

**IACLE members active in Perú and Argentina this month**



November was a busy time for the IACLE LA office. The optometry program at [Universidad Nacional Federico Villarreal](#) (Perú) held a Scientific Journey (4-5 November) with participation of FIACLEs **Guillermo Carrillo** and **Gerardo Vásquez**, and IACLE member **Javier Villanueva**. Topics were ‘SiHys after 20 years’, ‘Contact lens practice’ and ‘Multifocal contact lenses’. The event had around 50 attendees.

In Argentina, FIACLE **Sabrina Lara** (Argentina) was the leader for the event [Contact Lenses without Frontiers](#) (11 November). FIACLEs **Eef van der Worp** (Netherlands) and **Juan Pablo Luna** (Argentina), along with IACLE members **Edward Carmona** (Venezuela) and **Yeni Ferraris**, (Argentina) took part. Sabrina reported that nearly 200 eye care practitioners learnt about topics related to specialty contact lenses.



Pictured (left to right) are: **Felipe Arroyave** (USA), **Eef van der Worp** (Netherlands), **Mario Basolo** (Argentina) **Juan Pablo Luna** (Argentina) and **Sabrina Lara** (Argentina).

In Perú, the optometry program of [Universidad Peruana Los Andes \(UPLA\)](#) organized a congress from 22-25 November. The first day of the congress featured a contact lens session with highlighted participation by IACLE members. IACLE Americas Regional Coordinator **Guillermo Carrillo** presented three lectures with different topics: ‘SiHy evolution over the past 20 years’, ‘Contact lenses for children’ and ‘DEWS II and contact lenses’.



## IACLE LA Office broadcasts to the world



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**Guillermo Carrillo**  
Director de IACLE  
para América Latina

22 DE NOVIEMBRE  
**09:30 AM**  
COLOMBIA



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**Guillermo Carrillo** recently held a meeting with **Javier Oviedo**, Director from Group Franja. The idea arose of having a radio space to reach all IACLE members.

The result is **IACLE in the World**, a new broadcast via **Franja Visual Radio**, a web-based program with an audience of more than 100 eye care practitioners. The weekly program goes out every Wednesday from 9.30 to 10.30 am. Each program will have two IACLE members invited to discuss contact lens education, clinical topics, the contact lens market and IACLE events.

Two programs have aired to date, on 22 and 29 November, with FIACLE **Jorge Vargas** (Colombia), **Martin Giraldo** (Colombia) and **Sabrina Lara** (Argentina) discussing contact lens fitting opportunities in children.

Recorded programs can be accessed via the following link:

<http://www.franjavisualradio.com/index.php/programas-especiales/iacle>