

Bruce Evans

**Qualifications:** BSc PhD FCOptom FAAO FEAOO FBCLA DipCLP DipOrth

### Academic & teaching (recent & current)

period	organisation	details
2009-present	London South Bank University	Visiting Professor of Optometry
2008-2012	Universitat Politecnica Catalunya	Visiting Professor
2001-present	City, University of London	Visiting Professor
1998-present	Institute of Optometry, London	Director of Research

Supervised 16 doctorate students to completion and examined 10.

### Recent relevant research (over 80 studies in total)

title	date	researchers	funding
Randomised controlled trial of novel office spectacle lens design	2018-2020	Seguí, Ronda, Yammouni, Vlasak, Evans	Industry partner £36,746
Randomised controlled trial of new generation progressive lenses	2017-2020	Evans & Yammouni	Industry partner, £29,304
The effect of pregnancy & the menstrual cycle on refractive errors	2017-	Holliday, Edgar, Evans	Self-funding doctorate student
Audit of referrals from community optometrists to the hospital eye service (ACORTH)	2017-2020	Evans, Edgar, Jessa, Shah	Association of Optometrists & The Central Fund, £28,500
An investigation of low power convex lenses for eyestrain in the digital age (CLEDA)	2017-2018	Evans & Yammouni	Industry partner grant awarded £32,448
Mixed methods study of factors influencing optometric referrals	2017-2021	Harvey, Edgar, Agarwal, Evans	Self-funding doctorate student

### Recent relevant publications (total publications, 258)

1. Harvey, K., Edgar, D.F., Agarwal, R., Benwell, M.J., Evans, B.J.W. (2022) Referrals from community optometrists in England and their replies: a mixed methods study *Ophthalmic Physiol Opt.* 42(3), 454-470.
2. Segui-Crespo, M, Ronda-Perez, E, Yammouni, R, Arroyo, R, Evans, BJW (in press) Randomised controlled trial of an accommodative support lens designed for computer use. *Ophthalmic Physiol Opt.*
3. Shah, R., Edgar DF, Jessa Z, Yammouni R, Campbell P, Soteri K, Hobby, A., Khatoon, A., Beg, A., Harsum, S., Aggarwal, R., Evans BJW (2021) Referrals from community optometrists to the hospital eye services in Scotland and England. *Eye (Lond)* <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41433-021-01728-2>.
4. Parkins, D.J., Shah, B., Edgar, D.F., Benwell, M., Evans, B.J.W. (2021) Design and use of vignettes to investigate referral decision-making by optometrists. *Journal of Optometry* published online ahead of print. doi: 10.1016/j.optom.2020.09.004
5. Yammouni, R., Evans, B.J.W. (2020). Is reading rate in digital eyestrain influenced by binocular and accommodative anomalies? *Journal of Optometry.* 14(3), 229-239. doi: 10.1016/j.optom.2020.08.006
6. Levit, A., Benwell, M. and Evans, B.J.W. (2020). Randomised controlled trial of corneal vs. scleral rigid gas permeable contact lenses for keratoconus and other ectatic corneal disorders. *Cont Lens Anterior Eye.* doi.org/10.1016/j.clae.2019.12.007

**Presentations:** 134 presentations at scientific conferences; >300 invited lectures including Turville Memorial Lecture 2002, Gerald Dunn Memorial Lecture 2008, David Pickwell Memorial Lecture 2012, Owen Aves Memorial Lecture 2017.