An Online Course for Ophthalmic Educators
Organized by the International Council of Ophthalmology

Become a more effective teacher in the classroom and on the web. Create a dynamic learning environment with easy-to-implement multimedia skills and a model for engagement and feedback.

Online Course: September 12 to October 17, 2012

A well-designed web-based training program improves the retention of information, invites reflection and feedback, and leaves more time to interact with students directly.

This web-based course empowers medical teachers to implement modern multimedia teaching skills and create professional presentations. It combines practical advice, software tools to develop specific multimedia interventions, and a theoretical framework for effective teaching strategies.

Lessons will cover the online application of adult learning principles, how to plan and build presentations, how to select and use the best software tools, and how to put these new skills and information into practice.

Who Will Benefit from this Course: Teachers and medical professionals interested in developing e-learning teaching skills, and understanding and applying adult learning principles to their teaching interventions.

Web-Based Instruction Modules:
Each module includes an audiovisual presentation, reading resources (mandatory and optional), learning activities, and quizzes to verify understanding. Activities will be submitted through a Virtual Learning Environment that invites reflection, feedback and sharing.

- Course Overview
- Module 1 Theory and Application of Adult Learning Principles
- Module 2 Planning a Course: Building blocks, goals and evaluations
- Module 3 Building Course Content: Strategies and media for teaching
- Module 4 Principles for Building Multimedia Teaching Activities: Apply principles to teaching interventions
- Module 5 Tools for Building Audiovisual Interactive Teaching Activities: Powerpoint output, tools and quizzes
- Module 6 Putting It All Together: Participant final presentations

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Fees and registration:
- Enrollment is limited, and will be determined in part by the needs of the individual and region, as well as the individual’s ability to make an impact. Apply early. Pre-registration closes August 17.
- Fee for the complete course: $240 USD
- Discounts and fee waivers may be granted to individuals and organizations.
- View the course: educators.icoph.org/course/view.php?id=17
- Pre-register for the course: goo.gl/6v7U
- For more information, email: educators@icoph.org

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