

# 2019 SLATE OF CANDIDATES

# VICE PRESIDENT CANDIDATES



#### Lars Bouma, DDS, MS, FACP

#### Letter of Intent for Vice President of the American College of Prosthodontists

Dear Colleagues,

I am deeply honored to be nominated for Vice President, and I am well-aware of the necessary commitments. Please know I am prepared to take on the challenges that this esteemed office holds. Serving as an officer; will demand a great deal of time, and I am fortunate to have the blessing and support of my family and my practice team. This is the perfect time for me to serve. It is with great excitement that I write this letter of intent.

Since becoming a member of the ACP in 1997, serving and leading the ACP has always been a goal of mine. I believe I am uniquely qualified and very strong choice for the position of Vice President. My career has spanned every avenue of prosthodontics including Full-Time Private Practice, an extensive career as an Air Force Prosthodontist and continued service in dental education. My positions on the ACP Board of Directors and many committees have provided me with insight into the needs and challenges of the ACP and our specialty. I will be able to provide continuity based upon my past Board service, especially as a Regional Director for six years and Continuing Professional Education (CPE) Director for two and a half years. I will equitably serve the College to the best of my abilities and in the best interests of the members of the American College of Prosthodontists.

Prior to my election to the ACP Board of Directors in 2011, I enjoyed serving in the officer ranks for my region in both the Nebraska and Oklahoma sections of the ACP. I was able to reengage the membership and initiate positive changes for both sections. Since then I have accomplished a great deal, and I have learned a lot during my service as Region 3 Director. As CPE Director I have been involved with all of the educational needs of the college from the Digital Dentistry Course to the Prosthodontic Review Course and the new Practice Management Course. One of my most challenging and rewarding endeavors was serving as the 2017 Annual Session Program Chair. I have also contributed to and been a part of the ACPEF for approximately 20 years, since early in its revitalization. This broad spectrum of different experiences and leadership opportunities will enable me to engage every member of the ACP and better understand their needs and help create a vision that supports their unique goals and desires.

I am excited about the changes and growth that I have witnessed and been a part of in the College and proud of the many friendships I have made along the way. I am hard working, articulate, and deeply committed to the advancement of our prosthodontic specialty. I would be honored to serve the ACP in a greater capacity as Vice President and the positions that follow. Thank you for your kind consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lars Bouma, DDS, MS

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Fellow, American College of Prosthodontists

Continuing Professional Education Director, American College of Prosthodontists

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In the 25 years since Dr. Bouma graduated from Baylor College of Dentistry, Texas A&M Systems

he has worked in the three main aspects of prosthodontics: Private Practice, Federal Services

and Academics. This experience along with the eleven plus years that he has served the ACP

uniquely positions him to understand the needs of the College constituency, as he can directly

identify with all segments of the college, including private practitioners, educators and residents,

and our military members.

After a General Practice Residency at the John L. McClellan Veterans Administration Hospital, he

was commissioned in the United States Air Force. He served two years as a general dentist before

he attended the Air Force Postgraduate Dental School at Wilford Hall Medical Center, Lackland

Air Force Base, Texas. In 2000, he received a certificate in Prosthodontics and a Master of Science

degree from the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio. After residency, he

was stationed at Offutt Air Force Base. During his six-year tenure there, he served as the Chief of

Prosthodontics, the Dental Laboratory Flight Commander, the Dental Support Flight Commander,

the Assistant Director for the AEGD Residency, and as the Regional Prosthodontic Consultant to

the Air Force Surgeon General. In 2006, after eleven years of honorable service, he resigned his

commission to enter full-time private practice.

Dr. Bouma's first exposure to the American College of Prosthodontists started in dental school

when he received the ACP's Outstanding Undergraduate Achievement Award. Since then, he has

been extremely involved with the ACP and has served on several committees and multiple

working groups. Since residency he has served in all officer roles for the Nebraska and Oklahoma

Sections. He served as Regional Director for the Central Region for six years and has organized and chaired the 2017 ACP Annual Session in San Francisco. Currently he is serving as the ACP Continuing Professional Education Division Director responsible for all continuing education courses for the ACP.

In addition to his service to the ACP, Dr. Bouma has also been involved with the Oklahoma Dental Association and the Oklahoma County Dental Society. He was Program Chair for several years, and served through the officer ranks ending as President in 2011. He currently continues to serve as a Delegate.

Dr. Bouma's current academic appointments and commitments include a part-time position as a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Advanced Education in General Dentistry (AEGD) at Oklahoma University College of Dentistry. Dr Bouma is a member and presenter for several private study clubs and for several Corporate Symposia.

Dr. Bouma has published on several aspects of Prosthodontics, completed research on the Accuracy of Non-contact Laser scanning in the Fabrication of Facial Moulage, and has been on the Publication Peer Review for the Journal of Prosthodontics. He enjoys lecturing and has lectured nationally and internationally on dental topics including Digital Dentistry, CAD/CAM abutments, implant bars, dentures (Dentsply Sirona Atlantis and ISUS, and Avadent), and Cone Beam CT (iCAT and VaTECH). He is a Fellow in the American College of Prosthodontists and a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics.

Currently, Dr. Bouma maintains a full-time private practice devoted exclusively to prosthodontics in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.



#### ACP Vice President Statement of Intent and Commitment

Throughout my career I have been very fortunate to have had great mentors. As a naval officer, mentors were a great influence to prepare me for leadership positions and develop a sense of "team" in how to approach problems. The concept of "we' or 'us" as opposed to "I" is very important in organizational leadership, and I have tried to embrace this concept as my leadership montra. As a prosthodontist, my involvement with the ACP allowed me the opportunity to meet and interact with not only my military collegues, but those in educational institutions, and private practice. I cannot be more appreciateive in what these interactions and freindships have meant to my growth in the specialty and how I approach patient care.

We have made great strives in the ACP to include our younger members. Initiatives from the ACPEF and he ACP have resulted in our recognitions as leaders in the education and application of Digital Dentistry in many ways thanks to the involvement with our younger members. This tech saavy group will continue to provide the energy and motivation to continue advances. I belive our future is bright in their hands. It is incumbent upon us to encourage new member involvement and provide them a voice in leadership as many of the issue we have been facing involve our new and emerging specialist.

We are a multifaceted organization with complex goals. We must decide which undertakings are most critical to us so we can focus our support, and allocate our efforts and resources accordingly. Digital dentistry is a great example of how we as an organization prioritized, resulting in our current leadership in the field. There are other issues out there such as educational debt of new prosthodontists, the continued growth of DSO's, specialty status, and US healthcare initiatives. It is important that as the representative organization for our specialty that we embrace these concepts and have open dialogue and stragegies to address these for our specialty, our members, and our patients.

I am excited about the direction and the future of the ACP and believe that I have the desire and the skills to be a member of a progressive leadership "team" that will continue to advance our members concerns and success in our ever changing environment for quality patient care. In addition, my diverse leadership experiences will directly impact my value to the college and I would like to be considered for the position of ACP Vice President. I have read and understand the responsibilities and commitment to the ACP Board of Directors and if elected, I promise my full commitment and dedication with a complete awareness of the extensive obligation of time and effort needed during the 4 years of service extending from Vice President through Immediate Past President.

# Dr. Gerald T. Grant

# Gerald T. Grant DMD, MS, FACP Biosketch

EDUCATION AND SPECIALTY CERTIFICATION	
BA, Transylvania University	1981
DMD, University of Louisville School of Dentistry	1985
MS Oral Biology, The George Washington University Health Sciences	1995
Certification in Prosthodontics, Naval Postgraduate Dental School	1993-1995
Certification Maxillofacial Prosthetics, Naval Postgraduate Dental School	1998-1999
Diplomate, American Board of Prosthodontics	2002 -present
PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	
Assistant Dean, Advanced Technologies and Innovation, Univ of Louisville	
School of Dentistry	2018
Professor, Department Chair, Oral Health and Rehabilitation, Univ of Louisville	
School of Dentistry	2015-2018
Adjunct Professor, Department of Radiology, Uniform Services Health	
Sciences University	2013-2015
Service Chief, 3D Medical Applications Center, Walter Reed National Medical	
Center, Bethesda	2009- 2015
Adjunct Professor, Department of Plastic Surgery, Johns Hopkins University	2013-2015
Associate Professor, Professor, Chairman, Program Director, Maxillofacial	
Prosthetics, Naval Postgraduate Dental School, Bethesda Maryland	2004-2009
Specialty Leader to the Surgeon General, Implant Dentistry and	
Maxillofacial Prosthetics	2004-2012

# TEACHING RESPONSIBILITIES

It the past 6 years teaching has been in support of resident research for the Navy post Graduate programs until retirement in 2015. Since then Course Director for Clinical and non-clinical Removable Prosthodontics, Course Director for clinical and non-clinical dental implants, Interim Director of the AEPP.

# CLINICAL PRACTICE

Naval Support Activity, New Orleans, LA	
general dentistry, prosthodontics, maxillofacial prosthodontics	1985-1987
Naval Dental Center, Okinawa, Japan-	
general dentistry, prosthodontics, maxillofacial prosthodontics	1987-1990
2 <sup>nd</sup> Dental Battalion, Camp Lejeune, NC	
general dentistry, prosthodontics, maxillofacial prosthodontics	1990-1993
Naval Postgraduate Dental School- Prosthodontics training	
general dentistry, prosthodontics, maxillofacial prosthodontics	1993-1995
2 <sup>nd</sup> Dental Battalion, Camp Lejeune, NC	
Prosthodontics	1995-1998
Naval Postgraduate Dental School – Maxillofacial Fellowship	1998-1999
Naval Medical Center Portsmouth, Portsmouth, VA	
Prosthodontics, maxillofacial prosthodontics	1999-2002
USS Eisenhower, CVN 69	
Department head, general dentistry, prosthodontics	2002-2004
Naval Postgraduate Dental School	
Chair, Maxillofacial Prosthetics Fellowship	2004-2009
Walter Reed National Medical Center, Bethesda	
Service Chief 3D Medical Applications Center	2009-2015
Faculty Practice University of Louisville School of Dentistry	
Dental Oncology, Maxillofacial Prosthetics	2015
ACTIVE MEMBERSHIPS	
Fellow, American College of Prosthodontists (ACP)	1993
American Academy of Maxillofacial Prosthetics (AAMP)	2002
President. 2016 -2017	
Advanced Digital Technology Foundation (ADT)	2008
President: 2017	

Member, American Dental Association	1981
American Dental Educators Association	2004
Louisville Dental Society	2018
International College of Dentists	2012
International Society of Maxillofacial Rehabilitation	2010

<u>CURRENT ACP COMMITTEE CHAIRMANSHIPS:</u> Maxillofacial Prosthetics Director, Digital Dentistry Task force Chair, Digital Dental Curriculum Working Group Chair,

<u>PAST AND PRESENT COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS:</u> Region 6 Federal Services Director, Scope of practice Committee, Position statement committee, digital dentistry symposium committee, science and technology committee.

### PRESENTATIONS AND SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES:

- Invited Speaker; 41 International Professional Annual Scientific Secessions, 38 other invited lectures
- Current and Past editorial boards and review boards: J of Prosthodontics, J of Prosthetic Dentistry, J of
  Oral Maxillofacial Implants, J of Dentistry and Oral Biology, J of Technology Transfer, J of CranioMaxillofacial Surgery, Medical Engineering and Physics, Military Medicine, J of Biomedical Materials
  Research, Rapid Prototyping Journal, J of Otolaryngology.
- Publications: 41 peer reviewed articles, 1 invited article, 4 book chapters, 1 book
- Patent Activity: 4 patents, 3 provisional

# **RESEARCH**

Current Funded Research:

TRISH award

- Creating Surgical Capabilities for Exploration Space Flight
  - o Co-investigator: design and fabrication of 3D printed surgical instruments
- Development of 3D Fab lab for space exploration
  - o Collaborator- Commercial Partner Tech Shot

\$8M Defense Health Agency Program funding- DoD/DHA Center for Bio-printing/fabrication:

 Recapturing Technology and Advancing the DOD for the Future of Military Medicine- Recently awarded as part of a program via a NON-Profit, Collaboration – Naval Research Laboratory, Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Uniform Services University Health Sciences, and University of Louisville

Internal Faculty Research funding:

- Accuracy and efficacy of External Scanning devices
- Accuracy of reported measurement techniques in printed dental casts.
- Accuracy validation of desktop 3d printers

Current Faculty research is done in collaboration with the Speed School of Engineering.

<u>AWARDS</u>: ACP Clinic/Researcher Award, John J Sherry Award for Dental Research, Major Bill B. Lefler Federal Services award, Judson Hickey Award for Scientific Writing- research, Abell Foundation Award, Tech Connect National Innovation award, Transylvania University Distinguished Alumni Award Military; Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service award, Navy Commendation - 3, Navy Achievement

# CONTINUING EDUCATION DIVISION DIRECTOR CANDIDATES



# STATEMENT OF NOMINATION

I want to serve as the Continuing Education Division Director for the American College of Prosthodontists. I am proud to have been a member of the ACP since 1992, and I want to contribute my experience in organizational leadership and stewardship for the advancement of ACP member education. I have ideas and the desire to contribute to the educational component of the current ACP strategic plan. I want the ACP to be the "organization of choice" for all prosthodontists. Our continued vitality is essential for the future of the specialty! I realize that quality education is necessary throughout our professional lives, and it uniquely defines the ACP. I want my fellow members to benefit from excellent educational opportunities.

I have demonstrated commitment and involvement in the ACP by participating in several committee assignments and one task force, as requested by ACP presidents. I have chaired the Prosthopedia Editorial Advisory Board and also contributed two submissions. I am currently a committee member on the Continuing Education Committee and Membership Communication Committee.

I contribute to the Educational Foundation.

I have been a leader in three dental organizations-President of the American Prosthodontic Society, a Department of Veterans Affairs delegate in the American Dental Association House of Delegates, and a member of the ACP Board of Directors. Experiences in these organizations have prepared me with the leadership skills necessary to serve effectively in the position of CE Division Director.

I can and have worked with others to achieve positive results, and I can make the decisions necessary for our organization to succeed.

I would appreciate the opportunity to serve the ACP in this role. Thank you,

John D. Ball, DDS, FACP

# John D. Ball, DDS UMKC School of Dentistry 650 E. 25<sup>th</sup> Street Kansas City, Mo. 64108

Dr. Ball retired in January 2013 after serving 37 years in the Department of Veterans Affairs-Department of Dentistry. He had been the Director of both VA Central Dental Laboratory (CDL) locations (Dallas and Washington, D.C.).

He also maintained a clinical practice as a prosthodontist in the Dallas VA Dental Service.

Dr. Ball was an Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Department of Restorative Sciences at the Baylor College of Dentistry for eight years, working in the pre-doctoral Removable Prosthodontic clinic.

Prior to relocating to Dallas, Dr. Ball was Director of the Prosthodontic Residency Program at the Houston VA Medical Center. Also, he was a Clinical Assistant Professor at the University of Texas Health Science Center-Houston Dental Branch.

In 1977, Dr. Ball earned a Doctor of Dental Surgery degree from the University of Missouri-Kansas City School of Dentistry and completed the General Practice Residency Program at the Kansas City VA Medical Center in 1978. He completed the Prosthodontic Residency training program at the Houston VA Medical Center in 1994 and became a diplomat of the American Board of Prosthodontics in 1997. He was re-certified in 2005 and 2014. Dr. Ball has been a Fellow of the American College of Prosthodontists since 1997 and International College of Dentists since 2001. He is an ADA active life member and was a former V.A. alternate delegate and delegate to the ADA House of Delegates. He was president of the American Prosthodontic Society in 2014. Dr. Ball has been the Region #3 Membership Director on the ACP Board of Directors for 4 years.

Dr. Ball is currently a Clinical Assistant Professor in the Department of Restorative Clinical Sciences at the UMKC School of Dentistry and will be promoted to the Clinical Associate Professor position in 2019; is the Removable Prosthodontics Section Head; and is the director for both the Complete Removable Prosthodontics lecture and laboratory courses. He is the co-director for the Advanced Prosthodontics course. Dr. Ball is a member of the Rho Chapter of Omicron Kappa Upsilon. He has been a prosthodontic consultant to the Kansas City, Mo. Department of Veterans Affairs Dental Service since 2013.

Dr. Ball has served the ACP in the following positions:

- 1. Committee member in the former ACP Membership Division led by Dr. Tuminelli
- 2. Task Force on Developing New Advanced Prosthodontic Programs 2013
- 3. Scope of Practice Committee 2013, 2014
- 4. Nominating committee 2018
- 5. Continuing Education committee 2018
- 6. Membership Communication committee 2017-18
- 7. Prosthopedia Editorial Advisory Board 2013, 2014; Chair 2016
- 8. Region #3 Membership Director-ACP Board of Directors 2015-2019
- 9. ACP representative/member on the ADA Commission for Continuing Education Provider Recognition (CCEPR) 2018
- 10. Editorial Review Boards of the Journal of Prosthodontics and Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry 2013-2019

Dr. Ball has held leadership positions in the following organizations:

- 1. Alternate ADA delegate for the V.A. 2001-2009
- 2. Member of the ADA Federal Dental Services membership committee 2002-2009
- 3. ADA delegate for the V.A. 2010-2012
- 4. American Prosthodontic Society (APS) Executive Council member and Table Clinic Chairman 2007-2010

- 5. APS Membership committee 2011-2012
- 6. APS VP-elect 2010-2011
- 7. APS VP 2011-2012
- 8. APS President-elect 2012-2013
- 9. APS President 2013-2014
- 10. APS Immediate Past President 2014-2015
- 11. Region #3 Membership Director on the ACP Board of Directors 2015-19
- 12. APS Graduate Prosthodontic Research Competition-Director 2017-19
- 13. Elder in the Sessions of both the First Presbyterian Church of Arlington, Texas and the First Presbyterian Church of Lee's Summit, Missouri.



# To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to formally announce my interest in becoming the next Continuing Education Division Director for the American College of Prosthodontists. I have read and understand the responsibilities and commitment to the ACP Board of Directors and feel that I have some unique skills and abilities that would qualify me well for this position. First and foremost, I have been intimately involved with dental continuing education for the past 10+ years in a variety of different roles. This endeavor began by being a lecturer and progressed to helping organize and run a CE institute and other larger organizational roles. As a speaker, I've had the privilege to lecture locally, nationally, and internationally in some of the biggest and widely attended stages along with speaking at all of the ACP CE meetings (annual session, educators meeting, digital dentistry symposium, and review course (this year)). This has given me great perspective to help increase my understanding of what is of upmost importance to the audience and attendees of these events. This understanding would assist me in guiding the various continuing education projects that the ACP is involved in.

One of these projects has been the digital dentistry symposium. I currently chair this program and have had great success working with our team to make this a successful meeting. I've developed a large network with many of our sponsors over the years and for this coming year, we have already gained over \$30,000 more in sponsorship contributions then we ever have had along with recruiting new sponsors to not only the meeting, but also to the ACP. I feel that these relationships and familiarity with our sponsors and my working relationships with the ACP central office team (because it is VERY VERY much a team endeavor) would help us to maintain and create new sponsorship opportunities to help sustain the ACP for years to come.

Finally, having been involved in digital dentistry for a very long time, it has taught me to think outside of the box relative to how things are conventionally done. In this vein, I think the ACP could look at new and unique ways of offering continuing education through a variety of different media to create different experiences for our audience. This could also be parleyed into strategic partnerships with other groups and specialties to further solidify our continuing education footprint and help our specialty grown and thrive.

Please except this letter as my official letter of intent to become the Division Director of Continuing Education. I'd absolutely be elated with a chance to help move our specialty forward in the arena.

Sincerely,

Mark Ludlow DMD, MS

#### Mark Ludlow D.M.D. M.S.

Personal

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Current position: Medical University of South Carolina

-Division Director of Implant Prosthodontics

-Associate professor

-Co-Director of Digital Dentistry Residency

Residency: University of North Carolina Graduate Prosthodontic Residency

-Master of Science

-Specialty Certificate in Prosthodontics

Dental School: University of Connecticut School of Dental Medicine

-D.M.D.

Undergraduate: University of Utah

-B.A. in Medical Biology.

**ACP committees and membership** 

2012- Present American College of Prosthodontics

-Member

2017- Present American College of Prosthodontics

-Digital Dental Glossary Task Force

2017- Present Henry Schein/ACP Digital Initiative

-Pilot School Mentor (Stoney Brook)

2017- Present American College of Prosthodontics Education Foundation

-Execution Team Chair (DentsplySirona project)

2016- Present American College of Prosthodontics Digital Symposium

-Chair

2016- Present American College of Prosthodontics Education Foundation

-Project lead and cooperate liaison

2016- Present American College of Prosthodontics Section President

-South Carolina Section

2016- Present American College of Prosthodontics

-Continuing Education Committee Member

2016- 2018 American College of Prosthodontics

-Parameters on Care Committee Member

2016- Present ACP Digital Curriculum Development

-Committee Member

2015- Present Henry Schein/ACP Digital Task Force

-Lead and implementation head

# Awards relative to prosthodontics

2018	MUSC Research innovator Award
2018	Judson C Hickey Scientific Writing Award (JPD)
2016	MUSC Outstanding Clinical Professor of the Year
2006	American College of Prosthodontists -Achievement award.
2006	American Academy of Craniofacial Pain -Achievement award.

# **Publications with the ACP/Prosthodontics** (Not a complete list of publications)

- 1. **The Current Impact of Digital Technology in Prosthodontics-White paper**. Cooper L, Ludlow M. American College of Prosthodontics, Dec 2016.
- 2. **Digital Dentistry Curriculum- For Predoctoral and Advanced Education in Prosthodontics**; produced by the ACP; Various contributors 2017
- 3. Evaluation of the accuracy of seven digital scanners: An in vitro analysis based on 3-dimensional comparisons. Renne W, Ludlow M, Fryml J, Schurch Z, Mennito A, Kessler R, Lauer A. JPD; 2017; 118:36-42
- 4. Transforming Lives: What a Prosthodontist Can Do for You- Case presentation 2018
- 5. Evaluation of the effect that scan pattern has on complete arch impressions using four digital impression systems. Lathim J, Mennito A, Ludlow M, Kelly A, Evans Z, Renne W. 2018 Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry (in Review)

### <u>Lectures given with the ACP or relative to prosthodontics</u>

-I lecture for CE events 30+ times per year and am happy to give you an exhaustive list if you would like. I have lectured at the ACP annual session each year since 2016 and am lecturing again this year (2019). I have lectured at 3 ACP Educators Meetings and at the ACP Digital Dentistry Symposium which I have moderated and chair. I will also be lecturing at the ACP Boards Review Course this year (2019) thus I have become very familiar with the ACP CE events.

-Besides these national ACP meetings, I have also lectured for the ACP in more localized events including the Florida Prosthodontics Association, the South Eastern Academy of Prosthodontics meetings and in other cross specialty group meetings (Academy of Osseointegration and AAOMS to name a few) nationally. I've also had the privilege of lecturing internationally to multiple prosthodontic groups including the AANZP (Australia and New Zealand's version of the ACP) Biennial meeting along with other national meetings such as the European Academy of Osseointegration, 50th Anniversary of the Gottenburg Clinic, Nordic Institute of Dental Education, to name a few.

# EDUCATION & RESEARCH DIVISION DIRECTOR CANDIDATES



31 January 2019

Nominations Committee
American College of Prosthosdontists

Re: Education and Research Division Director

Dear Colleagues,

This letter communicates my interest in becoming Director of the Education and Research Division of the College. My biosketch establishes my qualifications. I have read and understand the responsibilities and commitment to the ACP Board of Directors.

Most sincerely,

J. Robert Kelly, DDS, MS, DMedSe

**Professor** 

University of Connecticut

**School of Dental Medicine** 

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West Hartford, CT 06117

**Education:** 

1974 B.A. University of California at Santa Cruz (Chemistry and Biology)

1979 D.D.S. Ohio State University College of Dentistry

1985 M.S. Marquette University Graduate School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin (Dental

Materials Science)

1989 D.Med.Sc. Harvard University (Oral Biology; with emphasis on Ceramic Engineering

and Glass Science in a cross-registration program at the Massachusetts

Institute of Technology)

**Postdoctoral Training:** 

1982 -1983 Postdoctoral Fellow in Dental Sciences and Research, Naval Dental

Research Institute, Great Lakes, Illinois

1985 -1989 Certificate in Prosthodontics, Research Fellow in Oral Biology,

Harvard School of Dental Medicine

**Academic Appointments:** 

1988 - 1989 Visiting Scientist, Materials Processing Center Massachusetts Institute of

Technology, Cambridge, MA

1991 - 1999 Associate Professor, Naval Dental School, Bethesda, MD

1994 - 1999 Associate Clinical Professor, The George Washington University School

of Medicine and Health Sciences, Washington, DC

2000 - Professor, Department of Reconstructive Sciences, Center for

Biomaterials, University of Connecticut Health Center, Farmington, CT

2001 - Faculty, Institute of Materials Science, University of Connecticut, Storrs

**Professional Positions:** 

1974 - 1976 Researcher, Organic and Structural Chemistry Division, Battel Columbus

Laboratory, Columbus, OH

1982 - 1985 Researcher, Naval Dental Research Institute, Great Lakes, IL

1991 - 2004 Guest Scientist, Biomedical Materials Group, National Institute of

Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD

1999 - 2000 Commanding Officer, Naval Dental Research Institute, Great Lakes, IL

2000 - 2011 Director, Dental Clinical Research Center, UConn Health Center,

Farmington, CT

**Awards and Honors:** 

1985 Young Investigator Award, Chicago Section, American Association for

**Dental Research** 

1989 James H. Shaw Award for Achievement in Biomedical Research, Harvard

School of Dental Medicine

1999	Carl A. Schlack Award for Excellence in Dental Research and Post- doctoral Education in the Federal Services, Association of Military Surgeons of the United States
2003	Clinician/Researcher Award, American College of Prosthodontists
2011 – 2012	President, American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics
2014 – 2016	President, Academy of Dental Materials
2016 -	Chairman, American Dental Association Standards Committee on Dental Products
2016	Distinguished Scientist Award (Wilmer Souder) from Dental Materials Group, International Association for Dental Research
2018	George Moulton Achievement Award, American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics

For the past 18 years at UConn, I have mentored both resident, junior faculty and dental student research and teach materials science, biostatistics, epidemiology, evidence-based dentistry as well as teaching clinically. My leadership has been active and constant both within the US Navy, the American Dental Association, UConn Dental Medicine, and all professional organizations to which I belong – except the ACP. It is time to add the ACP; and Education and Research is the proper place. I have helped train 17 prosthodontic residents, 2 PhD students and 3 visiting professors. Many of the residents were winners or runners-up in the: John J. Sharry Research Competition, American College of Prosthodontists; Tylman Research Competition, American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics; Research Poster Competition, American Collage of Prosthodontists; and the Research Poster Competition, Society for Color and Appearance in Dentistry.

I have enjoyed continuous and generous grant funding from the NIH, International Team for Implantology Foundation, The Sjogren's Syndrome Foundation, Straumann AG, Vita Zahnfabrik, Ivoclar-Vivadent, Connecticut Innovations, and the University of Connecticut. To date I hold seven US and two foreign patents, with one more in process. I have been on 94 programs of prosthodontic and materials organizations – most of the major ones numerous times. To date I have published 87 papers in peer-reviewed journals, with many of my mentees as first authors.

For several years now, I have been Chairman of the Education and Research Committee of the Academy of Prosthodontics. This Committee oversees funding of resident research and a poster competition. Additionally, I was a member of the Research Committee of the American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics. This committee oversees awarding of approximately \$ 14 K to three to five residents and then, every year, they choose a winner and two semi-finalists from papers ready for submission.

If chosen, I will be very pleased to become much more involved with the College as well as getting more familiar with prosthodontics education and research within our community.



Last year I was appointed to the 2020 Annual Session Committee and at that time a discussion ensued regarding the status of where to put the Sharry Competition within the 2020 Program. I was somewhat optimistic that it would return to the Main Podium, but then discovered that this was not going to happen. So I sent an email to the entire ACP Board Of Directors and was told that my email had triggered some significant discussion, but a decision was made to place the competition elsewhere. I am sure there are reasons for this decision that were not elucidated to the membership. Therefore I have decided that I need to be an active part of this process to advocate for research as integral to our specialty of prosthodonics. Regarding the Division Directorship, I would like to bring an agenda with me containing a simple charge-advocate for innovations in Education & Research to advance the specialty:

- 1. Revisit returning the Sharry Competition to the Main Podium. Make it audience/electronically interactive to keep the crowd in position in their seats. The students and their mentors have made tremendous efforts-these should be shared with the broad scope of the membership, not just the few who jam into the small venue.
- 2. Consider eliminating the February Digital Symposium and place it into the Saturday of the Annual Session. Charge a separate tuition, but I think the commercial exhibitors might like having their wares in a hands-on display Saturday after shipping all their merchandise to the meeting. The regular Corporate Forum can still be conducted. A survey of the membership should be conducted to determine if this is something that is desired.
- 3. At a 2018 meeting of the ACP Council to the ABP I had suggested formation of a pool of "Mock Board Examiners" which could assist programs in better educating their residents with exposure to "non-homeboy" faculty critique. If it was regionally based, minimal expenses could yield a productive student experience, as numerous programs are small and I think they would welcome external examiners. An educational grant from the ACPEF could start the ball rolling in one region, and if a successful outcomes assessment results, appropriate expansion of the program. Recently, with the cooperation of the USAF Program Director, I arranged this type of external examiner exchange with the USAF/UTSA & Stony Brook University School of Dental Medicine. I hope to again bring this to the attention of the Council as this is my last year as a member of it.
- 4. If we think research is an important component of prosthodontic training, consider alternatives to the present structure of conventional research approaches. I have a number of ideas in this regard. One in particular was quite successful during my term as the GNYAP Scientific Investigation Committee Chair but was dismissed when submitted for consideration by the college leadership at that time. Being part of the process may yield a successful result this time around with personal advocacy.

I am not sure of the "skill set" that I can offer as I hardly consider myself a politician. However, I have served on many ACP & GNYAP committees and have experience chairing, so I understand the process and do understand that teamwork can move concepts into reality. I am hoping that with the support of the membership, we will actively seek innovations in research and education to ADVANCE THE SPECIALTY!

# Kenneth S Kurtz DDS FACP FRCPSS(Glasgow) FRCSI

Dr. Kurtz received his DDS degree from the New York University College of Dentistry. After practicing general dentistry for a dozen years, he received prosthodontic specialty training at Montefiore Medical Center/Albert Einstein College of Medicine and subsequent Maxillofacial Prosthetic training at the Columbia University School of Dental and Oral Surgery/Bronx VAMC. He completed the NYU Implant Fellowship, under the direction of Dr. Dennis Tarnow in 2009. Dr. Kurtz is board certified in prosthodontics, becoming an ABP *Diplomate* in 2005 and recertifying in 2014. He serves on the Editorial Boards of both the Journal of Prosthodontics & Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry.

Dr. Kurtz at one time taught simultaneously at three NYC area Graduate Prosthodontic Programs, serving as the Director of the Maxillofacial Prosthetic Section, NY Hospital-Queens, then NY-Presbyterian from the program's inception in 2004 to its closing in 2016. He also taught Graduate Prosthodontics at NYUCD from 2000-2015 serving as the Associate Director of the AEPP from 11/7-9/15, and ran the ABP Review Course which included residents from the NY-VAMC Graduate Program. Presently Dr. Kurtz is a Clinical Professor and Director of the Division of Maxillofacial Prosthetics at the Stony Brook University School of Dental Medicine and is the Director of Prosthodontic Research at Montefiore Medical Center/AECOM where he has taught since 1998. He is a Clinical Professor at the Hofstra/Northwell School of Medicine and an Attending Maxillofacial Prosthodontist at the affiliated Long Island Jewish Medical Center. He is a Fellow of the American College of Prosthodontists, and both the Royal College of Surgeons Scotland (2015) & Ireland (2016) He was honored with an Adjunct Professorship in the School of Dental Science-Trinity College Dublin, Ireland in June 2017. He has co-authored forty-two scientific papers and twenty-eight research abstracts and was honored as the 2014 ACP Clinician Researcher Awardee. Dr. Kurtz maintains a practice limited to Prosthodontics and Maxillofacial Prosthetics in New Hyde Park NY, "Academic Prosthodontics of Long Island." (AP-LI.com)

Regarding membership in the college, it began in 1996 but I had attended my 1st ACP Annual Session in 1995. Involvement in the workings of the college include: ACP House Of Delegates: NY State Delegate-2000, 2002-07, Public & Professional Relations Committee (03), Graduate Student Recruitment Subcommittee (04), Research Committee (06-13) Chair (10-13), Governance Task Force (07), ABP Task Force (07), Annual Session (13 & 19), Task Force for Organizational Review (12), Chair (13), National Prosthodontic Resident Examination Subcommittee (2015-present), and election to the ACP Council for the ABP as the Maxillofacial Prosthetic Representative (2015-19). On the local level: ACP-NY Board of Directors (2003-08), Vice President-04, President-05 Further leadership activities include serving on the GNYAP Council from 2007-10 and chairing many committees for that organization, most recently as 2017 Program Chair. In summary, my career has focused on clinical care, education and research. I have been very fortunate to maintain a hospital practice, teach at a dental school, conduct research, and own a private practice of prosthodontics & maxillofacial prosthetics. I hope that the career accomplishments listed qualify me to receive the support of the membership as I now ask for your support to elect me to the position of Director, Education and Research Division.



# LETTER OF INTENT

Date: February 28, 2019

Position: ACP Education and Research Division Director

Dear Colleagues:

I would like to indicate my strong interest in seeking reelection for a second term as Education and Research Division Director for the American College of Prosthodontists (ACP). My experience as Education and Research Division Director for the last term and Regional Membership Director of Region IV for two terms has been very positive and personally rewarding, with the contributed time and effort playing a significant role in advancing our specialty.

My career history, since my residency and graduation in 1996, supports the role of the ACP Education and Research Division Director. With regards to <u>education</u>, I have been involved with undergraduate prosthodontics education for the last 20 years, mentored or co-mentored 12 graduate students for their MS, MPH or PhD degrees, and have received several teaching awards. With regards to <u>research</u>, I have received funding as principal investigator or co-investigator from the National Institutes of Health, Department of Veteran's Affairs and several other agencies. I have authored more than 90 peer-reviewed publications, 60 peer-reviewed abstracts, 20 non-refereed publications, and chapters in three textbooks.

In the spirit of transparency, I would like to address any perceived conflict of interest between my current position as Assistant Editor for *The Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry* and my potential re-election for a second term as Education and Research Division Director for the ACP. Although *The Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry* competes with the ACP's *Journal of Prosthodontics*, I have managed this challenge during my first term without any conflict by following these safeguards:

- (1) Any research paid by the ACP/ACPEF that results in a manuscript must give the *Journal of Prosthodontics* the first right of refusal. Such research includes the current programs under the Division of Education and Research: (a) John J. Sharry's Research Competition, (b) ACPEF Research Fellowship, and (c) GSK Prosthodontist Innovator Award.
- (2) I excuse myself from the discussion and do not participate when members of the ACP Board of Directors discuss issues pertaining to the *Journal of Prosthodontics*.

By serving on the ACP Board of Directors for nearly seven years, I have become enlightened to the vision and direction of the ACP. If elected for a second term as Director of Education and Research, I would like to focus on two goals that further the ACP's vision: (1) developing a mentorship program for our experienced members who have not obtained board certification in prosthodontics and (2) developing a data bank of our membership's areas of expertise to empower the ACP leadership to approach our diverse and talented membership for position statements, ACP Spokesperson's Network, and further educational initiatives.

I have read and understand the responsibilities and commitment described in the ACP Board Member job description and Code of Conduct. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Alvin G. Wee, DDS, PhD, MPH

# Alvin G. Wee, D.D.S., Ph.D., M.P.H.

# **Education:**

•	Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)	University of Nebraska	2014
•	Doctor of Dental Surgery (D.D.S.)	Creighton University	2013
•	Master of Public Health (M.P.H.)	The Ohio State University	2005
•	Certificate in Clinical Research (NIH K30)	The Ohio State University	2002
•	Certificate in Maxillofacial Prosthetics	University of Pittsburgh	1998
•	Master of Science (M.S.)	The University of Iowa	1997
•	Certificate in Prosthodontics	The University of Iowa	1996
•	Bachelor of Dental Surgery (B.D.S.)	National University of Singapore	1992

# Career:

Dr. Wee has served in dental academics for the past 20 years, holding full-time academic positions for 16 years. His professional career started at The Ohio State University College of Dentistry in 1998, where he was promoted to Associate Professor with tenure in 2004. His academic career continued at the University of Nebraska Medical Center (Department of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery) and then at Creighton University (Department of Prosthodontics). Dr. Wee was the recipient of several student teaching awards and was the first national recipient of the American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontic's Claude R. Baker Teaching Award for Excellence in Teaching Predoctoral Fixed Prosthodontics. In June of 2014, he accepted a position as Section Head of Maxillofacial Prosthodontics, Veterans Affairs Nebraska-Western Iowa Health Care System in Omaha, Nebraska. He currently serves as Assistant Dental Service Chief and treats patients with complex oral rehabilitation needs, including those with head/neck cancer, facial trauma, and obstructive sleep apnea. He will join the faculty at University of Minnesota School of Dentistry, on 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2019, as a tenured Full Professor and Director of the Division of Prosthodontics.

# Scholarship:

Dr. Wee has received research funding as principal investigator (NIH R15 and NIH K23) and co-investigator (NIH R01 and VA RR&D) from the National Institutes of Health, Department of Veteran's Affairs, as well as several other agencies, totaling more than \$2.6 million in grant funding. His publications and expertise focus on the clinical translational aspects of color science with regard to teeth/skin and their respective restorative materials. With the receipt of the Prevent Cancer Foundation fellowship and an NIH K23 award, he has expanded his research focus to early detection of oral and oropharyngeal cancer. Dr. Wee has authored 92 peer-reviewed publications, 61 peer-reviewed abstracts, 21 non-refereed publications, and chapters in three textbooks.

### Service:

Dr. Wee currently holds the following offices: (1) Executive Secretary Treasurer for the American Academy of Maxillofacial Prosthetics and (2) Honorary Treasurer for the

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# Alvin G. Wee, D.D.S., Ph.D., M.P.H.

International Academy of Oral and Facial Rehabilitation. He also sits on the Board of Councilors for the International Society of Maxillofacial Rehabilitation and is chairing several committees in both national and international organizations. Dr. Wee is currently an Associate Editor for the *Journal of Otolaryngology – Head & Neck Surgery*, Assistant Editor of *The Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry* and has reviewed for more than 20 peer-reviewed journals. He has been invited to present more than 100 presentations both nationally and internationally on various aspects of dentistry.

# Service Specifically to the ACP:

Dr. Wee has been a member of the ACP for the last 25 years and during that time has served as a member of the Implant Committee, National Prosthodontic Awareness Task Force, Task Force on selecting the Associate Editor-in-Chief of the *Journal of Prosthodontics*, ACP Spokesperson's Network, ACP Position Statement Task Force, Nomination Committee, and Editorial Review Board for the *Journal of Prosthodontics*. He has also served Co-Chair of the ACP Education Foundation Annual Appeal, Vice Chair of the Task Force on Prosthodontic Diagnostic Index, Co-Lead of the Strategic Plan Member Engagement Work Group, and will serve as Program Chair for the 2021 annual session. Dr. Wee has also presented at the annual session in 2011, annual review course in 2018 and served as a moderator for the annual session in 2015. He has authored three position papers for the ACP: (1) **Wee AG**, Scruggs PE, Dixon DL: "Integrity in Prosthodontic Care", a (2) Scruggs PE, **Wee AG**: "Demystifying Dental Specialty Credentials", and (3) Agar JR, Bidra AS, Driscoll CF, Holloway JA, Nagy WW, Taft RM, Tuminelli FJ, **Wee AG**: "Postdoctoral Dental Education Matching Program (the 'Match')",

Dr. Wee has served on the ACP Board of Directors since 2012 as Membership Director for Region IV (Rockies / Plains) and is completing his first term as Director for Education and Research. During Dr. Wee's first term as Division Director for Education and Research, he has supported the six committees within his division and been their liaison to the ACP leadership. He has also developed research groups within the Division to carry out evaluations and projects that are helpful to the ACP, with the intent to submit such projects for peer reviewed publication. These projects include (1) Evaluation of Re-Established Prosthodontic Match Program: Program Directors' Perspectives, (2) Resident Intake into US Prosthodontic Programs over 10 years, and (3) Profile of US Prosthodontic Program Directors.

Given his record of experience and service, Dr. Wee is well prepared to contribute and serve a second term as ACP Education and Research Division Director.

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# REGION MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR CANDIDATE - NORTHEAST



The most important questions to ask of any candidate are: Why volunteer to serve the American College of Prosthodontists? and If chosen, what do you intend to accomplish?

My first experience with the College was in 1989 as a student member presenting a table clinic at the annual ACP meeting in Charleston, South Carolina. What set the experience apart was the spirit of camaraderie and professionalism demonstrated by the members and fellows toward student members.

I choose now to serve because I believe what is critical to the College long term are the generations of students who will pursue this specialty, and our personal support not only through the generous contributions of the foundation but by recognizing those skilled students and inspiring them. As Prosthodontists we are responsible to pass our knowledge and be clinical-educators. Our future Prosthodontic leaders may only be starting their dental training and they need our guidance as they evolve professionally.

I choose to serve because I believe that our specialty has been marginalized for too long by organizations that undermine our academic programs, offering shortcuts in many cases more in line with cutting corners then with professional integrity and excellence. I applaud the College on taking the lead in digital dentistry and I am excited for the direction our specialty is taking. I applaud the College for making surgical implant placement a part of our post graduate curriculum. Dental implant placement has always been "restorative driven". Who is in a better position for placement then dentistry's "master architects"? I choose to be a voice of advocacy for our speciality.

I choose to serve because "regional director" is a position and a title I will accept with pride. As regional director, my priority will be maintaining an active dialogue with my constituent college chapters and post graduate program directors. Representation is an evolving process of listening to and advocating for the needs of those you serve.

Through a lifetime of experience both as a private clinician and in academia, I believe now is the time to bring my experience to the table and to serve my College.

It is both my honor and privilege to formally announce my candidacy for the position of ACP Regional Membership Director for Region 1.

Best Regards,

Dr. Louis Franklin DeSantis

Dr. Louis Franklin DeSantis
Candidate for ACP Region 1 Membership Director

#### Bio sketch:

#### Academic:

- Graduate from Wagner College 1980 with a Major in Biology and Minors in Chemistry and Religious studies
- Graduate from the New York University College of Dentistry 1984 with a DDS
- Postgraduate Certification in Prosthodontics 1993 from Montefiore Medical Center-Albert Einstein College of Medicine

#### **Board Certification:**

The American Board of Prosthodontics 2008

### Academic Fellowship:

• The American College of Prosthodontists

# Honorary Fellowships:

- The Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontics
- The American College of Dentists
- The International College of Dentists

### Academic Appointments:

- Staten Island University Hospital 1993-1995: Director of Removable Prosthodontics
- NYUCD Advanced Education Program in Prosthodontics 1995-2000: Assistant Clinical Professor
- New York Methodist Hospital 2000-2007: Director of Prosthodontics
- NYUCD Advanced Education Program in Prosthodontics 2009- present: Associate Clinical Professor

Course Instructor:

Defense of the Part IV ABP Examination Journal Club- Evidence Based Dentistry

### **Professional Awards:**

- The Academy of General Dentistry Award Awarded as the outstanding senior clinical student 1984
- The Sigma Epsilon Delta Award of Merit Awarded for excellence, and highest honors in the field of Fixed Prosthodontics 1984

• The Bernard E. Rudner Memorial Award – for highest honors in family practice 1984

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#### Community Awards:

- The Les Trautmann Award- for outstanding contribution to the people of Staten Island 2008 Project Hospitality
- The American Legion Award for Humanitarianism and Patriotism Cespino-Russo Post #1544 and the United States Coast Guard 2015

#### **Professional Affiliations:**

- The American Board of Prosthodontics- Diplomate February 2008
- The American College of Prosthodontists Fellow April 2008
   Chairperson- The Committee on Public Relations
   Past Board Member- NY section
   Past Vice President- NY section
- The Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontics- Fellow 2015
- The International College of Dentists Fellow October 2004
- The American College of Dentists Fellow October 2005
- The American Dental Association Member
- The Dental Society of the State of New York Member
- The Second District Dental Society Member Past Member- The District Claims Committee
- The Richmond County Dental Society- Past President Former Board Member Lifetime Achievement Award Recipient 2015
- The Italian Dental Society -Past President Former Board Member

# REGION MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR CANDIDATES - CENTRAL



305 W. 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue Columbus, OH 43210-1267

February 1, 2019

Nominating Committee American College of Prosthodontists,

This letter is written to express my interest in becoming the Regional Membership Director for Region 3. I believe the American College of Prosthodontists plays an important role in the advancement of our specialty and that it is vital for members of the organization to volunteer to support the specialty through their involvement in the organization, its initiatives, and in addressing the challenges of the specialty. As a member of the ACP Board of Directors, I would embrace this great responsibility to serve the specialty and its membership. I believe I am prepared for the challenge and am writing this letter of intent to run for the position.

Over the course of the last 23 years, I have been involved in various aspects of the American College of Prosthodontists from minor roles such as annual session poster judging, presenting at the annual session to involvement as Chair of the Education & Advancement Committee. As a dental educator, my involvement with the ACP initially gravitated to committee work on the Education and Research Committee. Work on that committee led to collaborations that resulted in joint meetings with the Prosthodontics Section of ADEA. As Chair of the Education & Advancement Committee and of multiple Predoctoral Educators' Meeting Programs, I wascable to addresses many of the challenges facing dental education throughout the years. Rather it be through my faculty position as Chair of Restorative & Prosthetic Dentistry at the Ohio State University or the various offices I have held in the ACP or other dental organizations, I have a proven track record of leadership, which I will bring to the position on the BOD.

I have demonstrated my commitment to the Specialty of Prosthodontics and its promotion through the various activities in which I have been involved. My research publications include clinical outcomes assessment and quality of life for patients that are aimed at providing the prosthodontic clinicians evidenced-based information that could impact the clinical decisions of patient care. I believe I can represent both the private practice and dental educator constituents given I have practiced in a private practice setting as well as have been a dental educator.

Anyone who knows me knows that I am passionate about my specialty, that I am a hard worker, and that I am dedicated to the people and the projects that I take on. I would take on the role of Regional Membership Director for Region 3 with this same passion and dedication serving as a vital communication link between the ACP BOD and the members of my region. I would like to see more engagement at the local level. This can be done through improved interactions by region and by state. Listening to the needs of the membership will help both recruitment and retention of members. Engagement will lead to a value-added perception and improve participation at the regional level. I would like to continue to give to the specialty that provided me with a rich and fulfilled life. I believe I can contribute to the ACP BOD in a positive way.

Lastly, I would like to comment on the attributes I have and believe are important for someone who is to be a Regional Membership Director. This individual must be forward thinking and innovative, a person who is open minded. While being a strategic thinker is important, it is critical that this individual also be a tactical thinker so that things actually get done. I believe I possess those attributes.

I have read and understand the responsibilities and commitment to the ACP Board of Directors. Given the opportunity, I can meet the expectations of the office.

Sincerely,

Lisa A. Lang, DDS, MS, MBA

### Lisa A. Lang, D.D.S., M.S, FACP, M.B.A.

The Ohio State University

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#### I. Education

Aug. 2011	M.B.A.	General Business with emphasis on Health Care Management, Rawls College of
		Business, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX
May 1995	M.S.	Prosthodontics, UTHSCSA Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences, San Antonio,
		TX
May 1995	Certificate	Prosthodontics, UTHSCSA Dental School, San Antonio, TX
June 1992	Certificate	AEGD, Columbia University, New York, NY
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May 1991		Dentistry University of Michigan School of Dentistry, Ann Arbor, MI

#### II. Academic Appointments

Oct. 2016	Chair,	Restorative & Prosthetic Dentistry, The Ohio State University
	Tenured Professor Associate	College of Dentistry, Columbus, OH
Aug. 2012	Asst. Dean, Clinical Education	CWRU School of Dental Medicine, Cleveland, OH
July 2010	Chair,	Comprehensive Care, CWRU School of Dental Medicine,
	Tenured Associate Professor	Cleveland, OH
Sept 2006	Tenured Associate Professor	UTHSCSA Dental School, San Antonio, TX
Sept 2005	Associate Professor	UTHSCSA Dental School, San Antonio, TX
Nov 2003	Assistant Professor	UTHSCSA Dental School, San Antonio, TX
July 2000	Assistant Professor	UCHSC, Dental School, Denver, CO
July 1997	Assistant Professor	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
July 1995	Clinical Assistant Professor	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC

## III. Honors and Awards

2016	Selected to be included in the highlighted biographies in Women in Prosthodontics an iBook
	Publication, American College of Prosthodontics

2012 Mather's Women of Achievement Award 2012 Honoree, CWRU

Oct. 2008 Elected to the UTHSCSA Academy of Master Teachers, selected by the Academic Center for Excellence in Teaching, UTHSCSA in recognition of teaching excellence and scholarship.

Dean's Distinguished Faculty Award, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio.

2007 Elected to OKU Honor Society: presented by the faculty and Administrators of UTHSCSA Dental School to select faculty members and students.

2003 American Board of Prosthodontics (ABP), November 2003, 2011 Expiration date: 2019

The 1999 Annual Meeting American College of Prosthodontists, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Poster Presentation Competition. Kunavisarut C, Lang LA, Felton DA, and Yang HS. Finite Element Analysis of Dental Implant-Supported Prostheses without Passive Fit.

American College of Prosthodontists/ESPE Research Fellowship in Fixed Prosthodontics

American College of Prosthodontists/Procter and Gamble Research Fellowship in Complete Denture Prosthodontics

1994 American College of Prosthodontists/Procter and Gamble Research Fellowship in Complete Denture Prosthodontics

# IV. Leadership in the ACP

•	. Leadership in the ACP		
	2017-2019	ACP Predoctoral Educator's Program Chair, American College of Prosthodontists	
	2017-18	Member, American College of Prosthodontists Task Force on Developing New Advanced	
		Prosthodontics Programs	
	2016-present	Chair, ACP Predoctoral Education Committee, American College of Prosthodontists	
	2010-present	Member, Task Force on Occlusion Education, American College of Prosthodontists	
	2006-2009	Chair, Center for Prosthodontic Education, American College of Prosthodontists	
	2003-2006	Chair, Education & Advancement Committee, American College of Prosthodontists	
	1995-2003	Member, Research & Education Committee, American College of Prosthodontists	
	1995 - present	Active Member, American College of Prosthodontists (fellow since 2003)	

#### V. CE organized for the ACP:

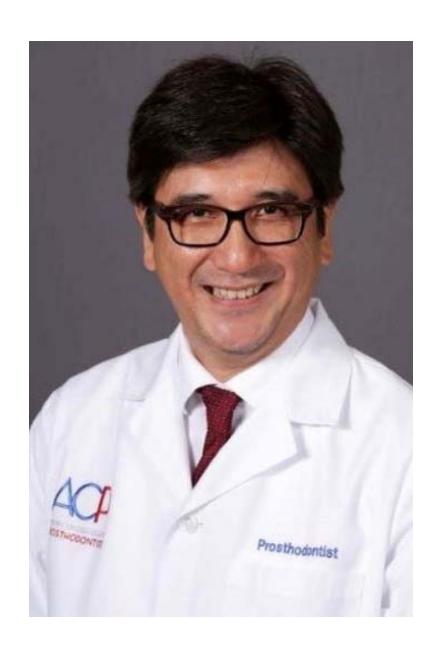
- Oct. 31, 2018 ACP Predoctoral Educator's Program Chair, American College of Prosthodontists, "Digital Dentistry in Predoctoral Education", Baltimore, MD
- April 13-4, 2018 ACP Predoctoral Educator's Program Chair, American College of Prosthodontists, "Calibration in Predoctoral Education", Chicago, IL
- Nov. 1, 2017 ACP Predoctoral Educator's Program Chair, American College of Prosthodontists, "Assessing Competency in Predoctoral Education", San Francisco, CA.
- April 7-8, 2017 ACP Predoctoral Educator's Program Chair, American College of Prosthodontists, "Developing Implant Competency in Predoctoral Education", Chicago, IL
- November 2012 Poster Presentation Judge, American College of Prosthodontics 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, November 2012
- April 8-10, 2010 American College of Prosthodontists Invitational Joint Educators' Conference in Evidence Based Dentistry, Chicago, IL, Predoctoral Educators, Program Chair.
- Nov 2008 ADEA Prosthodontics section and the ACP Predoctoral Educators and the Graduate Educators/Mentors Program was held in Nashville, TN
- March 4, 2005 American College of Prosthodontists Pre- American Dental Education Association Symposium Baltimore, MD, "Enhancing Learning through an Electronic prosthodontic Curriculum".
- March 4-5, 2004 American College of Prosthodontists / American Dental Education Association Pre-Symposium, Seattle, WA, Creating a New Vision for Prosthodontic Education

#### VI. Invited Lectures within the ACP

- April 2017 "Developing Implant Competency Measurement", ACP Predoctoral Educators' Conference, Chicago, IL
- April 8-10, 2010 American College of Prosthodontists Invitational Joint Educators' Conference in Evidence Based Dentistry, Chicago, IL, "Outcomes Assessment: Measuring Curricular Change".
- April 8-10, 2010 American College of Prosthodontists Invitational Joint Educators' Conference in Evidence Based Dentistry, Chicago, IL, "Development of the Ideal Occlusion Curriculum in Predoctoral Education".
- April 8-10, 2010 American College of Prosthodontists Invitational Joint Educators' Conference in Evidence Based Dentistry, Chicago, IL, "SWOT Analysis of Occlusion in the Predoctoral Dental curriculum"
- Nov 17-9, 2005 Speaker, The American College of Prosthodontists Prosthodontic Review Course, Nov 18-20, 2004 *Mechanisms of Screw Tightening & Preload*, Chicago IL. Nov 13-15, 2003
- Nov 3, 2001 The Nuts & Bolts of the Abutment-Implant Connection, American College of Prosthodontists Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA Oct 31- Nov 3, 2001.
- February 1994 *The Procera System: Electrical Discharge Machining & Copy Milling*, presentation, South Texas Section Meeting of the American College of Prosthodontists, San Antonio, TX.

# VI. Publications connected to the ACP

- Fundamentals of Occlusion. Ed. Weins, Jonathon–iBook Publication sponsored by American College of Prosthodontics. October 2015. Coauthored Chapter 3 – Occlusal Instruments & Chapter 9 – Removable Prosthodontic Occlusion
- 2. \*Lee DJ, Wiens JP, Ference J, Donatelli D, Smith RM, Dye BD, Obrez A, **Lang LA**. Assessment of Occlusion Curriculum in Predoctoral Dental Education: Report from ACP Task Force on Occlusion Education. J of Prosthod 2012:21:225-231.
- 3. \*Lang LA, Holmes DC, Passon C, Trombley RM, Astroth JD, Tavel AF. Introducing dental students to clinical patient care: the Complete Denture Prosthodontics Transition Clinic. J Prosthod 2003:12(3):206-10.
- 4. \*Kunavisarut C, **Lang LA**, Stoner BR, and Felton DA. Finite Element Analysis on Dental Implant-supported Prostheses without Passive fit. J. Prosthodont 2002:11:30-40.
- 5. \*Lang LA, Mattie PA, Rawls HR. The Effect of Triphenyl Bismuth on the Radiopacity and Performance Properties of Flask- and Injection-molded Denture Resins. J Prosthod 2000:9:23-29.



Chicago, February 15, 2019

Dear Dr. Robert M. Taft DDS, FACP ACP Nominating Committee Chair

Dear Dr. Taft,

I would like this letter to serve as my letter of nomination for Regional Membership Director-Region 3 Central. I have served as ACP Research and Education Committee, judge for ACP table clinic as well as ACP Sharry Award since 2013. Recently, I have served as editor for e-book "Women in Prosthodontics" published by ACP.

Region 3 Central has many members and Advanced Prosthodontic Programs (APP). It is one of my goals to strengthen the bonding and collaboration between APPs in region 3 by having synergistic events. Further, creating a yearly Region 3 newsletter to spread the news from members and each APP is another opportunity as well.

I am an organized, enthusiastic and diligent individual. I am genuinely committed to our specialty and its advancement. I have served in other organizations such as the IADR prosthodontic section and ADEA. All of these leadership experiences from other organizations have prepared me for the leadership necessary to serve effectively in this ACP honor position. I can synergize effectively with other members to achieve positive results for our organization to shine. It would be a privilege to serve as Regional Membership Director-Region 3 Central and continue to contribute to its evolvement. With my experience in education, service, and research, I hope to have the opportunity to serve our specialty organization.

I have read and understand the responsibilities and commitment described in the ACP Board member job description and code of conduct.

Please feel free to contact me, should you require any additional information or documentation to formalize this nomination. Thank you for your consideration.

Best Regards,

Cortino Sukotjo DDS, Ph.D., MMSc

Diplomate, American Board of Prosthodontics

Fellow, American College of Prosthodontics

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Dr. Cortino Sukotjo is a tenured Associate Professor at the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC), College of Dentistry (COD). He also holds an adjunct appointment in the Department of Biomedical Engineering at UIC and Department of Mechanical Engineering at Michigan Technological University, Dr. Sukotjo received his DDS Degree from the Padjadjaran University, Indonesia, followed by Ph.D. in Oral Biology from the University of California at Los Angeles and Certificate in Prosthodontics-Master in Medical Sciences from Harvard School of Dental Medicine. Currently, he is pursuing a Master of Health Professional Education (MHPE) at the Department of Medical Education, College of Medicine, UIC. He is a Diplomate of the American Board Certified Prosthodontics, Fellow of the American College of Prosthodontists (ACP), Associate Fellow of the Academy of Prosthodontics. Previously he was a member of the ADEA Policy Center of Educational Research and Analysis Committee, ADEA/William J. Gies Foundation Education Fellow, and Past President of the IADR/AADR Prosthodontic Research Group. He was recently awarded as the Clinician/Researcher Award by ACP, Best Research Mentor of the year by UIC-COD and was the past recipient of the ACP Young Prosthodontist Innovator Award. He has served as member of ACP Research and Education Committee. He has previously served as an editorial board member of Journal of Dental Education and Journal of Prosthodontics, a judge for the ACP Sharry Award and the IADR Prosthodontics Awards competition. Dr. Sukotjo has coauthored more than 130 peer-reviewed articles and 6 book chapters. He is one of the editors for e-book Women in Prosthodontics, published by ACP. He has mentored 78 predoctoral, resident, master's, and Ph.D. students as well as junior faculty members, many of whom have received local and national research awards.

# Activities within the American College of Prosthodontics (Membership since 2002)

2002 procent	24 publications in the <i>Journal of Prosthodontics</i>
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2008-2013	Section Editor for the Journal of Prosthodontics
2015	2 <sup>nd</sup> place (Resident competition) John J. Sharry Award, Title: A Novel Silver-
	Embedded Titania Nanotubular Implant Surface. Role: Primary Advisor
2015	1 <sup>st</sup> Place (Resident Poster competition), Title: Wear and corrosion at the titanium-
	zirconia implant abutment interface. Role: Primary Advisor
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place (Dental student Poster competition), Title: Utilizing digital workflow to
	restore single tooth implants in a predoctoral setting. Role: Primary Advisor
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Place (Dental student Poster competition), Title: Assessing the impact of
	limiting adult dental Medicaid benefits on prosthodontic procedures completed at
	the UIC COD predoctoral clinic. Role: Primary Advisor
2016	1 <sup>st</sup> Place (Resident competition) John J. Sharry Award, Title: Wear and corrosion
	at the titanium-zirconia implant abutment interface Role: Primary Advisor
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place (Resident competition) John J. Sharry Award, Title: Prosthetic
	Complications of Implant-Supported full arch prostheses: A comparison. Role:
	Primary Advisor
2017	Women in Prosthodontics (e-book)
2018	American College of Prosthodontists Education Foundation (ACPEF), Title:
	Determining the Perceptibility and Acceptability Threshold of the Relative

Translucency Parameter for Porcelain Crowns. Role: Primary Advisor

2018 American College of Prosthodontists Education Foundation (ACPEF), Title: Effect of Nano Ceramic Coating on Color Acceptability and Perceptibility of Polymethylmethacrylate: In Vitro and Clinical Study. Role: Primary Advisor

# Leadership Activities external to the American College of Prosthodontists

2011-2014	Editorial Review Board for the Journal of Dental Education
2010-2012	Secretary/Treasurer for IADR/AADR Prosthodontic Research Group
2013	President-Elect for IADR/AADR Prosthodontic Research Group
2013-present	ad-hoc reviewer for IADR Prosthodontic Research Group: Pre-prosthodontics
	regenerative science award
2013-present	ad-hoc reviewer for IADR Prosthodontic Research Group: Student Research
	Fellowship
2012-present	Judge for IADR Prosthodontic Research Group: Frechette award
2014-present	ad-hoc reviewer for ADEA Annual Session & Exhibition session proposals
2014-2017	ADEA Policy Center Educational Research and Analysis Committee
2014	ADEA/William J. Gies Foundation Education Fellowship applicants reviewer

#### **Awards and Honors**

2015	Clinician/Researcher Award from American College of Prosthodontists
2014	Departmental Teaching Excellence Award (UIC Council for Excellence in Teaching
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2014	Best Research Mentor of the year, UIC College of Dentistry
2013	Recipient of ADEA/William J. Gies Foundation Education Fellowship
2011	Young Prosthodontist Innovator Award, American College of Prosthodontists
2011	ADEA/Zimmer Dental Implant Education Award
2008	Osteology Foundation Research Award
2006	Milton Research Award, Harvard Medical School
2006	Academy of Osseointegration, Research Award
2004	The Academy of Prosthodontics Foundation Research Award
2004	The Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontic Student Research Award
2001	1 <sup>st</sup> Place Recognition in the Post-Doctoral Basic Science Category for Quality
	Geriatric Oral Research of Morita Junior Investigator Awards in Geriatric Oral
	Research, International Association of Dental Research
2001	American College of Prosthodontist/Procter & Gamble Fellowship in Complete
	Denture Prosthodontics
2000	Finalist of Arthur R. Frechette 2000 New Investigator Award, International
	Association of Dental Research

# REGION MEMBERSHIP DIRECTOR CANDIDATE - FEDERAL SERVICES



## DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE 59TH MEDICAL WING (AETC) JOINT BASE SAN ANTONIO - LACKLAND TEXAS

11 April 2019

Nathalie Williams Director, Governance American College of Prosthodontics 211 E. Chicago Ave., Suite 1000 Chicago, IL 60611

Major (Dr.) Ryan R. Sheridan Director, Surgical Prosthodontics 59DTS/SGDTP 2133 Pepperrell Street, Bldg. 3352 JBSA-Lackland, TX 78236

Dear Ms. Williams,

This letter is to serve as formal notification that I, Dr. Ryan R. Sheridan, am officially submitting my name to be nominated for the Federal Services Regional Membership Director (Region 6). I am entering my name into the nomination process for this position because I care deeply for the Uniformed Services and Veterans Administration (VA). I would like to further the interests of the American College of Prosthodontists and maximize their support for the members of this vital constituency.

The coming years will be challenging for ACP members/fellows within the Department of Defense due to the uncertainty accompanying the transition of each service under the Defense Health Agency (DHA). Each service is poised to lose approximately 5,000 physicians, dentists, nurses and medics. I hope to utilize this platform to highlight the areas by which the ACP can support its members through this transition and direct them to resources afforded to them through membership in the College.

I also have great excitement with regard to the development of digital dentistry among the sister services and the VA. The ACP members of Region 6 are involved with some fascinating aspects of digital dentistry that uniquely affect our membership. I look forward to networking with all of the members of Region 6 in order to foster better working relationships.

I have reviewed the ACP BOD Member Job Description and ACP Code of Conduct and the ACP Regional Membership Director general responsibilities. I have read all relevant documents related to this position and fully understand and accept the responsibilities and time commitment required to fulfill the duties of this position on the ACP Board of Directors.

Very Respectfully,

RYAN R. SHERIDAN, MAJOR, USAF, DC



# **BIOGRAPHY**



# UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

# Major RYAN R. SHERIDAN

Major Sheridan currently serves as the Director, Surgical Prosthodontics, Air Force Postgraduate Dental School, JBSA-Lackland in San Antonio, TX.

Major Sheridan is responsible for all in-house didactic and laboratory training related to surgery and supervises clinical training for all fifteen residents enrolled in the program. He serves as the Director of Research for the Prosthodontics flight and participates in the monthly Dental Research Function, providing critical oversight to all resident research endeavors in the 59th Dental Training Squadron. Major Sheridan has been charged with developing and implementing surgical implant placement training as required by the revised standards of the Commission on Dental Accreditation.

Major Sheridan commissioned into the Air Force in 2015 as a direct accession candidate and immediately matriculated into Commissioned Officer Training Class 15-04 where he served in a group leadership position. He previously served as the Director, First Year Prosthodontics Resident Education where he was a key planner for the expansion of the prosthodontics residency program curriculum from 36 to 42 months.



Major Sheridan earned a Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry in 2006 from Case Western Reserve University, a Doctorate of Dental Medicine (DMD) degree from Rutgers School of Dental Medicine in 2009, Certificate from a two-year hospital based general practice residency from Monmouth Medical Center (an affiliate of Drexel University College of Medicine) in Long Branch, NJ in 2011, Certificate in Prosthodontics (2014) and Masters of Science degree (2015) from the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio. He successfully challenged the American Board of Prosthodontics to attain diplomate status as well as a Fellowship in the American College of Prosthodontists (2015).

Major Sheridan has contributed to the specialty of Prosthodontics through service to the American College of Prosthodontists as a member of the Strategic Planning Task Force, New Prosthodontist Mentorship Program, Digital Dentistry Symposium Task Force, ACP Research Committee, National Prosthodontic Resident Examination Subcommittee and Prosthopedia® Editorial Advisory Board. He has volunteered at events sponsored by Dentistry from the Heart®, Give Kids a Smile Day®, and served on mission trips with Mountain Medics International and the Indian Health Service. He is an active member of the Texas Section of the ACP.

Major Sheridan has garnered numerous awards in both general dentistry and prosthodontics including the "decade award" from the Rutgers School of Dental Medicine as the most influential student for the years 2000-2010. He earned first place in the John J. Sharry Research competition from the American College of Prosthodontists for his research on 'split-files' in dental laboratory science. He was honored as the Field Grade Officer of the Year and Air Education Training Command Dental Educator of the Year consecutively in 2016 and 2017. Additionally, he was awarded Air Force Postgraduate Dental School New Educator of the Year in 2018. He has academic appointments as an Assistant Professor of Prosthodontics, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences and Adjunct Assistant Professor, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio.

Major Sheridan is from Manalapan, NJ. He currently resides in San Antonio, TX.

#### **EDUCATION**

2006 Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry, Case Western Reserve University, Ohio

2009 Doctorate of Dental Medicine, Rutgers School of Dental Medicine, NJ

2011 Certificate general practice residency, Monmouth Medical Center, NJ

2014 Certificate in prosthodontics, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio

2015 Master of Science in prosthodontics, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio

2015 Commissioned Officer Training, Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, AB

2016 Squadron Officer School, by correspondence, Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery, AB

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

- April 2015 April 2017 Director, First Year Prosthodontics Resident Education, Air Force Postgraduate Dental School, 59MDW, 59<sup>th</sup> Dental Group, JBSA-Lackland
- April 2017- Present Director, Surgical Prosthodontics, Air Force Postgraduate Dental School, 59MDW, 59th Dental Group, JBSA-Lackland

#### **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

AY 2018 Air Force Postgraduate Dental School New Educator of the Year

FY 2017 AETC Dental Educator of the Year

FY 2016 AETC Dental Educator of the Year

59DG FGO of the Year (CY2016)

59DG FGO of the Year (CY2017)

Commissioned Officer Training Leadership Excellence Award

#### OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2000 Eastman Kodak Young Leaders Award

2007 New Jersey Dental Alumni Association Exemplary Award

2008 Dental Student Award of the Pierre Fauchard Academy

2009 Dental Student Award for "Excellence in Cosmetic Dentistry"

2009 International College of Dentists Student Leadership Award

2009 Quintessence Award for Restorative Dentistry

2009 Dr. Anthony Volpe Distinguished Service Award

2010 Dr. Mark McIntyre Memorial Award

2011 Dr. Mark McIntyre Memorial Award

2013, Dr. William McHorris Table Clinic Award (International Academy of Gnathology), First Place

2015 John J. Sharry Prosthodontic Research Competition, First Place

#### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Fellow, American College of Prosthodontists

Diplomate, American Board of Prosthodontics

Member, American Dental Association

Adjunct Assistant Professor, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio

Assistant Professor of Prosthodontics, Uniform Services University of the Health Sciences

Member, Omicron Kappa Upsilon, National Dental Honor Society

#### **EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Captain, 24 April 2015 Major, 24 April 2016

#### CONTACT INFORMATION

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(Current as of April 2019)

COUNCIL FOR THE AMERICAN BOARD OF PROSTHODONTICS CANDIDATE - MAXILLOFACIAL



# William Wilson, Jr. DDS, MS, FACP Letter of Intent

I have read and understand the responsibilities and commitment to the ACP Board of Directors for this position and I am requesting to be considered as the Maxillofacial Representative for the ACP Council for the ABP.

I feel it is a responsibility of all dental specialists to continue to promote and serve their specialty organizations in whatever capacity they are able to do so. I have enjoyed an excellent relationship with the ACP over the years to include the ACP staff and I am grateful for the past opportunities I have had and the relationships I have made.

My role was in the federal services prior to my retirement from the Navy in 2016, I have enjoyed roles as a hospital based prosthodontist and in post-graduate education as a maxillofacial prosthetics residency program director. I currently own a practice limited to prosthodontics and maxillofacial prosthetics in Fairfax, Virginia and feel that I bring a diverse practice background to this council.

I look forward to this new opportunity to serve and I am honored to be considered for the position.

I have read article VIII of ACP bylaws concerning this council and I am ready to serve when called should I be given this responsibility.

Sincerely,

William Wilson, Jr., DDS, MS, FACP

William Wilson, Jr. has been a continuous member of the ACP for the last 17 years. He has served in the past on the ACP Federal Services Committee, served on the ACP Board of Directors as a past Region 6 Federal Services Membership Director, and was the 2014 ACP recipient of the Major General Bill B. Lefler Federal Services Award.

Currently a private practice prosthodontist in Fairfax, VA.

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703-273-7846 DrWilson@novaprosthodontics.com

Dr. Wilson currently serves on the ACP Public Relations Committee and the ACP Science and New Technology Committee.

He is currently serving the American Academy of Maxillofacial Prosthetics on the AAMP Board of Directors and the AAMP Educational Standards Committee.

He serves the Commission on Dental Accreditation as a Graduate Prosthodontics and Maxillofacial Prosthetics Site Visitor.

He has been a presenter for the ACP at both the Annual Session and the ACP Review Course with the following presentations:

"Maxillofacial Prosthetics and Combat Related Injuries", American College of Prosthodontists Annual Session October 2013, Las Vegas, NV

"Dental Implant Restorative Connections" American College of Prosthodontists Review Course, 2017 Atlanta, GA.

#### **Teaching Appointments**

Naval Postgraduate Dental School, Department Chairman and Program Director for Maxillofacial Prosthetics, 2009-2016

The George Washington University, Adjunct Assistant Professor of Health Care Sciences, 2009-

Uniformed Services University Of The Health Sciences, Assistant Professor of Maxillofacial Prosthodontics, 2009-

#### **Publications:**

Weaver, B., McNeil D., Graves, R., McKee, D., Zvolensky, M., Capehart, K., and Wilson, J. (1999, March) Fear of Pain in Oral Surgery Patients. Journal of Dental Research, 78,243.

<u>Digital capture, design, and manufacturing of an extraoral device for a clarinet player with Bell's</u> palsy.

Aita-Holmes C, Liacouras P, Wilson WO Jr, Grant GT.

J Prosthet Dent. 2015 Aug;114(2):297-300. doi: 10.1016/j.prosdent.2015.02.029. Epub 2015 May 16.

PMID: 25985740

<u>Digital capture, design, and manufacturing of a facial prosthesis: Clinical report on a pediatric patient.</u>

Grant GT, Aita-Holmes C, Liacouras P, Garnes J, Wilson WO Jr.

J Prosthet Dent. 2015 Jul;114(1):138-41. doi: 10.1016/j.prosdent.2014.04.031. Epub 2015 Apr 14.

PMID: 25882970

Contributor for the 2018 ACP

<u>Transforming Lives: What a Prosthodontist Can Do For You</u>