fees, please email lhanson@mseyes.com or call 601-853-4407.

Registration Options, Extras, & Event RSVP's

	Fee	Totals
OD Handouts, printed (Handouts available online if copy is not purchased. Order by Aug. 30)	\$35	\$ _____
Guest Registration for Friday Welcome Reception	\$45	\$ _____
Friday OFP Luncheon (OFP Investors Only) – RSVP REQUIRED	No fee	_____
Friday Welcome Reception (Attendee RSVP)	No fee	_____
Saturday Morning Breakfast (Attendee RSVP)	No fee	_____
Saturday MOA Membership Luncheon (MOA Members Only) – RSVP REQUIRED	No fee	_____

The MOA retains the right to refuse registration if it does not meet the goals of the association.

MOA provides attendee names & office addresses to conference exhibitors/sponsors (no emails are included).

Check this box to opt out if desired. ☐

METHOD OF PAYMENT

Pay by Credit Card or online at www.mseyes.com.

Please make checks payable to MOA and mail to (you may also fax the application, or register online at mseyes.com):
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Cardholder agrees to be bound by the terms of Mississippi Optometric Association's payment policies as stated on its Fall Convention brochure, contract, and registration forms. Cardholder agrees to be responsible for late payment fees if payments are made after the registration deadline.

2025 Fall Conference Lectures and Events

OD Schedule *(Schedule subject to change)*

Thursday, October 2

11:30 – 2:00 p.m.	Leadership Optometry Luncheon
2:30 – 5:00 p.m.	MOA Board of Directors Meeting
5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	MVF Board of Directors Meeting

Friday, October 3 (6 COPE HRS / 2 non-COPE HRS)

7:15 a.m. **Registration and Breakfast**

Friday CE Komal Patel, OD, FAAO, Dipl ABO

8:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Laser Procedures for the Opt. Phys. (PEP)	95647-LP (2 hours)	V	L
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Management of Eyelid Lumps and Bumps (PEP)	COPE pending (2 hours)	V	L
12:00 - 1:30 p.m.	OFP PAC Luncheon	non-COPE (1 hour)		L
1:30 - 4:30 p.m.	Vision Expo	non-COPE (1 hour)		L
4:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Judicious Prescribing/Drug Diversion	COPE pending (2 hours)	V	L
7:00 – 9:30 p.m.	Welcome Reception and MOA 2025 Award Ceremony (with Karaoke)			

Saturday, October 4 (8 COPE HRS / 2 non-COPE HRS)

Komal Patel, OD, FAAO, Dipl ABO

7:00 – 8:00 a.m.	Chalazion Management (PEP)	COPE pending (1 hour)	V	L
8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast with Sponsor Messages			
9:00 - 10:00 a.m.	Introduction to Suturing for Opt. Phys. (PEP)	COPE pending (1 hour)	V	L
	<i>Ashley Wallace-Tucker, OD, FAAO, FSLs, Dipl ABO</i>			
10:00 – 11:00 a.m.	Corneal Dystrophies Demystified	98413-TD (1 hour)	V	L
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Amniotic Membranes	COPE Pending (1 hour)	V	L
12:00 – 1:30 p.m.	MOA/MPOA Membership Luncheon	non-COPE (1 hour)		L
1:30 – 3:30 p.m.	Real World Issues – Panel for Optometry Students			
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	Unique Solutions to Common Ocular Conditions	COPE pending (1 hour)	V	L
2:30 – 3:30 p.m.	Art & Science of Scleral Lens Fitting	98412-CL (1 hour)	V	L
	<i>Roya Attar, OD, MBA, DHA and Megan Lott, OD, FCOVD</i>			
3:30 – 5:30 p.m.	From Retina Specialist to Low Vision Specialist	COPE pending (2 hours)	V	L
5:30 – 7:30 p.m.	Ivy Consulting - CPR Renewal (Add'l Reg Requ'd)	non-COPE (1 hour)		L

Sunday, October 5 (4 COPE HRS)

7:15 – 8:00 a.m. **Omelettes Breakfast**

*Roya Attar, OD, MBA, DHA, FAAO, FORS and
Mohammad Rafieetary, OD, FAAO, FORS, Dipl ABO*

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.	Mastering Retinal Imaging...	COPE pending (1 hour)	V	L
9:00 - 11:00 a.m.	Retina Grand Rounds: Navigating...	COPE pending (2 hours)	V	L
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	New & Emerging Therapies in Retina...	COPE pending (1 hour)	V	L

Fall Conference OD Speakers

For full speaker bios and information, use the MOA Conference App

Roya Attar, OD, DHA, MBA, FAAO , FORS

Dr. Attar serves as an Associate Professor and Director of Optometric Services at the University of Mississippi Medical Center in Jackson, MS. As the sole optometrist at the state's only medical school, she strives to make a meaningful impact on patient care, education, and leadership. Beyond her primary responsibilities, Roya is deeply committed to providing comprehensive clinical care, sharing knowledge with residents, and ensuring the smooth operation of optical services. With dual Doctorates in Optometry and Health Administration, complemented by a Master's in Business Administration, she actively pursues ongoing growth and development in her role.

Megan Sumrall Lott, Developmental Optometrist, O.D., FCOVD

Dr. Megan Sumrall Lott is a functional optometrist who practices in Hattiesburg, MS. She is a 2006 graduate of Southern College of Optometry. She began practicing optometry by providing primary eyecare at Lexington Eye Care in Lexington, MS. In 2016, Dr. Lott opened Belle Vue Specialty Eye Care in Hattiesburg, MS, with the goal of providing eye care and vision therapy to Mississippi and surrounding areas. In 2019, Dr. Lott became the first female in Mississippi to receive Fellowship status in the College of Visual Development in Mississippi. She is a member of the College of Visual Development, Neuro-optometric Rehabilitation Association, International Sports Vision Association, American Optometric Association, and Mississippi Optometric Association. Dr. Lott has low vision training, including being a fellow in the International Association of Low Vision Specialists, and she provides low vision services across Mississippi.

Komal Patel, OD

Dr. Patel is an optometrist and educator, who specializes in ocular disease and advanced eye care procedures. She earned her Doctor of Optometry degree from the University of Waterloo, and completed a residency at NSUOCO, specializing in ocular disease, laser and surgical procedures. Dr. Patel is currently an Assistant Professor at NSUOCO, and combines her passion for teaching with her expertise in medical optometry by lecturing at conferences across the United States and Canada. Dr. Patel is a Diplomate of the American Board of Optometry and a Fellow of both the American Academy of Optometry and the American Academy of Optometric Medicine and Surgery—making her the first female to hold a Fellowship in the latter organization. She is a member of the Oklahoma Association of Optometric Physicians, the Canadian Association of Optometrists, and the American Optometric Association.

Mohammed Rafieetary, OD, FAAO

Dr. Mohammad Rafieetary is a consultative optometric physician who has been in practice at the Charles Retina Institute (CRI) since 1996. Dr. Rafieetary is a graduate of Boston University and received his Doctor of Optometry from the University of Missouri-St. Louis. He completed a residency in Primary Care Optometry and Ocular Disease at the Southern College of Optometry (SCO) and the Memphis Health Center. Upon completion of his residency in 1989, Dr. Rafieetary joined SCO's faculty and served as an Associate Professor and the Chief of Advanced Ocular Disease Service and at the Southern College of Optometry until he joined CRI.

Ashley Wallace-Tucker, OD, FAAO, FSLs, Dipl ABO

Dr. Tucker is a partner at Bellaire Family Eye Care and The Contact Lens Institute of Houston, a private practice in the Houston, TX area where she primarily cares for patients in need of specialty contact lenses and myopia management. She is also a Visiting Assistant Professor at the University of Houston College of Optometry where she is the course master for the Ophthalmic Optics Laboratory. Through her affiliation with the University of Houston, she regularly provides continuing education on the topics of anterior segment disease, specialty contact lenses, myopia management and ophthalmic optics.