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**FRIDAY
FELLOW
Q&A**

Q: Where are you located?

A: Los Angeles, California, United States

Q: What year did you earn your Fellowship?

A: 1992

Q: When did you earn your doctorate?

A: 1988

Q: What inspired you to pursue optometry as a career?

A: I am happy when I am caring for others.

Q: What is your most rewarding patient or professional experience?

A: I recently had a patient who had been seeing different doctors for the past eight years, but no one completely helped him until I did with IPL for dry eyes. I also loved being the team optometrist for the Anaheim Ducks hockey team.

Q: How did you become involved with the Academy?

A: I presented my senior research project at an Academy meeting in 1988.

Q: What has your involvement meant to your career?

A: Knowledge and camaraderie.

Q: What is the best part of being an OD?

A: Caring for the people I care about and making an impact on their lives, since vision is related to almost everything we do from working to school and sports.

Q: Tell us a fun fact about you or an interesting hobby you have?

A: I am a boxer, and I enjoy empowering others through daily holistic wellness tips on my Instagram page @HollywoodEyes.



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