

Sophany C. Chhim, OD

Education

July 2010 – June 2011 **Residency in Primary Care / Low Vision Rehabilitation**
Southern Arizona VA Healthcare System
Tucson, Arizona
Affiliation: Southern California College of Optometry

Aug 2006 – May 2010 **Doctorate of Optometry**

Illinois College of Optometry
Chicago, Illinois

Aug 2002 – Jun 2006 **Bachelor of Science in Biology, *Cum Laude***
California State University Stanislaus
Turlock, California

Professional Licensure

2011 – Present **California State Board of Optometry**
2010 - 2012 **Arizona State Board of Optometry** 2009, 2010
National Board of Examiners in Optometry
Part I, II, III, & TMOD

Achievements

2009, 2010 **Dean's List for Clinical Honors**
Illinois College of Optometry
Chicago, Illinois

2006 **Academic Excellence Award** (Department of Biological Sciences)
California State University Stanislaus
Turlock, California

Past Teaching Experience

July 2010 – June 2011 **Southern Arizona VA Healthcare System**
Resident Optometrist

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- Overseeing student interns in primary care and low vision

2009 – 2010 **Illinois College of Optometry**

Teaching Assistant

- Strabismus/Amblyopia Laboratory Course
- Low Vision Laboratory Course
- Physical Diagnosis Laboratory Course

Posters

Chhim, SC and Engelke CB. Conjunctival Mucosa-associated Lymphoid Tissue Lymphoma with

Choroidal & Orbital Infiltration. Poster presented at AAO meeting (Boston, MA), Oct 2011.

Chhim, SC and Wasik AJ. Ocular Sequelae Secondary to Disseminated Coccidioidomycosis. Poster

presented at AAO meeting (San Francisco, CA), Nov 2010.

Lectures “Low Vision Rehabilitation and MP-1 Microperimetry” CE lecture/case series presented to Nova

Southeastern University College of Optometry, May 2011.

“Ocular Sequelae Secondary to Disseminated Coccidioidomycosis” CE lecture presented to the Southern

Arizona Optometric Society, May 2011.

Research

Oct 2008 – Nov 2009 **Determining a Normative Database for Full-Field Electroretinograms**

Faculty Mentor: Mary Flynn Roberts, OD (Associate Professor, Illinois

College of Optometry)

Professional Memberships

American Academy of Optometry

2010 – Present Fellowship candidate

2006 – 2010 Student membership