

Meeting report - RCLSO Congress 2025/ 7-8 November 2025 in Sibiu, Romania.

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Dear ECLSO Friends and Colleagues



It is my great pleasure to congratulate **Professor Dr Adriana Stanila**, President of the <u>Romanian Society of Contact lenses and Ocular Surface</u> and Vice President of the ECLSO to the most successful, informative and enjoyable **RCLSO Congress** 2025/ 7-8 November 2025 in Sibiu, Romania.

The essential topics included lifestyle and ocular surface, updates on contact lenses, ocular surface pathology, dry eye syndrome, myopia control and other subjects that significantly influence our daily practice. Adriana had renowned experts from Romania and abroad, and she encouraged active contributions and participation.

In true style Adriana had organised a superb meeting in Sibiu, with an excellent programme from "Dry Eys Disease" to "Dry Eye Management in cataract Surgery" to "Ménage à trois: Sex, Sex steroid and Dry Eyes", from "Update on contact lenses "To Myopia control, from "Paediatric ophthalmology" to "Keratoconus and LS transplant".

SIBIU

- nicknamed:

THE
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Bridge of lies

Sibiu is known as the "City with Eyes" with a "Bridge of Lies"!

Adriana had organised a superb meeting in Sibiu

Our President Prof Carina Koppen, our new Vice president Dr Katarina Jankovic Terzic and myself represented the ECLSO.

Carina spoke on Corneal crosslinking for

keratoconus: to treat or not to treat?, Katarina evaluated the "Correction of aphakia in babies with contact lenses and I tried to Manage Myopic Maria.

Dr Tania Schaefer (IMCLC President) (BRAZIL)and Bruce Koffler (IMCLC Treasurer/ Director) represented the IMCLC. Bruce presented a valuable "Digital guide to Myopia Diagnosis and Treatment" and Tania emphasized in a pre-recorded presentation "Myopia: Where we are and where we're going".



Online highlights were:

- Christophe Baudouin's (France) presentation on "From dry eye to neuropathic pain".
- James Wolffsohn's (UK) overview on "TFOS DEWS III dry eye diagnosis and management".
- Fiona Stapleton (Australia) spoke on "Interventions in contact lens discomfort: Therapeutics, procedures, care products".

And many more speakers -just to mention Dorin & Cristina Nicula, Romania, Elizabeth Messmer, Germany and Daniela Goicea, Romania, Erika Ponzini - received many accolades for their participation.

All in all a most enjoyable event with lively discussions, an outstanding scientific and social program and a brilliant support team!

Congratulations Adriana

A "Pre-Festive Season Delight" is coming your way from the UK with MCLOSA (Medical Contact Lens and Ocular Surface Association) in London on Friday 28th November 2025. Ms Andrena McElvanney, MCLOSA President and ECLSO Vice President has organised with her team a fascinating event.

Last not least, we'll hope to meet at our **ECLSO Congress in Vienna** on **24**th **-26**th **April 2026** to gather



Sibiu's enchanting Christmas market!

<u>Congress</u> in Vienna on 24th -26th April 2026 to gather and exchange views and engage in high level discussions.

The **ECLSO Congress** promises us an excellent scientific programme for with a multitude of networking opportunities.



Looking forward to seeing you all either at MCLOSA in London this month or to our ECLSO Congress in Vienna next April.

Thank you for your ongoing support to the **ECLSO**.

Have a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy 2026

With kindest regards and Season's Greetings.

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- MYOPIA
- HIGHLIGHTS FROM TFOS III
- NEW INSIGHTS IN SOFT CONTACT LENS TECHNOLOGY
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