

Presentations

Uday Kumar Addepalli

National

- 6th National CME on Eye Banking, Optometry seminar, Eye Bank Association of India, Hyderabad, 26 September 2014; *Invited speaker*: Glaucoma detection - Role of Optometrist.
- Vision Science Conference 2014, Hyderabad Central University, 25 August 2014; *Invited speaker*: Utility of a vision technician in detecting glaucoma in south Indian rural population.

Mohammad Javed Ali

International

- ISDDE, Naples, September 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Punctal stenosis: Immunology and Electron microscopy 2) Lateral wall landmarks and NLD - A cadaveric study 3) Electron microscopy of nasal mucosa treated with MMC 4) Biofilm quantification on the NLD stents 5) Bony NLD injury following FESS 6) Endoscopic DCR and OSA - effects of CPAP. 7) Powered Endoscopic DCR - a decade of experience 8) Behaviours of DCR ostium beyond 4 weeks.
- CME, Muscat, Al Nadha Hospital, 2014; *Presentation*: What's new in Dacryology

National

- CMRI CME, Kolkata, February 2015; *Presentation*: Recent Advances in lacrimal disorders.
- MAA FESS Conference, Hyderabad, February 2015; *Presentation*: Nuances of Endoscopic lacrimal approaches.
- AOI, Hyderabad, 2015; *Presentation*: Research Advances in Dacryology.
- APSOPRS, Delhi, September 2014; *Paper presentations*: 1) Quantification methods of Biofilms on NLD stents. 2) Evaluation of an Ostium and DOS scoring system. 3) Effects of CPAP on post-DCR patients. 4) DCR Ostium granulomas – How to manage?
- EYEPEP, Hyderabad, 2014; *Presentation*: Pediatric lacrimal disorders.

D Balasubramanian

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO), Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA 4-8 May 2014; *Presentation*: Role of the Greek key motifs in Beta-Gamma crystallins in central lens transparency.

National

- Indian Association of Cardiothoracic Surgeons, Annual meeting, Hyderabad, 20 February 2015; *Invited talk*: How to initiate research by clinicians.
- Annual festival, Biotechnology, Anna University, Chennai, 16 February 2015; *Invited talk*: Excitements in eye biology
- KIIT, Bhubaneswar, 5 February 2015; *Invited talk*: Cells and Stem Cells; theory and practice.
- Indian National Science Academy, Delhi, 11 June 2014; *Invited talk*: Communicating science to society and policy makers.

Kishore Babu

National

- Annual National Medical Records Conference MEDRECON, Tamil Nadu, 6-7 March 2015; *Paper presentation*: Medical Records: Role and Accreditation Process.

Deepak K Bagga

National

- Indian Eye Research Group (IERG) – ARVO (India Chapter 21st Annual Meeting) Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Poster presentation*: Educational levels in patients with Albinism. Co-authors: Vijaya K Gothwal and Adedayo O Adio.

Bhupesh Bagga

International

- American Academy of Ophthalmology, Chicago, 18-22 October 2014; Three assignments: 1) *Poster presentation*: Clinico microbiological profile of microbial keratitis in SJS 2) *Chief instructor*: instruction course for infectious keratitis: Make it Simple 3) *Video presentations*: a) Different techniques of DALK: Different Trouble Different Bubble b) Lid margin MMG for SJS (it got selected as learning lounge video)

National

- All India Ophthalmological Society, New Delhi, 2015; Two assignments 1) *Instruction Course*: Toric iol use for handling Astigmatism 2) *Video presentation*: Relief: Lid Margin MMG for SJS.

Soumyava Basu

National

- Invited to formulate guidelines for diagnosis and management of various forms of extrapulmonary TB, All-India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi.

Praveen K Balne

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 4-8 May 2014; *Presentation*: Epidemic Keratoconjunctivitis in India: Is it adenoviral or microsporidial? Co-authors: Sujata Das, Srikant K Sahu, Swapnil S Gavit, BNR Subudhi and Savitri Sharma

Umesh C Behera

National

- All India Ophthalmological Society, February 2015; Instruction course: Initiating ROP screening and overcoming practical challenges in Odisha, the LVP Bhubaneswar experience.
- Vitreo-retinasociety of India, Annual Meet, Agra Nov 2014; Poster presentation: Pulsating long posterior ciliary artery and the mysterious temporal macular dimple.

Shrikant Bharadwaj

International

- American Academy of Optometry 2014 meeting, Colorado, USA, 12-15 November 2014; Two engagements 1) *Poster presentation*: Changes in image quality of human eyes following refractive surgery. Co-authors: Sarkar S and Vaddavalli PK 2) *Paper presentation*: Accommodative performance of the unocular visual system. Co-author: Sravani G
- LVPEI-University of Rochester collaborative meeting, Rochester, USA, 9 May 2014; *Presentation*: Vision Science research @ LVPEI.
- Association for Research in Vision & Ophthalmology (ARVO) 2014 meeting, Florida, 4-8 May 2014; *Poster presentation*: Race-dependent variability in the defocus calibration of eccentric photo refraction. Co-authors: Sravani G and Kumar N V.
- LVPEI - BHVI strategy meeting, BHVI, Sydney, Australia, 22 July 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Educational and professional development of Optometry @ LVPEI. 2) Vision Science research @ LVPEI.

National

- IV Annual Ramalingaswami Conclave, IISER, Bhubaneswar, 29 January 2015; *Presentation*: Neural control of focusing and eye alignment in the human eye.
- Bio-engineering seminar series, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, 12 January 2015; *Presentation*: Focusing behavior of the human eye.
- Vision Science conference, University of Hyderabad, 25 August 2014; *Presentation*: Focusing responses of the unocular visual system.
- India Vision Institute's Young Leaders Program, Hyderabad, 4 April 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Research opportunities for Optometry in India 2) Indian Optometry - A SWOT analysis.

Seelam Bharani

National

- Indian Eye Research Group (IERG) - ARVO, India Chapter, 21st Annual Meeting, Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Paper presentation*: Effectiveness of low vision rehabilitation on Quality of Life in Indian population.
- 31st Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 11 April 2014; *In house faculty*: Available options for patients with low vision.

Subhabrata Chakrabarti

International

- University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia, 2 October 2014; *Presentation*: Authorship ethics: credit and credibility.
- International Symposium of Ophthalmology, Hong Kong, 27 September 2014; *Presentation*: Delineating the molecular mechanisms in primary congenital glaucoma from linkage mapping to next generation sequencing.
- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 4-8 May 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Minimum Publishable Unit (MPU) and other deviations. 2) The LTBP2 gene exhibits a limited involvement in primary congenital glaucoma.

National

- Asian Institute of Gastroenterology, International Symposium on Translational Research in Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic Diseases: Bench to Bedside Interface, Hyderabad, 28 February 2015; *Panelist*: Next Generation Sequencing Applications.
- Tech Mahindra, Hyderabad, 9 February 2015; *Invited panelist*: Knowledge Management Day.
- All India Ophthalmological Society (AIOS), Annual conference, Delhi 6 February 2015; Two engagements: 1) *Presentation*: Genomics of eye diseases in India over the last 2 decades. 2) *Panelist*: Audacious research goals in vision and ophthalmology.
- Genetics Symposium on Sanger to Next Generation Sequencing – The Genomics Era, Chennai, 30-31 January 2015; *Presentation*: Novel

Functional Mechanisms in Primary Congenital Glaucoma: A Journey Through Linkage, GWAS, ROH and NGS.

- International symposium Genomics in health and disease, 40th Annual Conference, Indian Society of Human Genetics, Mumbai, 29 January 2015; *Presentation*: A global perspective on the functional genomics of primary congenital glaucoma.
- IEC-ICSCRT workshop, Central University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, 11 October 2014; *Presentation*: National and international collaborations: impact and perils.
- Indo-UK Conference and workshop on ophthalmic genetics and genetic counseling, Bangalore; *Presentation*: The genetic paradigm of Age related Macular Degeneration (AMD) and Glaucoma.

Sunita Chaurasia

National

- Indian Eye Research Group (IERG) - ARVO (India Chapter 21st Annual Meeting) Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Poster presentation*: Congenital Corneal Keloid (CCK) in a Pediatric Age Group: A Clinical and Histopathological Correlation after Successful Deep Anterior Lamellar Keratoplasty (DALK). Co-authors: Muralidhar Ramappa, Ashik Mohamed and Geeta Vemuganti.

Preeti Patil Chhablani

International

- American Association of Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus (AAPOS), California, 2-6 April, 2014; *Poster presentation*: Surgery for Monocular Elevation Deficit (MED)- outcomes in a series of 31 cases.

National

- IERG 21st Annual Meeting, Hyderabad, 26-27 July; *Poster presentation*: Outcome of simultaneous inferior rectus recession with Knapp's procedure for Monocular Elevation Deficit (MED). Co-authors: Akshay Badakere and Ramesh Kekunnaya.

Beula Christy

International

- 11th International Conference, Low Vision, Melbourne, Australia, 31 March- 3 April 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Status of rehabilitation intervention in India, an overview of initiatives taken by Government and Non-Governmental service sectors. 2) A Randomized Trial of Methods of Low Vision Service Delivery

National

- 31st Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 11 April 2014; *In house faculty*: Integrating vision rehabilitation.

Taraprasad Das

International

- University of Kentucky, Lexington, May 2014; *Distinguished lecture series*: Automated detection of diabetic retinopathy.
- World Ophthalmology Congress, Tokyo, Japan, April 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Changing spectrum of endophthalmitis 2) (Co-author) Intravitreal ranibizumab versus bevacizumab in macular edema secondary to branch vein occlusion (BRANVO): A double masked randomized study.

National

- All India Ophthalmological Society, February 2015; *Invited speaker*: 1) Redefining evidences in management of acute endophthalmitis following cataract surgery. 2) India Diabetic Macular Edema Guidelines.
- Ophthalmologists Association, Hyderabad, January 2015; *Invited Speaker*: 1) Approach to Diabetic Macular Edema 2) India Diabetic Macular Edema Guidelines.
- WHO Regional meeting, Global action Plan (2014-2019), South East Asia Region, Hyderabad, November 2014; *Presentation*: Assessing magnitude and causes of visual impairment in South East Asia.
- 5th Association of Community Ophthalmologists of India (ACOIN), Kolkata, November 2014; *Invited Speaker*: Eye care for neglected population: global challenges and Indian solution.
- British Medical Journal, New Delhi, August 2014; *Master classes*: 1) Surgery in Macular Hole 2) Management of Endophthalmitis.
- Retina 2014 Conference, Vijayawada, August 2014; *Presentation*: Diabetic macular edema- paradigm to treatment guideline.
- VISION 2020, Annual Conference, LVPEI Hyderabad, July 2014; *Presentation*: IAPB South East Asia initiatives to achieve VISION 2020 goals
- ARVO-IC, 21st Annual IERG, Hyderabad, July 2014; *Presentation*: ARIES: The software for diabetic retinopathy screening

Vivek Dave

National

- Vitreoretinal society of India December 2014; Two engagements; 1) *Paper presentations*: a) Clinical presentations and outcomes of vitreous surgery in endophthalmitis related retinal detachments b)

Clinical presentations and outcomes of retinal detachment in retinitis pigmentosa c) Outcomes and management of ocular ischemic syndrome. 2) *Video presentation*: Sub-ilm hemorrhage in terson syndrome.

- Maharashtra Ophthalmological Conference 2014, 10-12 October 2014; Three engagements; 1) *Invited Faculty*: a) Fundus fluorescein angiogram: is it still relevant today b) Understanding the P value in biomedical statistics. 2) *Instruction course*: a) Eye in systemic disorders: clinical caveats b) Ophthalmic investigations: know the basics. 3) *Video presentation*: difficult intraocular foreign body scenarios
- Delhi Ophthalmological Society Annual Conference 2014, 11-13 April 2014; *Invited faculty*: 1) Basics of fundus fluorescein angiography 2) Autofluorescence in macular disorders.
- Bombay ophthalmologists association conference 2014; *Invited faculty*: 1) Fundus autofluorescence in retinal degenerations 2) Retinal stem cell therapy: where are we today 3) The eye in systemic disorders: the retinal perspective.

Siddharth Dikshit

National

- 73rd All India Ophthalmology Conference, New Delhi, 5 February 2015; *Chief Course Instructor*: Learning Statistics can be Fun. Co-Instructors: Vivek Pravin Dave, Mudit Tyagi & Sayan Basu.
- 24th Annual Conference, Glaucoma Society of India, Bhubaneswar, 12-14 September 2014; *Poster presentations*: 1) Glaucoma progression on 24-2 versus 10-2 Humphrey visual field examinations. 2) Impact of Cataract Surgery on Intraocular Pressure Control after Surgery for Congenital Glaucoma. 3) Outcomes of Ahmed glaucoma valve implantation in refractory pediatric glaucoma

Merle Fernandes

International

- Flaum Eye Institute, Rochester, NY, USA, March 2015; *Invited speaker*: "Allergic Conjunctivitis: Case based diagnosis and management" and "Microbial keratitis: diagnosis and management".
- Ocular Microbiology and Immunology Group Meeting, Chicago, USA, Oct 2014; *Free paper*: Extensively Drug Resistant Pseudomonas aeruginosa keratitis: Clinical features, risk factors and outcome. Co-authors: Divya Vira, Radhika Medikonda and Nagendra Kumar

Prashant Garg

International

- ICO Educators program, APAO meeting, Guangzhou, China, 31 March 2015; *Invited faculty*
- Indonesian Ophthalmology Society, Annual Meeting, Yogyakarta, Java, 30 October- 2 November 2014; *Invited speaker*: 1) Corticosteroids in the treatment of corneal ulcer 2) Evidence based management of fungal keratitis 3) Amniotic membrane v/s conjunctival autograft for Pterygium 4) Collagen cross linking for the treatment of corneal ulcer 5) Lamellar keratoplasty in the management of corneal ulcer 6) Lamellar keratoplasty – why, when and how
- Invited faculty at the annual meeting of AAO Chicago, 18 – 22 October 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Invited speaker*: Innovations in surgical management of corneal ulcer 2) *Faculty: Instruction courses* a) Surgical treatment of corneal ulcer b) Atypical keratitis c) Controversies' in the management of corneal ulcer.
- Research Group, Kroto Research Institute, University of Sheffield, UK, 23 June 2014; *Oral presentation*: Challenges in management of corneal ulcer in developing countries.
- Annual meeting of the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery, Cornea day, Boston, 25 April 2014; *Invited speaker*: Atypical Mycobacterial keratitis.
- World Ophthalmology Congress, Tokyo, 1-5 April 2014; Four engagements: 1) *Speaker instruction course*: a) Topography and Tomography in the Diagnosis of Corneal Ectasia. Presentation title: Corneal topography. b) Endothelial Keratoplasty; Title Techniques of DSEK. 2) *Free paper* (co-author) - In Vitro Antimicrobial Efficacy of Riboflavin/UVA Irradiation Combination (365 nm) Against Protozoal, Nocardial and Fungal Isolates: a Potential New Treatment for Infectious Keratitis 3) *Invited speaker symposium*: a) JCAHPO session – Expanding human capacity for eye care in developing countries. Title: Training and Incorporation of Mid Level Personnel in Eye Care Team - L V Prasad Eye Institute Model b) IACHPO session – developing an allied health personnel curriculum and training program using internet resources; Title: A comprehensive curriculum: essential for allied health. 4) *Chair & Speaker for invited symposium*: Exemplary residency programs in developing countries: good teaching in difficult conditions; Title: Exemplary teaching in India: The experience of LVPEI.

National

- Update on Corneal infection, Lucknow Ophthalmic Society, 30 March 2015; *Invited speaker*: Understanding management of corneal ulcer - a case based discussion
- All India Ophthalmological Society- ARC committee- IOC, Delhi, 4 February 2015; *Coordinator and faculty*: Teachers in Ophthalmology; Title: Curriculum.
- All India Ophthalmological Society Conference, New Delhi, 4-8 Feb 2015; *Invited faculty Postgraduate session*: Management of corneal ulcer.
- Indian Cornea Society "Karacon 14", Annual meeting, Chennai, 19-21 December 2014; Two engagements: 1) Invited speaker 2) Session Moderator: corneal ulcer.
- Phaco development Program, LVPEI, 16 November 2014; *Presentation*: Management of posterior capsular rent.
- Eye bank association of India, Annual Meeting, Hyderabad Ophthalmic Society, 27 September 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Therapeutic keratoplasty 2) Worst scenario IOLs 3) Management of Keratoconus
- C L Gupta eye institute, 5th Anniversary, Moradabad, 21 September 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Key note lecture*: Acanthamoeba and microsporidial keratitis 2) *Invited speaker*: a) Evaluation of a case of corneal ulcer b) Pearls in the management of corneal ulcer – a case based discussion
- Kerala Corneal club, Calicut, 31 August 2014; *Invited speaker*: 1) Improving outcome of management of corneal ulcer 2) Antibiotic resistance a growing concern.
- CME of Baroda Ophthalmic Society, Baroda, 16-17 August 2014; *Invited speaker*: 1) Keratoplasty – the best teacher 2) Pearls in the management of Corneal ulcer – case based discussion 3) Glimpse on unusual corneal infections – Microsporidia, Nocardia, atypical mycobacteria 4) Advances in the management of fungal keratitis 5) Steroids in Corneal Ulcer 6) Bacterial Resistance a growing concern 7) DSEK: Lessons learnt in last five years.
- Tamil Nadu Ophthalmic Society, Annual Meeting, Coimbatore, 8-10 August 2014; *Invited speaker*: 1) Innovations in surgical management of corneal ulcer 2) Phacoemulsification combined with keratoplasty 3) Complications of collagen cross linking 4) How to choose antibiotics.
- British Medical Journal Master classes, Kolkata, 5-6 August 2014; *Invited speaker*: 1) Corneal ulcer – Therapeutic options 2) Important aspects of endophthalmitis 3) Antibiotic resistance.

Vijaya K Gothwal

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 4-8 May 2014; *Presentation*: Congenital glaucoma surgery improves caregivers' quality of life.
- 11th International Conference, Low Vision, Melbourne, Australia, 31 March- 3 April 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Effectiveness of Low Vision Rehabilitation in Children. 2) Quality of life assessment in children with low vision.

National

- 8th Annual Champalimaud Research Symposium, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 1 February 2015; *Invited speaker*: Patient-reported outcomes in Ophthalmology at the LVPEI: An Update
- Scientific meeting organized by LVPEI for Education Day, International Convention Centre, Hyderabad, 29-30 November 2014; *Invited speaker and moderator*: Patient-reported outcomes in Ophthalmology
- Eye-PEP, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 23-28 November 2014; *Invited speaker*: What is low vision and how do we deal with it?
- 32nd Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 12 September 2014; *Course co-ordinator and In-House faculty*: Clinical Challenges.
- 31st Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 11 April 2014; *Course co-coordinator and in house faculty*: Clinical Challenges.

Syed Hameed

National

- Indian Eye Research Group ARVO-India Chapter (IERG-ARVO-IC), Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Presentation*: Comparative analysis of Corneal dermoid with Limbal dermoid. Co-authors: Jagdeesh C Reddy, Nazmul Hussain, Vivek Singh and Inderjeet Kaur.

Subhadra Jalali

International

- 52nd ISCEV annual symposium. Boston, 20-24 July 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Unusual Patterned Pigmentary Retinopathy. Co-author- Padhi T 2) ERG changes in Ocular Ischemic syndrome. Co-authors: Myneni J, Sahu C and Reddy D.
- Bostons' Childrens' Hospital, 16 July 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Invited guest speaker*: Our Experiences in the Diagnosis and management of Neonatal Retinal diseases 2) *Video presentation*: 10000th Preterm baby at LVPEI

- Consultative workshop on Guidelines development on ROP by Ministry of Health, Philippines, Manila, 9 May 2014; *Invited expert by WHO*: 1) Lessons for ROP guidelines learnt from Crib to journals over 15 years 2) Born too soon- But who stole my vision, an appeal from a ROP blind girl.
- Philippine Academy of Ophthalmology, Manila, 8 May 2014; Two engagements 1) *Invited guest speaker*: Neonatal Retinal diseases: spectrum and management 2) *Video presentation*: Our 10,000th ROP baby.
- 34th World Ophthalmology Congress, Symposium on Advanced diagnosis and treatment of paediatric ophthalmology, Tokyo, 2-6 April 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Invited speaker*: Diagnosis and surgical management of Neonatal Retinal diseases 2) *Presentations*: a) Central retinal vein obstruction during laser for ROP, secondary to protein C deficiency and its response to Bevacizumab injection: Indian Twin Cities ROP study report. Co-authors: Phalak D, Rani PK and Balakrishnan D b) The Indian Twin Cities ROP study (ITCROPS) program: Lessons learnt over 15 years of journey from the journals to the cribs. Co-authors: Rani PK, Balakrishnan D and Padhi TR

National

- Advanced Eye centre, Conference on Current trends and controversies in the management of Retinal diseases and uveitis and PGI alumni meet, PGIMER, Chandigarh, 14-15 March 2015; *Invited speaker* 1) Use of gas and regular silicone oil versus high density silicone oil in inferior RD and PVR 2) Challenging cases of advanced Coats' disease and complication of intravitreal Bevacizumab in ROP.
- QDJT (Queen Elizabeth Diamond Jubilee Trust), Telangana State Sensitization Meeting, Health department, Telangana, 12 Feb 2015; *Invited speaker*: ROP epidemic and its control strategies.
- Endophthalmitis at 73rd AIOC at New Delhi, 5-8 Feb 2015; Three engagements 1) *Invited speaker*: a) Instruction course on Endophthalmitis : Neonatal endophthalmitis: protocols and presentations b) Instruction course on Paediatric retinal diseases: preferred practice patterns: Preferred practice patterns in FEVR: PROTECT-FEVR c) Instruction course on ROP screening and management: All you wanted to know about ROP d) Breakfast session on Electrophysiology: Multifocal ERG e) Instruction course on Electrophysiology made simple: Variations and Interpretation of ERG. 2) *Poster presentation (co-author)*: Non-ROP neonatal diseases. 3) *Video presentation (co-author)*: Honey I repaired the staphyloma and removed the suture too!
- Cenetenary Birthday celebration of Mahamana Pandit Madan Mohan Malviyaji (Jayanti), Banaras Hindu University Old students' association, Hyderabad (BHUOSA), Hyderabad, 11 January 2015; *Invited speaker and chief guest*: A Peep into your own eyes: a world of VISION for all
- Retina meeting, Hyderabad ophthalmologists' association, Hyderabad, 4 January 2015; *Invited speaker*: 1) Neonatal retinal vascular diseases. 2) Retinal infections in newborns.
- ROP workshop, Priyamvada Birla Aravind Eye hospital, Kolkata, 14 Dec 2014; *Invited speaker*: 1) ROP Overview 2) Visual rehabilitation in an ROP child.
- NEOCON 2014, Patna, 4-7 Dec 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Invited speaker*: a) Basic Ventilation and CPAP hands-on workshop: Neonatologists- Ophthalmologists in ROP partnership. b) Postgraduate CME session: ROP screening. 2) *Poster Presentation*: Ten year trends in ROP in the Indian Twin Cities. Co-authors: Balakrishnan D and Rani PK.
- CME on ROP, Divyadrishi Eye Hospital, Patna, 6 Dec 2014; *Invited speaker*: Neonatologists- Ophthalmologists in ROP partnership
- Inauguration of GeetaSri Retina Institute, Dhanbad, Jarkhand, 16 Nov 2014; *Invited speaker*: ROP lessons of 15 years of ITCROPS: Implications for ROP blindness in Dhanbad and Jharkhand.
- Paediatric surgical hands-on workshop, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 5-8 Nov 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Presentations*: Of Coats' disease and others. Co-presenter- Khodani M J 2) *Video presentation*: Surgical challenges: rhegmatogenous retinal detachments in ROP
- 6th anniversary celebrations of Radhatri Nethralaya, RADNET 2014, Chennai, 14 Sept; *Invited speaker*: 1) Paediatric Vascular Retinopathies. 2) Retinal Vasculitis: Pathophysiology
- IERG-ARVO-India Chapter, 21st annual meeting, Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Presentations (co-author)*: 1) Complement Components Play a Major Role in Pathogenesis of Retinopathy of Prematurity 2) A Randomized, Double Masked, Controlled Study of the Efficacy and Safety of Intravitreal Ranibizumab versus Bevacizumab in Macular Edema Secondary to Branch Retinal Vein Occlusion 3) Molecular genetic analysis of Zinc Finger protein-408 (ZNF 408) Gene in Indian families with FEVR patients 4) Screening for variations in the RPE65 gene in Indian Leber's congenital amaurosis (LCA) patients 5) Molecular genetic analysis of Leber's congenital amaurosis (LCA) in Indian patients 6) Keratoplasty in a case of familial exudative vitreo retinopathy

- Monthly meeting of MARCH, Hyderabad, 22 June 2014; *Invited speaker*: Care of Eyes of Newborns and Preterm babies.
- CME on ROP by Krishna District branch of IAP, Vijaywada, 8 June 2014; *Invited guest speaker*: Systemic factors in ROP management.

Joveeta Joseph

National

- 18th Annual conference of Indian Association of Medical Microbiologists, AP Chapter, Khammam, Telangana, 7-8 February, 2015. *Paper Presentation*: *Corynebacterium* spp. endophthalmitis: Clinicomicrobiologic profile and outcomes.

Meha Kabra

National

- Indian Eye Research Group ARVO-India Chapter (IERG-ARVO-IC), Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Presentation*: Genetic screening of two candidate genes in a large cohort of non-CYP1B1 Primary Congenital Glaucoma cases from India. Co-authors: Sriparna Ganguly, Anil K Mandal, Sirisha Senthil, Inderjeet Kaur, Partha P Majumder and Subhabrata Chakrabarti.

Swathi Kaliki

International

- World Ophthalmology Congress, Tokyo, Japan, 2-6 April 2014; Four assignments: 1) *Session chair*: Session Chair: Eyelid tumor improvements in therapies 2) *Invited speaker*: a) Neoadjuvant systemic chemotherapy in the management of sebaceous carcinoma of the eyelid. b) Conjunctival malignancy: Topical chemotherapy and surgical developments 3) *Paper presentation (co-author)*: a) Retinal vasoproliferative tumors in 6 patients with Neurofibromatosis type 1. b) Enhanced depth imaging optical coherence tomography of circumscribed choroidal hemangioma 3) Intravitreal melphalan for persistent or recurrent retinoblastoma vitreous seeds provides control with minimal complication 4) Poster presentation (co-author): American Joint Committee on Cancer (AJCC) cancer staging of posterior uveal melanoma is predictive of prognosis: Analysis of 7731 patients.

National

- 73rd Annual conference, All India Ophthalmological Society, 5-8 February 2015; Two assignments: 1) *Paper presentation*: a) The Correlation of International Classification of Retinoblastoma and High-Risk Retinoblastoma b) (Co-author) Retinoblastoma in Adults: A Study of 6 Cases c) Neoadjuvant Systemic Chemotherapy in the Management of Eyelid Sebaceous Gland Carcinoma. 2) *Poster presentation* (co-author): Influence of Human Immunodeficiency Virus on Ocular Surface Squamous Neoplasia: A Case-Control Study
- APSOPRS-OPAI, New Delhi, 28-30 September 2014; *Paper presentations* (co-author): 1) Influence of human immunodeficiency virus on ocular surface squamous neoplasia: A case-control study 2) Ocular surface squamous neoplasia as the presenting feature of human immunodeficiency virus.

Chitra Kannabiran

International

- World Ophthalmology Congress, Tokyo, 1-4 April 2014; *Course Faculty*: Genetics in Ophthalmology.

National

- AIOC 2015, New Delhi, 5-8 February 2015; *Speaker in Instruction Course*: Genetics in Ophthalmology.

Inderjeet Kaur

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 4-8 May 2014; *Poster presentation*: Are Genetic Signatures in Age-Related Macular Degeneration Suggestive of Disease Progression? Co-authors: Jay K Chhablani, Raja Narayanan, Rajeev R Pappuru, Annie Mathai and Subhabrata Chakrabarti.

National

- Aravind Medical Research Foundation, Annual Proteomics Workshop, Madurai, October 2014; *Invited Talk*: Biomarkers for retinopathy of prematurity.

Ramesh Kekunnaya

International

- AAPOS, Annual Meeting, New Orleans, 25-29 March 2015; Three engagements: 1) *Video symposium*- Strabismus and pediatric cataract interesting videos. 2) *Invited speaker*- Pediatric cataract related issues in INDIA. 3) *Poster presentation*- Amyloidosis in Congenital Brown Syndrome.
- 2014 AAO Annual meeting, Chicago, 18-21 October; Two engagements 1) *Senior Course Instructor* a) Nightmares in Pediatric Cataract Surgery b) What's new in Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus 2) *Video Presentation*: Management of strabismus in Duane Syndrome.

- ISO 2014, Hongkong Meeting, 26-28 Sep 2014; *Invited talk / Chairperson* for WSPOS Symposium: Myopic Strabismus Fixus: View across Indo - China Border.
- 2014 WSPOS, Pediatric Ophthalmology Subspecialty day, Excel, London, 12 Sep 2014; *Organizer / Chair / Lecture*: Changing trends in the management of esotropic Duane Syndrome.
- Wolverhampton Eye Infirmary NHS, Wolverhampton, England, 10 September 2014; *Invited lecture*: Sudden Onset Diplopia.
- Cambridge Ophthalmological Symposium, UK, 3-5 September 2014; *Invited speaker*: Pattern strabismus needs special surgical attention.
- British Journal of Ophthalmology (BJO), 4 August 2014; *Article published*: Silicone band loop myopexy in the treatment of myopic strabismus fixus: surgical outcome of a novel modification.
- AAPOS Annual meeting, California, 2-6 April 2014, Four engagements: 1) *Poster Presentations*: a) Comparative study of Superior Rectus Transposition vs Medial Rectus Recession in esotropic Duane syndrome; b) (co-author) Combined Occlusion and Atropine Therapy (COAT) for children with Refractory /residual Amblyopia: a pilot study c) (co-author) The aphakia versus pseudophakia dilemma in pediatric cataracts: A Developing world perspective d) surgical outcome of MED 2) *Course Instructor*: a) Senior Instructor: Management of strabismus in Duane syndrome: Surgeon's perspective b) Co-instructor: What's new in Pediatric Ophthalmology in 2014? 3) *Video presentation*: a) Surgical management of Duane's syndrome b) (Co-author) Video Demonstrations of Signs, Diseases, and Complex Surgical Procedures in Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus. 4) *Professional Education Committee*.
- 2014 Leonard Apt meeting, advanced topics in pediatric ophthalmology and strabismus, Stein Eye Institute, Los Angeles, 1 April; *Invited speaker*- Face Value!- Sensitive periods for the functional specialization of the neural system for human face processing after congenital cataract surgery.

National

- Pediatric Ophthalmology and Oculoplasty CME, Rajmundri, 18 Feb 2015; Three engagements: 1) *Invited lectures*- Evaluation of a strabismus case 2) *Panelist*- What's new in childhood Strabismus? 3) *Chairperson*
- 2015 AIOS, annual meeting, New Delhi; 5-8 Feb; *IC Speaker*: 1) Strabismus management in Duane syndrome 2) Papilledema 3) Strabismus surgery under topical anesthesia.
- Pediatric Ophthalmology and Oculoplasty CME "Pot-Pourri 2015", AEHI, Mumbai, 18 January 2015; Two engagements: 1) *Invited faculty*: Nystagmus: How to treat? 2) *Key note lecture*: Masquerades in Strabismus.
- Eye On the Future: 2014, Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus CME, KVC, LVPEI, 28 December 2014; *Course instructor*: 1) Complex Strabismus 2) Oblique Muscle surgery 3) Pediatric Cataract Surgery in special situations
- 2014 MOSAC, Annual meeting, Maharashtra, 6-7 Dec; Two engagements: 1) *Key note lecture*: Evaluation of a strabismus case 2) *Invited lecture*: Video gallery of strabismus surgery.
- Education and Alumni Day, Hyderabad, 29-30 Nov 2014; Two engagements 1) *Coordinator*: Alumni program 2) *Symposium Organizer*: Pediatric Ophthalmology and Oculoplasty Alumni.
- 2014 EYE PEP, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 26 Nov; *Lectures for postgraduates*: 1) Esotropia 2) Complex strabismus 3) Disc edema.
- KOS 2014, Annual Meeting, Mysore, 7-9 November; *Invited lectures* 1) Strabismus evaluation 2) Infantile cataract surgery 3) Ocular motility confusion for general ophthalmologists.
- Ophthalmofusion - Pediatric and Neuroophthalmology, Oculoplasty, CME, Coimbatore, 1-2 Nov 2014; Three engagements 1) *Invited Lectures*: Evaluation of disc edema 2) Panelist: Traumatic Optic Neuropathy & IOL implantation in infants 3) *Chairperson*: Recent trends in the strabismus management in DRS.
- APOS 2014, Annual meeting, Rajamundry. 10-12 Oct; *Invited speaker*: 1) IOL implantation in children 2) Strabismus management in Duane syndrome.
- Dr P Ranga Reddy Annual CME, Sarojini Devi Eye Hospital, 18 Sep 2014; *Invited speaker*: Exotropia.
- Congress on Optic nerve, Vasculature and Emerging treatment, Bangalore, 9-10 August 2014; Two engagements 1) *Invited speaker*: a) Acute loss of vision with optic disc edema b) Interpretation of visual field in Neuroophthalmology c) Steroids Vs No steroids in Traumatic Optic Neuropathy 2) *Panelist for case discussion*.
- BOS Annual Meeting 2014, Bangalore, 28-29 June; Two engagements: 1) *Invited faculty/Chairman Session*: a) Pearls on 4th and 6th nerve palsy b) Evaluation of Nystagmus c) Basics of Squint surgery 2) *Panel Discussions*: a) Neuroophthalmology b) Squint cases.

Rohit C Khanna

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 4-8 May 2014; Two Engagements: 1) *Oral presentation*: Glaucoma-Associated Long-term Mortality in a Rural Cohort from India: The Andhra Pradesh Eye Disease Study (APEDS). 2) *Oral presentation* : Prevalence, Causes, and Risk Factors for Blindness and Visual Impairment in Three Tribal Areas of Andhra Pradesh.

National

- 8th Annual Champalimaud Research Symposium, Hyderabad, 1 February 2015; *Invited Speaker*: Update on the Community Eye Health Research at LVPEI.
- 5th Annual conference of Association of Community Ophthalmologists of India (ACOIN) in Kolkata, 2 October-2 November 2014; *Invited speaker*: Andhra Pradesh Eye Disease Study: Journey from I to III.
- 21st IERG Annual meeting, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Invited speaker*: Andhra Pradesh Eye Disease Study: A Journey from I to III

K Anil Kumar

International

- Workshop on Operations Management for Effective Eye Care Delivery, The Right to Sight, Visakhapatnam, 3-4 May 2014. *Presentation*: Current challenges for HR - competition, non-availability of skilled clinical and managerial HR.

G Laxmi

National

- 32nd Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 12 September 2014; *In-House faculty*.
- 31st Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 11 April 2014; *In-House faculty*.

Srinivas Marmamula

International

- Asia-ARVO (Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology), Yokohama, Japan, 16-19 February 2015; *Poster presentation*: Utilization of eye care services among those with unilateral visual impairment in Rural South India - Andhra Pradesh Eye Disease Study (APEDS). He received a travel grant to attend this meeting.

National

- 8th Annual Champalimaud Research Symposium, Hyderabad, 1 February 2015; *Invited speaker*: Visual impairment in Elderly - Protocol - An update from LVPEI on the Wellcome Trust work.
- Vision Science Conference 2014 at Hyderabad Central University, 25 August 2014; *Invited speaker*: Global Burden of Visual Impairment.
- 21st IERG Annual meeting, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 26- 27 July 2014; *Poster presentation*: Unilateral Visual Impairment in Rural South India - Andhra Pradesh Eye Disease Study.
- Vision 2020 - India: 10th Annual Conference at Little Flower Hospital & Research Centre, Angamaly, Ernakulam District, Kerala, 5-6 July 2014; *Invited speaker*: LVPEI - Vision Centre Model.

Annie Mathai

National

- All India Ophthalmological Society Conference, New Delhi, 4-8 Feb 2015; *Presentation*: RCT backed uses of Avastin.
- Uveitis Society of India, New Delhi, 14-15 November 2014; *Presentation*: "Do we still have Eales' Disease?"

Dilip Kumar Mishra

National

- CME On ophthalmology, Bhaskar Medical College, Hyderabad, 22 March 2015; *Invited Talk*: 1) Basic of eye pathology 2) Corneal and conjunctival pathology 3) Tumors of orbit and eye.
- All India pathology meet- national conference, APCON 2014, Pune, 4-7 December 2014; *Poster presentation*: Medulloepithelioma of eye - a retrospective study of 13 cases in LVPEI Hyderabad. Co-authors Swathi kaliki and Geeta vemuganti.

Rohit Modi

International

- American Academy of Ophthalmologist (AAO), Chicago, October 2014; *Poster presentation*: Clinical characteristics of bilateral versus unilateral CSCR.

National

- 73rd Annual Conference, AIOS, New Delhi, February 2015; *Presentation*: RPE atrophic tracts.

Ashik Mohamed

International

- International Society for Eye Research (ISER) XXI Biennial Meeting, San Francisco, California, USA, 20-24 July 2014; *Presentation*-Platform Session: Molecular Basis for Lens Architecture and Functional Quality.

Presenting author- Martin Costello, Co-authors: Kurt Gilliland, Ashik Mohamed, Sönke Johnsen, and Kevin Schey. Lens fiber cell maturation involves unique cellular patterns and sub-cellular structures.

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, Florida, USA, 4-8 May 2014; *Presentations* - 1) Digital mini-shadowphotogrammetric system for morphometric analysis of ex-vivo crystalline lenses: Pilot study on human lenses. Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci 2014; 55: E-Abstract 747. Co-authors-Heather Durkee, Robert C Augusteyn, Raksha Urs, Victor Hernandez, Andres Bernal, Fabrice Manns, Arthur Ho, Jean-Marie Parel and Virender S Sangwan. 2) Non-human primate lenses display the cortical remodeling zone. Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci 2014;55: E-Abstract 733. Presenting author: M Joseph Costello, Co-authors: Ashik Mohamed, Kurt O Gilliland, Jamie L Wenke and Kevin L Schey.

National

- Indian Eye Research Group (IERG) – ARVO (India Chapter 21st Annual Meeting) Hyderabad, 26-27 July, 2014; *Poster Presentation*: Non-human primate lenses display the cortical remodeling zone. Co-authors: Kurt O Gilliland, Jamie L Wenke, Kevin Schey and M Joseph Costello.

Sirajum Monira

National

- 32nd Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 12 September 2014; *In-House faculty*.
- 31st Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 11 April 2014; *In-House faculty*.

Swapna R Motukupally

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 4-8 May 2014; *Presentation*: Are liquid media useful in the laboratory diagnosis of infective endophthalmitis? Co-authors-Vaibhav Sethi, Vidya R Nanapur, KanchanaChathoth, Annie Mathai and Savitri Sharma

Raja Narayanan

International

- EURETINA, London, September 2014; Presentation (on behalf of Marvel study group): A randomised, double-masked, controlled study of the efficacy and safety of intravitreal bevacizumab versus ranibizumab in the treatment of macular oedema due to branch retinal vein occlusion: 1-year results.
- Partnership for Innovative Health Care Delivery, Washington DC, April 2014; *Presentation*: LVPEI pyramidal model of eye care.

National

- Vitreo Retina Society of India, Agra, Dec 2014; *Presentation*: Avastin versus Lucentis: Is there a difference?
- Symposium, Aravind Eye Institute, Pondicherry, October 2014; *Presentation*: Management of BRVO.
- Indian AMD Congress, Mumbai, July 2014; *Presentation*: Management of Polypoidal Choroidal Vasculopathy.

Asa Narasaiah

National

- 32nd Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Vijayawada, 12 September 2014; *In-House faculty*.
- 31st Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Vijayawada, 11 April 2014; *In-House faculty*.

Sameera Nayak

National

- 14th Annual Meeting, Uveitis Society Of India 2014, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi; 22-23 November 2014; *Poster presentation*: Comparison of fundus fluorescein angiogram and optical coherence tomography in different spectrum of posterior uveitis.
- 38th Conference, Andhrapradesh Ophthalmological Society, APOC 2014, Rajmundry, 10-12 October 2014; *Oral presentation*: Prevention of Endophthalmitis, Endophthalmitis zero tolerance.
- Looking beyond the Eye-2014, LVPEI, Vishakhapatnam, 6 July 2014; *Oral presentation*: Ocular sarcoidosis.

Avinash Pathengay

National

- 38th Annual conference of Andhra Pradesh Ophthalmological Society, Rajahmundry, October 2014; *Paper presentation*: A new clinical sign in parafoveal telangiectasia.

Soumya Panda

National

- 32nd Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Bhubaneswar, 12 September 2014; *In-House faculty*.
- 31st Low Vision Awareness Program, LVPEI, Bhubaneswar, 11 April 2014; *In-House faculty*.

Niranjan Pehere

National

- Eye on Future, CME Eye on Future, CME on Paediatric Ophthalmology, LVPEI, Vijayawada, 28 December 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Amblyopia management: evidence based current recommendations 2) Horizontal muscle surgery 3) Steps in pediatric cataract surgery
- Education Day, HICC convention Center, Hyderabad, Nov 2014; *Presentations*: 1) What's new in Pediatric Ophthalmology in last decade? 2) Monocular elevation deficit.
- 38th Conference, Andhra Pradesh Ophthalmological Society, Rajamundry, October 2014; Four assignments: 1) *Presentation*: Instruction course: Disc edema 2) *Instruction course*: a) Challenging cases in Neuro-ophthalmology b) Evaluation of a case of pediatric cataract 3) *Poster presentation*: Intracranial lesions misdiagnosed as amblyopia 4) *Video presentation*: Assessment of vision in preverbal children.
- Eye PEP: National PG educational program, Sep 2014, LVPEI, Hyderabad; *Presentations*: 1) Paralytic strabismus 2) Localization of lesion 3) Nystagmus.
- Workshop on Learning Disabilities in Children, LVPEI, Vijayawada, August 2014; *Presentation*: Ophthalmic professionals and Learning Disabilities.
- CME on "Eye in Systemic disease", LVPEI Visakhapatnam, 6 July 2014; Topic- Childhood cataract and diabetes mellitus.
- ROP for Pediatricians', CME for Paediatricians, LVPEI, Vijayawada, May 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Eye Examination at birth 2) Screening Criteria for ROP.

Padmaja Kumari Rani

National

- Hyderabad ophthalmic society – Retina meeting, Hyderabad, 4 January 2015; *Invited speaker*: 1) Vitrectomy for Malignant glaucoma 2) Central retinal venous occlusion in neonates.
- Venu eye Institute, New Delhi, 1 December 2014; *Member consultant*: on adapting DR protocol of ICO in Indian context.
- Vitreoretinal Society of India meeting, Agra, 5-7 December 2014; Three assignments: 1) *Presentation* (co-author): 25G Parsplana Vitrectomy and Irido-Zonulo-hyaloido-Vitrectomy (IZHV) in the management of malignant glaucoma in a phakic eye following trabeculectomy. 2) *Free paper presentation*: (co-author): a) Role of tamponade in vitrectomy for Proliferative Diabetic retinopathy with vitreous hemorrhage. b) Scleral buckling (SB) Versus Sutureless Parsplana Vitrectomy (PPV) without SB in Primary Rhegmatogenous retinal detachment (RRD) 3) *Vedio presentation*: An Interesting case of retained subretinal Intraocular foreign body and its management.
- Eye PEP, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 28 November, 2014; *Presentation*: Diabetic Retinopathy Pathogenesis, Classification and Differential Diagnosis.
- Saipuri Senior Citizen's Association meeting, World Diabetes Day, Hyderabad, 11 November 2014; *Guest speaker*: Diabetes and Eye.
- First paediatric surgical retina work shop, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 5-8 November 2014; *Presentation*: Case presentation of CRVO occurring in a neonate during laser for ROP and bilateral HSV viral retinitis in neonates.
- Andhra Pradesh State ophthalmology conference, Rajahmundry, 11 October 2014; *Presentation*: Prevention of neonatal endophthalmitis in neonates.
- Aravind Hospitals, Pondicherry, 4-5 October 2014; *Presentation*: Epidemiology of Diabetic Retinopathy: Indian Vs Global Scenario. TIFACORE-Symposium on Diabetic retinopathy and retinal vascular diseases.
- Diabetes Self Care foundation, Hyderabad, 24 August 2014; *Guest speaker*: Diabetes strikes eyes, Know how.
- Controversies to Consensus in Obesity, Diabetes and Endocrinology (CODE) conference, Hyderabad, 27 July 2014; *Presentation*: Newer Insights into Management of Diabetic Retinopathy.

Muralidhar Ramappa

International

- American Academy of Ophthalmology Annual Meeting 2014, Chicago, Illinois, USA, 18- 21 Oct 2014; Two Engagements: 1) *Poster presentations*: a) Lenticular changes in congenital iridolenticular choroidal coloboma. Co-authors: Ashik Mohamed, Sunita Chaurasia, Virender S Sangwan and Subhadra Jalali. b) Penetrating Keratoplasty in cases of Post-herpetic (HSV)Vascularized Scars: Indications, Surgical Challenges, and Outcomes. Co-authors: Sunita Chaurasia and Ashik Mohamed. 2) *Instruction courses*: a) Nightmares in Pediatric Cataract Surgery: "Challenging surgical case scenarios". b) Corneal transplantation in children: "Descemet's stripping endothelial keratoplasty in children: our technique".

National

- Indian association of anesthesiologists, workshop- Various ophthalmic complication of regional anaesthesia, LVPEI, Hyderabad 8 March 2015; *Presentation*: Clinical spectrum of congenital corneal anaesthesia in the research forum.
- 27th APACRS, Jaipur, November 2014; Two assignments: 1) *Free paper*- PK and or DSEK in Children with congenital hereditary endothelial dystrophy: Two decades of our experience. 2) *Video presentation*: Descemet's stripping endothelial keratoplasty in children.
- EBAI annual meeting, Hyderabad, 25-28 September 2014; *Invited talk*: Keratoplasty in children.
- DSAEK workshop, Sight Life International, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 25-30 September 2014; *Invited talks* : 1) Recipient bed preparation 2) Post operative care 3) Donor preparation.
- Indian Eye Research Group (IERG) – ARVO, India Chapter 21st Annual Meeting, Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; Two Engagements: 1) *Free paper*: Penetrating Keratoplasty (PK) and or Descemet's Stripping Endothelial Keratoplasty (DSEK) in Children with Congenital Hereditary Endothelial Dystrophy (CHED): Two decades of our experience. Session: Cornea, Lens and Uveitis. Co-authors: Sunita Chaurasia, Ashik Mohamed and Pravin K. Vadavalli. 2) *Poster Presentations*: a) Congenital corneal keloid (CCK) in a pediatric age group: A clinical and histopathological correlation after successful Deep Anterior Lamellar Keratoplasty (DALK). Co-authors: Sunita Chaurasia, Ashik Mohamed and Geeta Vemuganti. b) Intra-Operative Hand Held Spectral Domain Optical Coherence Tomography Assisted Deep Anterior Lamellar Keratoplasty in Children with Mucopolysaccharidosis. Co-authors: Vesna Jurisic Friberg, Anagha Medsing and Ken K Nischal. c) Posterior segment abnormalities presenting as anterior segment dysgenesis in a pediatric age group. Co-authors Vijaya Lakshmi, Sunita Chaurasia and Subhadra Jalali.
- RIEB silver jubilee function, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 27 June 2014; *Presentation*: High-risk grafts and PK in children.
- HOA meeting, Hyderabad 20 June 2014; *Presentation*: Cataract surgery in setting of corneal stromal dystrophies.
- Swarup memorial symposium, Hyderabad, 25 May 2014; *Invited talk*- 1) DESAEK in children 2) Perioperative chemoprophylaxis during cataract surgery.
- EYE PEP 2014, LVPEI Hyderabad; *Presentation*: Pediatric eye diseases.

Gullapalli N Rao

International

- American Board of Ophthalmology Retreat, Santa Barbara, USA, 22 January 2015; *Guest speaker*: The role of ophthalmology in future medical systems; Topic: Value of ophthalmology care in LVPEI.
- RANZCO Symposium, Queensland Eye Institute, Australia, 26 November 2014; *Key note speaker*: Surgical Standards in Education and Practice: A Global Perspective; Title: Driving improved outcomes in cataract surgery in developing countries from ICEE to Phaco/ IOL.
- RANZCO International Development Workshop - Cataract Surgery in Low Resource Settings - Coordinated by Queensland Eye Institute, Australia, 21 November 2014; Four engagements: 1) *Key note speaker*: The Big Picture 2) *Invited speaker*: Training; Title: Surgical training programmes and techniques 3) *Chair*: Resourcing 4) *Invited speaker*: Monitoring; Title: Accessing Services and Strategies.
- Grand Rounds at University of Michigan, W.K. Kellogg Eye Centre, Ann Arbor, USA, 11 August 2014; *Invited speaker*: LVPEI model of vision services in Andhra Pradesh.
- Grand Rounds at Alder Hey Childrens Hospital, Liverpool, UK, 23 May 2014; *Invited speaker*: Eye care delivery in the developing world: A model for healthcare delivery – Challenges and solutions.
- Board Meeting at Vision4Children, Liverpool, UK, 22 May 2014; *Invited speaker*: Childhood blindness, teaching and training of paediatric eye care teams, research into childhood blindness conditions and family support.
- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 6 May 2014; *Invited speaker*: ARVO – 2014 SIG Workshop; Topic: Global collaboration and research capacity building.

National

- 10th Anniversary of Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh, 14 March 2015; *Invited speaker*: Plenary session on leadership in Indian ophthalmology; Title: My learning.
- Research Workshop, Indian School of Business, Hyderabad, 22 December 2014; *Key note speaker*: Socially responsible operations and supply chains; Title: Operationalising excellence in healthcare delivery with equity.
- KERACON, Chennai, 19 December; *Chair*: Eye Banking Session
- Eye Opener, A visit of LVPEI research labs and initiatives for college students, LVPEI, 1 November 2014; *Guest lecture*: LVPEI story and vision.
- Dr G Venkataswamy Oration, Aravind Eye Care System, Madurai, 1 October 2014; *Invited speaker*: Dr. Venkataswamy's vision: Banish blindness.

- Annual Hyderabad Softwares Exporters Association, CSR Day, Hyderabad, 29 September 2014; *Keynote speaker*: CSR Journey.
- Harmony 2014 - Update on Cornea and Refractive Surgery, Organised by C.L. Gupta Eye Institute, Moradabad, Uttar Pradesh, 21 September 2014; *Inaugural speech and keynote lecture*: Road not taken.
- Eye Donation Fortnight, Drushti Daan, Bhubaneswar, 7 September 2014; Three engagements: 1) *Chair*: Synergy amongst Eye Banks in Odisha 2) *Chair and Panelist*: Role of hospital in HCRP and how it can be improved 3) *Key note address*: Plenary Session; Title: Eye banking in India - The present reality and the future potential.
- 5th National Undergraduate Medical Conference OSMECON, Osmania University, Hyderabad, 5 September 2014; *Invited speaker*: The future is exciting.
- 10th Annual conference of VISION 2020: The Right to Society, Cochin, 5 July 2014; *Delivered Helen Keller Memorial Lecture*: Vision 2020 Goals - Where India stands and actions required for future.
- Bangalore Ophthalmic Society Annual Meeting, Bangalore, 28 June 2014; *Invited speaker*: Gold medal oration - Universal eye health coverage - A model.

Ganeswara Rao

National

- Indian Eye Research Group ARVO-India Chapter (IERG-ARVO-IC), Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Presentation*: Molecular genetic analysis of Zinc Finger Protein - 408 (ZNF408) gene in Indian Familial Exudative Vitreoretinopathy (FEVR) patients. Co-authors: Musada, Syed Hameed, Subhadra Jalali, Subhabrata Chakrabarti and Inderjeet Kaur.

Suryasnata Rath

National

- APSOPRS, New Delhi, September 2014; *Free paper*: Modified transconjunctival dacryocystorhinostomy.

Varsha Rathi

International

- American Academy of ophthalmology, Chicago, 2-8 October 2014; *Poster presentation* (co-author): 1) Pythium Insidiosum Keratitis: A Severe and Under-reported Fungal Infection. 2) Evaluation of Endothelial Cell Changes and Pachymetry of Precut Corneal Tissues Stored in McCarey-Kaufmann Media. 3) Prosthetic Replacement of the Ocular Surface Ecosystem in Stevens-Johnson Syndrome.

National

- Refresher's workshop for OR Nurses and Technicians; *Conducted two workshops*: 1) 15 November 2014 2) 15 March 2015.
- Keracon 2014, Mahaballipuram, 19-21 December 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Poster presentations*: a) Evaluation of endothelial cell changes and pachymetry of pre-cut corneal tissues stored in McCarey Kaufman medium. b) Contact lens fitting after corneal collagen cross linking. 2) *Invited speaker* (master classes): Infectious Keratitis - Infectious keratitis: clinical evaluation pearls.
- Education Day Scientific meeting, LVPEI, 30 November 2014; *Debate moderator*, Cornea Session: CXL in MK, Voriconazole first line of management, intracorneal injections, Corticosteroids for Microbial keratitis.
- Vidarbha Ophthalmological Society meeting Akola, Maharashtra, 18-19 October 2014; *Invited speaker*: 1) Scleral Contact lenses 2) Phototherapeutic keratectomy 3) Presbyopic Contact Lenses.
- AP State meeting, Rajahmundry, 10-13 October 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Presentations*: a) Corneal signs – ectasia, opacities and deposits b) Presented Contact lens complications: SCL c) Lens solution interactions 2) *Invited course instructor*: Complications of contact lenses.
- Update on Cornea and Refractive surgery, CL Gupta Eye Institute, Moradabad, 21 September 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Invited speaker*: a) Contact lenses in ectatic corneal diseases in session on Corneal ectasia and Collagen cross linking in Harmony 2014 b) Preoperative workup for LASIK in Refractive session in Harmony 2014. 2) *Co-chair*: Refractive session in Harmony 2014.

Sonika Rathi

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 4-8 May 2014; *Presentation*: Role of Complement Components in Retinopathy of Prematurity. Co-authors- Subhabrata Chakrabarti, Subhadra Jalali, Ramesh Kekunaya, Suman Thakur, Rohit Budhraj, T Ramakrishna, Ch Mohan Rao and Inderjeet Kaur.

National

- Indian Society of Human Genetics and International Symposium on Genomics in Health and Diseases, 40th Annual Conference, National Institute on Immunohematology, Mumbai, 28-30 January 2015; *Presentation*: Abnormal complement activation leads to pathological neovascularisation in subjects with Retinopathy of Prematurity.

Co-authors: Subhadra Jalali, Subhabrata Chakrabarti, Ganeshwera R Musada, Ramesh Kekunaya, Preeti P Chhablani, Divya Balakrishnan, Rohit Budhraj, Suman Thakur, T Ramakrishna, Ch Mohan Rao and Inderjeet Kaur.

- Indian Eye Research Group ARVO-India Chapter (IERG-ARVO-IC), Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Presentation*: Complement components play a major role in pathogenesis of Retinopathy of Prematurity. Co-authors: Subhadra Jalali, Rohit Budhraj, Subhabrata Chakrabarti, Preeti P Chhablani, Ramesh Kekunaya, Suman Thakur, T Ramakrishna, Ch Mohan Rao and Inderjeet Kaur.

Vanita Pathak-Ray

International

- Bangladesh Glaucoma Society, Dhaka, April 2014; *Invited lecture*: 1) Management of Glaucoma Suspect 2) Surgery in Angle Closure.

National

- APOC, Rajahmundry, October 2014; *Invited lecture*: What's new in Glaucoma surgeries?
- GSI, Bhubaneswar, September 2014; *Invited lecture*: Glaucoma Practice patterns in India – results of survey 2013
- Anders Heijl International Symposium, Hyderabad, May 2014; *Invited lecture*: Management of Glaucoma Suspect.

Jagadesh C Reddy

International

- Asia Pacific Association of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons (APACRS), Jaipur, November 2014; Two Engagements: 1) *Free paper*: Spontaneous attachment of detached descemet's membrane after cataract surgery: Role of visante anterior segment optical coherence tomography in predicting visual outcome. 2) *Video presentation*: Sutureless anterior lamellar keratoplasty in children with corneal opacities.
- World Ophthalmology Congress (WOC) 2014, Tokyo Japan, April 2014; Three Engagements: 1) *Instruction courses*: a) Endothelial Keratoplasty: Strategies to Improve Results and Avoid Complications-Instruction course. b) Topography and Tomography in the diagnosis of corneal ectasia-Instruction course. c) Endothelial Keratoplasty Made Simple - A Step by Step Video Based Learning Course-Instruction course. 2) *Free paper*: Quality of vision after excimer laser phototherapeutic keratectomy with intraoperative mitomycin-C for Salzmann's nodular degeneration. 3) *Video presentation*: Use of lasers in the management of epithelial ingrowth after Laser in situ keratomileusis.

National

- 38th Annual Meeting of Andhra Pradesh Ophthalmological Society, Rajahmundry, 11-13 October 2014; Three Engagements: 1) *Invited faculty*: Capsulorrhexis and clear corneal tunnel preparation. How to train your dragon: Mastering Phaco-machine and Phocoemulsification. 2) *Ocular infections Symposium-chair*: Risk factors, Microbiological profile and Clinical outcomes of Infectious scleritis-Symposium. 3) *Symposium* a) Shobha Harikishan symposium: Complications of refractive surgery - Severe Bilateral Paralimbal Sterile Infiltrates after Photorefractive Keratectomy-. b) Accelerated Crosslinking Symposium: Conquering keratoconus. c) Breakfast symposium: Mastering biometry and IOL Power calculations.
- Hyderabad Ophthalmology Association, June 2014, Hyderabad; *Invited Faculty*: Cataract Surgery in Keratoconus.
- Focus on Anterior Segment, Hyderabad, 25 May 2014; *Invited Faculty*: 1) Suture less Anterior Lamellar Keratoplasty. 2) Management of epithelial ingrowth using NdYag Laser.
- Karnataka Ophthalmic Society, Mysore, Month, 2014; *Free paper*: Spontaneous attachment of detached descemet's membrane after cataract surgery: Role of visante anterior segment optical coherence tomography in predicting visual outcome.
- KERAcon 2014, Mahabalipuram, December 2014; *Invited Faculty*: Predictors of corneal ectasia.

Mamatha Reddy

National

- Institute of Life Sciences, Bhubaneswar, 31 May 2014; *Presentation*: Glucose metabolism in cancer.

Ashutosh Richhariya

International

- Investigative Ophthalmology and Visual Science, Orlando, US 4-8 May 2014; *Poster presentation*: Novel automated algorithm of an OCT image analysis for choroidal vessels measurements; its validation.

National

- Asia ARVO, Delhi; Two assignments: 1) *Presentation* (co-author): Corneal Biomechanics in Ocular Imaging 2) *Poster presentation*: Predicting spherical aberration induced by laser refractive surgery by using biomechanical model of cornea.

Aravind Roy

International

- 27th Asia Pacific Association of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons, Jaipur, November 2014; *Poster presentation*: Rate of change of lenticle thickness in manual versus automated descemet's stripping endothelial keratoplasty lenticles. Co-authors: Madhusmita Das, Md Hasnat Ali and Pravin V Krishna.

National

- 38th Annual conference, Andhra Pradesh Ophthalmological Society, Rajahmundry, October 2014; *Paper presentation*: Infective Scleritis - An enigma. Co-author: Somasheila Murthy.

Sanhita Roy

National

- Indian Eye Research Group (IERG) – ARVO, India Chapter 21st Annual Meeting, Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Presentation*: Mutation of Sodium Borate Co-transporter SLC4A11 Causes Mitochondrial Dysfunction in presence of Oxidative Stress. Co-authors: D C Praneetha and V Pulla Rao.

Shahna S

National

- Indian Eye Research Group ARVO-India Chapter (IERG-ARVO-IC), Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Presentation*: Role of complement system in proliferative diabetic retinopathy (PDR). Co-authors: Chhablani J, Papparu RR, Tyagi M, Mathai A, Rani PK Subhabrata Chakrabarti and Inderjeet Kaur.

Virender Sachdeva

International

- American Academy of Ophthalmology, Chicago, 18 – 22 October 2014; *Video presentations*: 1) Pediatric Cataract: What do I need to operate before I operate? Co: authors: Ramesh Kekunanya, Vaibhev Mittal, Merle Fernandes and Vivek Warakad. 2) (Co-author): Surgical management of Duane's syndrome.
- 40th annual meeting of AAPOS, Palm Springs, 2-6 April 2014; *Poster presentation* 1) Combined Occlusion and Atropine Therapy (COAT) for children with refractory/residual Amblyopia: a pilot study. Co-authors: Vaibhev Mittal, Varun Gupta, Abhishek Bawdekar, Rekha Gunturu and Ramesh Kekunnaya. 2) (Co-author): The aphakia versus pseudophakia dilemma in pediatric cataracts: A developing world perspective 3) (Co-author): Superior rectus transposition versus medial rectus recession for esotropic duane retraction syndrome (DRS).

National

- 73rd Annual conference, All India Ophthalmological Society, New Delhi, 5-8 February 2015; Two assignments: 1) *E-poster presentations*: a) Efficacy of intraocular avastin vs conventional treatment in NAION: a comparative study b) Structure function correlation in optic atrophy revisited 2) *Video presentation*: (Coauthor) Technique of secondary intraocular lens implantation - in the bag, in the sulcus.
- 38th Annual Meeting of Andhra Pradesh Ophthalmological Society, Rajahmundry, 11-13 October 2014; Five assignments 1) *Chief Instructor*: a) Symposium on 'Challenging cases in Neuro-ophthalmology' b) At Cross –Roads in pediatric Cataract surgery 2) *Clinical talks*: a) Neuro-imaging challenging case on 'Posterior Reversible Encephalopathy syndrome' in Symposium on 'Challenging cases in Neuro-ophthalmology' b) Secondary Intra Ocular Lens – What age and which lens in the IC on At Cross - Roads in pediatric Cataract surgery 3) *Free paper presentation*: Treatment of Non-arteritic Ischemic Optic Neuropathy (NAION) - Intravitreal avastin Vs Oral corticosteroids in V Ragahavachar Session 4) *Poster presentation*: Spontaneous Ophthalmic artery occlusion in children due to Hyperhomocysteinemia 5) *Video Presentation*: Re-operations in strabismus surgery: Make the second chance count at Swarup's competitive Video Session.

Virender S Sangwan

International

- DEWSII Steering committee meeting, San Fransisco, 31 March 2015. *Invited expert and member steering committee*.
- West Java IOA Scientific Meeting in Bandung, Indonesia, 7-9 March 2015; *Invited speaker*- 1) Stem cell therapy for ocular surface 2) Boston Kpro: Indications, Outcomes and Surgical technique 3) Vernal Keratoconjunctivitis: An enigma for clinicians 4) Peripheral ulcerative keratitis: Surgical management.
- International Ocular Surface Inflammation, group meeting, New York, 8-10 November 2014; *Invited talk*: Surface Inflammation and Cell Based Therapy.
- University of Sao Paulo Eye hospital, Sao Paulo, 7-9 August 2014; *Visiting faculty*: 1) Limbal stem cell cultivation and transplantation 2) Management of end-stage corneal diseases 3) Surgical Demonstration in OR of SLET 4) Learned from them MMG new technique of harvesting

as well as transplantation of minor salivary glands.

- Pancornea Society, Annual meeting of Columbian Ophthalmic Society, Medellin, 5-7 August 2014; *Invited speaker*- 1) End-stage corneal diseases: Current management. 2) LVP Kpro-promising technique for dry and dermalised ocular surface. 3) Innovations in stem cell surgery. 4) Limbal stem cell Transplantation – outcomes.
- American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery, Boston, 26-30 April 2014; *Invited faculty*- 1) Innovations in Limbal stem cell surgery 2) Clinical outcome of Primary Boston Type I KPro in Bilateral Limbal Stem Cell Deficiency.
- Visiting Professor, Rochester University, 23-26 April 2014; *Invited speaker*- 1) Stem cell therapy for ocular surface. 2) Cornea grand rounds at Flaum Eye Institute. 3) Meetings with Different Stem Cell Research Groups.
- Riyadh Stem Cell Meeting, Visiting Professorship, King Khaleeda Eye Speciality Hospital, 12-14 April 2014; *Invited speaker*- 1) Limbal Stem Cell Transplantation : Safety and Efficacy 2) Innovations in limbal stem cell transplantation 3) Boston Type I KPro : Surgical technique, indications, and outcome. 4) LVP KPro : KPro for dry and dermalised ocular surface.

National

- Recent Trends & Advances in Uveitis, 14th Annual Meeting, Uveitis Society of India, Delhi, 22-23 November 2014; *Invited faculty*: Peripheral Ulcerative Keratitis (PUK) : Current Management.
- Sakura Study Interim Investigators Meeting, Goa, May 10-11, 2014. *Invited Expert*.

Premnanandhini Satgunam

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) 2014 (Annual Meeting) Orlando, USA, 4-8 May, 2014; *Presentation*: Can vision impaired children perform visual search tasks?

G Chandra Sekhar

International

- CME, Challenging Encounters in the Anterior Segment– What Do You Do Next?, Bascom Palmer Eye Institute in Miami, Florida, 23-24 January 2015; *Invited Faculty*: 1) Trabeculectomy as a Primary Procedure: YES! 2) The Impact of Glaucoma: A Patient's Perspective
- Delivered meeting, Glaucoma Research Society, Jackson Wyoming, USA, 27-30 August 2014.

National

- The Art & Science of Glaucoma, World Glaucoma Week, LVPEI & Hyderabad Ophthalmic Association, 8 March 2015; *Presentation*: Glaucoma Diagnostics - Glaucoma Progression and Interactive Perimetry.
- 73rd AIOS, New Delhi, 5-8 February 2015; *Presentation*: National Symposium on Glaucoma - Patient centric Glaucoma care.
- Eye-PEP 2014, Postgraduate Education Program in Ophthalmology, LVPEI, Hyderabad, 23-28 November 2014; *In-house faculty*: 1) Glaucoma - Visual field basics and interpretation 2) Glaucoma Grand Rounds- G Chandra Sekhar, Anil Kumar Mandal, Sirisha Senthil and Vanita Pathak-Ray.
- 11th Annual UKOS Conference, UTTARA-EYECON 2014, Mussoorie, 4-5 October 2014; Two assignments 1) Invited faculty 2) Delivered Dr CS Grover Oration: Understanding and improving clinical acumen.
- Glaucoma Society of India, Eye Fest 2014, Annual Conference, Bhubaneswar, 12-14 September 2014; Two assignments: 1) *Keynote lecture*: Patient Centric Glaucoma Care 2) Chairperson: The Inevitable Debates – has anything changed?
- Bangalore Ophthalmic Society, Bangalore, 29 June 2014; *Invited faculty*: Understanding and improving Clinical Acumen.
- Glaucoma, Refractive and Cataract Surgery Interactive: Panel Discussion & Debates, Hyderabad Ophthalmic Association, 22 June 2014; Chair: Glaucoma panel discussions.
- Glaucoma Convene 2014, Ahmedabad, 15 June 2014; Two assignments: 1) *Invited faculty*: a) Glaucoma Insights - Is this Field Glaucomatous? b) Preferred Practice Patterns in Glaucoma - Principles in the management of Angle Closure Glaucoma c) Glaucoma Management: Can We Do Any Better? - Common Avoidable Mistakes in Glaucoma 2) *Moderator*: Final Frontier.
- Institute of Ophthalmology, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal & Udipi District Ophthalmic Society, 11 May 2014; Two assignments 1) *Keynote address*: Glaucoma with special emphasis on the importance to visual fields in glaucoma 2) *Invited faculty*: Glaucoma Overview - Importance of Visual fields in Glaucoma.

Sirisha Senthil

International

- Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology (ARVO) Annual Meeting, Orlando, USA, 4-8 May 2014; *Poster Presentation*: Outcomes of AGV in refractory pediatric glaucoma.

National

- Symposium on Refractory and Childhood Glaucoma - Attention 2015 Aravind Eye Hospital, Madurai, 14-15 March 2015; Invited speaker: 1) Diagnosing Glaucoma Progression on OCT 2) Glaucomas associated with Corneal Diseases
- CME on Invited speaker for the scientific meetig "The Art and Science of Glaucoma", HOA, Hyderabad 8 March 2015 : Two engagements: 1) Presentation: Medical management of glaucoma: case based discussions 2) Video Presentation: Ahmed Glaucoma Valve
- Invited faculty for 27th APACRS, Jaipur, 13-16 November 2014; Presentation: Glaucoma following Posterior Chamber Implantable Collamer Lens Implantation.
- Hyderabad Ophthalmic association, 22 June 2014; *Invited talk*: Imaging in Glaucoma.
- Invited faculty for the congress on optic nerve, vasculature & emerging treatment, Karnataka Ophthalmic Society and Bangalore Ophthalmic Society, Bangalore, 9 - 10 August 2014. Two Presentations: 1) CDR: Is this glaucoma clinical disc evaluation 2) What is new in glaucoma surgery?

Savitri Sharma

International

- ASIA-ARVO (5th Annual Meeting), Yokohama, Japan, 16-19 February, 2015; *Invited talk*: New insights in the diagnosis of Corneal Infections.
- Asia Cornea Society biennial meeting held at Taipei, Taiwan, 11-12 December 2014; *Invited speaker*: 1) New insights into epidemic keratoconjunctivitis- epidemiology, diagnosis and treatment. 2) Recent advances in the diagnosis of corneal infections.

National

- Bhaskar Medical College, Zonal CME program of Dr Nruhs on Basic Sciences in Ophthalmology, Hyderabad, 22 March 2015. *Invited speaker*: 1) Basic principles of laboratory diagnosis of corneal infections, 2) monitoring of operating room protocols.
- 18th Annual conference of Indian Association of Medical Microbiologists, AP Chapter, Khammam, Telangana, 7-8 February 2015. *Delivered Oration*: The Rigour and Relevance of Research in eye Infections: An account of 28 years.
- XIII National Workshop on Diagnostic Methods in Clinical Microbiology, held at Dept. of Microbiology, JIPMER, Pondicherry, 8-11 October 2014; *Invited speaker*: Diagnostic methods in eye infections.
- CME "Harmony-Update on Cornea and Refractive Surgery", 5th Anniversary celebration of CL Gupta Eye Institute, Moradabad, UP, 21 September 2014; *Invited speaker*: Laboratory Diagnosis of Corneal Infections.
- Academy of clinical microbiologists-Tricon2014 Govt. Medical College (6thTriennial Conference) Thrissur, Kerala, 16-17 August; *Invited talk*: Mycotic and Parasitic Infections of the Eye.
- IERG ARVO-India Chapter 21st Annual Meeting, 26-27 July 2014; *Poster presentations* 1) Loop mediated isothermal amplification assay using hydroxynaphthol blue, conventional PCR and real time PCR in the diagnosis of intraocular tuberculosis: A comparison of sensitivity, specificity and predictive values. Co-authors- Praveen Kumar Balne, Soumyava Basu, Soveeta Rath and Manas Ranjan Barik. 2) Efficacy of molecular methods in the diagnosis of infectious endophthalmitis. Co-authors- Swapna R Motukupally, Annie Mathai, Kanchana N Chathoth, D Venkateshwar Rao, P Sunny Francis and Pravin K Balne. 3) Twenty years experience in managing non-tuberculous mycobacterial keratitis at a tertiary care centre. Co-authors: Rashmi Mittal, Prashant Garg and Sonia N Yeung. 4) Clinical presentations, anti microbial susceptibilities and visual acuity outcomes of ceftazidime resistant Gram-negative isolates in endophthalmitis. Co-authors: Vivek Dave, Avinash Pathengay, Rajeev R Pappuru, Subhadara Jalali, Annie Mathai, Raja Narayanan, Taraprasad Das, Jay Chhablani, Rani Padmaja Kumari, Divya Balakrishnan and Mudit Tyagi 5) Fungicidal effect of ultraviolet-a/ riboflavin corneal collagen cross-linking on fusariumsolani isolate from fungal keratitis. Co-authors: Swatishree Sradhanjali, Anuria De, Mamatha M Reddy and Sujata Das.
- CME, post graduates students, Shadan Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad, 6 April 2014; *Invited talk*: Fluorescence Microscopy.

Sachin Shukla

International

- Joint symposium of 4th International Neural Regeneration Symposium, 6th International Spinal Cord Injury Treatment and Trials Symposium, 9th Asia Pacific Symposium on Neural Regeneration (INRS-ISCITT-APSNR- 2014), Nanjing, China, 6-10 September 2014; *Oral presentation*: Reparative neurogenesis in adult trout (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*): in vitro and in vivo investigation of CNS response after optic nerve injury. Co-authors: Pushchina EV and Varaksin AA.

- 3rd International Conference, Hydrogen Sulfide in Biology and Medicine, Kyoto, Japan, 4-6 June 2014 ; *Poster presentation*: Hydrogen sulfide factor regulates differentiation and proliferation of nerve cells in primary culture of cells from brain and spinal cord of the salmonids. Co-authors: Pushchina EV and Varaksin AA.
- VII School of Marine Biology, A V Zhirmunsky Institute of Marine Biology FEB RAS, Vladivostok, Russia, 14-15 April 2014; *Invited lecture* (initiated in the memory of V L Kasynov): Stem Cells: Past trends, Present Applications and Future prospective.

National

- Indian Eye Research Group (IERG), 21st Annual Meeting organized by ARVO-India, LVPEI Hyderabad, 26-27 July 2014; *Poster presentation*: Analysis of trans differentiation potential of human dental pulp stem cells: Clinical implications for bilateral limbal stem cell deficiency. Co-authors: Singh V and Sangwan VS.

Vivek Singh

National

- IERG-ARVO-INDIA Chapter, 21st Annual Meeting 26-27 July, LVPEI, Hyderabad; *Poster presentation*: The alteration of immunological/adhesion properties of in vitro limbal explant culture: Implication on survival of limbal explant in patients with LSCD. Co-authors: Presenting Author: Abhinav Reddy K. Co-authors: Sachin Shukla, Sayan Basu, Virender S Sangwan and Vivek Singh.

Shraddha Sureka

International

- American Academy of Ophthalmology, Annual Meeting 2014, Chicago, 18-21 October 2014; *Presentations*: 1) Penetrating Keratoplasty and Simple Limbal Epithelial Transplantation (SLET): Clinical Outcomes 2) Ocular Surface Complications after Boston Type I Keratoprosthesis. Co- authors: Sayan Basu and Virender S Sangwan. Awarded the ICMR travel grant for this.

Pravin K Vaddavalli

International

- 32nd Congress, European Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgery (ESCRS), London, 13-17 September 2014; Three engagements: 1) *Paper presentation* 2) *Video presentation* 3) *Co-instructor*.
- 5th EuCornea Congress, London, 12-13 September 2014; *Speaker*.

National

- All India Ophthalmology Society (AIOS), Annual meeting, Delhi, 5-9 February 2015; Three engagements: 1) *Invited speaker* 2) *Chief instructor* 3) *Co instructor*.
- 27th Congress of the Asia Pacific Association of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons, APACRS 2014, Jaipur, 13-16 November 2014; Three Engagements: 1) *Invited speaker* 2) *Session chair* 3) *Symposium speaker*.
- Karnataka Ophthalmology Society, Annual Meeting, MYCON 2014, Mysore, 8-9 November 2014; *Invited speaker*.
- 38th Annual meeting, Vidharba Ophthalmology Society, 18-19 October 2014, Akola; *Invited speaker*.
- 38th Annual meeting of the Andhra Pradesh Ophthalmological Society, Rajahmundry, 11-13 October, 2014; Two engagements: 1) *Invited speaker* 2) *Symposium chair*.
- BOS Summit 2014, 3rd Annual Meeting, Bangalore Ophthalmic Society, Bangalore, 27-28 June 2014; *Invited speaker*.
- 25th Year Anniversary Meeting, Ramayamma International Eye Bank, 27 June 2014; *Speaker*.
- Eyeadvance/FOCUS 2014, Annual Meeting, Bombay Ophthalmology Society, Mumbai, 20-22 June 2014; *Invited speaker*.

Jayesh Vazirani

National

- Hyde Park Session, New Delhi, 7 February 2015; *Presentation* (chief author): Demography and Clinical Features of Limbal Stem Cell Deficiency (LSCD) at a Tertiary Care Center. Presenting Author: Siva Kumar Wurity. Co-Authors: Fernandes Merle.
- All India Ophthalmological Society (AIOS), Annual conference, Delhi 6 February 2015; *Invited lectures*: 1) Clinical presentation of Mild, Moderate and Severe Dry Eye 2) Surgical management of dry eye disease.
- Ocular Surface Interest Group (OSIG), Annual Meeting, Hyderabad, January 2015; *Invited lecture*: Simple limbal epithelial transplantation (SLET) at Visakhapatnam.
- Keracon (Annual meeting of the Cornea Society of India), Mamallapuram, December 2014; Two assignments: 1) *Paper presentation*: Multi-drug resistant pseudomonas keratitis - Clinical characteristics and associated features. 2) *Poster presentation*: Customized simple limbal epithelial transplantation (SLET) for recurrent limbal stem cell deficiency (LSCD).