

# UTAH OPHTHALMOLOGY SOCIETY 39TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE MARCH 2-3 2018

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## 2018 Faculty

*Amazing speakers with interesting perspectives that will inspire you.*

### Robert Cionni, MD



Dr. Cionni is the Medical Director of The Eye Institute of Utah and a world-renowned expert in the field of modern cataract surgery. He is a board-certified ophthalmologist, specializing in cataract surgery, lens implants, and refractive surgeries such as refractive lens exchange. Dr. Cionni also performs corneal inlay implantation surgery utilizing KAMRA and Raindrop inlays.

### Alison Crum, MD



Dr. Crum has training in both oculoplastics and orbital surgery - the reconstruction of the bones around the eyes after trauma. She also practices neuro- ophthalmology. Her interests include treatment of Graves disease and treatment of papilledema

### Dixon Davis, MBA, MHA



Dixon Davis is a senior consultant with BSM Consulting and is based outside of Salt Lake City, UT. Mr. Davis consults with organizations throughout the United States in strategy, business development, operational efficiency, compensation structures, finance, and compliance.

### Kathleen Digre, MD



Dr. Digre, MD, specializes in neuro-ophthalmology and headache. Dr. Digre practices at the John A. Moran Eye Center. She evaluates and treats complex visual complaints, which can be due to optic nerve or brain disease. Dr. Digre sees patients with complex neuro-ophthalmic disorders such as papilledema, photophobia, visual loss, and diplopia. She also treats migraine headaches and other unusual headache disorders.

### Nancy Holekamp, MD



Dr. Nancy Holekamp is Director of Retina Services at the Pepose Vision Institute in St. Louis, Missouri. She is also a Clinical Professor of Ophthalmology at the Washington University School of Medicine. She has a special interest in the vitreous gel has performed research in this area for 10 years.

### Ronald R. Krueger, MD



Dr. Krueger serves as the Medical Director of Refractive Surgery at the Cleveland Clinic Cole Eye Institute in Ohio. Dr. Krueger is a renowned ophthalmologic surgeon with more than 30 years of experience in the field of refractive surgery, specifically in excimer laser research.

### Nick Mamalis, MD



Dr. Mamalis specializes in comprehensive ophthalmology including cataract and other anterior ocular surgeries at the John A. Moran Eye Center, University of Utah, Salt Lake City. Dr. Mamalis is co-director of the Intermountain Ocular Research Center where he performs research on new IOL materials and designs and lectures throughout the world.

### Jason Rupp, MD, PhD



Dr. Rupp is a glaucoma specialist at Clarus Vision Clinic in Salt Lake City. He has broad experience in both traditional and minimally invasive glaucoma surgery, as well as advanced anterior segment surgery. He is particularly interested in how new therapeutic options in glaucoma will change treatment paradigms and affect patient compliance and outcomes.

Friday, March 2, 2018

7:45 am Registration and Breakfast 8: 15 Welcome- UOS President  
 8:20 Migraine and Ophthalmology - Kathleen Digre, MD  
 8:50 The Spectrum of Customized Excimer Laser Vision Correction Options” - Ronald Krueger, MD  
 9:10 “How SMILE May Change Laser Vision Correction in the Future” - Ronald Krueger, MD- Topic 2  
 9:30 Audience response  
 9:55 Beverage Break  
 10:10 “Adjustable IOL Technology” - Nick Mamalis, MD  
 11:00 Pearls\* – UOS Members

- Scott Sykes, MD – “Intraoperative Aberrometry, Is it Really Helpful”?
- Matthew Ward, MD – “Acanthamoeba keratitis - Is it more common than we think”?
- David Peterson, MD – “Diplopia After Cataract Surgery”
- Amy Lin, MD – “White Intumescent Cataracts”

12:15 Lunch  
 1:15 Humanitarian Service Award or move schedule up 15 minutes)  
 1:30 “Vitreous Floaters” Nancy Holekamp, MD  
 1:50 “The Vitreous Gel in Ocular Health” - Nancy Holekamp, MD  
 2:10 Audience Response -Nancy Holekamp, MD  
 2:25 “The Frontier of Glaucoma management: Exploring Minimally Invasive Surgical Options” - Jason Rupp, MD, PhD  
 3:05 Break  
 3:20 “Uses and Abuses of Botox “ - Alison Crum, MD – 30 minutes  
 3:50 “Complex Cataract and Secondary IOL Surgery” Robert Cionni, MD – 40 minutes  
 4:15 Succession Planning and Private Equity, Dixon Davis  
 4:25 Adjourn  
 4:50 CME Evaluation  
 5:00 Adjourn  
 5:15 -6:30 Physician Reception

Education Planning Committee



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**Location:** The Sheraton Hotel and Conference Center  
 150 West 500 South, Salt Lake City, UT  
 Conference area, East end of the hotel  
 Registration Deadline- Feb. 19, 2018

**Hotel Room Reservations**

For your convenience, spend the night at the Sheraton.  
 Reservations must be made 30 days prior to conference to receive the special attendee rate of \$120 + tax,  
<https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/Book/uteyemds2018>

**Driving Directions**

The Sheraton Hotel is located on 5th south, in the heart of the downtown business and entertainment district and three blocks from the Salt Palace Convention Center. Complimentary parking is available on the west or east side of the Sheraton Hotel.

**CME Accreditation**

Physician Program Accreditation Statement

The Utah Ophthalmology Society is accredited by the Utah Medical Association to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians. The Utah Ophthalmology Society designates this live activity for a maximum of 7.50 hour(s) AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™.

**Codequest Accreditation**

The American Academy of Ophthalmology is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Association to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

**Designation Statement**

The American Academy of Ophthalmology designates this educational activity for a maximum of 4 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim

**Special Needs**

If you have a disability and require special classroom accommodations, please append a statement regarding your disability-related needs. We cannot ensure the availability of appropriate accommodations without prior notification of need.

**Cancellations/Refunds**

A written notice must be received no later than two weeks prior to March 2, for a refund minus a \$50 administrative fee. No refunds will be accepted after February 21, 2018. Participant substitutions can be made up to 2 weeks prior to the meeting.

## Physician Sessions, Physician Dinner, and Codequest

- REGISTER ONLINE AT: [www.utaheyemds.org](http://www.utaheyemds.org)
- You may pay by credit card or check online

## Technician Program Information and Registration

- Registration is online only at: [www.jcahpo.org](http://www.jcahpo.org)

## Late fee applies after February 15, 2018. Last day to register and pay February 21, 2018.

- Registration must be paid by 2/21/17, no onsite registration available.

## Cost

### Physician

- UOS Active Member/\$280
- UOS Active Member age 65 and over/\$185
- Resident Physician/\$145
- Non-member/\$380

**Physician Reception**- included for those physician members paid and registered for the Friday physician scientific session. Guests may attend at additional cost of \$30 per person.

### Technicians

Register at [www.jcahpo.org](http://www.jcahpo.org)

## Codequest

### Strengthen Your Audit Armor

- With audit requests and outcomes reported every day, it is imperative that practices adopt internal controls to protect their revenue.
- We hope you will include your entire office in this important session.

UOS member or (1<sup>st</sup> staff person from office) /\$240

- Each additional from the same office/\$200 per person
- Residents/\$155 per person
- Non member and staff/\$340 per person

### Schedule

7:15 – 8:00	Registration and Breakfast
8:00 – 9:30	Course
9:30 - 9:45	Break
9:45 – 12:15	Course

### Codequest Instructor

#### Jenny Edgar CPC, CPCO, OCS

Jenny is the Academy's coding specialist. Her experience as a coding and reimbursement expert includes tenure as a certified professional compliance officer. She is a contributing author for the Academy's entire line of coding products.

## CME Objectives

Upon completion of this activity, participants should be able to:

- Identify recent advances in the diagnosis and treatment of eye diseases.
- Integrate practice management strategies to address critical business and operational tasks in the ophthalmologist's practice.
- Develop strategies to identify and address their own individual professional practice gaps.

<p><b>Retina</b></p> <p>1) Vitreous Floaters Management of Vitreous Floaters is a hot topic in the field of retina right now. Treatment options include observation, laser for floaters, or vitrectomy surgery. After many decades of simple observation there is now emerging evidence for the latter types of surgical intervention. After this presentation, physicians will have a better understanding of the 3 treatments for Vitreous Floaters and how to apply them in practice.</p> <p>2) Many ophthalmologists consider the vitreous gel as merely a space occupying substance. nothing could be further from the truth! The vitreous gel is essential to the health of the eye and represents the last frontier for research in ophthalmology. The audience will critically assess new ideas surrounding the importance of the vitreous gel in both health and disease of the eye.</p>	<p><b>Cataract</b></p> <p><b>1) Adjustable IOL Technology</b></p> <p>Cataract Surgery with IOL implantation has evolved into a highly successful surgery. However, incorrect lens power post operatively remains a problem. This is the third most common reason for IOL explanation/exchange worldwide. Surgeons need ways to change or adjust the power of an IOL following cataract surgery. After this presentation, surgeons will be up to date with presently available adjustable IOL technology as well as future technologies being evaluated.</p> <p><b>2) Complex Cataract</b></p> <p>Complex Cataract and Secondary IOL Surgery – Most surgeons are comfortable performing routine cataract surgery. However, many surgeons do not feel competent enough to manage complex cases, secondary IOL cases or dealing with unexpected complications. After this presentation the surgeons should feel better equipped to manage these challenging cases.</p>
<p><b>Neuro-Ophthalmology</b></p> <p>While migraine is extremely common and is seen frequently in the ophthalmology office, there are certain migraine phenomena that ophthalmologists may miss including dry eye symptoms and chronic migraine, photophobia and visual snow. In this lecture we will discuss evaluation and treatment of these related phenomena</p>	<p><b>Glaucoma</b></p> <p>Minimally Invasive Glaucoma Surgery (MIGS) has revolutionized the management of glaucoma. These techniques provide a means for lowering intraocular pressure in a way that is safer than traditional glaucoma filters and tube shunts. The landscape is rapidly changing with multiple MIGS options available in the United States and more devices likely to be available in the next several years.</p>
<p><b>Practice Management</b></p> <p>Private Equity is a hot topic in Ophthalmology at present. As physicians consider transitioning into retirement or simply engaging in a new business opportunity, there are important details to consider with ramifications to physicians, staff, and patients. We will discuss options available to physician owners as part of their succession planning or strategy for business growth. Physicians need to enter business discussions with a solid understanding of what options they have and what is truly means for their practice.</p>	<p><b>Refractive</b></p> <p>1) For nearly 30 years, excimer lasers have been used in refractive surgery, and during this time, Customized LASIK has dominated the development of the field both in the U.S. and abroad. Laser customization has included Wavefront guided (WFG), Wavefront optimized (WFO) and most recently Topography guided (TG), as well as femtosecond laser created flaps. The participant in this presentation will learn the relative benefits and evolutionary stages of customized laser vision correction, and how they might together contribute to the future customization of LASIK."</p> <p>2) With the development of femtosecond lasers for LASIK flap creation, a new minimally invasive procedure, called SMILE (Small Incision Lenticular Extraction) was introduced. SMILE has the potential benefit of creating a much smaller incision than LASIK, and hence may experience fewer side effects with similar visual outcomes. The participant in this presentation will understand the relative benefits and complexities of SMILE vs. LASIK, and how this new procedure will likely contribute to the future of refractive surgery."</p>

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