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Dr. Pravin Dugel

Why Go Smaller? Why Go Faster?

Dr Dugel graduated Summa Cum Laude from Columbia University and attended UCLA School of Medicine. He then completed his residency in ophthalmology at the Doheny Eye Institute, USC School of Medicine. Thereafter, he completed his medical retina fellowship at the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute and his surgical retina fellowship at the Doheny Eye Institute, where then was elected to serve on the faculty as the Resident Director. Dr Dugel joined Retinal Consultants of Arizona in July, 1994. Dr Dugel has authored more than 200 papers, 35 book chapters and has been invited to lecture at prestigious meetings, Visiting Professorships and Universities worldwide. He is on the Editorial Board of several major journals. Dr Dugel is internationally recognized as a major clinical researcher, having been a primary investigator in over 50 multicenter clinical trials. His research and educational contributions earned him the prestigious Senior Honor Award from the American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO).

Dr Dugel is involved in numerous prestigious organizations. Locally, he has been President of the Phoenix Ophthalmology Society and is on the Board of Directors of the Arizona Ophthalmology Society. Nationally, he is on the Board of Directors of the American Society of Retina Specialists (ASRS), Chairman of the ASRS Research and Therapeutics Committee and Chairman of the AAO Media Relations Committee. Internationally, he is on the Board of Directors of the Asia Pacific Vitreoretinal Society and in the Organizing Committee of and has been honored by the Pan Pacific Academy of Ophthalmology, European Vitreoretinal Society, Chinese Vitreoretinal Society, Indian Vitreoretinal Society, Korean Vitreoretinal Society and the World Ophthalmology Congress.

Dr Dugel has received numerous awards including amongst others, the Heed Foundation Fellowship Award, The Ronald G. Michels Surgical Fellowship Award, AAO Senior Honor Award, ASRS Honor Award, AAO Secretariat Award. Dr Dugel has been named "one of the best 35 ophthalmologists in the USA" by the Becker Institute.

Currently, Dr Dugel serves as Managing Partner of Retinal Consultants of Arizona and Founding Member of the Spectra Eye Institute. He is also Clinical Associate Professor, Doheny Eye Institute, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California (USC).



Dr. Maria H. Berrocal

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Dr. Maria H. Berrocal is Director of Berrocal and Associates in San Juan, Puerto Rico and faculty at the University of Puerto Rico. She received her Medical Degree from the University of Illinois. She completed her ophthalmology training at the University of Puerto Rico where she received the best surgeon award. She completed her surgical and medical retina training at the department of Ophthalmology New York Hospital/Cornell University. She then completed a medical retina fellowship with Dr. J Donald Gass at Bascom Palmer Eye Institute and was a Heed Fellow Awardee. Her research interests include new techniques in vitreoretinal surgery, with a particular interest in complications of diabetic retinopathy. She has participated in numerous studies of novel treatments for the management of diabetic complications.

She belongs to and has held leadership positions in the Panamerican Vitreoretinal Society, Panamerican Ophthalmological Society, Retina Society, American Society of Retinal Specialists (ASRS), American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO), and Women in Ophthalmology (WIO). She is currently president of the Panamerican Vitreoretinal Society. She is on the editorial board of Retina Today.

She has received the American Academy of Ophthalmology Senior Achievement Award, and American Society of Retinal Specialists Senior Honor Award. She has received the Doctors Choice Award yearly since 2002. Dr. Berrocal has been an invited speaker and visiting surgeon in over 20 countries. She has authored and co-authored over 50 articles and book chapters. Dr. Berrocal has held numerous positions in philanthropic societies. She has established educational scholarships for cancer survivors, scholarships for the Sacred Heart University, and Our Children's House. She has also helped establish a drug rehabilitation center in San Juan.



Dr. Yusuke Oshima

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Dr. Oshima graduated from Osaka University Medical School (1992) and completed his residency and fellowship in vitreous-retina at Osaka University Hospital. He is currently the founder and director of Oshima Eye Clinic, a vitreoretinal and cataract surgery center in Osaka, and the consultant of Nishikasai Inouye Eye Hospital in Tokyo, Japan. He also serves as a visiting professor of ophthalmology at Nankai University Medical School in Tianjin, China. He is a member of the Retina Today Editorial Board and an editorial member of the ASRS Retina Image Bank. He is a member of a number of ophthalmologic societies, including the Japanese Ophthalmologic Society, Japanese Vitreous-Retina Society, the American Association of Ophthalmology, and the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, and currently serves as the liaison of International Affairs Committee of the ASRS and the international committee member of the Arab-African Society of Retina specialists. He is the author of numerous scientific papers published in Ophthalmology, American Journal of Ophthalmology, British Journal of Ophthalmology, and other respected publications, and has presented in a large number of international congresses and conducted many international invitational lectures throughout Asia and Europe, and performed live surgery demonstrations in China, Singapore, Germany, Egypt, India, and Australia. He has pioneered a 27-gauge vitrectomy system and several small gauge chandelier fibers for micro-incision vitrectomy surgery. He has received Grand Prix of the Japan Pfizer Ophthalmic Surgery Film Award in 2008, Best of Show in the video presentation from the American Academy of Ophthalmology in 2009, and the Achievement Award from the American Academy of Ophthalmology in 2010.



Dr. Kazuaki Kadonosono

The Usefulness of Vit. Probe with a Higher Cutting Rate Like 7500cpm

Dr. Kadonosono graduated from Yokohama City University, School of Medicine. He then completed his residency in Neurosurgery at the Yokohama City University Hospital. And then he completed his residency in Ophthalmology at the Yokohama City University Hospital. Thereafter, he had his surgical retina fellowship at the Tokyo Toranomon Hospital, and then served on the faculty as the director of retina department at Yokohama City University, School of Medicine.

Dr. Kadonosono has authored more than 100 papers in English, more than 400 papers in Japanese, 60 book chapters and has been invited to lecture at the meetings worldwide. He firstly published the internal limiting membrane removal in macular hole surgery using indocyanine green dyes in 2000. His research interests include the development and evaluation of new surgical techniques in vitreoretinal and macular surgery. He has participated in numerous studies of novel treatments in the retinal diseases.

Dr. Kadonosono is involved in the prestigious organizations. He has been on the Board of Japanese Ophthalmological Society (JOS), the Board of Japanese Retina and Vitreous Society (JRVS), and belongs to American Society of Retina Specialist (ASRS), American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO) and Macula Society.

Currently, Dr. Kadonosono serves as Professor and Chairman of Yokohama City University Medical Center. He is also Clinical Associate Professor of University of Tokyo and Shinshu University in Nagano.

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