THE AMERICAN OPTOMETRIC FOUNDATION

is a philanthropic organization that develops and provides financial support for optometric research and education in vision and eye health.
This Annual Report demonstrates the health and vitality of the American Optometric Foundation (AOF): over $4.2 million in assets with $300,000 awarded in fellowships, scholarships and grants in 2012. The Foundation’s mission of developing and providing financial support for optometric research and education in vision has been advanced because of our individual supporters and corporate partners.

We are pleased to announce that the Foundation raised $177,000 in Phoenix. During Academy 2012 Phoenix we received donations through registrations totaling $12,825. Twenty lecturers generously donated their honoraria, which combined with continuing education contributions from the Academy totaled $21,000. The silent auction brought in over $14,000 and was supported by 270 attendees. Finally, the Optometric Glaucoma Society donated $8,000 on behalf of speakers at their program who are Academy Fellows.

Our Foundation was able to celebrate the awarding of 13 Ezell Fellowships in Phoenix; eight of which are endowed and five of which are sponsored by our corporate partners. Again this year the Foundation recognized our supporters for their consecutive giving records: 26 for 15 years and five for 10 years of continued support.

A huge milestone was reached in Phoenix with the recruitment of our 100th Presidents Circle member! We welcomed 15 new members to the Presidents Circle (gifts or pledges of $10,000) and one new member to the Presidents Gold Circle (gifts or pledges of $20,000). The Foundation is indebted to these individuals and all of our supporters who give generously to the Foundation and allow us to further our mission and provide so many fellowships, scholarships, grants, and residency awards.
The Academy annual meeting provides the AOF with a forum in which the AOF Board, staff, and award recipients can connect with our donors on a personal level. It is the focal point for the largest fundraising drive of the year. With your support the Foundation received over $177,000 in gifts and pledges at Academy 2012 Phoenix. Donations made through registration, the exhibit hall, lecture honoraria, continuing education, the silent auction, and the annual Celebration Luncheon epitomize how well optometry works to invest in its future.

**VOLUNTEERS**

The Foundation is indebted to all of our wonderful supporters, volunteers and staff who provide either their time or an auction item to make this annual event a huge success. Thank you all!

**Ezell Fellows at booth:**
Eda Altiok, Tatiana Ecoiffier, Pablo de Gracia, Alex Hui, Kevin Ivers, Carolina Kunnen, Negar Babaei Omali, Daniel Powell, Andrew Pucker, Aaron Sullivan, Preethi Thiagarajan, William Tuten

**Special thanks to our exceptional annual meeting team:**
John Black, Jenny Brown, Randy Consla, Kristina Dalton, Susan Eger, Fran & Dan Goldman, Roberta Hopkins, Alyse Kirsch, Barb Klemm, Ann Light, Steve Marlin, Telia Miller, Chhay T’ying, Doug White, and Kurt & Nina Zadnik. Special thanks to Kelsie Marty, AOF assistant, for her award winning personality.

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**CELEBRATION LUNCHEON**

280 Foundation supporters celebrated the 2012 award recipients and honored the contributors and sponsors who make the Foundation the leading sponsor of optometric education, research, and leadership.
ACADEMY 2012 PHOENIX

FOSTERING THE NEXT GENERATION

During Academy Phoenix, several AOF Board members and staff joined with prominent industry sponsors to welcome the 2012 William C. Ezell Fellows. Against the backdrop of a local eatery, the Ezell Fellows mixed with leaders to learn more about the honor of being an Ezell and how they can pay it forward while gaining valuable opportunities to present their research and improve their networking skills.

CELEBRATING CONSISTENT GIVING

For the second year, the Foundation is overjoyed to identify individuals who support our activities on an ongoing basis. At Academy 2012 Phoenix special pins were presented to individuals with 10 or more years of consecutive giving to the Foundation. A total of 31 supporters were recognized, including 26 with 15 years of continued support.

15-Year Consecutive Donors
Tony and Elna Adams
Richard Baker
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Karla and Kurt Zadnik

10-Year Consecutive Donors
James Saviola
Gunilla Haegerström-Portnoy & Robert Portnoy
Jeffrey Magun
Sam Quintero

CELEBRATING THE PAST

Members had an opportunity to relive past accomplishments and raise funds for foundation programs when Academy Past President, Bob Newcomb, signed copies of the new book he co-authored with Academy Past President, Mark Eger, The History of the American Academy of Optometry: 1987 - 2010 at the AOF Exhibit Booth during Academy Phoenix.
BARR FUND CREATED

A highlight at the Foundation Celebration Luncheon in Phoenix was the announcement of plans for a new fund to honor Dr. Joseph T. Barr in recognition of his extraordinary contributions to optometry and contact lenses. Many members of the Academy consider Joe to be an exceptional mentor and role model for our profession. Joe has worked as an academic, researcher, clinician and most recently in industry. During his years at The Ohio State University College of Optometry, a significant number of students and colleagues were fortunate enough to benefit from his teaching and research. During this time Joe also served as Chair of the Section on Cornea and Contact Lenses, as Editor of Contact Lens Spectrum and became well known by clinicians and researchers around the globe. Leading donors will be working with the Foundation Board of Directors and Joe to discuss the nature of awards from the fund, but it is expected to support trainees in areas of optometry close to Joe’s oversized heart! $50,000 has already been pledged or donated.

IRV BORISH REMEMBERED

After a brief illness, Irvin M. Borish, OD, FAAO, passed away on Saturday, March 3, 2012 at the age of 99. Dr. Borish became a Fellow of the Academy in 1940. The Borish Ezell Fellowship Fund was initially established in 2007 with more than $100,000 contributed by Dr. Borish. Essilor contributed $130,000 to take the total to the level required to endow an Ezell Fellowship. In honor of Dr. Borish’s passing, Essilor donated an additional $25,000.

JILL AND GEORGE MERTZ FELLOWSHIP ESTABLISHED

The Jill and George Mertz Fellowship celebrates former American Optometric Foundation President George Mertz and his wife Jill. Both passed away too soon. Jill’s estate and George’s colleagues created a substantial fund to honor their commitment to optometry and education. A $30,000 Mertz Fellowship will be awarded in 2013 to support travel to another institution to conduct a period of study. Optometrists at any stage of their career were eligible to apply. The Mertz Fellowship can support an individual who has recently completed his/her training or someone in the middle of a successful career.

ED WALKER (1928 – 2012)

Immediately following his attendance at Academy 2012 Phoenix, 50-year Academy Fellow Dr. Ed Walker passed away on October 29, 2012. Ed was a big supporter of lifelong learning and cherished the yearly opportunity to renew friendships with his peers and share bits of wisdom to new Fellows. The Foundation family was pleased that Ed could be recognized at the AOF Celebration Luncheon with his 15-year continuous donor pin. He is survived by his wife, long-time Academy Fellow Dr. Judy Clay.

To lend your support and learn more about the funds listed in Foundation News access the AOF online donation website at: www.aaopt.org/AOF/Donate
Mariana Garcia, BS
University of California, Berkeley
School of Optometry
Research focus:
A synthetic, injectable, customiz-
able, and biodegradable polymer
for myopia control

Preethi Thiagarajan, BS Optom, MS, FAAO
SUNY College of Optometry
Research focus:
Oculomotor rehabilitation in
mild traumatic brain injury

I sincerely thank the American Optometric Foun-
dation for announcing me as an Ezell Fellow for
2012-2013, funded by the American Academy of
Optometry. I am very glad that my work has been
recognized. Receiving this fellowship is indeed a
great motivation to pursue my academic career. I
am deeply honored and very proud to be a part of
this elite group.

Alcon Foundation Ezell Fellow

I am grateful to the Ezell fellowship program and
to the Alcon Foundation for continuing to support
early career researchers. I am honored to be a part
of the Ezell tradition. This fellowship is valuable
not only because of its financial assistance but also
because it opens doors to new networking oppor-
tunities and professional relationships.

American Academy of Optometry Ezell Fellow

2012 William C. Ezell Fellows

In 1947, inspired by the need to advance optometric research and education, William C. Ezell
founded the American Optometric Foundation (AOF). As a means to fulfill his vision, AOF
established the William C. Ezell Fellowship, which to this day continues to provide financial
support to graduate students enrolled in a full-time program of study and training in
vision-related research that leads to a Master’s or PhD degree. Thirteen outstanding
individuals were selected to join this elite group in 2012.
AAO Section on Cornea, Contact Lenses & Refractive Technologies Ezell Fellow

Alex Hui, OD
University of Waterloo, School of Optometry & Vision Science

Research focus:
Novel silicone hydrogel materials for pharmaceutical delivery

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to the American Optometric Foundation and the AAO Section on Cornea, Contact Lenses & Refractive Technologies for their generous support of the Ezell Fellowship. It is a great honor to have been chosen as an Ezell Fellow, and the selection will serve as continued motivation in my pursuit of positive contributions to optometry and vision science research.

Bausch + Lomb Ezell Fellow

Negar Babaei Omali, BOptom
University of New South Wales

Research focus:
Determination of tear deposition and its effect on bacterial adhesion to silicone hydrogel contact lenses

I am truly grateful and honored to be awarded the William C. Ezell Fellowship by the American Optometric Foundation. I would like to give my sincere thanks and appreciation to American Optometric Foundation and Bausch + Lomb for generously sponsoring my award. I am absolutely thrilled to be a member of Ezell family, whose contributions have advanced optometric research and education. This award is a great source of encouragement for my future career and provides an opportunity for me to achieve my goals as a researcher, educator, and clinician.

Irvin M. Borish – Essilor Ezell Fellow

Tatiana Ecoiffier, MSB, PhD
University of California, Berkeley
School of Optometry

Research focus:
Investigation of corneal neo-vascularization mechanisms

I am honored and deeply grateful to be awarded the William C. Ezell Fellowship by the American Optometric Foundation for a third time and would like to sincerely thank the Irvin M. Borish Estate and Essilor for their generous support. Being part of this elite group is tremendous encouragement for me to strive for excellence in my future career as an accomplished researcher as well as a passionate instructor. It certainly reinforces my aspiration to make vision science a field where eye doctors, researchers, and patients work hand in hand to promote ocular health.
Irvin M. Borish - Essilor Ezell Fellow

William Scott Tuten, OD, MS  
*University of California, Berkeley  
School of Optometry*

**Research focus:** Establishing high-resolution structure-function relationships in retinal disease with adaptive optics scanning laser ophthalmoscopy

I am honored and humbled to receive the William C. Ezell Fellowship from the American Optometric Foundation. A quick glance at the list of previous recipients reveals a veritable “Who’s Who” of optometric researchers, and I am thrilled to join this year’s group of clinicians and scientists endeavoring to continue that legacy. I am grateful to the Irvin M. Borish Estate and Essilor for their support as I pursue my goal of becoming an independent clinician-scientist.

Mike Daley - Essilor Ezell Fellow

Pablo de Gracia, BS Optom, MSc, FAAO  
*Complutense University of Madrid – School of Optics and Optometry, Spain*

**Research Focus:** Developing better solutions for presbyopia and testing the processes of neural adaptation following the prescription of these new corrections

I would like to thank the American Optometric Foundation and Essilor for their continuous support. I am really honored at being this year’s Mike Daley Ezell Fellow. Being the first Spanish researcher to be honored with an Ezell Fellowship is a tremendous asset for my future career. It has been a great pleasure to start to become part of the family of the American Academy of Optometry and I want to thank its Foundation for bestowing this opportunity. I will strive to honor this fellowship during my future career.

Merton C. Flom Leadership Ezell Fellow

Andrew D. Pucker, OD, MS, FAAO  
*The Ohio State University  
College of Optometry*

**Research focus:** Mechanotransduction in the ciliary muscle.

It is an honor to have been selected to be the Merton C. Flom Leadership Ezell Fellow. It is gratifying to know that my efforts have been recognized by our premier academic organization. This support and recognition will undoubtedly help me form new collaborations, obtain new scholarly achievements, and better serve my profession by introducing me to new and more challenging leadership opportunities.
Carolina M.E. Kunnen, BOptom, BApSc  
University of New South Wales  
Research Focus:  
The influence of meibomian gland morphology and function on ocular comfort in contact lens wear

Aaron Barton Sullivan, MS  
University of California, Berkeley School of Optometry  
Research Focus:  
Molecular factors involved in traversal of the corneal epithelium by invasive strains of *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* in contact lens wearing eyes

Kevin M. Ivers, BS  
University of Houston, College of Optometry  
Research focus:  
High-resolution longitudinal examination of the lamina cribrosa and optic nerve head in living non-human primates with experimental glaucoma

I would like to give my heartfelt thanks to the American Optometric Foundation and Dr. Michael Harris for awarding me the prestigious Ezell Fellowship. My pride at being one of the recipients of this award is immense, and it has given me the inspiration to passionately continue researching in the field of optometry so that I can aspire to make a worthwhile and sincere contribution to the optometric profession in the future. Being awarded the fellowship has encouraged me to strive to grow as an educator and researcher, to ultimately share my ever-expanding knowledge with eye care professionals worldwide.

I would like to extend my most sincere gratitude to the American Optometric Foundation and in particular Merck for their very generous contribution to the Ezell Fellowship and choosing me as an awardee. It has always been my goal to take my research from the bench top to the bedside, and with the AOF and Merck I am able to travel to conferences to make connections and be part of the most cutting edge eye research in the world. The AOF meeting in Phoenix was particularly helpful as it brought me in contact with many clinicians and helped me understand contact lens-related eye infections. Also I would like to thank Merck on my son Gavin’s behalf, because with their help I can be at the top of my field and be a providing father.

I am honored to have received the William C. Ezell Fellowship and generous financial support from the Optometric Glaucoma Society. In receiving this award and the accompanying travel grants to the American Academy of Optometry and the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology annual meetings where I can share my work, learn, and forge collaborations with other research scientists, the Ezell is already providing me with opportunities that will enrich my scientific and professional development in academia.
I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the American Academy of Optometry and VISTAKON for their Visionary support in awarding me with the William C. Ezell Fellowship. Our eyes are our window to the world, shaping who we are. Diseases causing vision loss are on the rise, and many scientific questions regarding their mechanisms remain unanswered. The William C. Ezell Fellowship will arm me with the power and confidence to go forth and uncover answers to these dire questions.

Receiving the Ezell Fellowship and becoming a member of an elite group of distinguished vision scientists and scholars is a tremendous honor. My heartfelt appreciation goes to the American Optometric Foundation and VISTAKON for selecting and sponsoring me as an Ezell Fellow and to my advisor, Dr. Heather Chandler, for her encouragement and wisdom. The recognition and financial support will undoubtedly benefit my PhD research and assist in achieving my career ambitions as an optometric educator and researcher.
Since its inception, the William C. Ezell Fellowship program has honored and supported many of the finest minds in optometry. The accumulated wealth of knowledge obtained through their work has had far reaching effects on the profession and their leadership continues as a guiding force to future educators, researchers and administrators. These pages salute those individuals.

(*denotes current Ezell Fellows and names in bold indicate Ezell Club donors; Red, new member)

Anthony J. Adams
Deborah Adler-Grinberg
Arthur Afanador
Philip Aitsebaomo
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Dale Allen
Eda Islil Altiok*
John F. Amos
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Roger S. Anderson
Raymond Applegate
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Carolina M.E. Kunnen*
Patrick Ladge
Vasudevan
Lakshminarayanan
Ben C. Lane
Ellen Lee
American Academy of Optometry
Ezell Fellows

2006: Charlotte Joslin
2007: Jason Ng
2008: Patrick Scott
2009: Dean VanNasdale
2010: Ava Bittner
2011: Juan "Jenny" Huang
2012: Preethi Thiagarajan

American Academy of Optometry
Section on Cornea, Contact Lenses & Refractive Technologies Ezell Fellows

2003: Melissa Bailey
2004: Loretta Szczotka-Flynn
2005: David A. Berntsen
2007: Jessica Horne Mathew
2008: Eric Ritchey
2010: Nicole Ann Carn"t
2011: Andrew Pucker
2012: Alex Hui

Irvin M. Borish/Essilor Ezell Fellows

2007: Tracy Nguyen
2008: Dean VanNasdale
2009: Tihomira Petkova
2010: Juan "Jenny" Huang
2011: Pablo de Gracia
2012: Tatiana Ecolli & William Scott Tuten

Merton C. Flom Ezell Fellows

2009: Bradley Dougherty
2011: Nicole Ann Carn"t
2012: Andrew D. Pucker

Michael G. Harris Ezell Fellows

2010: Shilpa Register
2011: Kristine Dalton
2012: Carolina M. E. Kunnen

George W. Mertz Ezell Fellows

2005: Loretta Szczotka-Flynn
2006: Jennifer Choo
2007: Lakshman Subbaraman
2008: Wendy Harrison
2009: Maria Markoulli

Optometric Glaucoma Society
Ezell Fellow

2008: Joe Wheat
2010: Nimesh Patel
2011: Nimesh Patel
2012: Kevin M. Ivers
BETA SIGMA KAPPA FELLOWSHIPS
The American Optometric Foundation, in collaboration with Beta Sigma Kappa (BSK) is pleased to announce the first AOF-BSK Grant recipients. The BSK Research Fellowship program supports two resident or faculty members each year whose academic curiosity leads them to seek answers to questions covering a wide area of vision science, clinical practice, or eye-related public health.

Patrick A. Scott, OD, PhD, FAAO
University of Louisville School of Medicine
*Morphological characterization of photoreceptor degeneration in a swine model of retinitis pigmentosa*

Daniel Powell, OD, MS
The Ohio State University College of Optometry
*Assessment of tear film and ocular surface alterations in cigarette smokers*

DOUGLAS W. HOPKINS PRIMARY CARE RESIDENCY AWARD
The Douglas Hopkins Residency Award is intended to promote the practice and development of the field of primary care optometry by providing incentive and support to talented optometric residents who demonstrate a passion and commitment to practice, research, and education in primary care.

Selected by the American Optometric Foundation as the recipient of the first Douglas W. Hopkins Primary Care Residency Award:

Laura Ashley “L.A.” Lossing, OD, MS
White River Junction Veterans Administration, VT
2011 Graduate of The Ohio State University College of Optometry

FREDRIC RO SEMORE LOW VISION EDUCATIONAL GRANTS
The Rosemore Low Vision Educational Grants are intended to increase interest and reward excellence in the field of low vision at North American schools and colleges of optometry. The Educational Grants may be used to provide care, to support personnel, to provide equipment, or to fill any other need in the field of low vision identified by the institution and consistent with the AOF mission.

David Lewerenz, OD, FAAO
Northeastern State University Oklahoma College of Optometry
*Preparing Student Interns for the Low Vision Rehabilitation Clinical Experience*

Rebecca Kammer, OD, FAAO
Southern California College of Optometry
*Entry to Low Vision Rehabilitation: Student Motivation and Patient Access*

Marc Taub, OD, MS, FAAO
Southern College of Optometry
*Transforming Commercial 21st Century Technology into Assistive Technology for Low Vision Education and Patient Care*
2012 GLENN A. FRY LECTURE AWARD
To recognize a distinguished scientist or clinician for her or his current research contributions. The recipient is invited to present a special paper at the American Academy of Optometry’s Annual Meeting.

Susana T.L. Chung, OD, PhD, FAAO
University of California, Berkeley, School of Optometry

2012 MICHAEL G. HARRIS FAMILY AWARD for EXCELLENCE in OPTOMETRIC EDUCATION
To recognize an optometric educator who has demonstrated ongoing and consistent excellence in the education of optometry students and/or the advancement of optometric education.

Dennis L. Smith, OD, MS, FAAO
Pacific University College of Optometry

Awardee Dennis Smith with Michael Harris at the AOF Celebration Luncheon at Academy 2012 Phoenix

2012 JULIUS F. NEUMUELLER AWARD IN OPTICS
To provide an opportunity for one selected student chosen by his or her dean to attend the Academy annual meeting and submits a 3,000 word paper on one of the following topics: Geometrical Optics; Physical Optics; Ophthalmic Optics; Optics of the Eye.

Kenneth Headington, OD, MS
New England College of Optometry

Kenneth Headington receives the 2012 Julius F. Neumueller Award from Foundation President Cathie Amos.

2012 ANTOINETTE M. MOLINARI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
A scholarship designated to assist an exceptional student who has proven leadership, service, and academic skills and satisfies the financial requirements of the program. The student must hold a 3.5 or higher grade point average at the time of application.

Kasie Jean Rust
Pacific University College of Optometry

2012 VINCENT SALIENRO SCHOLARSHIP
This rotating scholarship is awarded to the student chosen by the faculty as most deserving financially and educationally. The scholarship is renewed through the student’s fourth year of optometry school, provided that the student remains in good standing and maintains a 3.0 grade point average or higher for all course work in optometry school.

Isabella Yu
University of California, Berkeley, School of Optometry

Troy Mysliwiec
The Ohio State University College of Optometry

Anik Milliard
University of Montreal, School of Optometry
RESEARCH AND EDUCATION SUPPORT

2012 VISTAKON® INNOVATION IN EDUCATION GRANTS

To elevate the standards and advance the teaching skills of optometric faculty with a focus to improve how information is delivered to students, to promote new methodologies, and to increase the use of new technology in all teaching settings as well as promote online learning tools.

Efrain Castellanos, OD, MS
Western University College of Optometry
The Use of Online Resources to Improve Significant Learning

Lisa W. Christian, OD, FAAO and Sarah MacIver, OD, FAAO
University of Waterloo, School of Optometry & Vision Science
Evaluation of Interprofessional Collaboration and Education in Optometry

Len V. Hua, PhD, OD, FAAO
Pacific University College of Optometry
Integration of Hybrid Learning in Pharmacology

Kierstyn Ann Napier-Dovorany, OD, FAAO and Jasmine Yumori, OD, FAAO
Western University College of Optometry
Evaluating the Effectiveness of iPads as Learning Tool in a Small Group Learning Context

Shilpa J. Register, OD, MS, PhD, FAAO
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences School of Optometry
Interprofessional Education and Teamwork Across Disciplines

Faheemah Saeed, OD, FAAO
Illinois College of Optometry
Student Engagement in Geometric Optics

2012 VISTAKON® RESEARCH GRANTS

To support basic or clinical research in the area of soft disposable contact lenses.

Pete Kollbaum, OD, PhD, FAAO
Indiana University School of Optometry
The visual impact of spherical aberration in the presence of lens decentration induced aberration

Yvonne Wu, BOptom, MPH, PhD, FAAO and Suzanne Fleiszig, OD, PhD, FAAO
University of California, Berkeley, School of Optometry
The impact of ocular surface factors on virulence factor expression within Pseudomonas aeruginosa biofilms on contact lenses.

2012 VISTAKON® RESIDENCY AWARDS

To promote the practice and development of the field of optometry by providing incentive and support to talented optometric residents who demonstrate a passion and commitment to practice, research and education in the field of contact lenses and pediatric vision

GEORGE W. MERTZ CONTACT LENS RESIDENCY AWARDS
Monica Roy, OD, MPH, FAAO
The Ohio State University College of Optometry

Natalie C. Santelli, OD
Oregon Health & Sciences University/Casey Eye Institute

SHELDON WECHSLER CONTACT LENS RESIDENCY AWARDS
Cherie Nau, OD
Davis Duehr Dean Eye Care, Illinois College of Optometry

Yin-Yin Aung, OD
New England College of Optometry

TERRANCE INGRAHAM PEDIATRIC OPTOMETRY RESIDENCY AWARDS
Elizabeth A. Knighton, OD
University of Houston College of Optometry

Lernik Mesropian, OD
Southern California College of Optometry
2012 AWARD OF EXCELLENCE IN CONTACT LENS PATIENT CARE

To recognize outstanding fourth-year student clinicians who have demonstrated excellence in contact lens patient care during their optometric education.

- Erik Mothersbaugh | Illinois College of Optometry
- Sunni D. Stewart | Indiana University School of Optometry
- Lulu Massri | Inter American University of Puerto Rico School of Optometry
- Andrea T. Sewell | Michigan College of Optometry at Ferris State University
- Crystal Meyer | New England College of Optometry
- Rosita Ghazanfari | Northeastern State University Oklahoma College of Optometry
- Ernesto Cepero | Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry
- Chad M. Rosen | Pacific University College of Optometry
- Sara Ann Bierwerth | Pennsylvania College of Optometry at Salus University
- Jared Jaynes | Southern California College of Optometry
- Meredith Rhodes | Southern College of Optometry
- Olga Pikus | State University of New York College of Optometry
- Mallory Kuchem | The Ohio State University College of Optometry
- Patricia Marie Fulmer | University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Optometry
- Hector Duenas | University of California, Berkeley, School of Optometry
- Casey Johnston | University of Houston College of Optometry
- Melissa M. Schmidt | University of Missouri - St. Louis College of Optometry
- Claudine Courey | University of Montreal School of Optometry
- Katrina Kolozetti | University of Waterloo School of Optometry

2012 J. PAT CUMMINGS FELLOWSHIP

To recognize outstanding third-year student clinicians who best exemplify ideal eye care standards of practice.

- Samantha Rice | Illinois College of Optometry
- J. Alex Jones | Indiana University School of Optometry
- Rakesh Lakhani | Inter American University of Puerto Rico School of Optometry
- Krystal Michels | Michigan College of Optometry at Ferris State University
- Amanda Jean Miskewicz | Midwestern University Arizona College of Optometry
- Debi Sarma | New England College of Optometry
- Clayton Tyler Boyd | Northeastern State University Oklahoma College of Optometry
- Sara Berke-Silva | Nova Southeastern University College of Optometry
- Natalie Chai | Pacific University College of Optometry
- James Deom | Pennsylvania College of Optometry at Salus University
- Harissa A. Michael | Southern California College of Optometry
- Katie Kerr-Niermann | Southern College of Optometry
- Tracy S. Voegeli | State University of New York College of Optometry
- Milda Bandza | The Ohio State University College of Optometry
- Catherine Lea Coleman | University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Optometry
- Gina Siri | University of California, Berkeley, School of Optometry
- Brady Betten | University of Houston College of Optometry
- Emily Pike | University of Missouri - St. Louis College of Optometry
- Michele Arthurs | University of Montreal School of Optometry
- Linh Phan | University of the Incarnate Word Rosenberg School of Optometry
- Sophia Leung | University of Waterloo School of Optometry
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