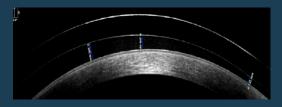


# Our Mission Statement

The Scleral Lens
Education Society (SLS)
teaches contact lens
practitioners the science
and art of prescribing
scleral lenses. The SLS
supports public
education that highlights
the benefits and
availability of scleral
lenses.



### Fellowship Application:

Please email your intent to pursue fellowship, your plan to achieve 60 points, as well as all submissions to the Fellowship Chair:

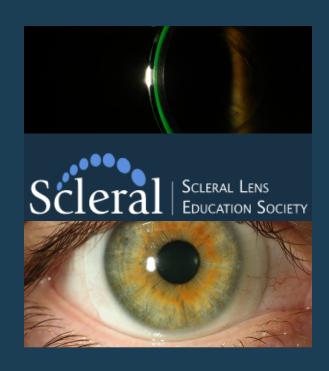
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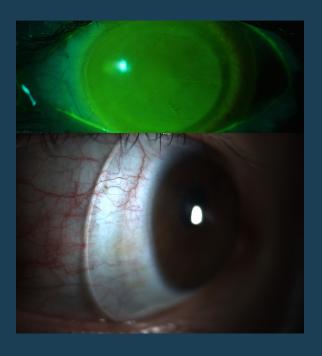
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Become a Fellow



#### **Fellowship Requirements**

Optometrists, ophthalmologists, and Fellows of the Contact Lens Society of America (FCLSA) who have proven themselves in the field of scleral lenses can apply.

Candidates must pay an application fee and take no more than three years from the date of application to complete the Fellowship process.

The candidate must obtain a total of 60 points. 20 of the 60 points must be from case report submissions. The remaining 40 points can be obtained from any combination of the items on the point table.

Candidates may resubmit revised reports only <u>two times</u>. After the second submission, if the report is still not deemed satisfactory the candidate will need to submit a different report.

#### **Fellowship Point Table**

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Submission Item	Points
Completion of a Cornea & Contact Lens Residency or Fellowship certified by the Accreditation Council on Optometric Education (ACOE)	20
Diplomate of the Cornea, Contact Lens, and Refractive Technologies Section of the American Academy of Optometry	10
<ul><li>Standard Case Report</li><li>Will be reviewed by Fellowship Committee</li></ul>	20
Peer Reviewed Journal Article • Candidate must be first author	20
<ul> <li>Peer Reviewed Lecture</li> <li>Acceptable only if presented at a major meeting and/or is COPE approved</li> <li>Lecture must be a standard 1 credit hour or longer</li> <li>Please submit a PDF copy of the lecture slides and provide COPE ID if applicable</li> <li>The primary topic of the lecture should be scleral lenses</li> </ul>	20
Peer Reviewed Poster or Abstract <ul><li>Candidate must be first author</li></ul>	10
<ul> <li>Non-Peer Reviewed Article</li> <li>Examples include articles in editor reviewed publications, such as Contact Lens Spectrum, Review of Cornea &amp; Contact Lenses, or Review of Optometry</li> <li>Will be reviewed by the Fellowship Committee</li> </ul>	10
<ul> <li>Scleral Lens Multiple Choice Quiz</li> <li>The link to the multiple choice quiz is available on the website</li> <li>Candidates may take the quiz 3 times</li> <li>Points will be awarded once the candidate passes</li> </ul>	10

## Standard Case Report Guidelines

#### Should include the following:

- Cover page
- Introduction
- Accounts of first visit and all follow-up visits
- Contact lens examination, fit evaluation, and any troubleshooting process
- At least 3 months of wear
- Topographies, photos, and any auxiliary testing
- Any referrals to another practitioner
- Differential Diagnosis
- Discussion
- Conclusion
- References

To view a completed report and for more details please visit:

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