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BALTIMORE –The American College of Prosthodontists presents the Distinguished Lecturer Award to Dr. Charles J. Goodacre during the ACP 42nd Annual Session in Baltimore. This award is presented to individuals (ACP member, non-ACP member dentist or non-dentist) who have made significant contributions to the welfare and advancement of the College or prosthodontics; provided outstanding service to the College; and/or contributions to the sciences or health professions. The winner of this award has presented high quality original research representing a major contribution to prosthodontics; or significant contributions to the literature; teaching; or clinical applications.

Dr. Goodacre received his D.D.S. from Loma Linda University School of Dentistry in 1971. He completed a three year combined program in Prosthodontics and Dental Materials at Indiana University School of Dentistry and in 1974 earned his MSD degree. In 2011 he received Honorary Fellowship in the Faculty of Dentistry of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland and the Distinguished Service Award from the American College of Prosthodontists.

He is currently Dean of Loma Linda University School of Dentistry. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics, Past-President of the American Board of Prosthodontics, Past-President of the American College of Prosthodontists, and Past-President of the Academy of Prosthodontists.

Dr. Goodacre will receive his award at this year's 42nd Annual Session being held in Baltimore on Oct. 31 to Nov. 3. More than 1,000 dental professionals are expected to attend, which includes prosthodontists, dental technicians, and other dental industry authorities and guests. Annual Session topics include: new developments in CAD/CAM technology and high-strength ceramics; creating affordable dental health opportunities; understanding the shift toward precision medicine in dentistry; the use of digital imaging; sleep apnea management; the role of clinical psychology in prosthodontic practice; recreating nature: the harmony of function and esthetics with digital technology; and a proactive team approach to avoid pitfalls with the cost-effective All-on-4 Concept.

Prosthodontists are specialized dentists with advanced training in oral health issues, who are committed to improving patient results. From implants, crowns, veneers and tooth whitening, to full-mouth reconstruction, prosthodontists are specialists in digital dentistry and CAD/CAM solutions.

The ACP is the only prosthodontic specialty organization whose membership is based solely on education credentials. ACP members must be in or have completed an ADA-accredited advanced education program in prosthodontics.

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The American College of Prosthodontists is the professional association of dentists with advanced specialty training dedicated to optimal oral health both in function and appearance including dental implants, crowns, veneers, dentures, and teeth whitening. For more information or to find a prosthodontist near you, visit GoToAPro.org.