

# FRCS Ophthalmology Refresher Course

**September 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> 2018**

Laxmi Eye Institute

Panvel, Mumbai

Aimed at orienting prospective candidates towards the nuances of the FRCS examinations, covering:

- The examination philosophy
- Clinical techniques to master
- Important theoretical concepts

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**Interactive discussions**

**"Hands-on" sessions**

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**Mock vivas**

**Before and After Quiz**

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**Course Fee: Rs. 5,000/- for Indian Candidates  
(inclusive of 18% GST)**

**USD 200 for International Candidates**

**LIMITED TO FIRST 25 APPLICANTS**

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## Day 1 – 19<sup>th</sup> August

Time	Agenda	Faculty
09:00-09:30	Introduction	
09:30-10:00	Slide Quiz	
10:00-11:00	Anterior Segment examination	Dr Abhishek Hoshing
11:00-12:00	Neuro ophthalmic Examination	Dr Rashmin Gandhi
12:00-12:30	Retina Examination	Dr Devendra Venkatramani
12:30-1:00		Dr Sabyasachi Sengupta
1:00-2:00	Lunch Break	
2:00-3:00	Proptosis and Ptosis	Dr Ashok K Grover
3:00-5:00	Investigations and Surgery Interactive	All
5:00-5:30	ExamPhilosophica	

## Day 2 – 20<sup>th</sup> August

Time	Agenda	Faculty
08:30-09:30	Approach to squint	Dr K Ravishankar
09:30 to 11:00	Mock Viva (batch-wise) 1. Ophthalmic Medicine 2. Ophthalmic Surgery and Pathology 3. General Medicine and Neurology	Dr Rashmin Gandhi Dr Devendra Venkatramani Dr Ashok K Grover Dr K Ravishankar Dr Sabyasachi Sengupta Dr Mrudula Bhawe Dr Vijay Shetty
11:00 to 1:00	Patients 'Hands-on' (batch-wise) 1. Anterior Segment 2. Posterior Segment 3. Neuro ophthalmic and Ocular Motility Disorders 4. Oculoplastic and Lid Disorders	Dr Rashmin Gandhi Dr Devendra Venkatramani Dr Ashok K Grover Dr Muralidhar Dr Sabyasachi Sengupta Dr Mrudula Bhawe Dr Vijay Shetty
1:00 to 2:00	Lunch Break	
2:00 to 2:30	Slide Quiz	
2:30 to 4:00	Theory Examination, FRCOphth Experience	Dr Sabyasachi Sengupta

# Faculty



**Dr. Rashmin Gandhi FRCS(Ed), FRCS(GI)** has done his FRCS from the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh as well as the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Glasgow and underwent Neuro ophthalmology training at Wilmer Eye Institute, Johns Hopkins University, USA. He has worked as Director of the SankaraNethralaya Academy and is adjunct faculty at IIT-Madras. He has conducted outreach programs in Zambia, Kenya, Botswana and South Africa.



**Padmashri Dr Ashok K Grover MD (AIIMS), MNAMS, FRCS(GI)** is a world-renowned oculoplastic surgeon and Chairman, Department of Ophthalmology, Sir Ganga Ram Hospital and Vision Eye Centre in New Delhi. He has served many professional societies in the top capacity, including the AIOS, OPAL and APSOPRS. He is passionate about medical education, and is an examiner for the FRCS Glasgow examination.



**Dr Devendra Venkatramani DNB, FRCS(GI), MRCS(Ed), FICO** is a consultant retinal surgeon at Laxmi Eye Institute, Panvel. He did his DNB from SankaraNethralaya, Chennai, where he was adjudged the Best Outgoing Student. He completed a fellowship in retinal and vitreous surgery from L V Prasad Eye Institute, Hyderabad. He has successfully cleared the FRCS Glasgow and MRCS Edinburgh examinations as well as the Advanced ICO Examination.



**Dr Muralidhar MD (AIIMS), DNB, FRCS(GI), MRCO** graduated from JIPMER, Pondicherry, did his FRCS from the Royal College of Surgeons, Glasgow and MRCO from Royal college of Ophthalmologists. He has been actively involved in academics in paediatric ophthalmology and strabismus at The Eye Foundation, SankaraNethralaya and Aravind Eye Hospital. He also has many publications and presentations.



**Dr Sabyasachi Sengupta DO, DNB, FRCS(GI), FICO** is a retinal surgeon and the former Head of Research at the Aravind Eye Hospital, Pondicherry. He has been awarded the McCartney prize for the FRCO (part 1) examination, the Dr G Venkatasamy gold medal for the DNB, and is a prolific researcher and author. He is the director of the Sengupta Research academy, an e-learning platform for clinical research.



**Dr Mrudula Bhave DOMS, FRCS(GI)** graduated from Shivaji University, Kolhapur, and subsequently did her post graduation from Pune University. She cleared the FRCS examination from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Glasgow in 2009. She underwent special training in LASIK and refractive surgery at major centres in India, and is currently the head of the Refractive Surgery department at Laxmi Eye Institute, Panvel.



**Dr Abhishek Hoshing DNB, FLVPEI** is a consultant cornea surgeon at Laxmi Eye Institute, Panvel, having completed his post-graduation in ophthalmology from CMC, Vellore. He did his fellowship training in Corneal, Refractive, and Anterior Segment Diseases from LV Prasad Eye Institute, Hyderabad, and has numerous publications to his name.

# Venue

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## Payment Details

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Cheques/Demand Draft payable at Panvel, Maharashtra  
in favour of "Laxmi Charitable Trust"  
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**Kindly note: Slots limited to first 25 applicants**

## Accommodation

We regret that accommodation will NOT be arranged by the organizers. A list of nearby hotels and approximate distance from the venue and room rates will be provided on request.