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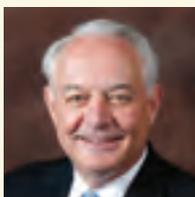
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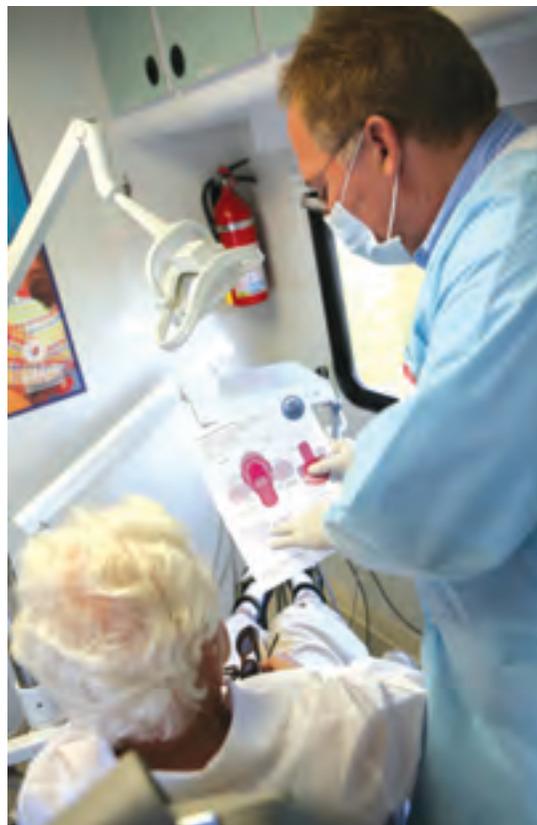
College screens 120 consumers during free oral cancer event

To help launch National Prosthodontics Awareness Week™, the ACP hosted a free Oral Cancer Screening during Annual Session in San Diego. Five ACP members screened about 120 individuals during the morning-long event on Nov. 4 in La Mesa, Calif., just outside of San Diego. Several consumers were referred to local prosthodontists for follow-up care based on their screening's outcome.

The ACP Education Foundation together with the American Academy of Maxillofacial Prosthetics and the Maxillofacial Foundation sponsored the free screenings at the Grossmont Shopping Plaza. Led by NPAW Task Force Chair and ACP President-Elect Dr. Jonathan Wiens, ACP members volunteered to organize the event logistics, to serve as screeners and to help with patient registrations on site during the event.

Event planning would not have been possible without the leadership of ACP Past President Dr. Peter Johnson and Ms. Norma Grinfeld, whose local contacts were invaluable to the event's success. Many thanks to the volunteers who served

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ACP member Dr. Mark George, a private practice prosthodontist in Orange, Calif., reviews the outcome of a patient's oral cancer screening during the ACP's free event on Nov. 4.

ACP turns 40 in November

By Dr. Steven J. Sadowsky
ACP 40th Anniversary Task Force Chair

The ACP will commemorate its 40th Anniversary on Nov. 4, 2010. After launching a year-long celebration during Annual Session in San Diego, the College is immersed in activities and events to help highlight this special occasion.

The 40th Anniversary Task Force members have been collaborating on articles and editorials, one of which appeared in the January 2010 issue of the *Journal of Prosthodontics*, written by ACP President Dr. Lyndon F. Cooper and ACP Past President Dr. David L. Pfeifer. The JP also has helped commemorate the 40th Anniversary by featuring the anniversary logo on the cover of each issue in 2010. Future articles in the JP, the *Messenger* and on the ACP Web site are planned throughout the year, and a special Web site page has

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Record attendance marks 39th Annual Session

More than 1,400 attendees including prosthodontists, dental technicians and other dental industry professionals and guests participated in the ACP's 39th Annual Session in San Diego. Participants learned the latest in

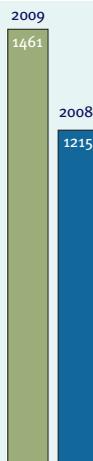
prosthodontic trends, leading edge technology and other news impacting the specialty during the conference on Nov. 4-7 at Manchester Grand Hyatt.

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Annual Session Attendance

Number of attendees by category

Attendance Category	2009 San Diego	2008 Nashville
Member	248	168
Member Foreign	16	10
Fellow	264	202
Fellow Foreign	10	4
Global Alliance	2	2
Non-Member	67	26
Academic Alliance	4	2
Student	347	349
Pre-doc Student	11	8
Lab Technician	3	
Dental Office Staff	25	14
Alliance Technician	9	8
Exhibit Staff (Registered)	216	216
Spouse/Guest	239	206
Total Attendance	1461	1215



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LYNDON F. COOPER,
D.D.S., PH.D.

This is the fortieth year of our College and it represents an opportunity for members to reflect on the value of the ACP. As President, one of my responsibilities to the members is to ensure our Board of Directors keeps track of the vision and goals we share with our members. This year, I will challenge your Board of Directors to consider the scope our organization. I am particularly interested in using the process of knowledge-based governance to reassess and define our present scope of activities, interests and responsibilities. We will succeed in this process and doing so is an important part of defining the value of the ACP with its members and other stakeholders.

Each ACP member enjoys the privileges of collaboration, communication and celebration among the membership. In this anniversary year, my goal is to increase collaboration by more widespread engagement of members through our Section and Regional activities. Small projects and the "little things" we dentists do so well as the small business owners in communities or as individuals within larger academic or Federal organizations can be enhanced by teamwork among members. On a national level, National Prosthodontics Awareness Week™ (NPAW™) is the perfect opportunity for new collaboration and to provide pro bono services in your community. This notion of collaboration also extends beyond the ACP to our Prosthodontic Forum organizations, to our allied specialty organizations and to our corporate partners. Our value may be reflected by such interactions.

Dr. Cooper may be reached by e-mail at lyndon_cooper@dentistry.unc.edu.

The ACP is now governed by regional representation and Section engagement. Communication is essential and begins locally. This must be active, two-way communication. Our weekly e-blast communication the Wednesday Wake-up Call™, the Messenger, your Section meetings and Regional quarterly conference calls are some examples of how the College communicates. Take time to respond to surveys, vote as a responsible member, and above all, feel free to contact members of the Board of Directors and our Central Office staff to initiate important, new conversations. Perhaps one measure of our perceived value is actually the amount of communication we have with and among our members.

A philosopher stated "in the works of man, everything is as poor as its author; vision is confined, means are limited, scope is restricted, movements are labored and results are humdrum." But, in looking at the recent history of the ACP, our vision has been encompassing. We have moved effortlessly to achieve important goals. Our results have been anything but humdrum. By design we have become a larger, stronger, more active and a significant "college" of clinicians. The 40th Anniversary year is a cause for celebration. And what we celebrate is entirely up to us, the members of the ACP. This year, take time to celebrate your personal successes, communicate them with your peers and share them by collaboration. Plan now to attend the 40th Annual Session of your American College of Prosthodontists in Orlando on Nov. 3-6, 2010. Come to communicate, to collaborate and above all celebrate the value of being a prosthodontist.

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40th ANNIVERSARY 1970-2010

NOVEMBER 3 - 6, 2010
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Keynote Speaker
Malcolm Gladwell

Malcolm Gladwell was named one of Time Magazine's 100 Most Influential People. He is the author of "The Tipping Point: How Little Things Make a Big Difference." (2000), "Blink: The Power of Thinking Without Thinking" (2005), and "Outliers: The Story of Success" (2008), all of which were No. 1 New York Times bestsellers. Gladwell has written that oral health care is not a luxury, which ties into the ACP's mission to serve the public and increase care to patients in need.

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2010 Officers and Board confirmed at Annual Session



Dr. Lyndon F. Cooper was confirmed as President of the American College of Prosthodontists. Dr. Cooper is Chair and Program Director of the Department of Prosthodontics at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Dentistry. He is the Stallings Distinguished Professor of Dentistry at UNC and Director of the Bone Biology and Implant Therapy Laboratory. Dr. Cooper is a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics and a Fellow of the ACP.



Dr. John R. Agar was confirmed as Treasurer of the American College of Prosthodontists. Dr. Agar is retired from the U.S. Army in which he served as clinician, educator, consultant and commander. He is currently Director of Graduate Prosthodontics at the University of Connecticut, School of Dental Medicine. He is Past President of the American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics and is a Past President of the American Board of Prosthodontics.



Dr. Jonathan P. Wiens was confirmed as President-Elect of the American College of Prosthodontists. Dr. Wiens has been in private practice limited to prosthodontics in West Bloomfield, Mich. since 1979. He is the attending staff maxillofacial prosthodontist in the Craniofacial Institute at Providence Hospital in Southfield, Mich. Dr. Wiens attained Diplomate status of the American Board of Prosthodontics in 1982 and currently is serving as the ABP Secretary-Treasurer. He also is the Editor-in-Chief of the ACP *Messenger* newsletter.



Dr. Steven E. Eckert was confirmed as Secretary of the American College of Prosthodontists. Dr. Eckert is a Consultant in Prosthodontics at the Mayo Clinic and a Professor of Dentistry in the Mayo College of Medicine. He is a director for the American Board of Prosthodontics. He has served in editorial capacities for a variety of prosthodontic journals and is now Editor in Chief of the International Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Implants.



Dr. Lily T. Garcia was confirmed as Vice President of the American College of Prosthodontists. Dr. Garcia is Professor and Chair of the Department of Prosthodontics at the University of Texas Health Science Center San Antonio. She also serves as Chair of the Council for the American Board of Prosthodontics. Dr. Garcia is a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics and Fellow of the ACP. Dr. Garcia maintains a practice limited to prosthodontics.

New or re-elected to the ACP Board of Directors are Dr. Eleni Roumanas, Director of Membership Services; Dr. Lawrence E. Brecht, Region 1 Director; Dr. Thomas Bloem, Region 3 Director; and Col. Richard Windhorn, Region 6 Director.

Additional members who will continue to serve on the ACP Board of Directors in 2010 are: Dr. Charles J. Goodacre, Immediate Past President; Dr. David Felton, *Journal of Prosthodontics* Editor-in-Chief; Dr. John Murrell, Director of Continuing Professional Education; Dr. Clark Stanford, Director of Education and Research; Dr. Susan E. Brackett, Director of Public and Professional Relations; Dr. Steven J. Sadowsky, Director of Prosthodontic Practice and Patient Services; Dr. Terry M. Kelly, Region 2 Director; Dr. Alfonso Monarres, Region 4 Director; Dr. David L. Guichet, Region 5 Director; and Dr. John P. Zarb, Region 7 Director.

Practice marketing course a hit



Stewart Gandolf, M.B.A. founding partner of Healthcare Success Strategies, leads the Marketing Your Prosthodontic Practice course in Philadelphia last fall.

ACP members asked for more practical continuing education course offerings and the College delivered. A new prosthodontic practice marketing course was offered in Philadelphia last fall and received positive feedback. About 25 attended the Marketing Your Prosthodontic Practice course, which was led by Stewart Gandolf, M.B.A. and Lonnie Hirsch, of Healthcare Success Strategies.

"The two-day seminar was eye opening," said Dr. Louis DeSantis, an ACP member in private practice in Staten Island, New York. "It caused me to take a critical look at my practice and how it is viewed by potential patients."

The course is slated again for Los Angeles on April 30 to May 1. Registration is open now at www.prosthodontics.org by clicking on Meeting & Events from any page of the Web site.

Reflections from a Past President



In my view, major accomplishments in the College result from visionary planning, a continuum of leadership, and bear the fingerprints of many contributors making it difficult to assign or accept credit for accomplishing any major goal. Most ACP Presidents have been a part of the leadership group for several years through committee activities and moving through the offices of the College so their year as president is only a small part of their contributions to the organization.

This being said, most presidents have had opportunities and challenges during their term of office. I will briefly relate an experience that was both an opportunity and a challenge.

DR. WILLIAM KUEBKER ACP PAST PRESIDENT (1987-88)

A look back

I entered my year as president sharing the frustration most of us felt relative to our specialty being represented by the FPO (Federation of Prosthodontic Organizations) rather than the College, since ours was a broad-based organization of specialists and the FPO member organizations had a mixture of generalists and specialists as members, resulting in considerable support for withdrawal from the FPO because of this frustration. However, many of us believed that our best chance for becoming the representative of our specialty and sponsor of the board was to work within the system to attain this premier goal and this is the direction we took during my year as president.

From the time I served on an Ad hoc Committee for Sponsorship of the Board in 1979-80, I was convinced that the ACP should be the sponsor of the board and representative of our specialty and undoubtedly, this was the goal of most of the founders of the College as well. I had hoped that we would achieve this goal by or during my year as president. With the threat of withdrawing from the FPO as possible leverage, President-Elect Dr. Steve Bergen and I scheduled a meeting with the American Dental Association director for specialties to present our position that the College should represent the specialty of prosthodontics. During our meeting we received little support for our position, probably because the ADA did not want to get involved in an interdisciplinary dispute. We did receive acknowledgement that it would be acceptable for the College to serve as representative of the specialty within the framework of the FPO and were successful in having a resolution approved to this effect at the next FPO House of Delegates meeting. However, this was only a consolation prize in meeting my goal and it was not until four years later that the FPO member organizations voted to approve, and the ADA accepted the College as sponsor of the board and representative of the specialty of prosthodontics.

The future of our College and the specialty

My dream for the College is that our leaders will always keep the best interests of the membership in mind, that they remember the history of the College prior to 1992 when the College was not the representative of the specialty, and to never become so comfortable or complacent to allow another organization or group to represent our specialty or determine our policies and activities.

I am optimistic about the future of our specialty but the College leadership must remain engaged in ensuring: that basic prosthodontic principles are learned and prosthodontic competency achieved in the predoctoral educational programs of our dental schools; that bright, caring and ethical graduates are recruited into our advanced prosthodontic training programs; that the College continue to provide quality educational programs for prosthodontic educators and our members; and, that board certification is encouraged and supported.

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ACP 39TH annual session

SAN DIEGO

NOVEMBER 4-7, 2009

Outstanding General Session speakers heighten conference success

Annual Session, *continued from Page 1*

The success of the meeting is thanks in large part to the generous support of the ACP's corporate sponsors including: Nobel Biocare, as lead meeting sponsor, as well as Ivoclar Vivadent, Procter and Gamble Professional Oral Health, Astra Tech Dental, Straumann, Biomet 3i and Treloar & Heisel Inc.

Among the Annual Session highlights was an Oral Cancer Screening Event hosted in a San Diego suburb in effort to help educate the public about oral cancer, which is diagnosed in more than 35,000 people each year. This year's meeting also combined a comprehensive scientific program, exhibits and social opportunities into one exciting event. Program topics included Occupational

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Friday night's Annual Awards & President's Dinner event honored the service of the Immediate Past President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre as well as the Awards of Distinction winners and the new Fellows of the College.

Saturday's Technology Forum offered interactive workshops where attendees tested the latest innovations in prosthodontics with hands-on demonstrations and mini-lectures from notable companies including: Astra Tech Dental, Dentsply Prosthetics, Ivoclar Vivadent and Materialise Dental. Saturday afternoon featured several sold-out workshops for dental technicians, practice management and a new bone grafting surgical workshop.

The ACP's 40th Annual Session will be Nov. 3-6 in Orlando, where the College will celebrate its 40th Anniversary. A highlight of the meeting will feature keynote speaker Malcolm Gladwell, New York Times best-selling author, who has written about his concern for access to oral health care in the U.S. Save the date to commemorate these exciting events in Orlando. For more information visit www.prosthodontics.org/AS.

Annual Session attendees enjoyed spectacular views of San Diego and historical highlights during the Welcome Reception on the U.S.S. Midway.



College honors bestowed during Annual Awards Dinner

President's Award



During the Annual Awards Dinner honoring Dr. Charles J. Goodacre, the 2009 President's Award was presented to Dr. John Holmes to recognize his outstanding contributions to the specialty of prosthodontics. Pictured here, Dr. Goodacre presents the 2009 President's Award to Dr. Holmes.

Dan Gordon Award



The ACP presented the Dan Gordon Award to Dr. David Eggleston for a lifetime achievement in contributing to the advancement of the College and the specialty of prosthodontics, dentistry, science and the health professions. Pictured from left to right: The award was presented by past recipient, Dr. Thomas J. McGarry, to Dr. Eggleston, with 2009 ACP President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre.

Educator of the Year



The ACP presented the Educator of the Year Award to Dr. Stephen D. Campbell for this academic dentistry achievement and contributing to the advancement of the specialty of prosthodontics, science and the health profession. Pictured from left to right: The award was presented by past recipient, Dr. John Agar, to Dr. Campbell, with 2009 ACP President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre.

Distinguished Service Award



The ACP presented the Distinguished Service Award to Dr. Ronald D. Woody for his long-term service and support of the goals and objectives of the College and substantive contributions to the specialty of prosthodontics. Pictured from left to right: The award was presented by past recipient, Dr. Jonathan L. Ferencz, to Dr. Woody, with 2009 ACP President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre.

Distinguished Lecturer Award



The ACP presented the Distinguished Lecturer Award to Dr. Kenneth A. Malament for his contribution in the areas of science, publication and education and his devotion as dental educator. Pictured from left to right: Dr. Malament receives the award from past recipient Dr. Rhonda F. Jacob, with 2009 ACP President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre.

Federal Services Award



The ACP presented the Major General, USA (Retired) Bill B. Lefler Federal Services Award to Dr. Gerald T. Grant for excellence in leadership, patient care and community services. Pictured from left to right: The award was presented by past recipient, Dr. Stephen F. Bergen, to Dr. Grant, with 2009 ACP President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre.

2009 President's Award recipient honored

(Excerpted from Dr. Charles J. Goodacre's speech at the Annual Awards Dinner in San Diego.)



Dr. John Holmes was born in British Columbia, Canada where his father was an Anglican Priest. His father served churches at different locations and one of the locations was near the Canadian Pacific Railroad line where John worked as a Gandy Dancer. For those of you who are not railroad aficionados, Gandy Dancers are the crews that work on and maintain the railroad tracks making sure everything is tight and replacing as needed the ties upon which the track rests and are attached.

As John grew up, it was his father who decided John was going to be a dentist and John said... yes, Sir. He had an outstanding career in the Navy becoming a Rear Admiral. In 1982 he retired and started teaching at the University of California, San Francisco. He served as Associate Dean for Clinical Services and then as Chair of the Removable Prosthodontics Department.

John, because of your lifelong commitment to prosthodontics, your commitment to the College from the time you joined as a Charter Member until now, for your friendship, and for your willingness to help Loma Linda when we had a special need, I am pleased and honored to present you with the President's Award.

Bob Elliott, one of our many outstanding ACP Presidents, appointed John to the Constitution and Bylaws committee of the ACP, he then became Chair of that committee, served as Treasurer for two terms, and then moved through the positions on the Board, serving as ACP President for 1989-1990.

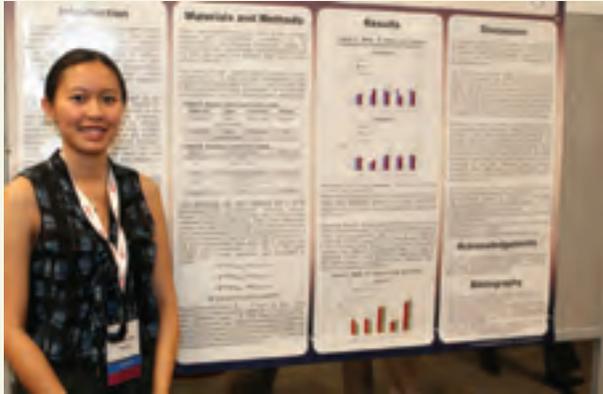
When John retired from teaching, he moved to Las Vegas. I remember talking to him at a meeting and asking him if he would be willing to come to Loma Linda and teach part-time in the Graduate Prosthodontics Program since it was a time we were in between program directors. John agreed and for several years he would fly in from Las Vegas and spend two days teaching in the program. He was always there, on time, and stayed in the clinic the entire time. You never had to look for him and he interacted wonderfully with our students, patients and staff.

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Table Clinic Winners

The 2009 ACP Table Clinics Competition was made possible by the generous support of Treloar & Heisel. Thank you for your support of the student table clinic program.

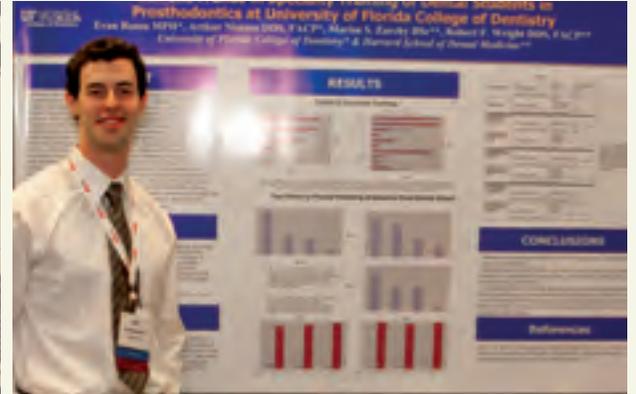
Student Competition



1ST PLACE AND WINNER OF \$500 PRIZE
Melanie Yuen, Harvard School of Medicine
Color stability of different denture bases in mouthwash

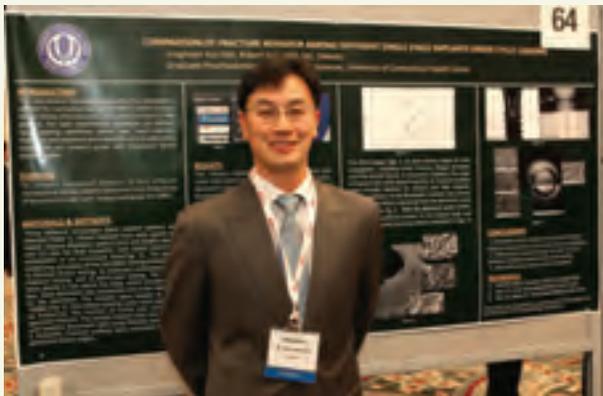


2ND PLACE AND WINNER OF \$350 PRIZE
Renee Bourgeois and Jacob McInnis, Louisiana State University
Zirconium oxide treated with readily-available materials for improved resin bonding

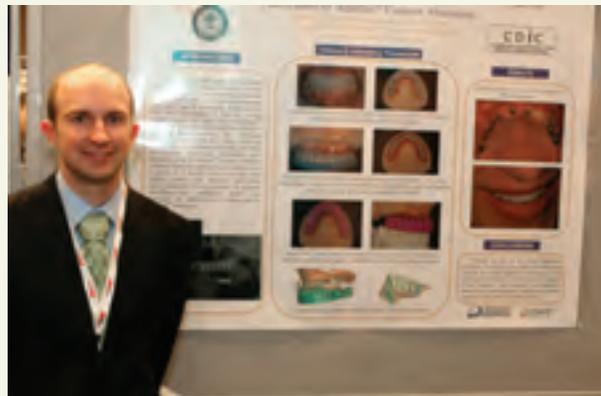


3RD PLACE AND WINNER OF \$200 PRIZE
Evan Rosen, University of Florida, and Marisa Zarchy, Harvard School of Medicine (not pictured)
Current Trends in Specialty Training of Dental Students in Prosthodontics at University of Florida College of Dentistry

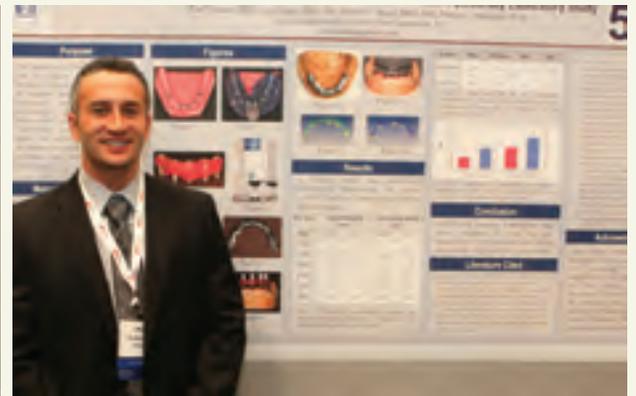
Resident Competition



1ST PLACE AND WINNER OF \$750 PRIZE
Dr. Junghoon Yoo, University of Connecticut School of Dental Medicine
Comparison of Fracture Behavior among Different Single Stage Implants under Cyclic Loading



2ND PLACE AND WINNER OF \$500 PRIZE
Dr. Matthew B. Hallas, University of Illinois at Chicago
Simplified Technique for Diagnostic Duplication of Finalized Provisionals for Fabrication of Atlantis Custom Abutments



3RD PLACE AND WINNER OF \$250 PRIZE
Dr. Riad Almasri, Nova Southeastern University
Volumetric Misfit in CAD/CAM and Cast Implant Frameworks: A University Laboratory Study

Research Fellowships awarded

The ACP and ACP Education Foundation are pleased to announce the 2010 ACP Research Fellowships, sponsored by the ACP Education Foundation.

Dr. Bethany Kronberg, Loma Linda University School of Dentistry
Title: Evaluation of Denture Plaque for the Presence of Pneumonia-Associated Pathogens in an Ambulatory Patient Population
Mentor: Mathew Kattadiyil, D.D.S., M.S.

Dr. Oliver C. Pin-Harry, University of North Carolina, School of Dentistry
Title: A Prospective Clinical Study of Fixed Four-Implant Supported Prosthesis in Edentulous Maxilla: Treatment efficacy and 12 months implant survival rate after prosthesis delivery
Mentor: Lyndon F. Cooper, D.D.S., Ph.D.

Dr. Aws ArRajaie, Boston University, Goldman School of Dental Medicine
Title: Effects of Processing Conditions on Mechanical and Physical Properties of Y-TZP

Zirconia Subjected to Low Temperature Degradation
Mentor: Russell Giordano, D.M.D., Ph.D.

Dr. Thomas Suranyi, University of North Carolina, School of Dentistry
Title: Variables in the Etiology of Porcelain Veneer Fracture in All-Ceramic Single Unit Crowns
Mentor: David Felton, D.D.S., M.S.

Dr. Kian Tan, University of Maryland, Dental School-Baltimore College of Dental Surgery
Title: Effect of Abutment Wall Modification on the Retention of Cement-Retained, Implant Supported Crowns
Mentor: Radi Masri, B.D.S., M.S., Ph.D.

Dr. Wenguang (Kaye) You, University of Maryland, Dental School-Baltimore College of Dental Surgery
Title: The Effect of Denture Cleansing Solutions on the Retention of Pink Locator Attachments after Multiple Pulls; an In Vitro Study
Mentor: Radi Masri, B.D.S., M.S., Ph.D.



Congratulations to the 2009 Fellows of the American College of Prosthodontists. Pictured are the ACP members in attendance at the Annual Session in San Diego who were able to be present for the group photo.

New ACP Fellows and Diplomates of the ABP celebrated in San Diego

American Board of Prosthodontics Executive Director Dr. Thomas D. Taylor, ABP President Dr. Kenneth A. Malament and 2009 ACP President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre recognized the new Fellows of the College who are also Diplomates of the ABP.

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| Dr. Abhey Bedi | Dr. Jeffrey Dee Fleigel III | Dr. Samantha Doran King | Dr. Benjamin A. Patterson | Dr. Galen B. Schneider |
| Dr. Avinash S. Bidra | Dr. Mario Gatti | Dr. Ahmed S. Koheil | Dr. Khoi Ngoc Phan | Dr. Christina L. Sheets |
| Dr. Rowan Buskin | Dr. Maria de Lourdes Gonzalez | Dr. Hyejim Kwak | Dr. Kwansiri Plengsombut | Dr. Seevan Gani Shoher |
| Dr. Pasquale Calvani | Dr. Eric Hall | Dr. Hamilton H. Le | Dr. Soni Prasad | Dr. Robert Edward Stover |
| Dr. Andrew Kuang-Han Chang | Dr. Donna Hecker | Dr. Kevin Loo | Dr. Preeda Pungpapong | Dr. Takayoshi Suda |
| Dr. Paul P. Chang | Dr. Jorge Mauricio Hervas | Dr. Farzam Maleki | Dr. H. Winslow Rogers III | Dr. Kazuhiko Tsuchiya |
| Dr. Maria Chartzoulakis | Dr. Theresa M. Hofstede | Dr. Duane Cary McNeil | Dr. Eleni D. Roumanas | Dr. Stephen Arthur Wagner |
| Dr. Sureeporn Charudilaka | Dr. Julie A. Holloway | Dr. Clarisse Chai Hoon Ng | Dr. Jennifer V. Sabol | Dr. Natalie Y. Wong |
| Dr. Woo Jung Amos Chi | Dr. Islam A. Khasawneh | Dr. Michael Oppedisano | Dr. Thomas J. Salinas | |
| Dr. Moftah El-Ghadi | Dr. James Kelly | Dr. Sergio Manuel Ortegon | Dr. Cade A. Salmon | |
| Dr. John Ference | Dr. Yong Jeong Kim | Dr. Gianluca Paniz | Dr. Donald R. Schmitt | |

Young Stars

The winners of the 2009 Sharry Awards Competition are among the best and brightest in the specialty. Each was asked: what is the best advice given to them during their residency and what do they value about their involvement with the ACP.



Paul Cashman, D.D.S.
University of Iowa '09

What is the best advice given to you during your prosthodontic residency?

The best advice provided during my prosthodontic residency was "Form follows function." It is closely followed by "Keep it simple, silly" and "Practice makes perfect."

These are not mind-numbingly complicated principles, and yet they can be so easily ignored or forgotten in the light of new materials, techniques and information. I am grateful to my faculty at the University of Iowa and MD Anderson Cancer Center for providing this rock-solid foundation upon which to base my chosen career.

What do you value most about your membership with the ACP?

My membership in the ACP as a student has provided unbelievable assistance in attending meetings, access to research funding, introductions to fellow residents and the opportunity to present to the College body on a national scale. It is not possible for any organization to do more for its student assembly, and for this I must thank the ACP for committing so much time, effort and funds to "the next generation." One must not take this for granted and I hope that this foresight on the behalf of the leaders of today will yield exponentially greater dividends in the generations to come.



Linah Ashy, B.D.S., D.M.Sc.
Harvard University '10

What is the best advice given to you during your prosthodontic residency?

One of the valuable pieces of advice I had during my prosthodontic residency was given to me by one of my

instructors. It was on the importance of clarifying the risk/benefit of a treatment to the patient before the initiation of the treatment, as explaining a treatment before it is carried out is an explanation whereas explaining the treatment after it is carried out is an excuse.

What do you value most about your membership with the ACP?

I appreciate being a member of the only organization recognized by the American Dental Association to represent the specialty of prosthodontics. I value all the benefits that the ACP provides their members with. In particular, the access to the most up-to-date knowledge in prosthodontics and the support of the development of young investigators.



Donald Ryan Cook, D.D.S.
University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio '10

What is the best advice given to you during your prosthodontic residency?

The residency program is difficult and requires residents to commit most of their day towards patient care, laboratory work and reading. Having a family that loves and supports you throughout this process is paramount. The best advice I have received in regards to clinical prosthodontics was that the most important step was the step that you were on.

What do you value most about your membership with the ACP?

The ACP allows clinicians to share techniques and experiences that may aid in patient care. The college also gives prosthodontist a unified voice that allows us to communicate to general practitioners, specialty groups and other healthcare groups.

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Call for nominations: 2010 Election

The ACP Nominating Committee is accepting nominees, reviewing candidates and selecting a slate for the 2010 Election, which includes the following positions: Vice President, Continuing & Professional Education Division Director, Education and Research Division Director and four Regional and Alternates Director positions – Region 2, Eastern; Region 4, Rockies/Plains; Region 5, Pacific and Region 7, International.

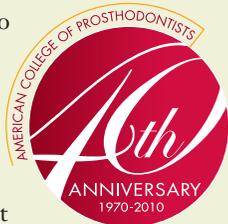
The call for nominations is open until Feb. 24, and all members have an opportunity to nominate an individual or themselves for one of the open positions. The Nominating Committee will release its slate of candidates electronically to ACP members on May 10. Members may submit additional nominees by petition from May 10 to June 25.

For a review of the job descriptions, qualifications for each position and further information about the 2010 Election, login to the Members Only area to www.prosthodontics.org and click on the ACP Governance link.

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John J. Sharry Research Competition call for applications



The deadline for abstract submissions for the 2010 John J. Sharry Research Competition is June 1. The ACPEF and the ACP Research Committee encourage all prosthodontic residents to submit their best work for this year's competition. The competition's goal is to stimulate research among prosthodontic residents. The ACP Research Committee strongly encourages all programs to participate. For more information on the competition please visit the ACPEF homepage at www.acpef.org and download the John J. Sharry Research Competition Call for Applications form.

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become a fan. If you are not a member, visit Facebook's homepage at www.facebook.com and follow the steps to sign up for your free profile. Once you've created your profile, search for the American College of Prosthodontists. Users may interact with other members as well as patients and friends, and may also view pictures from College events and learn the latest industry news.



Ms. Candice Haynes, manager of educational affiliations at BioHorizons, presented the company's gift to the ACP Education Foundation at the ACP's 39th Annual Session in San Diego. Incoming President Dr. Lyndon F. Cooper and outgoing President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre accepted with gratitude on behalf of the ACP and ACPEF.

BioHorizons' pledge to ACPEF aimed to advance specialty



STEVE BOGGAN,
PRESIDENT AND CHIEF
EXECUTIVE OFFICER
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BioHorizons emphasized its ongoing support of the prosthodontics specialty by donating \$100,000 to the ACP Education Foundation as part of the Vision 2012 Campaign.

"This is a very large gift for a company of our size, so significant thought was put into this decision," said Steve Boggan, BioHorizons' president and chief executive officer. "First, Candice Haynes, manager of educational affiliations, and I were impressed with the commitment of the ACP and ACPEF board members and staff to the organizations. Second, we understand the importance of prosthodontists in our market, so we already had a desire to partner with the ACP and ACPEF.

Third, we have wonderful relationships with many outstanding prosthodontists who are members of the College and encouraged the company to make a gift. Fourth, ACP and ACPEF are creative in developing innovative projects that mutually benefit their members and industry."

A global leader in oral reconstructive devices, BioHorizons, Inc. has three primary product platforms: implant dentistry, dental tissue regeneration and computer-guided dental surgery. BioHorizons is the largest and fastest-growing U.S.-based dental implant company. Among BioHorizons' primary goals in making the gift is to parlay the companies expertise to help impact the future of the specialty of prosthodontics including education.

"...we have wonderful relationships with many outstanding prosthodontists who are members of the College and encouraged the company to make a gift. ...ACP and ACPEF are creative in developing innovative projects that mutually benefit their members and industry."

"It is clear that attracting and retaining outstanding faculty to train future prosthodontists and conducting research are keys to the profession," Boggan said. "As such, we hope the gift will benefit the future of prosthodontics' education. Furthermore, we anticipate that the gift will continue to enable prosthodontists to expand their involvement in implant dentistry."

In the future, BioHorizons hopes to become more actively engaged with the ACP and ACPEF through participation in future Technology Forums during the Annual Session; with future Digital Technology Education Symposiums; and through the Clinical Evaluators Network. BioHorizons also hopes to support and be engaged with prosthodontic academic leaders and program directors.

"The future of dentistry and prosthodontics are very bright given the demographics of the aging population, tremendous unmet patient needs and the moderately low awareness of the benefits of technology such as with dental implants," Boggan said. "Together with visionary leaders at the ACP and ACPEF, the specialty will continue to grow and impact the future of dentistry."



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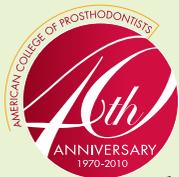


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NANCY DEAL CHANDLER,
M.A., R.H.I.A., C.A.E.



Share your stories to celebrate the 40th

Growing up in the south, I had the privilege of enjoying a large extended family life, filled with lots of delightful characters and wonderful storytellers. I have many cherished memories of sitting around my grandparents' dining room table after Sunday dinner – listening to my elders recounting and relishing their memories past.

Remembering the storytelling of my childhood has over the years enriched my life in many ways, and as I look to the year ahead, I am energized and excited about hearing the stories from our College's past. 2010 is the beginning of a year long celebration of the 40th anniversary of the ACP, and I hope that this occasion will stimulate lots of storytelling and story listening among our members. There is a Native American saying – 'It takes a thousand voices to tell a single story.' So send us your stories about the way things used to be, about why those were the good ole days, and about the events that shaped the College and the specialty of prosthodontics.

We will take this opportunity to honor our history and those 12 individuals who founded the College. Here's to the class of 1970, to our 338 charter members, to every past and present

ACP President, Board Officer and Director, and every Committee Chair and Committee member, to all ACP distinguished service recipients, to every member who has joined and renewed their membership, and to so many more in our great community!

I have a story to tell you. It comes from one of our charter members and current Alternate Regional Director to the ACP Board of Directors, Dr. Mohammad Mazaheri. I learned that Mo was the recipient of the first ACP's President's Award given by Dr. Noel Wilkie in 1986. That year, the Annual Session was held in Williamsburg, and unaware that he was going to receive an award, Mo left the Annual Awards Luncheon a bit early to play a round of golf. And later, he was surprised and delighted to learn that he had been honored in this way. Undaunted, Dr. Wilkie called Mo forward in 1987 at the San Diego meeting to honor his 1986 awardee!

The ruby is the gem stone that signifies a 40th anniversary – a stone that is said to possess an eternal inner flame which still burns vibrantly after four decades! So as we begin this year of celebration, tell us your stories...

Deal Chandler may be reached by e-mail at dchandler@prosthodontics.org.

Prosthodontic Champion: Dr. Kenneth S. Kurtz

My students, patients and professional colleagues inspire my career in prosthodontics. The clinical challenges that confront us daily in our practice and teaching clinics define our specialty. We communicate our specialty's expertise in research, dental materials and treatment planning, which allows us to provide comprehensive care to our unique patient population in the collective environment of students, patients and prosthodontic educators.

As I explain to my international students, prosthodontists are the "thinking dentists." They must have a familiarity with the treatments offered by our specialty colleagues, as often our patients are candidates for multidisciplinary treatment. Prosthodontists must embrace the role of treatment coordinators to direct our patients through their care via informed dialogue with our specialty colleagues. A successful prosthodontist is a successful communicator, fluent in the language of endodontics, orthodontics, periodontics and surgery. We provide the information that guides our patient's treatment decisions; it's critical that dental students and prosthodontic residents comprehend this aspect of our specialty.

The challenge of education is never-ending. I inform every prosthodontic resident that their training in the specialty is a gift, and it must be shared. I expect every one of the graduates of the NY programs to understand that part of their specialty is a lifetime commitment to teaching; it could be in a dental school, a hospital, a general practice or specialty program, but I expect them to give back



Kenneth S. Kurtz,
D.D.S., F.A.C.P.

some of their expertise to the next generation of clinicians.

A benefit of teaching international students is international travel. My wife, Debbie, and I have traveled to many different countries to attend weddings of former students. Skiing in the winter and sailing on the Hudson in the summer are a relaxing alternative to a demanding work week. Reading history is a year-round distraction from the dental literature for me.

Looking into the future, our specialty will grow and prosper in the next decade. Our program graduates will appreciate the unique skill set that their training provides which will allow them to evolve into successful clinicians. In the next 10-15 years, I believe aspects of several specialties will merge and that's why I am an advocate of surgical prosthodontics. We will always require the expertise of our specialty colleagues, but some levels of surgical care can and will be provided by prosthodontists.

Dr. Kurtz is the Associate Director of the Advanced Education Program in Prosthodontics and the Assistant Director of the Advanced Program in Prosthodontics for International Dentists at New York University, College of Dentistry. He serves as Director of Prosthodontic Research for Graduate Prosthodontics at Montefiore Medical Center/Albert Einstein College of Medicine and as Director of Maxillofacial Prosthetics for Graduate Prosthodontics at NY Hospital Queens. Dr. Kurtz also is the Attending Maxillofacial Prosthodontist at Long Island Jewish Medical Center and maintains a private practice in prosthodontics and maxillofacial prosthetics in New Hyde Park, NY.

Calendar of Events

FEBRUARY 2010

American Equilibration Society Annual Scientific Meeting
Chicago, IL
Feb. 24-25, 2010
www.aes-tmj.org

The American Prosthodontic Society Annual Meeting
Chicago, IL
Feb. 25-26, 2010
www.prostho.org

National Association of Dental Laboratories Mid-Winter Meeting
Chicago, IL
Feb. 25-27, 2010
www.nadl.org

American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics Annual Scientific Session
Chicago, IL
Feb. 26-27, 2010
www.fixedprosthodontics.org

MARCH 2010

Academy of Osseointegration 25th Anniversary Meeting
Orlando, FL
March 4-6, 2010
www.osseo.org

Proven Strategies for Prosthodontic Growth ACP Continuing Education Course
Baltimore, MD
March 19-20, 2010
www.prosthodontics.org

APRIL 2010

The Art and Science of Modern Dental Ceramics ACP Continuing Education Course
New York, NY
April 16-17, 2010
www.prosthodontics.org

APRIL 2010

Southeastern Academy of Prosthodontics Annual Meeting
Hoover, Alabama
April 21-24, 2010
www.seaop.com

Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry Annual Scientific Session
Grapevine, Texas
April 27-May 1, 2010
www.aacd.com

Marketing Your Prosthodontic Practice ACP Continuing Education Course
Los Angeles, CA
April 30-May 1, 2010
www.prosthodontics.org

MAY 2010

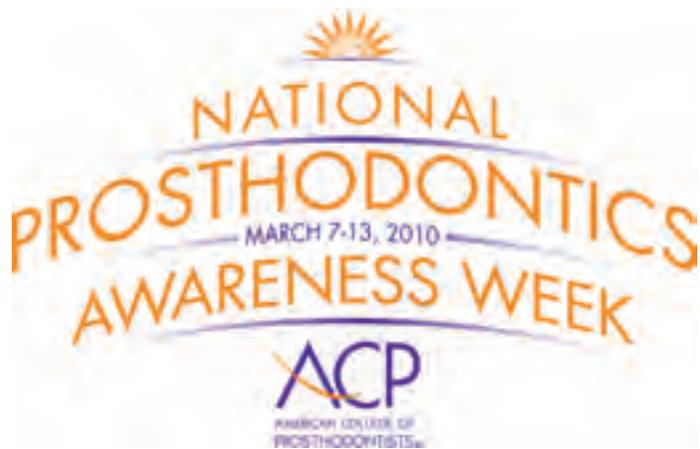
The Academy of Prosthodontics Annual Meeting
Santa Ana Pueblo, NM
May 11-15, 2010
www.academyofprosthodontics.org

JUNE 2010

Pacific Coast Society of Prosthodontics 2010 Annual Meeting
Napa, CA
June 23-26, 2010
pcsp.org

AUGUST 2010

American Academy of Esthetic Dentistry 35th Annual Meeting
Maui, HI
Aug. 3-6, 2010
www.estheticacademy.org



College set to celebrate National Prosthodontics Awareness Week Be a champion!

The ACP will kick-off the inaugural National Prosthodontics Awareness Week™ (NPAW™) on March 7-13. This week-long celebration will inform the public about proper oral health including oral cancer detection; will provide consumers with details on how to best care for missing teeth; will educate the public about the benefits of seeing a prosthodontist; and will encourage undergraduate dental students to specialize in prosthodontics.

With some 178 million people in the U.S. missing at least one tooth, increased awareness about proper oral health is critical. From proper denture care techniques to the importance of an annual oral cancer screening, NPAW™ will focus on facts and tips for consumers' best oral health care. Outreach by ACP members at the local level across the country is a cornerstone of NPAW™. A recent survey by the ACP indicated that prosthodontists donate on average \$25,000 in pro bono care each year. From hosting free oral cancer screenings to providing pro bono and discounted services in dental clinics and private practices, ACP members will be giving back to help promote the specialty.

Several ACP Sections have garnered proclamations from governors conferring National Prosthodontics Awareness Week™ in their states including: California, Connecticut, Illinois and Maryland. Prosthodontic Program Directors and Section Officers will organize activities and events throughout the week, and the ACP Central Office in Chicago will spearhead promotional outreach opportunities on a national level.

ACP members can download resources, event ideas and action plans from the ACP Web site at www.prosthodontics.org/NPAW. Weekly NPAW Tips are published in the Wednesday Wake-up Call™ e-newsletter, and members are encouraged to chronicle their activities and share photos, event recaps and details with ACP Sections & Governance Manager Nathalie Williams by e-mail at nwilliams@prosthodontics.org. Articles, photos and reports will be shared in future issues of the *Messenger* and on the ACP Web site.

In Memorial

The College and the Board of Directors remember the following colleagues who are deceased:

Dr. John F. Bowman Dr. David Joseph Seitlin
Dr. Arthur J. Krol Dr. Sidney I. Silverman
Dr. Donald E. Schwartz

ACP members get ink in New York Times



Dr. Robert Rawdin

Dr. Robert Rawdin and Dr. Steven Butensky, both ACP members and private practice prosthodontists in Manhattan, were interviewed by the *New York Times* for an article about an increase in the number of teeth grinders who are coming into their offices as patients. Stress related to economic pressures led to the increase, they said, in the article that appeared in the Oct. 8 edition of the daily newspaper.

Rawdin enjoyed the opportunity to be interviewed by and work with the *New York Times* reporter on the article. "I discussed how the poor economy is related to the increase in people who grind their teeth and break their teeth from stress-related grinding. We've seen an increase in the number of occlusal guards and also more full- and partial-coverage restorations due to broken teeth. We've definitely experienced an overall increase in how much people talk about everyday stress – losing jobs, working harder and earning less and more trouble sleeping." To read the full article, visit www.nytimes.com.

tificate in fixed prosthodontics and Master of Science degree from the University of Iowa in 1987.

Jones named distinguished alumnus



Dr. Richard E. Jones

The Indiana University School of Dentistry presented Richard E. Jones, D.D.S., M.S.D. the 2009 Distinguished Alumnus Award. The award recognized Dr. Jones' service at the national, state, local and specialty level. It particularly acknowledged his efforts in "ensuring the quality and integrity of dentistry" and cited his work in dental ethics and peer review.

ADA appreciates ACP member



ACP member Dr. Robert Ahlstrom received the Standards Committee on Dental Informatics Volunteer Award at the American Dental Association Annual Session in Hawaii last fall for his service to the committee.

Pictured with Dr. Robert Ahlstrom (right) is Dr. Robert A. Faiella, ADA 1st District Trustee.

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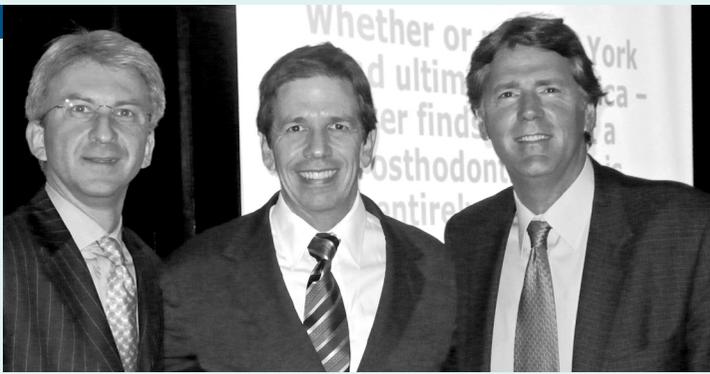
Taylor installed as co-president of international prosthodontic organization



Mrs. Margaret Taylor and ACP Past President Dr. Thomas Taylor celebrate his International College of Prosthodontists presidency during the Cape Town, South Africa meeting.

ACP President Dr. Thomas Taylor, was installed as President of the International College of Prosthodontists, along with Dr. Sang-Wan Shin of Seoul, Korea, during the organization's meeting this past September in Cape Town, South Africa. Many ACP members attended, as well as participated in the program. True to its international focus, this marked the fifth consecutive meeting to be held on a different

continent. Co-Program Chair Dr. Sreenivas Koka, a Fellow of the ACP, developed a scientific program which included a new forum for graduate student treatment planning and a special session dedicated to Maxillofacial Rehabilitation, both of which were well received.



ACP Region 1 Director Dr. Lawrence E. Brecht joins Stewart Gandolf, M.B.A., founding partner of Healthcare Success Strategies, and Dr. Robert Rawdin, ACP New York Section member, for the ACP Advertising Co-op event in New York City last fall.



New York Section Member Dr. Robert Rawdin talks with Lonnie Hirsch, founding partner of Healthcare Success Strategies, during the reception at the Union League Club.

New York Section hosted advertising co-op meeting

The New York Section of the ACP hosted a practice marketing consortium event for Section members to join together and create an ACP Advertising Co-op in the New York City area last fall.

More than 30 attendees gathered with the New York Section leadership for a reception at the Union League Club in NYC as Healthcare Success Strategies shared a presentation about the ACP Advertising Co-op concept.

“Hope is NOT a strategy and we cannot sit back passively during a recession,” said Stewart Gandolf, M.B.A., a founding partner of Healthcare Success Strategies. Gandolf’s remarks set the tone for the evening, where he presented with Lonnie Hirsch, also a founding partner of HSS. The interactive discussion focused on topics such as: the impact of the recession on dentistry and prosthodontics; pooling marketing dollars to help increase the visibility of prosthodontics and increase patients; legal and ethical marketing; and educating the public about the specialty and benefits of seeking care from a prosthodontist.

Dr. Robert Rawdin, a member of the New York Section, helped to organize the effort and is a point of contact for any members interested in cooperative advertising in the greater New York City area.

– Submitted by Debra H. Cohn, D.D.S. New York Section President

Oral Cancer Screening, continued from Page 1



Pictured from left to right: Drs. Charles J. Goodacre, Robert Taft, Jeffrey Rubenstein, Mark George, Russell Nishimura, Harold Gulbranson, Robert Gillis and Jonathan P. Wiens.

as screeners: Dr. Mark George, Dr. Robert Gillis, Dr. Harold Gulbranson, Dr. Russell Nishimura and Dr. Robert Taft. ACP members and staff also volunteered during the event to help register patients and monitor the crowds: Dr. Betsy Brackett, Dr. Brandon DeWitt, Dr. Rhonda Jacob and Dr. Terry Kelly; along with, Ms. Deal Chandler, Ms. Nathalie Williams and Mrs. Christina Wiens, who is Dr. Wiens’ wife.

The College greatly appreciated the support from Loma Linda University School of Dentistry including ACP Past President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre’s contributions in planning and facilitating the use of the school’s mobile clinic van. Examination supplies and giveaways such as toothbrushes for the patients were donated by Patterson Dental Supply Company and local mall such as Panera Bread® and Starbucks Coffee® generously donated food and beverages for patients to enjoy.

Welcome New Members

Welcome New Members (Approved by the Board of Directors during the September and December conference calls and November meeting.)

Members

Dr. Marjorie W. Barndt
Dr. Sameh El-Ebrashi
Dr. Phillip Millstein
Dr. Matthew L. Palermo
Dr. Michel Edward Raad
Dr. David Schneider
Dr. Michael Wright

Fellows

Dr. Ahmed Koheil
Dr. Saadat Safa

International Members

Eiji Hozumi

Student Members

Dr. Reem Abualsaud
Dr. Varun Acharya
Dr. Khulud Al-Aali
Dr. Mohamed Albuthe
Dr. Mosa Altassan
Dr. Bashar S. Ayyoub
Dr. Ashwini S. Bhav
Dr. John C.F. Chen
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Dr. Benjamin A. Geller
Dr. Inna Grishin
Dr. Christopher Helley
Dr. Scott Hollis
Dr. Andrea E. Jordan
Dr. Asmahan A. Khater
Dr. Sirisha Mandadi
Dr. Mamta Mehra
Dr. Alfredo Paredes
Dr. Kamolphob Phasuk
Dr. Osama Qutub
Dr. Manminder Sethi
Dr. Tyler T. Sorensen
Dr. Ambarish Walvekar
Dr. Alex Won

Academic Alliance Members

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Dr. Lora D. Graves
Dr. Gloria Fernandez-Ward
Dr. Adeline Yuh

Dental Technician Alliance Members

Mr. Arian B. Deutsch
Mr. Henry Husemann
Mr. JooSung Lee
Mr. Jeff M. Paulen

Global Alliance Members

Dr. Alexia Maria Arellano
Dr. Marcela Ibarra
Dr. Naoyuki Tsuchiya

Predoctoral Student Alliance Members

Ms. McKenzie Boyd
Mr. Michael Christian
Ms. Cassandra Jones
Mr. Austin Leong
Mr. Scott Recksiedler
Ms. Holly Shepherd

Membership Status Changes

Reinstated Members

Dr. Mark S. Bello
Dr. John J. Corino
Dr. Donna Deines
Dr. Emad Estafanous
Dr. Wayne W. Hsieh
Dr. Jay Huffaker
Dr. James W. Kim
Dr. Joseph Lim
Dr. Chun-Nan Lin
Dr. Sony Markose
Dr. An V. Nguyen
Dr. John Osterman
Dr. Stuart Shlosberg
Dr. Gyula Takacs

Reinstated Fellow

Dr. Abhay Bedi

Reinstated International Fellows

Dr. Subail Ali Al-Ghaffi
Dr. Seevan Shoher

Reinstated Dental Technician Alliance Member

Mr. Vincent Verderosa

Members to Active Life Members

Dr. Robert Davidoff
Dr. Grant Eshelman, Jr.
Dr. Robert Gillis
Dr. Glenn Turner
Dr. John Ward

Members to Retired Life Members

Dr. Timothy Avedovich
Dr. Rill G. Banks
Dr. Dennis Barnes
Dr. Rolando Bernui
Dr. James Commette
Dr. Charles Kass
Dr. Donald Mikami
Dr. Daniel Ray
Dr. Thomas Reddy
Dr. Thomas Vergo



Prosthodontic Forum convened in San Diego

The Prosthodontic Forum met during the ACP Annual Session on Nov. 4 with solid representation from member organizations. Participating organizations offered a variety of reports and discussions including topics such as the ADA Future of Dental Laboratory Technology Conference; dental laboratory graduates, schools and credentialing of technicians; CODA and prosthodontic accreditation standards; denturism; and National Prosthodontics Awareness Week slated for March 7-13, 2010.

Several motions and outcomes included a recommendation from the Denturism Committee to provide suggested changes for the ACP Position Statement on Edentulous and Partial Edentulous Patient Care (April 1, 2009). The Prosthodontic Forum tabled the motion until all Forum organizations have had a chance to review and give input by July 15, 2010.

In order to maintain continuity in representation at Prosthodontic Forum meetings, the Forum recommends each organization develop a formal protocol that elects one representative for at least three years.

A motion was approved resulting from a suggestion by the Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontics to create a standardized database to share benchmark information (e.g. membership breakdowns, percent change in membership, outreach support for dental lab industry, AV costs, etc.) among Forum organizations.

The Forum unanimously passed a motion creating a committee to frame an argument requesting a one-on-one meeting with the American Dental Education Association's Council of Deans to present positive recommendations addressing the issues from the last five Laboratory Summits and the ADA 2009 Future of Dental Technology Conference.

In order to maintain continuity in representation at Prosthodontic Forum meetings, the Forum recommends each organization develop a formal protocol that elects one representative for at least three years. Typically, the president of each organization serves as the second representative. Also, the Forum Chair will develop a standardized template for annual Prosthodontic Forum organization reports.

– Submitted by Prosthodontic Forum Chair Lee M. Jameson, D.D.S., M.S., F.A.C.P.



(Above) Representatives from Prosthodontic Forum Organizations gather for a fall meeting during the ACP's 39th Annual Session in San Diego. (Here) Dr. Gary Goldstein, past Forum Organization chair, discusses issues in dental laboratory technology during a report to the Prosthodontic Forum organizations.

NGS honors founding member with memorial lecture



Dr. Kenneth Malament accepts the Frank V. Celenza Memorial Lecture award from Dr. Vincent Celenza, Dr. Frank Celenza's son.

The Northeastern Gnathological Society selected Dr. Kenneth A. Malament as the inaugural Frank V. Celenza Memorial Lecturer. Dr. Malament presented the "Integration of Esthetic Dentistry and Routine and Complex Prosthodontics," at the Oct. 30, 2009 fall scientific session.

The NGS created the Frank V. Celenza Memorial Lecture in honor of the life of Dr. Celenza and to commemorate the breath of his contribution to the art and science of prosthodontics. The lecture honor is granted to individuals who exemplify the dedication and accomplishments of Dr. Celenza, who constantly inspired others to achieve beyond the expectations they held for themselves.

Dr. Malament holds just this dedication and commitment to excellence. He is a Fellow and Past President of the NGS. He was a close friend and protégé of Dr. Celenza, and like Dr. Celenza, he has profoundly affected the specialty and discipline of prosthodontics.

– Submitted by NGS President Dr. Stephen Hudis

GNYAP meeting garnered record attendance



Dr. Jonathan Zamzok

The 55th Annual Fall Scientific Session of the Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontics was held on Dec. 4-5 at Jazz at Lincoln Center in New York City. A record number of attendees, more than 600, enjoyed the beautiful venue overlooking Central Park, including more than 200 postgraduate prosthodontic residents and mentored students. ACP Past President Dr. Thomas Taylor was the recipient of The GNYAP's Distinguished Lecturer Award while ACP Fellow Dr. Gerald Barrack was recognized with the Academy's Lifetime Achievement Award. Dr. Steve Campbell presided during the two-day conference that included presentations by Drs. Avishai Sadan, Carlo Marinello, Ken Malament, Peter Wohrle, Terry Tanaka, Lars Bouma and John Sorensen, among others. GNYAP member and ACP President-Elect Dr. Jonathan Wiens spoke about the strong ties between the 55-year-old GNYAP and the soon-to-be 40, ACP.

The exchange of the presidential medallion from outgoing President Campbell to incoming President Dr. Jonathan Zamzok took place at a gala dinner dance held at The Boathouse in Central Park on Saturday evening.

– Submitted by GNYAP Secretary Dr. Lawrence E. Brecht

American Board of Prosthodontics news



Dr. Arthur Nimmo

ABP elects new examiner

The Council for the American Board of Prosthodontics is pleased to announce that Dr. Arthur Nimmo has been elected as the new examining member of the American Board of Prosthodontics.

Dr. Nimmo is a professor at the University of Florida in the Department of Prosthodontics. He earned his certification in prosthodontics at the University of California in Los Angeles. He achieved Diplomate status of the American Board of Prosthodontics in 1984, with subsequent ABP recertification.

ABP board exam surge

The American Board of Prosthodontics is pleased to report a significant increase in the number of applicants challenging the Board Examination. ABP Secretary Dr. Jonathan P. Wiens reports that during the past five years the total number of exams given has increased 200 percent. Registration for the Section A Written Examination is at a record high. The Electronic Exam will be offered at Pearson Business Centers across the U.S. on April 5. The ABP continues to offer the Section B Patient Presentation and Section C Scenario Examinations biannually, which are scheduled for Feb. 14-16 in Chicago and Nov. 7-9 in Orlando. For more information and to apply contact ABP Executive Director Dr. Thomas Taylor by e-mail at ttaylor@nso.uchc.edu or visit www.prosthodontics.org/abp.

RESEARCH LUMINARY



Carlo Ercoli, D.D.S., F.A.C.P.

Dr. Carlo Ercoli is Chair and Program Director of the University of Rochester Eastman Dental Center Postgraduate Prosthodontic Program. He earned his D.D.S. from the University of Siena, Italy in 1993. He earned his Prosthodontics Certificate in 1996 at the Eastman Dental Center in Rochester, New York, where he also completed a one-year training in Temporomandibular Joint Disorders in 1997. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of

Prosthodontics and Fellow of the ACP.

Dr. Ercoli's research interests are focused on the biomechanics of dental implants, cutting protocols for bone and tooth preparation, and on clinical and laboratory testing of dental materials and techniques. He and his team have focused, in collaboration with the Department of Mechanical Engineering and Material Sciences, on reexamining the way cutting tools (burs, drills, etc.) and rotary instruments are designed in such a way that better protocols, materials and techniques can be developed and introduced in the marketplace.

"I am fascinated by what I don't know," said Dr. Ercoli. "My mentors have always taught me to be critically aware that our knowledge is only temporary and the exciting part of new work lies in the pursuit and critical appraisal of new information."

The use of dental implants has had a tremendous impact in prosthodontics to date and will continue to do so in the future, he said. This area will continue to be the fundamental synthesis, the meeting point, of the growth that is currently occurring in the fields of biology, biomechanics and 3-D data management.

An extensive author and international lecturer, Dr. Ercoli is a member of the Academy of Osseointegration, the American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics, the American Prosthodontic Society and International Association of Dental Research. He is President-Elect of the APS and maintains an intramural practice limited to prosthodontics.



ACP Past Presidents who attend Annual Session in San Diego gathered for a reception to reminisce. Pictured from left to right: Front Row: John B. Holmes, Cosmo V. De Steno, Ronald D. Woody, Ned B. Van Roekel, Peter F. Johnson; Second Row: Arthur Nimmo, Bruce G. Valauri, Carl W. Schulte, Jonathan L. Ferencz, Nancy S. Arbre; Third Row: Thomas D. Taylor, Stephen D. Campbell, Thomas J. McGarry, David A. Felton, David L. Pfeifer.

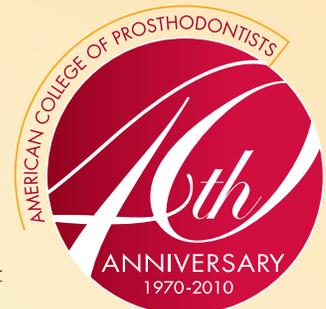
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been launched at www.prosthodontics.org/40. This Web page will capture photos, videos, timelines and more that color the canvas of our organization's landscape since its inception.

An *ACP History of the Decades and a Comprehensive History of Dentures* will be published online in honor of the College's 40th Anniversary. Task force members will be interviewing the ACP founders, Charter Members, Past Presidents and past leaders to record their notable accomplishments and perspectives, the challenges they faced, their advice for new prosthodontists and their suggestions to advance our profession.

In the weekly ACP e-newsletter, the Wednesday Wake-up Call™, a new monthly feature, "40 Facts for the 40th" kicked-off in January, and historical items of interest will be highlighted monthly, with additional information made available online. The quarterly ACP Regional E-newsletters will also feature 40th Anniversary photos and news throughout the year.

All of these exciting activities lead up to special recognition and events during the 40th Annual Session in Orlando on Nov. 3-6. Plan to attend this landmark conference, which will feature keynote speaker Malcolm Gladwell, a *New York Times* bestselling author, who was named as one of *Time Magazine's* 100 Most Influential People. For more information about Annual Session visit www.prosthodontics.org/AS.



The first membership meeting of the American College of Prosthodontists (ACP) took place on February 11, 1971, and was held at the Sheraton Blackstone Hotel in Chicago. It was at this meeting that the slate of officers was voted upon and the Constitution and Bylaws ratified.

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Arizona (Phoenix) – Prosthodontist wanted full or part-time. Associate position with possibility of partnership in North Phoenix-Desert Ridge area. This is a great opportunity in a growing, high tech restorative practice. Ideal location in multi-specialty building. If interested please email libdawg@yahoo.com.

Arizona (Scottsdale/Phoenix) – Well-established Prosthodontics Private Practice and Concierge Care Service. Located in beautiful NE Scottsdale by Mayo Clinic and Scottsdale Hospitals. Office is adjacent to excellent dental laboratories facilities and is located in a community of Dentists and other Dental Specialists. Please contact Dr. Fritch to discuss further details: (602) 689-0508; kentfritch@aol.com.

Arizona & Colorado – PROSTHODONTISTS WANTED: Opportunities available in CO & AZ, for part and full-time Prosthodontists with exceptional compensation. Call Dr. Mark Birner at (303) 691-0680, e-mail at mbirner@birnerdental.com or visit www.BDMS-PerfectTeeth.com.

Florida (Fort Lauderdale) – NOVA Southeastern University Faculty Position: The College of Dental Medicine/Postgraduate Prosthodontics Department at Nova Southeastern University, located in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, has a full-time faculty position available 7/1/2010. Major responsibilities include mentoring all Postgraduate Prosthodontic students in their clinical treatment of patients, didactic course work, laboratory work, and research. The faculty member will assist the PG Program Director. The position requires strong clinical experience and computer skills. Opportunity exists for research activities, participation in continuing education and intramural faculty practice. Academic rank and salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Requirements: DDS/DMD or its equivalent; Board certification from the American Board of Prosthodontics or Board eligibility in Prosthodontics. Implant surgical experience is highly desirable. Apply online to position #998215 at www.nsujobs.com.

A letter of interest, C.V., and three professional letters of reference are required. For additional information about this position, email Dr. Sharon Siegel, Chair of Prosthodontics Department: scsiegel@nova.edu

Illinois (Chicago and Northwest Suburbs) – Excellent opportunity for a prosthodontist/maxillofacial prosthodontist in well established practices in upscale neighborhoods – associateship/ partnership/ own. Please send resume to prosthoimplants@gmail.com.

Indiana (Indianapolis) – The Division of Prosthodontics in the Department of Restorative Dentistry at Indiana University School of Dentistry is recruiting for a full-time tenure-track or clinical-track position at the Assistant/Associate Professor level. The primary responsibilities for the position include pre-doctoral education in fixed and removable prosthodontics, although

participation in some post-graduate education may also be involved. Participation in teaching, service and patient care is expected. Research activity is also expected with tenure-track appointments.

Preference will be given to candidates with a DDS/DMD from a CODA accredited dental school. Completion of a Prosthodontic graduate program is also preferred. Evaluation of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Interested individuals should submit their application via e-mail to Dr. Jeffrey Dean, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, jadean1@iupui.edu.

All applications must be electronic and include a letter of interest, curriculum vitae and three reference letters. Indiana University School of Dentistry

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Kentucky (Louisville) – The University of Louisville School of Dentistry is committed to a contemporary and evolving clinical and didactic curriculum. In addition, the School of Dentistry is initiating a state of the art renovation project, including all patient care facilities, to accommodate an increasing predoctoral and postdoctoral student population. As part of the expansion, the Department of Oral Health and Rehabilitation is seeking qualified applicants for full and part-time Assistant/ Associate/ Full Professor positions in the Division of Prosthodontics. The position(s) are offered as tenure-track to those applicants with appropriate qualifications, or Clinical Track (Term). Candidates must possess a DDS or DMD degree or equivalent, and be eligible for licensure in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Candidates must have completed a formal training program in Prosthodontics. Responsibilities will include didactic, pre-clinical and clinical teaching in Prosthodontics and advanced procedures including implant, esthetic and digital dentistry. Candidates will also be expected to participate in predoctoral and postdoctoral course development and delivery and intramural practice. Research activity will be strongly encouraged. Preference will be given to enthusiastic candidates with evidence of scholarly activity and prior teaching experience. Successful applicants will be joining a department committed to a high-quality educational program with a progressive undergraduate, and developing postgraduate curriculum. ULSD offers an excellent benefit package. Salary and rank are commensurate with credentials and experience. Applicants should apply on-line and submit a letter of interest (indicating date of availability, and the names of three references) and curriculum vitae to:

Dean Morton, BDS, MS
Professor and Interim Chair,
Department of Oral Health
and Rehabilitation,
School of Dentistry, Rm 236
501 S. Preston Street,
Louisville, KY 40292
E-mail address:
dean.morton@louisville.edu

Minnesota (Minneapolis) – Fee for service group specialty practice offering full or part time practice association with long established group practice

(prosthodontics). Located in downtown Minneapolis. Office has fully equipped laboratory and six operatories. Full service of fixed, removable and implant prosthodontics offered. Three prosthodontists in group to encourage, consult with and aid transitions to group private practice. Compensation negotiated. Contact: Dr. T. A. Peterson (612) 338-8638.

Ohio (Columbus) – The Ohio State University College of Dentistry, Division of Restorative and Prosthetic Dentistry, is seeking applications for a full-time tenure track position at the assistant/associate professor level in Prosthodontics. Duties to begin as soon as possible and include preclinical and clinical teaching. Advanced training in prosthodontics is preferred. Applicants must be eligible for licensure in Ohio. An intramural practice opportunity is available for up to one day per week. Salary and rank are set commensurate with the candidate's qualifications and experience. The Ohio State University is an Equal Opportunity Affirmative Action Employer. Qualified women, minorities, Vietnam-era Veterans, disabled veterans and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. Send supporting documents to Dr. Robert Seghi, Interim Chair, Division of Restorative and Prosthetic Dentistry, Postle Hall, 305 W. 12th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43210-1267. E-mail: seghi.1@osu.edu or Phone: (614) 292-6068.

Tennessee (Memphis) – Memphis Prosthodontist (est. 1973) is seeking a technically skilled, patient centered, energetic Prosthodontist. An opportunity exists to become a part-owner of both the building and the practice. The facility is free-standing and contains 7000+ sq ft. housing the Prosthodontist-owner (Indiana grad), two Periodontal/Implant Surgeons (tenants) and one G.P. tenant. A second floor, 1000 sq ft in-office lab has 3 techs performing milling and sintering of Zirconia substructures utilizing the Zirkonzahn system. The second floor also has a 25-seat lecture/meeting room. The pros practice is essentially metal-free, grossing 1.23 m+ avg last five years. This is a very unique opportunity that the owner would have been thrilled to have in 1973. Resume by e-mail to HiDugh@aol.com. Inquiries: 800-430-9873 Mel, Office Manager.

Tennessee (Memphis) – The Dental Implant Aesthetic Center of Memphis, TN is expanding and looking for a full time Prosthodontist with experience in implant dentistry to grow with the Center. An opportunity for an equity partnership is available. If you are interested in applying for a position at the Center, please contact our office at 901-682-5001 or e-mail info@dentalimplantac.com. Our web page can give you additional information about our office and staff, www.dentalimplantac.com.

PRACTICES FOR SALE

Colorado (Front Range Area) – Long established, thriving prosthodontic practice located in top rated city. The only prosthodontic practice in wide geographic area. Seller is relocating and the practice is being offered at an exceptional price! 2008 gross \$695,000. Collections are increasing in 2009 with prosthodontist

working only four days/week. Call 888-789-1085 or email contact@practicetransitions.com or visit www.practicetransitions.com.

Maryland (Salisbury) – One man practice 23 hr. week. 40 weeks/yr., easy 400k. All lab work done in house by prosthodontist – gold, porcelain, removables. Needs affable young Dr. willing to work. 36 years on “the shore.” 1/2 way between ocean and Chesapeake Bay. Best sailing in the world. Great waterfowl, deer hunting, tennis and golf. Excellent place to raise a family. 3 Universities. Walk to work, lunch at home or with friends. Long term relationships with real people of all levels of life. Best opportunity for a long and happy life. Call Kennan Dental at (410) 742-4048.

Michigan (Grand Rapids) – Outstanding Fee for Service Prosthodontic Practice. Grossed in high 6 figures in 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008. On 4 days per week New building, 2,650 sq. ft. office, 5 high tech operatories, Digital cameras, Digital pano, Dentrax Management Software. New Tom 3-D Cone Beam Scanner in available. 1/3 fixed, 1/3 removable, 1/3 implants Full service dental lab on premises with Cerec In-Lab milling machine, Eris, Empress and Captek crowns. Staffed by CDT. Emphasis on dental implant treatment. Transition to early buyout. Dr. will stay as long as desired. Great Community. Rapidly developing medical service/research corridor. Van Andel Institute with 200 research scientists and 600 to be added shortly. Vibrant downtown, Michigan State Medical School, Numerous Local Colleges, Minor League Sports (Hockey, Arena Football and Baseball), Close to Lake Michigan beaches, Skiing, Hunting, fishing. Great place to raise a family. Take an “Office Tour” at our high tech web site at www.MooreSmiles.org Call Dr. Tim Moore in evenings at home 616-942-6838.

Michigan (West Wayne County) – This well established Prosthodontics practice is in a very stable, upscale suburban community. This is a cash only practice with 4 operatories. The seller has a great professional reputation and is willing to stay on for a period of time providing for a smooth transition. This is a great opportunity for the recent prosthodontic grad or another prosthodontist looking to expand their patient base. Full 100% financing is available. Contact David J. Dobbins, D.D.S. for details at (313) 550-6509.

New York (Capital District) – Restorative dental practice for sale. Great mix of removable, fixed, esthetic, and implant prosthodontics. Owner does not place implants, does no surgery, perio, endo, or ortho. Owner relocating. Practice for sale, real estate is also for sale, or can be leased. Contact rofeshin@aol.com.

Washington (Seattle) – Near downtown Seattle, surgical-prosth. implant practice includes: Charts, Equipment, Long-Term Lease, Implant Marketing System, Case Acceptance Training + \$90K Consulting Program, & 4,000 Prospects w/ missing teeth. Seller financing possible for qualified highly entrepreneurial minded buyer. 100% FFS. \$700K-\$1M on 2.5 days. SurgicalProsth@gmail.com

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It takes a village

“It takes a village” originated from the Nigerian proverb “Ora na azu nwa,” which means it takes the community or village to raise a child. It has been only two years since the House of Delegates (HOD), led by Dr. Richard Seals, voted to dissolve itself. That decision took a “quantum leap of faith,” but was a sound judgment based upon careful research, introspection and a vision towards what the College could become. As our new governance structure emerges from the chrysalis and begins to sprout its wings of infancy we can measure the wisdom of our decision and also realize the responsibility that accompanies it.

One of the most important aspects of the HOD resolution was not only to maintain, but also to strengthen the Sections. Your Regional Directors have been elected in a democratic process and have become fully engaged in Board of Directors (BOD) activities. Additionally, they have been in close contact with your state Section Presidents sharing the news of BOD activities and learning the needs of our membership in the process. As a direct result, the College has benefited by the new governance and nimbleness of the BOD, the interchange of knowledge and information between officers, directors and the renewed awareness by the membership. The level of “transparency” and trust in these interactions has been most gratifying. The collaborative spirit has created the impetus that is needed at the grassroots level to awaken us during our metamorphosis.

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The second measure is the development of a formal program to create a National Prosthodontics Awareness Week™ (NPAW™) on March 7-13, 2010. The ACP and prosthodontics has been officially recognized in Illinois by Governor Pat Quinn. The College is on its way to achieving a National Health Observance as other Sections subsequently attain the same recognition. This designated week, conceived by ACP Past President Dr. David L. Pfeifer, represents an opportunity to enlighten the public and other dental professionals about prosthodontics and prosthodontists. During the 39th Annual Session in San Diego, we held an Oral Health Cancer Screening that was open to the public, representing our first NPAW™ event. A total of 117 patients were screened and now they know what a prosthodontist is and appreciate the importance of regular oral cancer screenings. Can you envision the incredible potential here? This is the golden opportunity that we have been seeking. Contact your Section President and learn what she or he has in that magic NPAW™ Toolkit to do your part this March.

The third measure is the enormous attendance at our Annual Session. The educational program was successful because we attracted the best speakers with the right information. The Annual Session is the work of many, from the Central Office staff to the Annual Session committee and moderators; and, from the corporate sponsors to all the speakers and the poster presenters. Dr. Lawrence E. Brecht, 2010 Annual Session Chair, now has the formula for assuring the continuum of another exciting conference, the ACP’s 40th Annual Session, which is set for Nov. 3-6, 2010 in Orlando.

The fourth measure of our good judgment is the recently released data about: 1) the growth of prosthodontists’ income levels as reported by Dr. Kent Nash, et al; 2) the American Dental Association’s report of the substantive increase in the number of applications to Prosthodontic Graduate Programs; 3) the number of new graduate programs that are being contemplated; and 4) the number of new ACP Sections that are forming. Imagine a world in which every single person on the planet is given free access to the sum of all human knowledge on prosthodontics. Prosthopedia® is that open electronic resource with ACP Immediate Past President Dr. Charles J. Goodacre serving as Editor Emeritus.

What we are witnessing is the most incredible paradigm shift of our chosen profession. It is the “Ascendancy of Prosthodontics.” People are taking notice, other healthcare organizations are taking notice... we have done something both incredible and quite special.

It has been said that “It takes a village,” as it is not just one person’s efforts or one affirmed resolution by a House of Delegates. It takes “all of us” recognizing the need to achieve a shared vision of our future and nurturing it at the same time. The ACP has many “villagers” who were not named only for the lack of space in this column, but remain critically important to our success. It is rather amazing what can be accomplished when the creation of any event takes on the greater good that is more important than the recognition of those involved – Ora na azu nwa.

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