

## **Alex Bowers Biosketch**

Alex originally qualified as an Optometrist and worked at Manchester Royal Eye Hospital for several years before taking up a lecturing position in the Department of Vision Sciences at Glasgow Caledonian University. Whilst in Glasgow, Alex completed her PhD on the topic of Reading Performance in Visual Impairment. Alex is currently a Postdoctoral Fellow with Eli Peli at Schepens Eye Research Institute Boston where she is involved with projects evaluating novel devices to aid mobility and a series of studies investigating low vision driving with and without assistive optical devices.