



PAKISTAN
OPTOMETRIC SOCIETY

OPTOGLOBE

AGREEMENT BETWEEN OPTOGLOBE AND THE PAKISTAN OPTOMETRIC SOCIETY.

PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made and entered into on the 19th day of February, 2025, by and between:

1. The Pakistan Optometric Society, a duly incorporated organization with its principal office located at Ground Floor, PICO, Hayatabad Medical Complex, Peshawar (hereinafter referred to as "POS"), and
2. OPTOGLOBE, the global optometry student community currently in the process of obtaining non-profit status, without a principal office at present, but operating under its registered contact address at info.optoglobe@gmail.com (hereinafter referred to as "OPTOGLOBE").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, OPTOGLOBE is currently in the process of securing legal recognition as a non-profit organization and has already established a reputation for promoting the advancement of optometry through student engagement on a global scale;

WHEREAS, POS is an organization representing optometrists and advancing optometry-related initiatives in Pakistan, with a commitment to the development of optometry standards, education, and professional practice in the country;

WHEREAS, both parties share common goals of advancing optometry as a profession, fostering educational development, enhancing public awareness, and facilitating global cooperation among optometrists;

WHEREAS, both parties have met on the 19th of February, 2025, and agreed on certain additional provisions to be included in this Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises herein contained, the parties hereby agree as follows:

1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this Agreement is to establish a formal, professional partnership between **POS and OPTOGLOBE** to collaborate on initiatives, projects, and activities related to optometry, student education, professional development, and public health initiatives in the field of optometry.

2. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PARTIES

2.1 POS Responsibilities:

- a. Provide support to OPTOGLOBE's initiatives within Pakistan, including but not limited to events, seminars, and educational activities.
- b. Facilitate collaboration between local optometrists and OPTOGLOBE members for professional development.
- c. Share knowledge, resources, and data beneficial to the purpose of the partnership.
- d. Ensure active participation of its members in events and activities organized by **OPTOGLOBE**.
- e. Appoint a liaison officer to serve as the official contact between POS and **OPTOGLOBE**.

2.2 OPTOGLOBE Responsibilities:

- a. Organize and facilitate global networking and professional development opportunities for POS members and optometry students in Pakistan.
- b. Share educational materials, best practices, and training programs with POS.
- c. Support POS's local initiatives by leveraging its global network and resources.
- d. Provide opportunities for POS members to engage in global discussions and collaborations in the field of optometry.
- e. Offer membership and leadership opportunities to Pakistani optometry students.

3. MEMBERSHIP PROVISIONS

3.1 Unconditional Membership for POS Student Members

POS student members shall receive unconditional membership in **OPTOGLOBE**, with no financial obligations. This membership will provide POS student members with access to various global optometry student opportunities offered by **OPTOGLOBE**.

3.2 Participation in OPTOGLOBE's Education Programs

POS student members will have the opportunity to participate in **OPTOGLOBE**'s student education programs and webinars. Upon completion, participants will receive certification from **OPTOGLOBE**, acknowledging their involvement and educational achievements.

4. JOINT INITIATIVES

Both **POS and OPTOGLOBE** shall collaborate on the following:

- a. Organizing joint seminars, conferences, and workshops aimed at advancing the profession of optometry.
- b. Developing joint research projects, publications, and educational materials.
- c. Creating opportunities for optometry students to gain international exposure and experiences.
- d. Promoting and participating in public awareness campaigns related to vision care and optometry.

5. CONFIDENTIALITY

Both parties agree to maintain strict confidentiality regarding any proprietary or sensitive information shared in the course of this partnership. This includes, but is not limited to, intellectual property, membership data and research information. Such confidentiality obligations shall remain in effect until after the termination of this Agreement.

6. TERM AND TERMINATION

6.1 Term:

This Agreement shall remain in full force and effect until both parties modify or reconsider this agreement, unless earlier terminated by either party pursuant to Section 6.2.

6.2 Termination:

Either party may terminate this Agreement upon 30 days written notice to the other party.

In the event of termination, both parties shall work together in good faith to ensure a smooth transition and conclude any ongoing projects in an orderly manner.

7. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Agreement shall first be addressed through amicable discussions between the parties. If the dispute cannot be resolved within 14 days, it shall be referred to mediation in accordance with the rules of both organizations. If mediation fails, the dispute shall be resolved through arbitration, the decision of which shall be final and binding on both parties.

8. INDEMNIFICATION

Each party agrees to indemnify and hold the other party harmless from any and all liabilities, damages, costs, or expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, arising from any claims, actions, or proceedings resulting from the actions or omissions of the indemnifying party in relation to this Agreement.

9. GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the laws of the country OPTOGLOBE is headquartered and Pakistan, without regard to its conflict of laws principles.

10. ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements, understandings, or negotiations, whether oral or written, between the parties relating to the subject matter of this Agreement.

11. AMENDMENTS

Any amendments, modifications, or supplements to this Agreement must be made in writing and signed by both parties. No oral modifications shall be valid.

12. EXECUTION

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Partnership Agreement as of the date first above written.

For Pakistan Optometric Society:

Name:

Title:

Signature:

Date:

For OPTOGLOBE:

Name: Pemije Emmanuel Gadimoh.

Title: Founder.

Signature:



Date:
