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# First Announcement

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Balkan Ophthalmic Wetlab Course 2012

One of the Steps of Becoming an Ophthalmic Surgeon

26<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> June 2012, Sofia, Bulgaria

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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to the 2nd Balkan Ophthalmic Wetlab Course in Sofia.

The conference is organized by Resbiomed Sofia Eye Clinic, VISSUM Corporación Oftalmológica together with MTS The Wetlab Company and is supported also by the pharma industry. Miguel Hernandez University is the academic body that hosts the event.

Medicine moves forward constantly and high quality in Simulated Surgical Laboratories (Wetlabs) become even more important in improving the surgical skills of young ophthalmologists as well as for experienced colleagues.

The Feedback we received from the 1st Balkan Ophthalmic Wetlab Course encourages us to organize the event this year again with enriched programme.

Our featured new courses are Refractive Surgery and Refractive Surgery Advanced.

We are convinced that by the end of the course you will find the difference in your surgical skills and will have greater confidence in your abilities as ophthalmology surgeon.

### THE COURSE WILL FEATURE A RICH PROGRAMME AND SUPPORTING EVENTS:

- ▶ Phaco
- ▶ Vitrectomy
- ▶ Refractive Surgery
- ▶ Refractive Surgery Advanced (NEW)

### WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR SUPPORT AND PARTICIPATION.

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### FIND YOUR REASONS TO ATTEND

- ▶ Theoretical considerations and planning steps are presented followed by practical wet lab exercises. Especially different methods for astigmatism correction are presented and performed during wet lab.
- ▶ Refractive surgery patients applying for refractive surgery who are outside limits for corneal surgery do have different options for intraocular surgery. Phakic anterior chamber and posterior chamber lens are discussed, their management and implantation techniques trained in the wet lab.
- ▶ The recently presented concept of Add-on lenses offers an additional alternative in the broad field of intraocular refractive surgery. Theoretical know how will again be followed by practice in wet lab. And much more...

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