

NOA Convention Schedule 2026

HILTON ST. LOUIS FRONTENAC | 1335 S Lindbergh Blvd | St. Louis, MO 63131

July 8-12, 2026

12 Hours of CE Offered

Wednesday July 8, 2026

- 8:00 am - 3:00 pm: Henry Moore and Dr. Raleigh Bynum Golf Scholarship Tournament
Forest Park Golf Course | 6141 Lagoon Dr | St. Louis, MO 63112
- 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm: Reception TBD offsite
- 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm: Student Led College Tour TBD offsite
- 7:30pm – 8:30 pm: NOA Board Meeting TBD offsite

Thursday July 9, 2026

- 8:00 am - 3:00 pm: Community Service Event (Serve Where You Go)- Sponsored by VSP
Friendly Temple Church | 5515 Dr. Martin Luther King Drive | St. Louis, MO 63112
- 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm: Early Check-In – Ambassador Pre-Function Area 2nd Floor
- 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm: Micro-Communities
Academia Anatole 2nd Floor
Corporate Montmartre 3rd Floor
Armed Forces Le Café 1st Floor
Public Health Pommand 1st Floor next to Ambassador
Private Practice Dauphine – 2nd Floor

Friday July 10, 2026

Morning

- 7:00 am - 8:00 am: Registration Ambassador Pre-Function Area 2nd Floor |
Exhibit Hall Ambassador Ballrooms 2-4-6
Art Auction Frontenac
Breakfast Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
- 7:25 am -7:55 am** Apellis Sponsor Presentation Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
- 8:00 am - 9:40 am:** CE (2 hours) Mastering Dry Eye Disease | Lisa Hornick, OD
Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
- 9:40 am - 10:40 am: Break with Exhibitors Ambassador Ballrooms 2-4-6
Art Auction Frontenac
- 10:00 am – 11:50 am: VSP Leadership Institute I – NOSA Clayton Ballrooms A-C**
- 10:00 am – 11:00 am: Associate’s Meeting Anatole 2nd Floor**
- 10:40 am – 11:30 am: CE (1 hour) When Glaucoma and Retina Collide | Joe Pizzimenti, OD**
Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5

Lunch

- 11:30 am - 1:00 pm: Lunch Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
Exhibit Hall Ambassador Ballrooms 2-4-6
Art Auction Frontenac
- 11:40 am – 11:55 am: Alcon Sponsor Presentation Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5**
- 11: 55 am -12:15 pm: Johnson & Johnson Sponsor Presentation Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5**

Afternoon

- 1:20 pm – 2:20 pm: Essilor – NOSA Clayton Ballrooms A-C**
- 1:00 pm – 2:40 pm:** CE (2 hours) Emerging Trends in AMD | Joe Pizzimenti, OD
Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
- 2:40 pm – 3:00 pm Break with Exhibitors Ambassador Ballrooms 2-4-6
Art Auction Frontenac
- 3:00 pm – 3:50 pm: **CE (1 hour) Oculo-Systemic Diseases and the Drugs that Treat Them | Joe Pizzimenti, OD**
Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5

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- 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm: NOA Business Meeting **Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5**
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm: NOSA Business Meeting Clayton Ballrooms A-C
 5:00 pm – 6:00 pm: Welcome Reception –Industry Partners and Board Members
 Riviera 3rd Floor above the Lobby
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm: Speed Netting – NOSA Clayton Ballrooms B-D
Evening
 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm: NOF Board Meeting **Dauphine Room 2nd Floor**
 9:00 pm – 12:00 am: NOSA/ NOA Social Event (Sponsored by VSP)

Saturday July 11, 2026

Morning

- 6:00 am - 7:15 am: Dr. Will Kelly's Memorial Scholarship Fun Run Event
 7:00 am - 8:00 am: Registration **Ambassador Pre-Function Area 2nd Floor** |
 Exhibit Hall **Ambassador Ballrooms 2-4-6**
 Art Auction **Frontenac**
 Breakfast **Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5**
7:25 am – 7:50 am: Bausch+Lomb Family of Products Breakfast Sponsor Presentation Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
8:00 am - 9:40 am: VSP Leadership Institute II – NOSA Clayton Ballrooms A-C
8:00 am - 9:40 am: CE (2 hours) Advanced In-Office Treatments for Ocular Surface Disease | Lisa Hornick, OD
Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
 9:40 am - 10:40 am: Break with Exhibitors **Ambassador Ballrooms 2-4-6**
 Art Auction **Frontenac**
10:40 am - 11:30 am: CE (1 hour) Beyond the Joints: Rheumatoid Arthritis from Cornea to Sclera |
Jacobi Cleaver, OD Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
11:35 am - 12:25 pm: CE (1 hour) When Eczema Meets the Eye | Jacobi Cleaver, OD Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
10:10 am - 11:50 am: NOSA Business Meeting II – NOSA Clayton Ballrooms A-C

Lunch

- 12:25 pm - 1:30 pm: Lunch **Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5**
 Exhibit Hall **Ambassador Ballrooms 2-4-6**
 Art Auction **Frontenac** (Auction & Exhibit Hall closes at 1:30)
12:30 pm - 12:45 pm: VSP Sponsor Presentation
12:45 pm – 1:00 pm: EssilorLuxottica Sponsor Presentation

Afternoon

- 1:30 pm – 2:20 pm: CE (1 hour) Polypoidal Choroidal Vasculopathy: From Pathophysiology to Patient Care**
Angel Simmons, OD Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
2:25 pm – 3:15 pm: CE (1 hour) Seeing Special Patient Populations Through the Lens of Cultural
Humility |Angel Simmons, OD Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5
1:15 pm - 2:00 pm: NOSA Business Meeting III (E-board voting) - Clayton Ballrooms A-C
2:00 pm – 2:50 pm: Round table/Panel discussions (NOSA convention committee) Clayton Ballrooms A-C
 3:10 pm – 4:10 pm: NOA Business Meeting **Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5**
 4:10 pm – 5:10 pm: ASCO/College/NOA Members Meeting** **Anatole Room 2nd Floor**

Evening

- 6:15 pm - 7:00 pm: College Receptions
 Ohio State University -Riviera - 3rd floor above the Lobby
 Southern College of Optometry - Dauphine- 2nd floor near **Ambassdeur Ballroom**
 Puerto Rico - **Pommard - 1st floor next to Ambassdeur**
 Pending - **Pre Function Space - 1st floor outside of the Ambassdeur**
 Pending - **Atrium - 2nd Floor Clayton Building**
 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm: Student & Doctor Awards Banquet | Installation of Officers **Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5**

Sunday July 12, 2026

Morning

- 8:00 am-9:00 am: Prayer breakfast (Plated) **Ambassador Ballrooms 1-3-5**
 9:00 am: **NOA Convention Ends**

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