

MARITIME CONTINUING EDUCATION SYMPOSIUM

**April 26th – April 29th 2018
Fredericton, NB**

LOCATION

**Fredericton Convention Centre
670 Queen St. Fredericton, NB**

A block of guest rooms is being held until March 29th, 2018 at the



**CROWNE PLAZA LORD BEAVERBROOK HOTEL
659 Queen St., Fredericton, NB**

Traditional Guestroom: \$149.00 (plus taxes)

Executive Rooms: \$169.00 or Club Floor Rooms: \$189.00

**Call 1-866-444-1946 to book your room under the
Maritime Continuing Education Symposium
OR on line**

Booking Website: <https://aws.passkey.com/e/49527916>

QUESTIONS? Please contact:

The New Brunswick Association of Optometrists
490 Gibson St. Unit 1
Fredericton, NB E3A 4E9
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506-450-1271 fax
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Optometrist Registration Information

**PLEASE PRINT THESE TWO REGISTRATION PAGES
AND RETURN BOTH PAGES TO:**

New Brunswick Association of Optometrists

490 Gibson St. Fredericton, NB E3A 4E9

Fax to 506-450-1271

Or Scan and Email to nbao@nbao.ca

Optometrist Registration

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Province _____

Postal Code _____ Email _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____

Special requirements (allergies etc.) _____



Optometric Assistant Registration

Please provide names of attendees:

MCES 2018 Registration Categories

Optometrist Registration – Member (anyone belonging to CAO)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Full Conference –April 26 th to 29 th , 2018 (20 CE Hours) | <u>\$675 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Early Bird – Register by March 20th, 2018</i> | <u>\$575 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One Evening - Thursday, April 26 th , 2018 (2 CE Hours) | <u>\$150 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One Day - Friday, April 27 th , 2018 (7 CE Hours) | <u>\$375 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One Day – Saturday, April 28 th , 2018 (7 CE Hours) | <u>\$375 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Half Day – Sunday, April 29 th , 2018 (4 CE Hours) | <u>\$250 + HST</u> |

Optometrist Registration – Non CAO Member

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Full Conference –April 26 th to 29 th , 2018 (22 CE Hours) | <u>\$950 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Early Bird – Register by March 20th, 2018</i> | <u>\$850 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One Evening - Thursday, April 26 th , 2018 (2 CE Hours) | <u>\$200 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One Day - Friday, April 27 th , 2018 (7 CE Hours) | <u>\$475 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One Day – Saturday, April 28 th , 2018 (8 CE Hours) | <u>\$475 + HST</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Half Day – Sunday, April 29 th , 2018 (4 CE Hours) | <u>\$300 + HST</u> |

Optometric Assistant Registration

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One Day – Saturday, April 28 th , 2018 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$150.00 + HST X ____ (1 to 5 Assistants) = | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$125.00 + HST X ____ (5 + Assistants) = | \$ _____ |

Friday Night Social Event Registration (Tour of Fredericton Craft Breweries)

Register Now (per person) - \$40.00 + HST On site registration available \$50.00 per person CASH only

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$40.00 + HST X ____ (No. of people) = | \$ _____ |
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Registration Total

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$ _____

Payment Method: VISA MasterCard Cheque

Card Number: _____

Expiry Date: _____

Cardholder Name: _____

Please make cheques payable to: *New Brunswick Association of Optometrists*

- Full payment must accompany your registration form.
- Payment must be received by April 11th, 2018 to guarantee your participation.
- A late fee of \$50.00 will be added to registrations received after April 16th, 2018.
- Cancellation Policy: Registration fees will be refunded less a \$50 administration fee, if cancellation is received by April 23, 2018.

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Continuing Education Program Schedule

Thursday, April 26th –

5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Registration
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Dr. Shalu Pal, OD <i>Myopia</i>
8:00 p.m. -	Reception with Bausch & Lomb

Friday, April 27th –

7:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Registration Breakfast
8:30 a.m. -10:30 a.m.	Dr. Shalu Pal, OD <i>Scleral and Prosthetic Lenses</i>
10:45 a.m. -11:45 a.m.	Dr. Mario DiCosmo, OD & Dr. Stelios Nikolakakis, OD <i>TBD</i>
Noon - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Dr. Stelios Nikolakakis, OD <i>TBD</i>
3:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.	Dr. Stelios Nikolakakis, OD <i>TBD</i>
Evening Social Event	Tour of Fredericton Craft Breweries with <i>My Brew Hopper</i>

CE Program Continued

Saturday, April 28th -

7:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Registration Breakfast
8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Dr. Clara Chan, MD, FRCSC, FACS <i>TBD</i>
10:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m..	Dr. Nir Shoham-Hazon, OMD <i>Novel Glaucoma Surgeries</i> <i>MIGS – Minimally Invasive Glaucoma Surgery</i> <i>Tackling the Narrow Angle – PCS/PAC/PACG</i>
12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.	Lunch
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Marilyn Smith, Optician <i>TBD</i> OR CPR Refresher Course
3:45 p.m. - 4:45	Marilyn Smith, Optician <i>TBD</i>

Sunday, April 29th -

7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.	Dr. Gregg MacLean, Neurologist “The Neurologist and Vision”
9:50 a.m. - 10:50 p.m.	Dr. Douglas Keeling, Dermatologist <i>TBD</i>
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m	Mary Johnson, Orthoptist <i>TBD</i>
12:10 p.m. - 1:10 p.m.	<i>TBD</i>

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Optometric Staff **Continuing Education Program Schedule**

Saturday, April 28th -

7:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Registration Breakfast
9:00 a.m. -10:00 a.m.	Marilyn Smith, Optician <i>TBD</i>
10:15 a.m. - Noon	Marilyn Smith, Optician <i>TBD</i>
12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.	Lunch with the Optometrists
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	CPR Refresher Course OR Marilyn Smith, Optician <i>TBD</i>
3:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	Marilyn Smith, Optician <i>TBD</i>

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FEATURED SPEAKERS



Dr. Shalu Pal, OD graduated from the Southern California College of Optometry, completed her Contact Lens, Cornea and Disease residency at the Northeastern State University Oklahoma College of Optometry followed by her Fellowship in the American Academy of Optometry. She has her Fellowship in the Scleral Lens Society. Dr. Pal is a current candidate for her Diplomate in the American Academy of Optometry in the area of Contact Lens and Refractive Technology.

Dr. Pal was a member of the faculty at NSUOCO from 2005 to 2007 and at the University of Waterloo, School of Optometry from 2007 to 2009. Dr. Pal is currently in a group practice in Toronto, Canada, where she specializes in two areas. Advanced Contact Lens Fitting for corneal repair post trauma, disease, pain and high prescriptions. The second is Dry Eye management and treatment with advanced technology and innovative treatment protocols.

Dr. Pal is a member of the Canadian Association of Optometrists, and a volunteer of the Ontario Association of Optometrist's Continuing Education Committee. Dr. Pal is also a member of the American Optometric Association, Chair elect for the AOA Contact Lens and Cornea Section Council. Dr. Pal is a member of Vision Source and an Administrator for the Greater GTA area. Dr. Pal is a faculty member and speaker for Allergan's Optimize and Jump Start programs. She is a member of the Women's Advisory Board for Alcon USA. She is also a speaker, writer and consultant for Allergan, Alcon, Bausch & Lomb, CooperVision, Johnson & Johnson Vision Care, Menicon America, Santen Pharmaceutical and Shire. Dr. Pal a speaker for the STAPLE Program, which facilitates 45 contact lenses workshops across North American Optometry Schools annually.

Dr. Pal has been published many times in various academic journals including the Review of Optometry, Contact Lens Spectrum, Optometry Times and Advanced Ocular care.

Dr. Pal was a volunteer doctor for the Pan Am and Para Pan Am Games and is affiliated with FUEDEM, Eye Care Specialist in San Salvador, El Salvador where she volunteers on a regular basis.

Dr. Pal grew up in Saint John New Brunswick.

FEATURED SPEAKERS CONTINUED



Dr. Mario DiCosmo graduated with Dean's Honours from the University of Waterloo School of Optometry in 2016. His undergraduate degrees include; Honours B.Sc. in Life Sciences with a Minor in Psychology, McMaster University, 2012.

Dr. DiCosmos is a member of the College of Optometrists of Ontario, Ontario Association of Optometrists Canadian Association of Optometrists, Optometric Extension Program Clinical Associate and an affiliate member of the Lifesaving Society.



Dr. Stelios Nikolakakis, OD graduated from the University of Waterloo in 1996. He received his Undergraduate Degree a B.Sc. General Science, University of Waterloo School of Optometry in 1996. His other certifications include Advanced Ocular Disease Therapeutics, Certified Master Practitioner of NLP, Certified Master Hypnotherapist and Certified Master Time Line Therapist. Dr. Nikolakakis is a Guest lecturer at University of Waterloo School of Optometry and Business Coach as President and CEO of his consulting company Empowered Practice Culture.

Dr. Nikolakakis is a member of the Canadian Association of Optometrists, Ontario Association of Optometrists, College of Optometrists of Ontario. College of Optometrists in Vision Development, Optometric Extension Program Foundation (Vision Therapy), American Board of NLP and the American Board of Hypnotherapy.

FEATURED SPEAKERS CONTINUED



Dr. Nir Shoham-Hazon, OMD completed an Ophthalmology residency in Israel, in January 2010. During his residency he was appointed chief resident and was awarded two resident awards of excellence. Thereafter, Shoham-Hazon pursued the lucrative fellowship at the University of Toronto, with the world renowned, Ike Ahmed. This three year fellowship included clinical, surgical and research aspects of Glaucoma, Advanced Anterior Segment & IOL surgery (GAASS). During this fellowship, Shoham-Hazon received numerous awards for presentations in international conferences and research grants for research studies. Shoham-Hazon is a reviewer and guest reviewer for various international peer-review journals. Dr. Shoham-Hazon currently has an ophthalmology practice in the Miramichi.



Dr. Clara Chan, OMD is a specialist in cornea, cataract and refractive surgery. She is an Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology at the University of Toronto and the former Chair of the Resident Surgical Teaching Committee. She teaches fellows as part of the Cornea fellowship program at the Toronto Western Hospital and is the Medical Director of the Eye Bank of Canada, Ontario Division. She has published more than 60 papers and abstracts, and has taught courses and lectured at international meetings. She received the American Academy of Ophthalmology Achievement Award in 2015, serves on the Cornea Clinical Committee of the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons, and is a Cornea Section Editor for the Canadian Journal of Ophthalmology and the Cornea Editor for the Eyeworld magazine.

FEATURED SPEAKERS CONTINUED



Marilyn Smith has been a Registered Optician since 1981. After working in the retail optical industry, she was offered an opportunity to join the University of Waterloo, School of Optometry staff in 1988. She was promoted to Manager of Optical Services in 1991 & was invited to join the Faculty as a Clinical Lecturer at the University of Waterloo, School of Optometry & Vision Science in 2004. Marilyn retired from UW in June 2016 to pursue new career adventures.

Marilyn is the lead instructor for the Canadian Association of Optometrists distance education program, Canadian Certified Optometric Assistants (CCOA) program across Canada. She also consults in private optometry offices and speaks on a regular basis in the ophthalmic industry.

Marilyn has received many awards throughout her career including several from her UW Optometry students for Outstanding Lecturer and Lab Demonstrator, the 2013 Optician of the Year award from the Ontario Opticians Association and the Helen Keller for Promotion of Sight Throughout the World from the Lions Club of Canada.

Marilyn has always been fascinated with human & motivating behaviour. She is an accredited facilitator for Bob Proctors' "Science of Getting Rich"™, a life skills & motivational program, "True Colors"™, a self-awareness & team building programme based on personality and is a licensed "Dreambuilders"™ life coach.

Marilyn is an international speaker. She is CEO of MAS Productions Co & speaks to companies, offices or personal interest groups providing seminars designed to enhance, motivate and inspire people to create and live to their best personal potential. She also offers a one on one 10-week life coaching experience. Marilyn brings humour, compassion & her own life experiences to each seminar she conducts for maximum enjoyment, learning, insight and growth for each participant.



Dr. Gregg MacLean Neurologist, was born in PEI and has been a practicing Neurologist in Saint John for the past 28 years.

He is current Director of the Multiple Sclerosis Clinic and Head of the Division of Neurology at the Saint John Regional hospital.

FEATURED SPEAKERS CONTINUED



Mary Johnson, OC(C), COMT (Certified Orthoptist) received her BSc in Psychology from Dalhousie University prior to graduating from the IWK Orthoptic/ Ophthalmic Medical Technology Program in 1992. She worked at a Pediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus practice in Hartford, Connecticut for over four years prior to her current position at St. Joseph's Hospital in Saint John, NB. She has given past presentations at various meetings, including the Eastern Regional American Orthoptic Meeting, the American Academy of Ophthalmology National Meeting and at the Annual Meeting of the Canadian Orthoptic Society. She has served as President of the Canadian Orthoptic Society, Canadian Orthoptic Council representative to the American Orthoptic Council and is now the representative of the Atlantic Provinces to the Canadian Orthoptic Council.



Dr. Douglas Keeling, Dermatologist

Kristen MacKinnon?, Pharmacist