

The 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on  
**Low Vision Research and Rehabilitation**

Florence (Italy), 8-12 September 2025



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**MONDAY, 8 SEPTEMBER 2025**

15:00 18:30	Visual impairment experiences: extra Congress visits
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**TUESDAY, 9 SEPTEMBER 2025**

	AUDITORIUM BASEMENT	ROOM VERDE 2 FLOOR	LIMONAIA GARDEN	ROOM ONICE GROUND FLOOR	ROOM 4 GROUND FLOOR	ROOM 9 GROUND FLOOR
08:30 09:45	<p>Low vision organizations and services: international experiences - Models of vision rehabilitation care worldwide</p> <p>Keynote Lecture: The burden of visual impairment <i>Gianni Virgili</i></p>					
09:45 10:30	Poster Session 1 and coffee break (Exhibition area - Ballatoi)					
10:30 11:00	Institutional Session: Presidents' speech					
11:00 11:15	Switch time					
11:15 12:45	Social impact of vision impairment and refractive error	Course	Course	Course	Optical prescription for low vision	Course
12:45 13:00	Switch time					
13:00 14:15	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium
14:15 14:30	Switch time					
14:30 16:30	<p>Low Vision and the brain: function, plasticity and restoration (part 1)</p> <p>Keynote Lecture: <i>Bernhard Sabel</i></p>	Miscellanea or abstract topic about (Part 1)	European Society of Low Vision Research and Rehabilitation (ESLRR) Session	<p>Part 1: From frustration to success: support with healthcare patient portals for low vision patients</p> <p>Part 2: From dis-satisfaction to success: transitioning from over-the-counter to prescribed visual aids</p>	South America low vision symposium	Low Vision Academy - PRISMA round table
16:30 17:15	Poster Session 1 and coffee break (Exhibition area - Ballatoi)					
17:15 18:45	Myopia: mechanisms and strategies to slow down its progression (defocusing, red light and new technologies)	Outcome measures in vision restoration clinical trials	Low vision and the brain: function, plasticity and restoration (Part 2)	Miscellanea or abstract topic about (Part 2)	How assistive technology could change O&M education on practice	Diagnostic, therapy and visual rehabilitation in glaucoma and optic diseases
18:45 19:15	Opening ceremony					
19:15 19:45	Welcome Reception					

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**WEDNESDAY, 10 SEPTEMBER 2025**

	AUDITORIUM BASEMENT	ROOM VERDE 2 FLOOR	LIMONAIA GARDEN	ROOM ONICE GROUND FLOOR	ROOM 4 GROUND FLOOR	ROOM 9 GROUND FLOOR
08:30 09:45	Pediatric visual rehabilitation	Brain injury or Rehabilitation for homonymous visual field defects	Miscellanea or abstract topic about (Part 3)	Session to be defined	Low vision Academy round table	Neurovisual rehabilitation: more to examine than meets the eye
09:45 10:30	Poster Session 2 and coffee break (Exhibition area - Ballatoi)					
10:30 12:45	Beyond the current technological frontiers and visual rehabilitation: low vision hi-tech  The A.I. for prevention of the blindness and low vision  Keynote Lecture <i>Keane Pearce</i>					
12:45 13:00	Switch time					
13:00 14:15	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium
14:15 14:30	Switch time					
14:30 16:45	The path to deeper visual re-modulation					
16:45 17:30	Poster Session 2 and coffee break (Exhibition area - Ballatoi)					
17:30 18:45	Driving with low vision: insights from diverse research methods	Technological approaches to vision restoration: bionic vision, gene therapy and beyond	Vision rehabilitation for the visually impaired: overcoming challenges	Miscellanea or abstract topic about (Part 4)	Telerehabilitation for low vision: reading outcomes with magnification aids	Neurovisual rehabilitation A - Prevalence, screening and assessment of neurovisual disorders

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**THURSDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER 2025**

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08:30 09:45	Diagnosis and rehabilitation in low vision	Reading with low vision	Miscellanea or abstract topic about (Part 5)	Functionality and usability of assistive technology for people with vision impairment	Selected topics in congenital and early-onset deafblindness	Neurovisual Rehabilitation B - Rehabilitation of visual disorders after acquired brain disease
09:45 10:30	Poster Session 3 and coffee break (Exhibition area - Ballatoi)					
10:30 12:45	Using your visually impaired eye better: strategies for correct visual rehabilitation  Clinical pearls for a successful low vision rehabilitation Keynote Lecture: <i>Donald C. Fletcher</i>					
12:45 13:00	Switch time					
13:00 14:15	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium	Industry Symposium
14:15 14:30	Switch time					
14:30 16:45	Improve the perception: neurocognitive dynamics in visual impairment and neuromodulation  Reading disorders due to lesions along the visual pathway Keynote Lecture: <i>Susanne Trauzettel-Klosinsky</i>					
16:45 17:30	Poster Session 3 and coffee break (Exhibition area - Ballatoi)					
17:30 18:45	Awards session	Intraocular and extraocular solutions for low vision	Microperimetry from research to clinical applications	Enhancing visual function and promoting accessibility	Deafblindness across the life-span	Molecular genetics and visual rehabilitation in inherited retinal diseases (IRDs)

**FRIDAY, 12 SEPTEMBER 2025**

08:30 13:00	Visual impairment experiences: extra Congress visits
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