

## Ophthalmology

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### Major Scientific Interests of the Group

To investigate quality of vision and life in patients with ocular diseases. To improve outcomes of ocular therapies especially surgical treatments.

### Projects for Regular Students in Doctoral or Master's Programs

- 1) Development of artificial vitreous and its clinical application
- 2) Comprehensive assessment and improvement of visual function in patients after cataract and vitreo-retinal surgery
- 3) Development of new generation of optical coherence tomography
- 4) Assessment of surgical outcomes of new intraocular lenses
- 5) Suppression of myopia progression in children
- 6) Establishment of infrastructure for artificial and big data study in ophthalmology
- 7) Development voltage-controlled accommodating intraocular lens

### Study Programs for Short Stay Students (one week – one trimester)

- 1) To learn the methods to comprehensively assess visual function of patients rather than visual acuity
- 2) To understand how to improve outcomes of cataract surgery using premium intraocular lenses

### Selected Publications

- 1) Fukuda S, Fujita A, Kasaragod D, Beheregaray S, Ueno Y, Yasuno Y, Oshika T. Comparison of intensity, phase retardation, and local birefringence images for filtering blebs using polarization-sensitive optical coherence tomography. *Sci Rep* 2018;8(1):7519. doi: 10.1038/s41598-018-25884-w.
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