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SRC 2013



FEATURING

- Back by popular demand, Dr Jim Thimons
- Dr Neil Shuey brings you the latest in managing papilloedema
- Andrew Hogan on harnessing the internet to promote your practice
- Contact lens controversies – 4 optometrists debate the issues
- Plenty of CPD, including therapeutics points

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**Southern Regional Congress
and Trade Expo**

**1-3 June 2013
MELBOURNE**

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REGISTRATION & INFORMATION

Register online for SRC 2013. It's quick, simple and available 24 hours, 7 days a week. Go to www.optometrists.asn.au/victoria and click on the SRC logo or call us during business hours on 03 9652 9100.

REGISTRATION COSTS TABLE	OAA Member	Part time/Academic/ Minimal practice	Non members
Full conference Early Bird (until 14 March 2013)	\$625	\$525	\$825
Full conference (After 14 March 2013)	\$698	\$598	\$950
Day registration			
Saturday 1 June 2013	\$295	\$255	\$380
Sunday 2 June 2013	\$295	\$255	\$380
Monday 3 June 2013	\$295	\$255	\$380
Workshops:	\$100		
CPR Training:	\$49		
Expo Pass (per day)	\$50		

Trade Expo

SRC 2013 hosts a diverse and exciting range of industry exhibitors including optical equipment, contact lenses, eye care products, frames and spectacle lens companies. We also welcome Not for Profit organisations working to support better vision. For more details about our exhibitors visit www.optometrists.asn.au/victoria and click on the SRC logo.

Trade Expo Hours

Sat 1 June | **Sun 2 June** | **Mon 3 June**
8.30am-5pm | **8.30am-7pm** | **9am-2pm**

Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea will be served in the Trade Expo and don't miss the Trade Expo Drinks - Sunday from 5.45pm.

Expo Pass

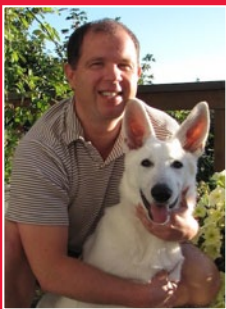
This is the perfect option for practice managers and support staff interested in exploring the SRC Trade Exhibition. The Expo Pass is available on all 3 days of SRC and includes tea breaks and lunch. Sunday Expo Pass also includes entry to the Trade Expo Cocktails.

Venue

SRC 2013 will be held at the Melbourne Exhibition and Convention Centre at 2 Clarendon St, Southbank.

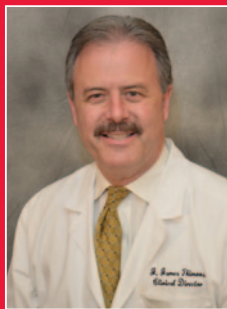
- For more information about the venue visit www.mcec.com.au
- For more information about Melbourne visit www.visitmelbourne.com.au

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Dr Blair Lonsberry

We are delighted to welcome, for the first time at SRC, Canadian Dr Blair Lonsberry. Blair's impressive list of qualifications includes a Master of Science in Physiology, an Optometry degree and a Masters in Education. As an educator Blair understands the needs of adult, professional learners and is committed to creating an interactive learning environment. At SRC he will cover topics including diagnostic testing for systemic disease and the management of urgent presentations. Currently, Dr. Lonsberry is a Full Professor and Clinic Director at the Portland Vision Center associated with Pacific University in Portland, Oregon.



Dr Jim Thimons

Jim is an acclaimed and highly-awarded clinical educator and international speaker, with over 200 publications to his name in ocular disease management and glaucoma. He was the founding director of the Glaucoma Institute at the State University of New York, founded a multi-disciplinary consultancy providing secondary and tertiary care in 2002, and has held appointments at a number of US universities. Jim is also an experienced investigator in optometric and ophthalmic clinical trials. In 1999, he was named optometry's top educator in the US, and was selected as one of the Top Ten ODs of the decade. He has also recently served as President of the Connecticut Association of Optometrists. In 2005, Jim was inducted into the US Optometry Hall of Fame.

CPD POINTS

Get all your CPD points

SRC provides the opportunity of **earning** up to **55** CPD points - more than enough to meet the requirements set by the Optometry Board of Australia for both overall and therapeutics points (20).

At SRC we encourage you to think about:

- How many points do I need?
- What do I **need** to learn more about?
- What do I **want** to learn about?
- Do I want to spend some extra time in the Trade Expo?

Plan ahead with the program to make the most of your time at SRC 2013

Assessment

OPTIONAL assessment will be available at SRC again this year to help you maximise your CPD points.

- Register your attendance at each session to receive the base number of CPD points
- Answer the OPTIONAL multiple choice questions at the end of most sessions for further points (check program pages for points details)
- If you don't want to participate in the assessment questions you don't have to

- Your SRC Guide will provide a table for you to keep track of your points during SRC

With a little planning you can accrue all the CPD points you need AND enjoy the Trade Expo and all the social events on offer at SRC this year.

Understanding CPD points

Following the Optometry Board of Australia guidelines:

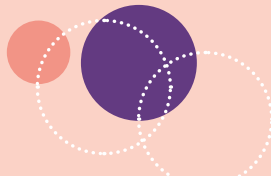
LECTURES PER HOUR		2pts
ASSESSED LECTURE PER HOUR		3pts
WORKSHOPS PER HOUR		3pts

Maximum possible points per day at SRC are as follows:

SATURDAY		22.5
SUNDAY		18
MONDAY		16

These figures are inclusive of the base attendance points PLUS bonus points from answering the assessment questions correctly.

You would get the maximum if you attended all offered sessions and undertook and passed all assessments.



Workshops

Get up close and personal with our Keynotes! The workshops are provided as an add-on to the main program; they offer an intensive learning experience with key speakers in a small group setting. These intimate workshops are available to delegates at an additional cost of \$100.00 per workshop.

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Physical diagnostic testing to assess systemic disease in optometric practice made easy.

Dr Blair Lonsberry | 6 CPD points

Anterior Segment Therapy for the 21st century.

Dr Jim Thimons | 6 CPD points

CPR Training (Pre SRC)

Need to update your CPR qualifications?

Friday 31 May | 2.00 – 5.00pm

\$49, Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre

- **To register, select this session when you register online for SRC**

Public Health Symposium

Sunday 2 June | 11.40 – 1.00pm

Join us for guest presentations and interactive discussion on the challenges and issues in public health optometry.

NEW
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Carl Zeiss Breakfast Symposium

Sat 1 June | 8.00 – 10.00am | 6 CPD points

OCT in clinical practice: Retina and glaucoma

Join ophthalmologists Dr. Devinder Chauhan and Professor Jamie Craig for breakfast as they explore the emerging role of OCT in clinical practice. Share their insights into how OCT can aid detection and management in retinal conditions and glaucoma.

- **To register, select this session when you register online for SRC**

Bausch+Lomb Symposium

Sat 1 June | 10.45 – 12.15pm | 4.5 CPD points

Contact Lens Materials - Are we headed back to the future?

The seventies saw the commercialisation of soft contact lenses, and the eighties brought soft disposable contact lenses. Silicone hydrogel lenses were launched in the nineties. This session will debate the pros and cons of contact lens materials and provide answers to current issues.

Debaters: Alan Saks, Emmanuel Calligeros, Mark Hinds & Jessica Chi

- **To register, select this session when you register online for SRC**

First time at SRC

Saturday 1 June | 12.00 – 1.00pm

Join us upstairs in the expo suite for an informal SRC briefing and lunch. It's a chance to learn the ins and outs of SRC and meet some other first timers.

- **To register, select this session when you register online for SRC**

SRC Dinner

Saturday 1 June | 6.30 – 10.00pm
Level 2, Banquet Room, Melbourne Convention Centre

An opportunity to relax and share a meal and maybe some dancing.

There is no cost for delegates - additional guest tickets available for \$130.

- **To register, select the dinner when you register online for SRC**

Trade Expo Drinks

Sunday 2 June | 5.45 – 7.00pm

Catch up with friends and colleagues while joining our exhibitors for drinks, snacks and a relaxed chat in the exhibition hall.

Farewell Drinks

Monday 3 June | 4.00 – 4.30pm
Melbourne Convention Centre Foyer

Join us in the foyer for drinks to farewell SRC 2013.

SRC Breakfast Session

Monday 3 June | 8.00 – 10.00am | 4 CPD points

I can't see: An exploration of unexplained vision loss in the white eye.

This year we are giving you the chance to get involved in the breakfast session. At your tables of ten you will discuss and solve some tricky cases. The breakfast session will be facilitated by Dr Andrew Anderson with contributions from Dr Anne Weymouth and Associate Professor Daryl Guest

- **To register, select this session when you register online for SRC**



Saturday 1 June

Time	Topic	Presenter	CPD Attendance only	CPD with assessment
8.00 - 10.00am	Carl Zeiss Breakfast Symposium: OCT in clinical practice: Retina and glaucoma	◆ Dr. Devinder Chauhan Prof Jamie Craig	4	6
8.30 - 10.30am	WORKSHOP • Physical diagnostic testing to assess systemic disease in optometric practice made easy	Dr Blair Lonsberry	6	
10.00 - 10.45am	MORNING TEA			
10.45 - 12.15	Bausch & Lomb Symposium: Contact lens materials: Are we headed back to the future?	◆ Alan Saks, Emmanuel Calligeros, Mark Hinds & Jessica Chi	3	4.5
10.00 - 12.00pm	WORKSHOP • Anterior segment therapy for the 21st century	◆ Dr Jim Thimons	6	
12.00 - 1.00pm	LUNCH AND REGISTRATION			
MAIN PROGRAM				
1.00pm	Clinical research in glaucoma: Putting science into your practice	◆ Dr Jim Thimons	2	3
2.00pm	New concepts in ocular surface infection & inflammation	◆ Dr Blair Lonsberry	2	3
3.00pm	AFTERNOON TEA			
3.45pm	Retina update	Dr Alex Harper Ophthalmologist	2	3
4.45pm	Retina in very sharp focus	Andrew Metha	N/A	N/A
5.00pm	Clinical ocular grand rounds	◆ Dr Blair Lonsberry	2	3
6.00pm	SESSION CLOSE			22.5

Sunday 2 June Dual Streams

Time	Topic	Presenter	CPD Attendance only	CPD with assessment
9.00am	Diagnosis and management of ocular urgencies: Part 1	◆ Dr Blair Lonsberry	2	3
10.00am	Diagnosis and management of ocular urgencies: Part 2	◆ Dr Blair Lonsberry	2	3
11.00am	MORNING TEA			
11.40am	Clinical update: What you don't know really can hurt you	◆ Dr Jim Thimons	3	4.5
11.40am	Public Health Symposium	Expo Suite	tba	
1.00 pm	LUNCH			
2.00pm	Lids, lumps and bumps	Dr Charles Su	1.5	2.25
2.45pm	Anterior segment surgery: 2013 and beyond	◆ Dr Jacqueline Beltz Ophthalmologist	1.5	2.25
3.30pm	AFTERNOON TEA			
4.15pm	Grand rounds: day to day case studies		3	
4.15pm	Case study 1	◆ Angie Trinh		
4.45pm	Case study 2	◆ Michael Wicks		
5.05pm	Case study 3	Peter Nixon		
5.25pm	Case Study 4	Angela Hall		
5.45 pm	SESSION CLOSE		13	18

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8.00am	Interactive Breakfast Session: I can't see! An exploration of unexplained vision loss in the white eye	◆ Dr Anne Weymouth & Assoc Prof Daryl Guest, Facilitator: Dr Andrew Anderson	4	
10.00am	MORNING TEA			
11.00am	Tips and pearls in the treatment of viral eye disease	◆ Dr Jim Thimons	2	3
12.00pm	Pitfalls in papilloedema: Lessons in diagnosis and management	Dr Neil Shuey	2	3
1.00pm	LUNCH			
2.00pm	What every optometrist needs to know to succeed in glaucoma therapy	◆ Dr Jim Thimons	2	3
3.00pm	Corneal degeneration and dystrophies	◆ Dr Blair Lonsberry	2	3
3.55pm	Conference close		12	16

Sunday 2 June Dual Streams

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9.00am	OCT: The what, the how & the WOW	Roman Serebrianik	2	3
10.00am	OCT: A retinal ophthalmologist's perspective	Li Ping Chow Ophthalmologist	2	3
11.00am	MORNING TEA			
11.40am	Q&A: Nine controversies with contact lenses	◆ Dr Laura Downie, Kate Johnson, Alan Saks, Assoc Prof Craig Woods Facilitator: Richard Lindsay	3	
1.00 pm	LUNCH			
2.00pm	East meets west: Implementing nutraceuticals in 21st century eye practice	◆ Dr Jim Thimons	1.5	2.25
2.45 pm	Playing it safe: Essential clinical hints to avoid a professional indemnity insurance claim	Jared Slater	1.5	2.25
3.30pm	AFTERNOON TEA			
4.15pm	Moving forward: the latest in vision research		3	
4.15pm	Optometrists' perspectives on cross-cultural encounters in clinical practice: A pilot study	Mandy Truong		
4.45pm	Ageing effects on the recovery of rat eyes from high intraocular pressure	Jeremiah Lim		
5.05pm	Evaluating the correlation between symptoms and clinical tests of dry eye	Moneisha Gokhale		
5.25pm	Higher order aberrations and asymptomatic refractive error development	Dr Stephen Vincent		
5.45 pm	SESSION CLOSE		13	16.5

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10.00am	MORNING TEA			
11.00am	Kids Corner			
11.00am	Under 6 ... No worries! Tips for examining children under the age of 6	Adrian Bell	2	3
12 noon	Binocular vision: easier than you think	Kate Johnson	2	3
1.00pm	LUNCH			
2.00pm	Engaging the audience: Harnessing social media to promote optometry and your practice	Andrew Hogan	1	1
3.00pm	Abnormal eye movements: Rare and common	Dr Larry Abel	2	3
3.55pm	Conference close		11	14

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Getting down to business

Early Bird Registration

Register by 14 March to secure your early bird discount

Childcare Registration

Child care registrations will be taken until 5pm, 24 May 2013

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Optometrists Association Victoria supports Optometry Giving Sight, the OAA's preferred charity.



DETAILS

Accommodation

SRC delegates are fortunate to have a wide range of accommodation options available, including two 5 star hotels to choose from. Rooms are available to SRC delegates at these special rates:

- **Hilton South Wharf Hotel**

Onsite at the Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre. \$275 per night

- **Crown Metropol**

Luxe room is \$285 per night

Special room rates are also available with the following hotels – all situated within easy walking distance of the Convention Centre.

- **Medina Executive Northbank**

Studio Apartment \$180
1 Bedroom Apartment \$205

- **South Bank Deluxe**

1 Bedroom \$230
2 Bedroom \$349

- **Great Southern Hotel Melbourne**

Classic Courtyard Queen Room \$115
Classic Courtyard Twin Room \$115

To book simply call Oz Accom on 1800 814 611 or email ozaccom@ozaccom.com.au Information can also be found on our website www.optometrists.asn.au/victoria

Childcare

Childcare is available during the SRC Education Program for children under 5 years. Pre registration is essential and is available via the online registration form.

Childcare registration closes

5pm Friday 24 May 2013

Business Centre

Free access to the internet and printing facilities will be available at the SRC Business Centre. The centre will allow delegates to check emails, complete online flight check-ins and print out notes.

Refund Policy

An administration fee of \$40.00 applies for cancellation. Refunds are not available after 30 April 2013.

More Information

For up to date information about SRC 2013 visit our website

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- click on the SRC logo

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