

Candidate: Dr. Angela Kyveris



Biography

Educational background

First graduating with a Bachelor of Science with a minor in biology at the University of Waterloo in 1999, Dr. Angela Kyveris was awarded a NSERC PGS-B and continued her academic career at the same institution with a Master of Science degree in vision science and molecular pharmacology. She then completed her Doctor of Optometry degree with honours, from the University of Waterloo in 2006, and was awarded the prestigious J.C. Thompson Memorial Prize for ranking highest in clinical optometry. Dr. Kyveris furthered her education in the area of ocular disease and therapeutic training with an internship at the Omni Eye Specialists in Baltimore, MD.

For more than 15 years, Dr. Kyveris has been working at LASIK MD as an optometrist, helping people discover the freedom associated with laser vision correction. She also sees patients at Sanderson Optometry, and at Huron Perth Healthcare Alliance in the area of post-cataract surgery and has managed over 50,000 patients.

Accomplishments and awards

In addition to her clinical duties, Dr. Kyveris also lectures part time at the University of Waterloo's School of Optometry and has recently been awarded the Distinguished Instructor

Award. Her work has appeared in publications like Molecular Vision, and she has been invited to lecture at a number of conferences.

Describe an experience where you contributed to protecting the public interest.

While serving on the Huron Perth Local Advisory Committee, I actively participated in the decision-making process regarding a property proposed for use beyond its original purpose. As a committee member, we evaluated the best use of the property for the local community, ensuring our decision aligned with community needs and interests.

CV

Angela Kyveris MSc. OD

EDUCATION

DOCTOR OF OPTOMETRY– Honours

University of Waterloo 2006

MASTER’S DEGREE- Vision Science/ Molecular Pharmacology – Honours

University of Waterloo 2011

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE - Science/Minor in Biology -Honours

University of Waterloo -1999

AWARDS

Recipient of the Distinguished Instructor Award 2024

J.C. Thompson Memorial Prize 2006

WORK EXPERIENCE

NATIONAL DIRECTOR OF OPTOMETRIC AFFAIRS -LASIKMD

OPTOMETRISTS - LASIKMD

Aug 2006 – Present

SESSIONAL FACULTY- UNIVERISTY OF WATERLOO SCHOOL OF OPTOMETRY

INTRODUCTORY CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY OPT 231

September 2023 – Present

CASE ANALYSIS OPT 342A & OPT 342B

January 2024 – Present

LAB INSTRUCTOR - UNIVERISTY OF WATERLOO SCHOOL OF OPTOMETRY-
MULTIPLE LABS

January 2018 – Present

COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRISTS OF ONTARIO

QUALITY ASSURANCE PRACTICE COACH

January 2013 – Present

INQUIRIES, COMPLAINTS AND REPORTS COMMITTEE

January 2022 – Present

QUALITY ASSURANCE COMMITTEE

January 2014 – December 2014

CONTRIBUTION TO RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT – REFEREED PAPERS

Visual Outcome after Monocular Implantation of Extended Depth of Focus Intraocular Lens in a Patient with Iridodialysis: A Case Report BMC Ophthalmology -Submitted July 2024

Kyveris, A., Maruscak, E., and Senchyna, M. (2002). Optimization of RNA isolation from human ocular tissues and analysis of prostanoid receptor mRNA expression using RT-PCR. *Molecular Vision* 8:p51- 58.

POSTERS

Kyveris, A., Senchyna, M., and Maruscak, E. RT-PCR Analysis of Prostanoid FP and TP Receptor mRNA Expression in Human Iris, Ciliary Body, Retina, Cornea and Optic Nerve. ARVO Conference, Florida, May 2001.

Senchyna, M., Kyveris, A., May, C., and Sharif, N. A. RT-PCR Analysis of Prostanoid FP Receptor Expression in Human Pigmented Ocular Tissues: Results and Methodological Consideration. ARVO Conference, Florida, May 2000.

ABSTRACTS

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Senchyna, M., Kyveris, A., May, C., and Sharif, N. A. (2000) RT-PCR Analysis of Prostanoid FP Receptor Expression in Human Pigmented Ocular Tissues: Results and Methodological Consideration. Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci. 41:p.S511.

THESIS

Kyveris, A. (2001). Master's Thesis. Development and Utilization of Methods to Characterize Human Ocular Prostanoid Receptors. University of Waterloo.