



International Federation of Ophthalmological Societies/
International Council of Ophthalmology

2006 IFOS General Assembly

11:00 – 14:00
Tuesday, February 21, 2006

Room 8
Transamérica Expo Center & Hotel
São Paulo, Brazil

AGENDA

- 10:30 **Registration of IFOS Representatives**
- 11:00 **Welcome and Introduction**
Fritz Naumann, MD, President, International Council of Ophthalmology
- 11:05 **Welcome to the World Ophthalmology Congress/XXX International
Congress of Ophthalmology**
Rubens Belfort, MD, Congress President

Keynote Address

- 11:10 **Public Needs for Eye Care and the Role of the Ophthalmologist**
Al Sommer, MD, ICO Director of Research and former Dean, Johns
Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
- 11:30 Reactions and questions (Dr. Sommer)

Discussion Topic #1: Critical Challenges for International Ophthalmology

- 11:45 **Our 2001 “Vision for the Future” and What We Have Accomplished**
Dr. Naumann (see tab 1, Agenda Book)
- 11:50 **How International Ophthalmology Is Structured, and ICO Function
and Structure**
Bruce Spivey, MD, ICO (see tab 1, Agenda Book)
- 11:55 **IFOS Discussion:**

What are the most critical challenges and issues facing international ophthalmology in the next 10 years?

Discussion Topic #2: Enhancing Ophthalmic Education

12:10 p.m. **ICO Educational Programs and Initiatives**

Mark Tso, MD, ICO Education Coordinator and Vice President
(see tab 2, Agenda Book)

12:15 **The True State of Ophthalmic Education around the World**

Daud Khan, MD, Adenike Abiose, MD, Cristian Luco, MD, ICO Council Members (see tab 2, Agenda Book)

12:30 **IFOS Discussion and initial priorities:**

What could international ophthalmology do to enhance ophthalmic education that will contribute most to improving eye care for the people of the world?

Discussion Topic #3: IFOS/ICO Priorities

12:45 **Programs and Initiatives of the ICO**

Dr. Spivey (see tab 3, Agenda Book)

12:50 **Financial Realities of the ICO/ICOF, etc.**

Balder Gloor, MD, ICO Treasurer (information to be provided at meeting)

12:55 **IFOS Discussion:**

Given the challenges we face, what should be the top priorities for action by the ICO/IFOS in the next four years?

IFOS Business Meeting

13:15

1	Welcome and call to order	Dr. Naumann	
2*	Verification of voting representatives and appointment of Scrutineers. List of IFOS voting representatives (on payment of dues) and organizations with applications	Dr. Spivey	Tab 4
3*	Review and approval of minutes of 2004 IFOS Assembly Meeting in New Orleans	Dr. Naumann	Tab 5

4	Report of the President—1998-2005	Dr. Naumann	Tab 6
5	Report of the Secretary-General: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Announcement of IFOS Assembly and International Congress meeting sites 2008, 2010 and 2012. 	Dr. Spivey	Tab 7
6*	Report of the Treasurer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Financial Status Dues 2006 to next General Assembly Report of Dues Paid 	Dr. Gloor	Tab 8
7*	Review and vote on proposed revised Statutes	Dr. Naumann	Tab 9
8	ICO Foundation	Dr. Straatsma	Tab 10
9	Written Reports on IFOS/ICO Programs: (For discussion on request)		Tab 11
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ICO International Assessments for Ophthalmologists 	Dr. Watson	Tab 11A
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> IFOS/ICO International Fellowship 	Dr. Gloor	Tab 11B
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ophthalmic Education 	Dr. Tso	Tab 11C
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ICO International Clinical Guidelines 	Dr. Abbott	Tab 11D
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ethics 	Dr. Aydin	Tab 11E
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ophthalmic Education in Nigeria 	Dr. Ajayi	Tab 11F
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Program Directors Courses 	Dr. Straatsma	Tab 11G
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executive Summary of "Vision Requirements for Driving Safety." 	Drs. DeLaey and Colenbrander	Tab 11H
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Advocacy 	Dr. Taylor	Tab 11I
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Twining 	Dr. Nagpal	Tab 11J
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research Agenda for Global Blindness Prevention 	Dr. Sommer	Tab 11K
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communications and Web Site 	Dr. Spivey and Mr. Felch	Tab 11L
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Database of Societies and Residencies (book to be provided) 			
10*	Election of Ordinary Members of ICO	Dr. Naumann	Tab 12

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11	Unfinished and New Business		
12	Vote of thanks and adjournment	Dr. Naumann/ Dr. Spivey	

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* Action Items: Voting only by IFOS representatives, one per each society in good standing (dues paid).