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Radisson Blu Royal Hotel - Brussels
28-30 June 2013

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for your OK!*

2nd Meeting of
European Academy of Orthokeratology
International Academy of Orthokeratology



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VENUE

Brussels has been chosen because it represents a focal point of Europe and European Union. Moreover Brussels is a strategic point easily connected with some European Capitals as London, Paris, Amsterdam and other important cities. It takes less than two hours to reach these cities by train.

The Radisson Blu Royal Hotel, as the venue of the meeting, is located in the heart of the city and close to major attractions.

DATE

June 28th: Bootcamp*, Fellowship Session*, Manufacture Seminars

June 29th: General Session and Gala Dinner **

June 30th: General Session

* Bootcamp and Fellowship will be done simultaneously. They cannot be attended both at the same time

**The gala dinner is included in the Meeting fee

BOOTCAMP

The Boot Camp is a course given by experienced international Orthokeratologists to practitioners that are new in the field of Orthokeratology or others that wish to refresh their basic knowledge and experience. The course, called "Don't be Afraid of Ortho-k: we can show you the way", provides a 8 hours theoretical and practical training.

Here some questions that will help you in deciding if this course is for you:

- Which is the design of an advanced Ortho-k lens?
- How does Ortho-k work?
- Why do I need a topographer?
- Does eccentricity make a difference in predicting OK results?
- How much myopia can I expect to reasonably correct?
- What options do I have in lens fitting?
- What lens diameter is optimal?
- Is actually astigmatism a limitation to Ortho-k?
- How difficult is it to correct ATR astigmatism?
- What do I look for and try to avoid in potential OK candidates?
- When is it better to say NO?
- How do I deal with Ortho-k fitting complications?
- What are the risks of adverse reactions?
- Is it necessary to have a Ortho-k contract and informed consent?
- What lens care system is best in Ortho-k?
- How often do I see my ortho-k patients?
- Which are some prudent guidelines in advertising Ortho-k?

GENERAL SESSION

Two days of intensive Lectures and Panel Discussions on latest techniques and research in the field of orthokeratology and myopia control.

Discussed Topic will include:

- *Ortho-k mechanism*
- *Myopia Control*
- *Best practice in Ortho-k*
- *Future of Ortho-k*
- *Long-term success in Ortho-k*
- *Safety in Ortho-k*
- *International Orthokeratology round table*
- *Communication and promotion of Ortho-k*
- *Case Reports and Free Papers Competition*

SPEAKERS

Ron Beerten, Andreas Berke, Basil Bloom, Antonio Calossi, Patrick Caroline, Gonzalo Carracedo, Jennifer Choo, Sami El Hage, Jan Flitcroft, Alessandro Fossetti, Caroline Guerrero Cauchi, Cary Herzberg, Takahiro Hiraoka, Nikola Jagodic, Randy Kojima, Wolfgang Laubenbacher, Amelia Anieto Bona, Michael Lipson, Dmitry Mirsayafov, John Mountford, Jaume Paune, Pei-Ying Xie, Helen Swarbrick, Brian Tompkins, Arthur Tung, Bruce Williams, Eef van der Worp

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