4 November 2009 (Wednesday)			
The Hong Kong	The Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre & The Hong Kong Polytechnic University		
09:00 – 17:00	APOC delegates are welcome to visit the Hong Kong Optical Fair 2009		
	Hall 1 & 3E, The Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre, Wanchai, Hong Kong		
	(Please identify your name as the delegate of The 17 th Asia Pacific Optometric Congress and The 7 th Hong		
	Kong Optometric Conference)		
16:30 – 18:00	Asia Pacific Council of Optometry General Delegates Meeting		
	Room CD512, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University		
18:00 – 19:00	Asia Pacific Council of Optometry Executive Committee Meeting		
	Room CD512, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University		
19:00 – 21:00	Asia Pacific Council of Optometry General Delegates Dinner		
	Four Seas Restaurant, 14/F., Li Ka Shing Tower, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University		

-	N101, The Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre
08:30 - 09:00	Registration
09:00 - 09:25 Moderator:	Welcome Ceremony Prof. Barry Collin, Emeritus Professor, University of New South Wales (Australia) and Honorary Professor, School of Optometry, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (Hong Kong SAR, China)
09:25 – 10:25	K.B. Woo Memorial Lecture
07.20 10.20	APOC: a vital resource for the Asia Pacific Region – its development and future
	Prof. Marion Edwards (United Kingdom)
	Question & Answer
10:25 - 10:40	Tea break
Moderator:	Dr. Damien Smith AM, Optometrist (Private Practice) (Australia)
10:40 - 11:40	Invited Lecture I: Global positioning for the profession of optometry
	Dr. Anthony F. Di Stefano (USA)
	Question & Answer
11:40 - 12:40	Invited Lecture II: The structure-function relationship in glaucoma: old ideas, new
	opportunities
	Prof. John G. Flanagan (Canada)
	Question & Answer
12:40 - 14:15	Lunch
	Eighteen Brook Cantonese Cuisine, 8/F., Convention Plaza, Wanchai
Moderators:	Prof. Minbin Yu, Professor of Ophthalmology, Head of Department of Optometry and Vision Science and
	Deputy Director of Zhongshan Ophthalmic Center, Sun Yat-sen University (China)
	Dr. Andrew Lam, Associate Professor and Associate Head, School of Optometry, The Hong Kong Polytechnic
	University, (Hong Kong SAR, China)
14:15 – 14:45	Invited Lecture III: Perspective on basic eye research in China
	Prof. Jian Ge (China)
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14:45 – 15:15	Invited Lecture IV: Optometry education in Tianjin
	Prof. Kan-xing Zhao (China) Question & Answer
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15:15 - 15:45	Invited Lecture V: Empirical study on the effects of long wavelength light induced myopia
	Prof. Ren-yuan Chu (China) Question & Answer
15.45 14.15	Invited Lecture VI: The mechanism of myopia research and recent findings
15:45 – 16:15	, ,
	Prof. Jia Qu (China) Question & Answer
16:15 – 16:30	Tea Break
Moderator:	Prof. Gerald Lowther, Chair Professor of Vision Science, School of Optometry, The Hong Kong Polytechnic
woderator.	University, (Hong Kong SAR, China) and Professor Emeritus, Indiana University School of Optometry (USA)
16:30 – 17:30	Scientific Papers Session I: Clinical Practice I
	A Chinese experience
	Prof. Peter Swann (Hong Kong SAR, China)
	Encouraging optometrists to engage the community: expanding professional identity
	Prof. R. Norman Bailey (USA)
	Global attitudes and perceptions about vision care
	Mr. Jack Chan (Singapore)
19:15 – 22:30	Gala Dinner
17.13 – 22.30	Theme: "China – Old and New"
	The Patio, Harbour Plaza Metropolis, Hunghom, Kowloon

6 November 2009 (Friday) Chiang Chen Studio Theatre, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University		
Moderator:	Dr. Pauline Cho, Associate Professor, School of Optometry, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (Hong Kong SAR, China)	
08:45 – 09:45	Invited Lecture VII: Patient and practitioner compliance with silicone hydrogel and daily disposable lens replacement in the United States of America and Canada Dr. Kathy Dumbleton (Canada) Question & Answer	
Moderator:	Mrs. Prema Chande, Principal, Lotus College of Optometry (India)	
09:45 – 10:45	Scientific Papers Session II: Paediatric & Binocular Vision Developing a standard "UKM Related Reading Text Test" in Malay language to access reading ability among primary school children in Malaysia Dr. Rokiah Omar (Malaysia)	
	Is the development eye movement test predictive of reading performance in Japanese childrer with reading disorders? Mr. Tomohito Okumura (Japan) Clinical insight into the better eyes of unilateral amblyopes	
	Ms. Jameel Rizwana Hussain (India) Visual profiles of children with handwriting difficulties in Hong Kong	
10:45 – 11:15	Ms. Mabel M.P. Leung (Hong Kong SAR, China) Tea Break & Poster Session Podium Level, Core A, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	
Moderator:	Dr. Akio Kanai, Chairman, International Affairs Committee, All Japan Optometric and Optical Association (AJOOA) (Japan) and Treasurer, Asia Pacific Council of Optometry	
11:15 – 11:45	Nikon Corporation Session Latest trends with progressive addition lenses Mr. Takeyasu Hirose (Japan)	
Moderator:	Prof. Norhani Mohidin, Dean, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (Malaysia)	
11:45 – 12:45	Scientific Papers Session III: Clinical Practice II A novel clinical technique for subjective comparison of distant lateral distortion of progressive addition lens Dr. Kwok-hei Mok (Hong Kong SAR, China) The usefulness of spectral domain optical coherence tomography (Topcon 3D OCT) in private optometric practice Dr. Liang-hwee Koh (Singapore) Eccentric retinal thickness in myopic and non-myopic eyes Mr. Sam C.K. Cheng (Hong Kong SAR, China) Comparative study of different IOL implant techniques for refractive outcome Dr. Krishan K. Yadav (India)	
12:45 – 14:15	Lunch	
	Four Seas Restaurant, 14/F., Li Ka Shing Tower, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	
Moderator:	Mr. Ron Fyfe, Vice President, Asia Pacific Council of Optometry (New Zealand)	
14:15 – 14:45	Johnson & Johnson Vision Care Session State of the art contact lens clinical performance equivalent to no lens wear Mr. Lawrence Kwan (Hong Kong SAR, China)	
Moderator:	Dr. Kathy Dumbleton, Senior Clinical Scientist, University of Waterloo (Canada)	
14:45 – 16:00	Scientific Papers Session IV: Contact Lens Practice To compare the visual performance of a multizone bifocal and a progressive multifocal contact lens in a group of successful contact lens wearers Mr. Somnath Ghosh (India) Do tear characteristics matter in continuous wear rigid gas permeable (Menicon Z-a) wear? A 6 months Malaysian perspective Ms. Set-fee Leong (Malaysia) ROMIO Study: short-term clinical performance of a super high Dk orthokeratology lens in young children Ms. Sin-wan Cheung (Hong Kong SAR, China) Corneal-thickness spatial profile and anterior chamber parameters to detect keratoconus	
	Prof. Junwen Zeng (China) Toric design reverse geometry lenses for myopic astigmats – Preliminary results	

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	Ms. Connie Chen (Hong Kong SAR, China)
16:00 – 16:30	Tea Break & Poster Session
	Podium Level, Core A, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
Moderator:	Dr. Allen Cheong, Assistant Professor, School of Optometry, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (Hong
	Kong SAR, China)
16:30 – 17:15	Scientific Papers Session V: Visual Science
	Pattern electroretinogram (PERG) responses in myopia
	Prof. Norhani Mohidin (Malaysia)
	Regional changes of electrical activity in human retina in response to optical defocus
	Mr. Wing-cheung Ho (Hong Kong SAR, China)
	Neuronal diversity of the normal mouse retina revealed by multispectral analysis
	Dr. Jacqueline Chua (Singapore)

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	Prof. Ian Morgan (Australia)
	The Guangzhou Outdoor Activity Longitudinal (GOAL) study
	Prof. Mingguang He (China)
	Custom transepithelial "no-touch" (cTEN) surface ablation in the treatment of myopic
	astigmatism with the 1000 Hz iVIS-Suite system
	Dr. Shihao Chen (China)
17:15 – 17:20	Closing Remarks
17:20 – 18:00	Visit at the Optometry Clinic & Research Laboratory

Remarks: The organizer reserves the right to alter the topic/content/speaker of the programme without prior notice.

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