

# **CE Courses Approved by the Georgia Board of Dispensing Opticians**

## **Career Progression Program**

### **COMPANIES & COURSES APPROVED FOR THE INTERNET: (per nationals)**

Quantum Optical: [www.quantumoptical.com](http://www.quantumoptical.com)

Creating a Successful Safety Business – 2 hours – ABO

Evaluating the Financial Viability of Managed Vision Care- 1 hour- ABO

Making Sense Out of Home Safety – 1 hour- ABO

Verifying Finished Eye care – 2 Hours – ABO

Optical Training Institute: [www.opticaltraining.com](http://www.opticaltraining.com)

Advanced Techniques- 2 hours- NCLE

Anatomical Considerations – 2 hours – NCLE

Anatomy & Physiology – 2 hours- ABO

Anti-Reflection Coating – 2 hours – ABO

Basic Contact Lens Design – 2 hours - NCLE

Basic Optical Principles – 2 hours – ABO

Color Vision – 2 hours – ABO

Computer Vision Syndrome – Presbyopia & Dry Eye – 2 hours – ABO

Computer Vision Syndrome- The Work Environment – 2 hours – ABO

Contact Lens Instrumentation/The Keratometer & Slit Lamp- 2 hours-NCLE

Fitting & Verification – 2 hours- NCLE

Instrumentation/Regulations & Standards – 2 hours – ABO

Introduction to Low Vision – 3 hours – ABO

Lens Form & Analysis – 2 hours- ABO

Lens Materials & Coatings/Multifocal Designs – 2 hours – ABO

Modification & Delivery – 2 hours – ABO

Ophthalmic Frames – 2 hours- ABO

Optical Principles of Contact Lenses – 2 hours – NCLE

Pediatric Vision Disorders – 2 hours – ABO

Photo chromic Lenses – 2 hours – ABO

Polarized Lenses – 2 hours – ABO

Polycarbonate Lenses – 2 hours – ABO

RGP Fitting & Evaluation – 2 hours – NCLE

RGP Lens Alterations – 2 hours - NCLE

# ALLIED OPHTHALMIC PROFESSIONAL (AOP) PROGRAM-APPROVALS

Office Staff, Ophthalmic Technicians, Opticians, Paraoptometrics

## Georgia State Board of Dispensing Opticians

Georgia State Board of Dispensing Opticians Approvals for SECO International 2007

Course #	Course Title	Hours
700	Slit Lamp Exam: Your Window to the Eye	1
702	Ocular Emergencies	1
703	The Solution May be the Solution	2
704	Frame Inventory Management	2
705	Frame Board Management	1
706	When to Refer	1
707	Basic Lensometry Principles	1
708	The People Puzzle	1
711	Bifocals Versus Monovision the Dilemma	1
715	When a Contact Lens Wearer Needs Spectacles	1
716	Optical Math	1
717	What Makes Eyeglasses Fit Badly	1
718	Motivating People	1
720	Collections at Time of Service	1
722	The Incredible Eye: Anatomy and Physiology	2
723	Evaluate, Differentiate & Recommend Today's Lenses	2
724	Optical Ethics	1
725	Fitting the Generations in Eyewear	1
726	Anatomy & Physiology	1
729	Dispersion	1
730	CPR of Your Life: Commitments, Promises, Results	2
732	Telephone Triage	1
734	How to be a Better Contact Lens Technician	2
735	Displays That Say Bling!	1
736	Ten Expert Dispensing Tips You Should Know	1
740	Formula for Progressive Success	1
741	Ultimate Visual Acuity With AR	1
743	What's New in Low Vision	2
744	An Overview of Spanish for Eye Care	2
745	Troubleshooting Contact Lens Problems	1
747	Telephone the Lifeline to Your Practice	1
748	The Material World: User's Guide to High Index Lens Materials	1
750	The Aging Eye: Basic Principles of Geriatric Care	1
752	Anatomy and Physiology (Repeat)	1
753	Color My World: Everything You Need to Know About Vision	1
754	Cultural Diversity	2
755	Contact Lens Follow-Up	2
756	AIDS for the Optical Profession	1
757	All in a Day's Work	1
758	Visual Screening of Special Populations	1
759	The Optic Eye-Q Quiz	1
760	The Patient Work-Up	2
761	Finding Uncommon Solutions for Upcoming Rx's	2

762	Minding Your Ps and Qs: Package Pricing	1
763	No Lifeguard on Duty Live at Your Own Risk	1
764	Bits, Bytes and Bifocals	1
765	Survival of the Fitter	1
766	Professional Image Making: A Reflection on You	2
768	The Secret Pill: Can You Take It?	1
769	How to Recommend and Dispense Sports Eyewear	1
771	Fitting Irregular Corneas with High DK GP Lenses	1
772	Improving Compliance by Teaching CL Patients Like Adults	1
773	Photochromic Lens	1
776	Custom Wavefront Technology: Revolution of the Future	1
777	Management of Irregular Astigmatism with Contact Lenses	2
779	The High Tech Dispensary	1
780	The Best Kept Secrets of Successful Practices	2
782	Topography and Wavefront: Concepts and Applications	1
784	Improving Communication Through Superiative Questioning Skills	2
787	Spectacle Fitting	1
788	Basic Soft Contact Lens Fitting and Follow-up	1
789	Telephone Triage (Repeat)	1
790	Business Management	2
792	Juggling, Plate Spinning and Desk Efficiencies	1
793	Frame Inventory Management (Repeat)	2
794	GP Multifocal Contacts Versus Glasses	1
795	Chair-side Scribing (Repeat)	1
796	Twenty-five Ways to Improve Customer Satisfaction	2
797	Delivering Red Carpet Service	2
798	Achieve Extraordinary Results with Upset Patients	1
799	The Evolution of Toric Soft Lens Fitting	1
802	HIV/AIDS and the Ocular Professional	1
803	Computerize Your Optical Dispensary	1
804	Soft Multifocal Contact Lens Design and Fitting	1
805	Ocular Emergencies (Repeat)	1
806	Vision Correction for Water Sports	1
807	Increase Office Efficiency Without Cutting Corners	1
808	Computer Eyestrain	1
809	Managed Care And the Optical Business	1
810	Strategies for Improving Soft Contact Lens Comfort	1
811	HIPAA	1
812	How to Manage the Difficult Patient	1
814	21 <sup>st</sup> Century Dispensing Tools	1
815	Disposables and Frequent Replacement Contact Lenses	2
816	How to Create Uniquely Customized Rimless Eyewear	1
817	Dispensing for Comfort and Performance	2
818	Making the Right Contact Lens Selection	2
900	Basic Slit Lamp Workshop	1
901	Visual Acuity Workshop	1
902	Basic Lensometry Workshop	1
903	Spectacle Lens Fitting Workshop	1
904	Basic Slit Lamp Workshop (Repeat)	1

905	Lensometer Workshop: Working with Prism	1
906	Eye Dissection Workshop	1
908	Basic Ophthalmic and Optometric Assisting Workshop	1
909	Workshop	2
911	Advanced Lensometry	1
912	Contact Lens Insertion and Removal Workshop	1
913	Beginning Your Life in Opticianry: The ABO Review	8
916	Basic Lensometry Workshop (Repeat)	1
917	Eye Dissection Workshop (Repeat)	1
919	Advanced Lensometry Workshop	1
920	Applications for Tinted Contact Lenses Workshop	1
921	Basic Slit Lamp Workshop (Repeat)	1
922	Prism Lensometry Workshop	1
923	Contact Lens Insertion and Removal Workshop (Repeat)	1
925	Basic Lensometry Workshop (Repeat)	1
928	Basic Slit Lamp Workshop (Repeat)	1
929	A Guide to Effectively Writing a Technical Paper	2
930	Frame Adjustment Workshop	1
931	Advanced Slit Lamp Workshop	1
932	Optical Screws Unlimited Workshop	1
933	Basic Lensometry Workshop (Repeat)	1
934	Contact Lens Insertion and Removal Workshop (Repeat)	1
935	Review	8
936	Advanced Lensometry Workshop (Repeat)	1
937	Visual Acuity Workshop (Repeat)	1
939	Prism Lensometry Workshop (Repeat)	1
940	Eye Dissection Workshop (Repeat)	1
941	Basic Slit Lamp Workshop (Repeat)	1
942	Basic Lensometry Workshop (Repeat)	1
943	Frame Adjustment Workshop (Repeat)	1
945	Optical Bench Hand Tools	1

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## Continuing Education (CE) Key Provider List

Contact Lens Society of America	Tina Schott: Seminars	441 Carlisle Avenue Reston, VA 22070	(703) 437-5100 (800) 296-9776
National Academy of Opticianry	Seminars & Internet Courses	<a href="http://www.nao.org">www.nao.org</a>	(301) 577-4828 (800) 229-4828
New England Contact Lens Society	Jeanne Hardwick	190 Sandra Drive E. Hartford, CT 06118	(860) 649-9973
Optical Solutions	Shon Bjornberg-Internet Courses	<a href="http://www.onlinece.com">www.onlinece.com</a>	(805) 492-4404
Optical Training Institute	Gerry Ludwin-Internet Courses	<a href="http://www.opticaltraining.com">www.opticaltraining.com</a>	(949) 551-5455 (800) 726-2657
Opticians Assn. of America	Internet Courses	<a href="http://www.oaa.org">www.oaa.org</a>	(703) 437-8780
Quantum Optical	Mike Della Pesca-Internet Courses	<a href="http://www.quantoumoptical.com">www.quantoumoptical.com</a>	(973)956-2953
Sola International	Mary Eastwood-Internet Courses	<a href="http://www.sola.com">www.sola.com</a>	(707)763-9911
Southwestern Ophth. Disp. Assn.	Sue Reynolds	3530 High Mesa Dallas, TX 75234	(214) 247-5224
*Vision Expo	Judy Weaver	383 Main Avenue Norwalk, CT 06852	(203) 840-5479 (800)811-7151
Vistakon	Internet Courses	<a href="http://www.jnjvision.com">www.jnjvision.com</a>	(800)876-6644
<b>ALABAMA</b>	AL. Soc. Of Dispensing Opticians Norman Clay	1705 Tenth Avenue, SO Birmingham, AL 35205	(205)933-8615
<b>ALASKA</b>	Opticians Association of Alaska Christi Brend	Golden North Optics 201 Old Steese Hwy, Ste 2 Fairbanks, AK 99701	(907)456-4822
<b>ARIZONA</b>	Arizona Association of Dispensing Opt. Jennifer Weisman	440 N. Alvernon, Ste 101 Tucson, AZ 85711	(520)327-6215
<b>ARKANSAS</b>	Arkansas Assn. of Dispensing Opticians Jerry Himes	17 ½ Edgewood Circle West Helena, AR 72390	(870)572-2847
<b>CALIFORNIA</b>	California Assn. of Dispensing Opticians- Richard Heimann	3805 South Lakes Avenue Pasadena, CA 91101	(626)796-0536
<b>COLORADO</b>	Opticians Association of Colorado Darlene Fuchrer	1264 Vaughn Street Aurora, CO 80011	(719)573-9425
<b>CONNECTICUT</b>	Opticians Association of Connecticut Rene Rivard	945B Cromwell Ave, Ste 191 Rocky Hill, CT 06067	(860)416-5128
	Society of Connecticut Opticians Russell Fritz	Fritz & Hawley Vision Ctr. 2313 Whitney Ave Hamden, CT 06518	(203)248-8224
<b>FLORIDA</b>	POF Mark Miller	1947 Greenwood Drive Tallahassee, FL 32303	(850)201-2622
<b>*Must submit each time for approval.</b>	CEDO J.D. Wood	PO Box 2548 Gainesville, FL 32602	(352)378-1277
<b>GEORGIA</b>	Opticians Association of Georgia Joe Reed	PO Box 988502 Gainesville, GA 30154	(770)536-2020
<b>HAWAII</b>	Hawaii Dispensing Opticians Assn. Peter Ackman	1613 Nuuanu Avenue Honolulu, HI 96817	(808)528-5252
<b>IDAHO</b>	Idaho Dispensing Opticians Society Donna Clancy	1223 E Amity Avenue Nampa, ID 83686	(208)465-6585
<b>ILLINOIS</b>	Opticians Association of Illinois Carol Drawve	PO Box 9283 Poooria, IL 61612	(800)437-4476
<b>INDIANA</b>	Opticians Association of Indiana Suzy Parker	919 W Creighton Ft. Wayne, IN 46807	(260)456-8486
<b>IOWA</b>	Opticians Association of Iowa	PO Box 911 Ames, IA 50010	Ron/Charles (515)633-4888 (515)225-8181

<b>KANSAS</b>	Opticians Association of Kansas Ruth Van Pelt	2201 16 <sup>th</sup> Street Great Bend, KS 67530	(620) 792-2020
<b>KENTUCKY</b>	Soc. Of Dispensing Opt. of Kentucky Curt Duff	233 Southpoint Drive Lexington, KY 40515	(859)273-6469
<b>LOUISIANA</b>	LADO Gaye Wilson	3005 Ridgeway Drive Metairie, LA 70010	(504)838-0312
<b>MAINE</b>	Opticians Association of Maine Michele Perkins	6 River Road Norridgewock, ME 04957	(207)778-2245
<b>MARYLAND</b>	Opticians Association of Maryland Donita Dietz	3878 Salem Church Road Jarrettsville, MD 21084	(410) 557-9994
<b>MASSACHUSETTS</b>	Opticians Association of Massachusetts Blair Wong	115 Village Street #6 Medway, MA 02053	(781)533-1419
<b>MICHIGAN</b>	Opticians Association of Michigan Gary Broyles	1940 Theresa Avenue DeWitt, MI 48820	(517)331-1411
<b>MINNESOTA</b>	Minnesota Assn. of Optom & Opticians Susan Sandvig	12910 34 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Ste 101 Plymouth, MN 55441	(612) 362-4353
	Minnesota Contact Lens Society John Cavanaugh	2456 Springdale Drive Maple Wood, MN 55119	(952)993-3852
	Minnesota Optometric Association Susan Church	26 E Exchange St., 5 <sup>th</sup> Floor St. Paul, MN 55101	(651)290-7493
	Minnesota Opticians Society Cindy Teeri	1712 Rio Loma Lane Burnsville, MN 55337	(612)702-6133
<b>MISSISSIPPI</b>	Mississippi Assn. of Dispensing Opt. Julie West	339 Big Lake Road Biloxi, MS 39351	(228)860-1825
<b>MONTANA</b>	Montana Society of Dispensing Opt. Cliff Kendt	2101 Argyle Butte, MT 59701	(406)497-4358
<b>NEBRASKA</b>	Nebraska Society of Dispensing Opt. Norman Kocmick	1422 W Davison Grand Island, NE 68801	(402) 462-9009
<b>NEVADA</b>	Nevada Assn. of Ophth. Dispensing Sherri Gray	1965 Baring Blvd. Sparks, NV 89434	(775)359-9375
	Nevada Assoc. of Dispensing Opticians Kathleen Johnson	1055 Industrial Way Sparks, NV 89431	(775)359-6667
<b>NEW HAMPSHIRE</b>	New Hampshire Opticians Society Joe Serratore	4 Fernwood Place Bow, NH 03304	(603) 228-1106
<b>NEW JERSEY</b>	Opticians Association of New Jersey Patricia Brewer	196 West State Street Trenton, NJ 08608	(609)695-0030
<b>NEW MEXICO</b>	New Mexico Opticians Association Samuel Henderson	6325 Thicket NW Albuquerque, NM 87120	(505)899-0230
<b>NEW YORK</b>	NYSSO John Graziano	48 Howard Street Albany, NY 12207	(518)426-0599
<b>NORTH CAROLINA</b>	North Carolina Opticians Association Russ Tolar	100 Juniper Court Carrboro, NC 27510	(919)968-3937
<b>NORTH DAKOTA</b>	North Dakota Opticians Society Chuck Andrus	PO Box 149 Dickinson, ND 58602	(701) 264-1177
<b>OHIO</b>	Opticians Association of Ohio Tom King	37 W Broad Street, Ste 480 Columbus, OH 43215	(800)661-5367
<b>OKLAHOMA</b>	Oklahoma Opticians Association Terry Furrh	3535 NW 58, #150 Oklahoma City, OK 73112	(405)232-1484
<b>OREGON</b>	Opticians Association of Oregon Debbie Woods	24500 NW Dixie Mount Rd North Plains, OR 97133	(503) 846-9400
<b>PENNSYLVANIA</b>	Opticians Association of Pennsylvania Patricia Gaiko	200 Mifflin Avenue Scranton, PA 18503	(570)342-3145
<b>RHODE ISLAND</b>	Rhode Island Assn. of Reg. Disp. Opt. John Lynch	7661 Post Road North Kingstown, RI 02852	(401) 295-1334
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>	South Carolina Assn. of Opticians	Gosnell Opticians	(864)233-4148

	Dan Gosnell	1946 Augusta Street Greenville, SC 29605	
<b>SOUTH DAKOTA</b>	Opticians Association of South Dakota Angela McConoghy	RR2 Box 145B Madison, SD 57042	(605)256-3070
<b>TENNESSEE</b>	Tennessee Dispensing Opticians Assn. Barbara Spicer	PO Box 4306 Maryville, TN 37802	(865)681-6773
<b>TEXAS</b>	COAT Peter Canovas	6624 Fannin, Suite 130 Houston, TX 77030	(713)795-4862
	Registered Opticians Assoc. of Texas Sam Johnson	Opticianry Services, LTD 1101-B West 40 <sup>th</sup> Street Austin, TX 78756	(512)459-1912
	TOPS Susie Cannon	8140 Barnett Road, Ste 228 Austin, TX 78757	(512)467-2722
<b>UTAH</b>	Utah Optometric Association Peggy Harper	3176 South 400 East Bountiful, UT 84010	(801)322-0467
<b>VERMONT</b>	Opticians Association of Vermont Robert Russo	18 Railroad Street Essex Junction, VT 05452	(802)879-4515
<b>VIRGINIA</b>	Virginia Society of Dispensing Opt. Michelle Jolley	5023 Patterson Avenue Richmond, VA 23226	(804)282-6310
<b>WASHINGTON</b>	Opticians Association of Washington Lisa Whitmore	PO Box 5160 Kent, WA 98064	(253)630-3389
<b>WISCONSIN</b>	Opticians Association of Wisconsin Edmund Wnuczek	4453 N Morris Blvd. Milwaukee, WI 53211	(414) 332-9384
<b>WYOMING</b>	Wyoming Optom. Association Kathryn Gross-Edelman	2717 Murray Street Sioux City, IA 51111	(800)831-2352
	Wyoming Paraoptometric Association Tanya Baures	145 W. 9 <sup>th</sup> Street Casper, WY 82601	(307)235-3144

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