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# Pittsburgh Ophthalmology Society

## 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting

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Department of Continuing Medical Education



FEATURING

**DAVID L. EPSTEIN, M.D., M.M.M**

*Harvey E. Thorpe Lecturer*

**UDAY DEVGAN, M.D.**

**PAULA KOCZAN, J.D.**

**JONATHAN D. TROBE, M.D.**

**Friday, March 19, 2010**

Omni William Penn Hotel  
530 William Penn Place  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219

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## March 19, 2010

### **HARVEY E. THORPE LECTURER**

### **David L. Epstein, M.D., M.M.M.**

Joseph A. C. Wadsworth Clinical Professor of Ophthalmology  
Chairman, Department of Ophthalmology, Duke University School of Medicine  
Chief of Ophthalmology, Duke University Hospital  
Durham, North Carolina

#### **Additional Faculty:**

#### **Uday Devgan, M.D.**

Chief of Ophthalmology  
Attending Surgeon, Department of Surgery  
Olive View, UCLA Medical Center  
Sylmar, California  
Associate Clinical Professor of Ophthalmology  
UCLA School of Medicine  
Jules Stein Eye Institute, UCLA  
Los Angeles, California

#### **Jonathan D. Trobe, M.D.**

Professor of Neurology  
Professor of Ophthalmology  
University of Michigan Medical Center  
Ann Arbor, Michigan

#### **Paula Koczan, J.D.**

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Pittsburgh, PA

**Register prior to March 1 and receive a discounted fee of \$350.00**



**Registration fee after March 1 is \$400.00**

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**Omni William Penn Hotel  
530 William Penn Place, Pittsburgh, PA 15219  
Phone: 800/228-9290 or 412/471-4000**

**Room Accommodations *until February 19, 2010:*  
Single/Double \$155 /night**

**Pittsburgh Ophthalmology Society**  
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**March 19, 2010**

7:00 a.m.      **Registration and continental breakfast in the Exhibit Area, Grand Ballroom 17<sup>th</sup> Floor**

**Morning Session- Urban Room**

7:25 a.m.      **Welcome & Announcements**  
Norman L. Edelstein, M.D., President, Pittsburgh Ophthalmology Society

7:30 a.m.      **Uday Devgan, M.D.**      *Challenging Cataract cases*

Objective: be able to recognize, pre-operatively and intra-operatively, challenges, which make cataract surgery more difficult; describe techniques to effectively manage these challenges to provide for improved patient outcomes

8:15 a.m.      **Jonathan D. Trobe, M.D.**      *Neuro-Ophthalmic Challenges, I*

Objective: to be able to describe diagnostic and management challenges of various neuro-ophthalmic conditions and to describe the clinical and imaging features of medical problems that may be faced and outline the skills that will improve patient outcomes.

9:00 a.m.      **David L. Epstein, M.D., M.M.M.**      *Schlemm's Canal Surgery: Why you may not get the IOP low enough yet*

Objective: to understand the process by which the outflow system functions segmentally and be able to explain how there is significant outflow resistance distal to the outer wall of Schlemm's Canal that affects the final IOP following canal procedures

9:45 a.m.      **Refreshment Break - Ballroom**

10:15 a.m.      **Uday Devgan, M.D.**      *What to do when the capsule breaks*

Objective: be able to define the negative effect on surgery when the posterior capsule breaks during cataract surgery and outline the steps taken to manage a ruptured posterior capsule to improve patient outcomes

11:00 a.m.      **Jonathan D. Trobe, M.D.**      *Neuro-Ophthalmic Challenges, II*

Objective: to be able to describe diagnostic and management challenges of various neuro-ophthalmic conditions and to describe the clinical and imaging features of medical problems that may be faced and outline the skills that will improve patient outcomes

11:45 a.m.      **Introduction of Thorpe Lecturer**  
**David L. Epstein, M.D., M.M.M**      *The future of Glaucoma: the role of disruptive innovation*

Objective: to be able to explain the current complacency in the field of glaucoma and how this has interfered with innovation in therapies and be able to describe potential practice-changing ideas

12:30 p.m.      **Presentation to Dr. Epstein by Norman L. Edelstein, M.D.**

12:45 p.m.      **Lunch - Ballroom**

**Friday Afternoon- Urban Room**  
**Norman L. Edelstein, MD – Presiding**  
**President, Pittsburgh Ophthalmology Society**

**1:30 p.m. Uday Devgan, M.D. *Keys to Refractive Cataract Surgery***

Objective: describe the correction of lenticular opacity and specific refractive outcomes by way of cataract surgery to include correction of spherical aberration, astigmatism, and presbyopia at the same time. Be able to detail the steps to achieve success with refractive cataract surgery.

**2:15 p.m. Jonathan D. Trobe, M.D. *Neuro-Ophthalmic Challenges, III***

Objective: to be able to describe diagnostic and management challenges of various neuro-ophthalmic conditions and to describe the clinical and imaging features of medical problems that may be faced and outline the skills that will improve patient outcomes

**3:00 p.m. Refreshment Break - Ballroom**

**3:30 p.m. David L. Epstein, M.D., M.M.M. *Where are we in Trabecular Outflow research?***

Objective: to explain the role of TM cellular senescence in aging and outline potential 'anti-aging' therapies for glaucoma

**4:15 p.m. Paula Koczan, J.D. *Preventing malpractice suits following retirement***

Objective: recapture the reasons for becoming a physician, describe the "current state of the art" and how we got here, outline the future directions of medicine, how the practice of medicine and ophthalmology will be practiced amid the ethical challenges of the future

**5:00 p.m. Adjourn**

**6:00 p.m. Cocktails and Dinner ☼ *Duquesne Club, Pittsburgh, PA***

**Who should attend? Registration is open to all physicians. Those who are in residency training may attend, provided that the registration is, accompanied by a letter from the Department Chair.**

**Accreditation statement: Allegheny General Hospital is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians.**

**Joint Sponsorship Accreditation Statement: This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the Essentials Areas and Policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education through the joint sponsorship of Allegheny General Hospital and the Pittsburgh Ophthalmology Society.**

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**The Annual Spring Meeting (physician program) and all other continuing medical education programs sponsored by the Pittsburgh Ophthalmology Society will be open to physicians and physicians in training only. The continuing medical education programs sponsored by the Society are intended for an audience of participants with a prerequisite medical education. CME credits will be awarded only to the intended audience.**

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## REGISTRATION

Please complete and return to

Pittsburgh Ophthalmology Society ✧ 713 Ridge Avenue ✧ Pittsburgh, PA 15212

Questions: Contact Dianne Meister, RN, Executive Director at 412-321-5030 or email to [dmeister@acms.org](mailto:dmeister@acms.org)

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Buffet Lunch Friday, March 19: I will attend:  I will not attend:

**Banquet - Friday Evening, March 19, 2010 at the *Duquesne Club***

**Deadline for dinner reservations is Monday, March 15, 2010**

**NO REFUND for unused reservations.**

I will not attend the Banquet

I will attend w/meal choice\*

*Broiled Filet Mignon, Honey Mustard & Pine Nut Crust, Natural Demi-Glace*

*Pecan and Bran Crusted Virginia Spot*

*Portobello Mushroom Stack w/Arugula, Oven Roasted Tomato, Grilled Vegetables, & Roasted Pepper Coulis*

Guest Name \_\_\_\_\_ @ additional \$60.00 fee per guest

(Please print guest name and title)

Guest Meal choice\*

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*\*All selections with soup, salad and chef's choice of starch, vegetable and dessert*

\_\_\_ Early registration fee of \$350    \_\_\_ Registration received after March 1 \$400.00    \_\_\_ Resident: \$200

Total Submitted \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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Participation by all individuals is encouraged. Advance notification of any special needs will help us provide better service. Please notify us of your needs at least two weeks in advance of the program by calling 412/321-5030, X 107.

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