

36th Pan-American Congress of Ophthalmology

May 30-June 2, 2025; Agora Convention Center, Bogota, Colombia

Umbrella Coordinator REPORT

Medical Education

SMP147 Symposium

Accepted ☒

SchedDate: Friday, May 30, 2025

StartTime: 12:30 PM EndTime: 2:00 PM

Room ID: 06SAL

Abstract Recd: ☐ **Minutes Requested:** 90

Subject: Medical Education

Title: Foundations of Medical Education (novice/beginner level)

Abstract: Synopsis: This is the first symposium of the PAAO225 MedEd Program triplet especially designed for Ophthalmologist-Educators. 'Foundations of Medical Education' offers a comprehensive introduction to the fundamental aspects of modern medical education. Specially designed with the thought of capturing the attention of ophthalmologist-educators initiating in the field of clinical education, the symposium aims to equip participants with essential knowledge and skills to navigate the rapidly evolving educational landscape in the medical field. The event features a series of short insightful talks by international experienced leaders in education, each focusing on key topics fundamental to effective teaching and learning in ophthalmology.

Role	Participant Name
Coordinator	Ana Gabriela Palis Argentina
	12:30:00 PM <i>Coordinator/Moderator: Foundations of Medical Education (novice/beginner level)</i>
Coordinator	Arturo J. Ramirez Miranda Mexico
	12:30:00 PM <i>Coordinator/Moderator: Foundations of Medical Education (novice/beginner level)</i>
Instructor	Faculty
	12:30:00 PM (1 minutes) <i>Introduction (1 min)</i>
Instructor	Ana Gabriela Palis Argentina
	12:31:00 PM (10 minutes) <i>Principles of Adult Learning (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Eduardo P. Mayorga Argentina
	12:41:00 PM (10 minutes) <i>Technology enhanced learning (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Eduardo Viteri Coronel Ecuador
	12:51:00 PM (10 minutes) <i>Social Learning (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Juan Carlos Serna Ojeda Mexico
	1:01:00 PM (10 minutes) <i>Social Media in Medical Education (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Ivo Ferreira Mexico
	1:11:00 PM (10 minutes) <i>Simulation-Based Education (Part I) (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Valentina Franco Cárdenas Mexico
	1:21:00 PM (10 minutes) <i>Assessment Principles (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Andreas Paulo Di Luciano Rojas Chile
	1:31:00 PM (10 minutes) <i>Teaching in the Clinic (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Alejandro Rodriguez Garcia Mexico
	1:41:00 PM (10 minutes) <i>Mentoring (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Faculty
	1:51:00 PM (9 minutes) <i>Q&A + Final comments (9 min)</i>

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SchedDate: Friday, May 30, 2025

StartTime: 2:15 PM

EndTime: 3:45 PM

Room ID: 06SAL

Abstract Recd: ☐

Minutes Requested: 90

Subject: Medical Education

Title: Ophthalmologists as Clinical Educators (Intermedium level)

Abstract: Synopsis: This is the second symposium of the PAAO2025 MedEd Program triplet especially designed for Ophthalmologist-Educators. "Ophthalmologists is designed especially thinking of ophthalmologists, who seek to advance their educational expertise within clinical settings. Aimed at a basic-intermediate level, the event delves into sophisticated pedagogical techniques and frameworks that are essential for cultivating competent, well-rounded practitioners in ophthalmology. Attendees will gain insights into modern educational strategies, assessment methodologies, and leadership roles that are crucial for enhancing teaching and learning experiences in this specialized field.

Role	Participant Name	
Coordinator	Karl C. Golnik	United States
	2:15:00 PM	<i>Coordinator/Moderator: Ophthalmologists as Clinical Educators (Intermedium level)</i>
Coordinator	Helena Maria Filipe	Portugal
	2:15:00 PM	<i>Coordinator/Moderator: Ophthalmologists as Clinical Educators (Intermedium level)</i>
Instructor	Faculty	
	2:15:00 PM (1 minutes)	<i>Introduction (1 min)</i>
Instructor	Jorge E. Valdez-Garcia	Mexico
	2:16:00 PM (10 minutes)	<i>Competency-Based Education (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Helena Maria Filipe	Portugal
	2:26:00 PM (10 minutes)	<i>Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs) (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Karl C. Golnik	United States
	2:36:00 PM (10 minutes)	<i>Workplace-based assessment (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Maria Auxiliadora Monteiro Frazão	Brazil
	2:46:00 PM (10 minutes)	<i>Developing a national consensus on EPAs (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Van Charles Lansingh	Mexico
	2:56:00 PM (10 minutes)	<i>Simulation-Based Education (Part II) (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Alejandro Navas Perez	Mexico
	3:06:00 PM (10 minutes)	<i>How to get published (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Mathys Labuchange	South Africa
	3:16:00 PM (10 minutes)	<i>Curriculum Design (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Maria Fernanda Abalem	Brazil
	3:26:00 PM (10 minutes)	<i>Leadership in Medical Education (10 min)</i>
Instructor	Faculty	
	3:36:00 PM (9 minutes)	<i>Q&A + Final comments (9 min)</i>

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CRS338 Invited Course

Accepted ☒

SchedDate: Friday, May 30, 2025

StartTime: 4:00 PM

EndTime: 5:00 PM

Room ID: 06SAL

Abstract Recd: ☐

Minutes Requested: 60

Subject: Medical Education

Title: Building an International Community of Medical Educators (Advanced level)

Abstract: Synopsis: This is the third symposium of the PAO2025 MedEd Program triplet especially designed for Ophthalmologist-Educators. As the program concluding symposium, "Building an International Community of Medical Educators" is especially tailored for intermediate experienced and seasoned educators who aim to transcend borders in their pursuit of excellence in medical education. Junior ophthalmologist educators are welcome and will feel better acquainted with the topics proposed, after participating in the previous two events. This symposium offers deep dives into cutting-edge topics that are reshaping the educational landscape on a global scale. Participants will engage with innovative concepts and strategies that foster international collaboration, integration of technology, and ongoing professional growth.

Role	Participant Name	
Coordinator	Jorge E. Valdez-Garcia	Mexico
	4:00:00 PM	Coordinator/Moderator: Building an International Community of Medical Educators (Advanced level)
Coordinator	Allan R. Slomovic	Canada
	4:00:00 PM	Coordinator/Moderator: Building an International Community of Medical Educators (Advanced level)
Instructor	Faculty	
	4:00:00 PM (1 minutes)	Introduction (1 min)
Instructor	Jorge E. Valdez-Garcia	Mexico
	4:01:00 PM (10 minutes)	Communities of Practice in Medical Education (10 min)
Instructor	Eduardo P. Mayorga	Argentina
	4:11:00 PM (10 minutes)	Personal Learning Environments (10 min)
Instructor	R.V Paul Chan	United States
	4:21:00 PM (10 minutes)	Global Networking (10 min)
Instructor	Eduardo C. Alfonso	United States
	4:31:00 PM (10 minutes)	Artificial Intelligence (10 min)
Instructor	Helena Maria Filipe	Portugal
	4:41:00 PM (10 minutes)	Continuing Professional Development (10 min)
Instructor	Faculty	
	4:51:00 PM (9 minutes)	Q&A + Final comments (9 min)

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SMP261 **Symposium**

Accepted ☒

SchedDate: **Monday, June 2, 2025**

StartTime: **11:00 AM** **EndTime:** **12:30 AM**

Room ID: **02SAL**

Abstract Recd: ☐

Minutes Requested: 90

CoSponsor(s): Ophthalmology Foundation

Subject: Medical Education

Title: Empowering Clinical Educators: Strategies for Effective Teaching in Ophthalmology. A Symposium by the Ophthalmology Foundation

Abstract: Synopsis: Goal: To equip ophthalmology educators with practical strategies and evidence-based approaches in active learning and the case of problem-based learning, social learning, curriculum design, and simulation-based education. Format: A mix of five short presentations will prime an engaging conversation around five fundamental topics in health professions education.

<i>Role</i>	<i>Participant Name</i>
Coordinator	Jorge E. Valdez-Garcia
	11:00:00 AM <i>Coordinator(s)/Moderator(s): Empowering Clinical Educators: Strategies for Effective Teaching in Ophthalmology. A Symposium by the Ophthalmology Foundation</i>
Coordinator	Helena Maria Filipe
	11:00:00 AM <i>Coordinator(s)/Moderator(s): Empowering Clinical Educators: Strategies for Effective Teaching in Ophthalmology. A Symposium by the Ophthalmology Foundation</i>
Instructor	Helena Maria Filipe
	11:00:00 AM (5 minutes) <i>Welcome and Introduction (5 min)</i>
Instructor	Eduardo P. Mayorga
	11:05:00 AM (15 minutes) <i>Creating multiple-choice questions with artificial intelligence (10 min + 5 min discussion)</i>
Instructor	Ana Gabriela Palis
	11:20:00 AM (15 minutes) Argentina <i>Accreditation of Residency Programs (10 min + 5 min discussion)</i>
Instructor	Jorge E. Valdez-Garcia
	11:35:00 AM (15 minutes) Mexico <i>Social Learning Principles and Strategies to Apply in Educational Practice (10 min + 5 min discussion)</i>
Instructor	Helena Maria Filipe
	11:50:00 AM (15 minutes) Portugal <i>Designing an Education Curriculum (10 min + 5 min discussion)</i>
Instructor	Andreas Paulo Di Luciano Rojas
	12:05:00 PM (15 minutes) Chile <i>Simulation-Based Education: Best Practices (10 min + 5 min discussion)</i>
Instructor	Helena Maria Filipe
	12:20:00 PM (10 minutes) Portugal <i>Key Takeaways and Conclusion (10 min)</i>