This course will review the latest treatment modalities in uveitis including the intravitreal delivery systems for long acting and short acting steroids and the various anti-tumor necrosis factor alpha agents. We will compare these new treatments to the currently accepted systemic immunosuppression regimens with steroidal and nonsteroidal immunosuppressive therapy. Updates on infectious uveitis syndromes will be presented. Case presentations with emphasis on audience interaction will provide insight on how to conduct a uveitis work up and how to treat various syndromes.

At the conclusion of this course, participants should be able to:
• Describe the use of immunosuppressive therapy in uveitis patients.
• Describe current clinical trials in ocular inflammatory diseases.
• Identify newer therapies for noninfectious uveitis syndromes.
• Discuss evaluation and treatment of patients with uveitis.

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AGENDA

7:00 am Registration and Continental Breakfast
7:30 am Case Presentations
Moderator: Careen Y. Lowder, MD, PhD
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9:00 am How Do I Approach a Work-up of Uveitis Patients?
Sumit Sharma, MD
9:20 am Scleritis: How to Manage and Signs to Worry About
H. Nida Sen, MD, MHSc
9:40 am Infectious Retinitis: Signs Not to Miss
Debra A. Goldstein, MD
10:00 am Break
10:30 am The Present Treatment of Uveitis and Update on Clinical Trials
Steven Yeh, MD

7:00 am Medication Induced Uveitis
Arthi Venkat, MD
10:50 am Tips and Tricks When Imaging a Uveitis Patient
Sunil K. Srivastava, MD
11:10 am Careen Y. Lowder, MD, PhD
Distinguished Lecture in Uveitis
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11:30 am Case Presentations
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12:00 pm Lunch and Adjourn

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