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The 23nd Annual Ted Weclew Memorial Lecture
Predictable Implant Esthetics
Paresh Shah, DMD, MS

Wednesday, February 24, 2016, the day before the CDS Midwinter Meeting

Location: American Dental Association Auditorium
211 E. Chicago Avenue Chicago, IL 60611
8 am-3 pm; Registration will be online at ILAGD.org and will open in the fall of 2015
Credit hours: 6 lecture

Course Description: Implants are without question a vital treatment option for replacement of missing teeth. Successful implant treatment can be challenging for many clinicians in order to achieve predictable results. Implant, abutment and final restoration selection all play a vital role to the success of the treatment. This lecture will allow participants to learn how to plan and implement successful implant esthetics. Proper impressioning techniques, lab communication, abutment selection, provisionalization, tissue management and prosthetic design will be reviewed.

Speaker Biography: Dr. Paresh Shah, DMD, MS maintains a private practice in Winnipeg, Canada with a focus on implant, cosmetic and interdisciplinary care. He graduated from the University of Manitoba in 1991. Dr. Shah received a Masters in Physiology in 1987 (U of Manitoba) and has a Proficiency Certificate in Esthetic Dentistry from the University of Buffalo (SUNY) in 2007. Dr. Shah is a member of the Catapult Group.

Restorative Options for Today’s Practice
IL AGD & ISDS Joint Program
Thomas E. Dudney, DMD

Wednesday, September 7, 2016, the day before the ISDS Annual Session

Location: Bloomington-Normal Marriott Hotel & Conference Center,
201 Broadway St, Normal, IL
8am-4pm; Registration information will be online at ILAGD.org. Credit hours: 7 lecture

Morning Program - As restorative materials continue to evolve it has become difficult for dentists to keep up with the latest advances. With higher patient expectations it is incumbent upon today’s restorative dentist to have a working knowledge of these materials to make the best clinical decisions. This lecture will discuss the factors affecting material selection as well as the characteristics of restorative materials that allow them to satisfy both the aesthetic and functional goals of the patient as conservatively as possible. Clinical cases will be used to illustrate the use of these materials in restorative situations.

Diagnosing and Treating the Worn Dentition
Afternoon Program – One of the problems for restorative dentists is that when teeth wear, they move. Being able to recognize the different types of wear and knowing the treatment options are instrumental in obtaining the desired results. This lecture will show the etiologies and distinguishing characteristics of tooth wear, and present a systematic approach to diagnosis and restoration. Multidisciplinary coordination and laboratory communication will also be discussed.

Speaker Biography: Thomas E. Dudney, DMD is a 1977 graduate of University of Alabama in Birmingham School of Dentistry. He serves as the Clinical Director for the new Pacific Aesthetic Continuum (PAC) programs. In addition to teaching and lecturing, Dr. Dudney has authored several articles on Aesthetic Dentistry. He maintains a private practice with emphasis on aesthetic and restorative dentistry in Birmingham and is a member of the Catapult Group.

For questions on either course contact: Maureen Kugel at mkugel.ilagd@gmail.com or Dr. Cheryl Mora at drcheryl@ilagd.org or 847-638-7223 (cell)

Acknowledgements: Presenting programs of this nature is a group effort and would not be possible without the assistance of many individuals and/or companies. A complete list will be available at the course site.

Save the Date: February 22, 2017 Offensive Dentistry Dr. Brian Novy, DDS
AGD Fellowship, Mastership, & LLSR Awards
Presented at the 2015 AGD Annual Session in San Francisco

The Illinois Academy of General Dentistry is pleased to announce that 16 IL AGD dentists recently earned the prestigious AGD Fellowship and Mastership Awards, which were presented during a special Convocation Ceremony on June 20 at the AGD 2015 Annual Session in San Francisco. Fellowship and Mastership in the Academy of General Dentistry are prestigious symbols of dentistry’s continual journey toward improvement and progress. Masters and Fellows of the Academy embody the Academy’s principles and ideals and accept an obligation to continually prove themselves worthy of the designation throughout their professional life. This year 469 AGD dentists received the Fellowship, Mastership and LLSR awards.

To earn the Fellowship Award, dentists must be Academy members for three consecutive years, earn a minimum of 500 approved continuing education credits, pass a comprehensive 250-question examination, apply for the award, and attend an AGD Convocation Ceremony. To attain the Mastership Award, AGD’s highest honor, members must be Fellows in the AGD and earned an additional 600 approved continuing education hours, meeting the minimum requirements in each of the dental disciplines. In addition, 400 of the required hours must be in participation courses. The final requirement of Mastership is to attend an AGD Convocation Ceremony.

Lifelong Learning & Service Recognition (LLSR) is a formal recognition for AGD Masters in the area of continuing education, dental related community service, and service to organized dentistry. The prestigious LLSR symbolizes a member’s dedication to remain current in dentistry and give back to his or her community. By embracing the core beliefs of the AGD throughout their careers, LLSR recipients have set a higher standard that all general dentists are encouraged to emulate.

The Fellows, Masters and LLSR’s honored this year represent a commitment to lifelong learning and support for the AGD’s mission, “to serve the needs and to represent the interests of general dentists and to foster their continued proficiency through quality continuing dental education in order to better serve the public.”

The following is a list of the newly honored Illinois Fellows, Masters, and LLSR recipients that participated in the convocation ceremony in San Francisco at the AGD 2015 Annual Session:

**Illinois (Fellows)**
- Alex G. Alemis, DDS, FAGD
- April S. Baier, DMD, FAGD
- Benjamin A. Baptist, DDS, FAGD
- Maureen Copeland, DDS, FAGD
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- Bernice E. Teplitsky, DDS, FAGD
- Andrew P. Wiers, DDS, FAGD

**Illinois (Masters)**
- Jeffrey R. Copeland, DDS, MAGD
- Charles F. Martello, DDS, MAGD
- Abbas H. Merchant, DDS, MAGD
- Cheryl L. Mora, DDS, MAGD
- Reuel D. Owen, DDS, MAGD

The Illinois Academy of General Dentistry (IL AGD) would like to offer their sincere congratulations to the 2015 Fellows and Masters, and to their families for providing the support and encouragement to reach this goal.

Registration will be online at ILAGD.org
The Illinois Academy of General Dentistry in conjunction with the Wisconsin Academy of General Dentistry are pleased to present programs leading to Mastership certification in the Academy of General Dentistry. To complete the Mastership Program, candidates must enroll for 600 hours of FAGD/MAGD approved continuing education credit, 400 of which must be in participation courses in all the prescribed disciplines of dentistry.

E-Blasts will be sent with details of each course approximately 2 - 3 months prior to the course.

**Who Should Attend?** These hands-on programs were designed originally for AGD Fellows striving to be AGD Masters. We have since discovered that these programs can be valuable to all dentists from new graduates to the most experienced.

**CE Credits:** A total of 16 hours of participation credit will be awarded for those who attend a two-day lecture and hands-on course. A total of 34 hours of participation credit will be given to those who attend a two-day lecture and hands-on course, complete the assigned protocol in their office, AND return to document the protocol assignment.

**Protocol Reporting Session:** The reporting session for in-office protocols from previous Mastertrack sessions will be held at 5:00 PM on the Thursday before each Mastertrack program. We request that those wishing to report on protocols from past Mastertrack sessions notify Dr. Sy Wachtenheim at the contact below.

**For further information please contact:**
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**IL and WI AGD 2015-2016 Mastertrack Courses**

**A Clear Approach To Aligner Therapy Understanding What is Best For You and Your Patient**
Neil Warshawsky, DDS, MS
Diplomate, American Board of Orthodontics

**Friday & Saturday,**
**September 18-19, 2015**

**Location:** Henry Schein Dental
501 W. Lake Street, Suite 108
Elmhurst, IL 60126
630-516-3490

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation
12:00 -1:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM -5:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation

**Speaker Biography:** Dr. Neil Warshawsky is a five-time graduate of the University of Illinois. Today, he is an associate professor of surgery for the Craniofacial Center at the University, where he oversees the orthodontic clinic. In addition, he owns and operates Get It Straight Orthodontics. He is a key opinion leader for several companies. He has authored more than 20 articles, is a member of several study clubs, and is a sought out lecturer both nationally and internationally for his fun but effective presentations.

**Course Description:** Our program will start with a review of some of the best technology available today in dentistry. We will discuss practice management issues, as well as techniques to help drive business growth. Following an entire morning dedicated to practice management, dental technology, and understanding patients’ needs, we will turn our focus to clear aligner therapy. We will focus on different methods available for moving teeth using a clear aligner. Several commercially available systems will.

**Registration will be online at ILAGD.org**
be studied. There will be a significant hands-on component where we will plan, design, and build appliances for real patients.

**Course Objectives:**
1. To gain an understanding of digital dentistry, how it works, where it fails, and how to incorporate it into a busy practice
2. 3D printing—what can you make with it and how can you utilize it?
3. Economics of owning a 3D printer.
4. Understand how to plan, design, and build an Essix retainer.

**Current Methods in Periodontal Therapy, Including a Periodontist’s View of Implant Dentistry**

*Jun Lim, D.D.S., M.S.*

**Friday & Saturday, October 23-24, 2015**

**Location:** Henry Schein Dental
501 W. Lake Street, Suite 108
Elmhurst, IL 60126
630-516-3490

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation
12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation

**Speaker Biography:** Dr. Jun S. Lim received his D.D.S. from Columbia University and his M.S. and Certificate in Periodontics from The Ohio State University. Dr. Lim has been an Assistant Professor at the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Dentistry since 2007. He has had a private practice limited to Periodontics & Implantology in Chicago since 1994.

**Course Description:** The most common treatment for periodontal disease is “wait and see.” This is not without justification. Periodontitis is a chronic disease without a cure. Similar to most chronic diseases, early detection and treatment initiation results in better outcomes. We will discuss appropriate treatment options, including dental implants for various degrees of periodontal disease. Recognition of adequate tissue requirements for implant placement can lead to timely treatment while avoiding difficult and unpredictable procedures. The course will include treatment planning and site preparation for implant placement, including a hands-on demonstration. Decellularized dermis grafting, socket grafting and ridge augmentation will be discussed, demonstrated and practiced on pig jaws.

**Course Objectives:**
1. Participants will be able to critically analyze periodontal conditions and offer better options for treatment.
2. Participants will discuss appropriate long term treatment plans to avoid unpredictable procedures.
3. Participants will become familiar with characteristics of bone graft materials.
4. Participants will be able to identify and be familiar with treatment options for sites requiring socket grafting and ridge augmentation in preparation for implant placement and learn these procedures on pig jaws.
5. Participants will identify and be familiar with indications for decellularized dermis grafting and learn the procedure on pig jaws.

**Update in Pediatric and Special Care Dentistry**

*Fred S. Margolis, D.D.S.*

**Friday & Saturday, April 1-2, 2016**

**Location:** Henry Schein Dental
501 W. Lake Street, Suite 108
Elmhurst, IL 60126
630-516-3490

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation
12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation

**Speaker Biography:** Dr. Fred S. Margolis received his D.D.S. from The Ohio State University. Dr. Margolis has been a private practice limited to Pediatric Dentistry in Chicago since 1984.

**Course Description:** The most common treatment for periodontal disease is “wait and see.” This is not without justification. Periodontitis is a chronic disease without a cure. Similar to most chronic diseases, early detection and treatment initiation results in better outcomes. We will discuss appropriate treatment options, including dental implants for various degrees of periodontal disease. Recognition of adequate tissue requirements for implant placement can lead to timely treatment while avoiding difficult and unpredictable procedures. The course will include treatment planning and site preparation for implant placement, including a hands-on demonstration. Decellularized dermis grafting, socket grafting and ridge augmentation will be discussed, demonstrated and practiced on pig jaws.

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**Registration will be online at ILAGD.org**
Mastership Passport & Master's Continuum

Speaker Biography: Dr. Fred S. Margolis is a clinical instructor at Loyola University’s Oral Health Center and an adjunct clinical assistant professor at the University of Illinois Chicago College of Dentistry and the University of Genoa. He has mastership certification from the World Clinical Laser Institute and the Academy of Laser Dentistry. He is the author of Beautiful Smiles for Special People, and co-author of Pediatric Laser Dentistry: A User’s Guide, Quintessence Publisher. He is very proud to have received the Distinguished Member Award from the Illinois Dental Society in 2005 and the Humanitarian Award from the Academy of General Dentistry in 2011. He was recognized as a “pillar of the community” by Tel Aviv University’s School of Dentistry. Dr. Margolis is in the private practice of pediatric dentistry in Highland Park, Illinois.

Course Description: This two day course will include both didactic and hands-on programs. The lectures will include: “Esthetic Dentistry for Tots and Teens”, “Tricks or Treatments: Techniques for Treating Our Pediatric and Special Patients”; “Space Maintainers”; “Pulp Techniques for Primary Teeth” and “Traumatic Injuries to Primary and Permanent Teeth.” The hands-on program will include: Pulpotomy, Stainless Steel Crown and Celluloid Strip Crown Preparations, and Orthodontic Band Seating. Diagnosis and treatment planning of several disabled patients will be presented through the use of case studies.

Course Objectives:
1. To learn how to provide esthetic restorations for children and teens.
2. To learn which techniques we can use to modify our pediatric and special needs patients.
3. To learn which space maintainer to use for various case scenarios.
4. To learn how to care for traumatic injuries to primary and permanent teeth.
5. To learn how to perform preparations for pulpotomies, stainless steel crowns, and celluloid strip crowns.
6. To learn how to select and seat orthodontic bands.
7. To learn treatment planning for special needs patients.

Registration will be online at ILAGD.org

Implant Assisted Removable Prosthetics
David A. Little, DDS

Friday & Saturday, May 20-21, 2016

Location: Henry Schein Dental
501 W. Lake Street, Suite 108
Elmhurst, IL 60126
630-516-3490

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation
12:00 -1:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM -5:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation

Speaker Biography: David Little, DDS, received his doctorate degree in dentistry at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio Dental School. Dr. Little dedicates time as a clinical researcher, focusing on dental materials, and implants to develop predictable procedures for successful functional and esthetic outcomes. His articles have appeared in Compendium of Continuing Education in Dentistry, Inside Dentistry, Dentistry Today, Practical Procedures & Aesthetic Dentistry, and the Journal of Dentistry, among others.

Course Description: Implant – retained overdentures will enhance the quality of life for the fully edentulous patient. New advancements in technology and products enhance function and create the illusion of reality in patient smiles. Participants gain a higher level of technical knowledge and will be motivated to achieve a new level of care.

Course Objectives:
1. Learn diagnosis and treatment planning for implant retained overdentures: including CT scans, surgical guides, and esthetic tooth selection.
2. Learn impression techniques, proper abutment and attachment selection, and how to pick up implant overdenture attachments intraorally.
3. How to present overdenture options to patients and determine a fair fee for the implant overdenture case.
Oral Surgery
Karl L. Koerner, BS, DDS, MS

Friday & Saturday,
September 16-17, 2016

Location: Bisco Auditorium
1100 W. Irving Park Rd.
Schaumburg, IL 60193
847-247-3368

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation
12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Lecture and/or Participation

Speaker Biography: Dr. Koerner has presented hundreds of didactic & participation oral surgery courses at international, national & regional meetings and at the state level for many state dental associations and AGD groups. He is not an oral surgeon, but he learned oral surgery in the US Army. For the last 15 years, he has limited his Salt Lake City, Utah practice to minor dentalalveolar surgery, including ridge augmentation & implant procedures. Dr. Koerner completed a General Practice Residency in the US Army. He has a Master’s degree in Education and is the author of many articles on various aspects of oral surgery for the general dentist. He is also the author or co-author of multiple books on oral surgery.

Course Description: This oral surgery presentation gives ideas to simplify surgical procedures in your office. Dr. Koerner emphasizes faster surgical extractions without extensive bone removal & ridge preparation for immediate dentures. He covers simplified socket bone grafting, one drug oral sedation, mini-implants, biopsy, surgical complications, such as bleeding problems, sinus preparations, and how to eliminate tuberosity fractures. Dr. Koerner clarifies current standards of care & will add some new procedures to your surgery comfort zone. Several of these procedures will be done on life-like dentoform models during the course.

Registration will be online at ILAGD.org

Course Objectives:
1. Perform oral surgery according to current standards of care.
2. Do “surgical” or difficult extractions that frequently occur in general practice.
4. Be able to better control or prevent swelling, pain, infection, & bleeding.
5. Prevent or manage maxillary sinus problems.
6. Do bone graft (ridge preservation) procedures as needed in your practice.

Future Dates:
October 28-29, 2016
Dr. Lee Ann Brady, Composites
Patterson Dental, Wood Dale, IL

April 7-8, 2017
Dr. Jeffery Horowitz, Orafacial Pain

May 12-13, 2017
Dr. Paresh Shah, Implants

September 15-16, 2017
Dr. Sam Halabo, Dental Materials

October 13-14, 2017
Dr. Robert Convissar, Laser Dentistry

With Mastertrack programs, you can more than double the number of CE hours that you earn by doing the protocol (homework) assignment in your own office, documenting it with photographs and presenting a Power Point presentation at a Protocol Reporting session. The Protocol Assignment is given at the end of each Mastertrack Course. The Protocol Reporting sessions are on the Thursday before the Mastertrack program.

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The AGD has a well-earned reputation for providing the dental community with state of the art educational programs to ensure excellence becomes reality in our practices as well as our professional image.

The Northern Component of the Illinois Academy of General Dentistry supports this commitment to excellence within our component area by seeking to evaluate the current needs of our area offices and then researching and securing the most reputable speakers available to present these courses. Recent educational programs have featured such dynamic speakers as Dr. Harold Crossley, Dr Jack Griffen, Dr Jun Lim and Dr. Karl Koerner.

Let’s unleash the power of professional thinking by participating in and supporting the AGD.

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The Wonderful World of Children…Marvin’s Garden of Tips
Marvin Berman, DDS
October 30, 2015

Oral Pathology
John Kalmar, DMD, PhD
April 29, 2016

All Courses:
8:00 am to 4:00 pm
(Registration at 7:30am)
7 CE Lecture Credits
Rockford, IL

Brochures will be mailed and registration information will be posted online at www.ILAGD.org 2-3 months prior to each program.

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Dear Colleagues,

I invite you to explore all the excellent educational opportunities your Illinois AGD membership gives you. Specifically, The Chicago Component has four fantastic events planned during the 2015-2016 educational season. Remember to take advantage of the valuable money saving Season Pass, available only to AGD members. This season boasts a Member Benefit Year with a decrease in registration costs. IL AGD members will pay only $400 for a Season's Pass. In addition, an added benefit for the November 13, 2015 lecture is in store for dental team members with an admission fee of $90 for staff and $100 for hygienists. For more information or to register for these great events, please visit the IL AGD website. I salute you for your continued commitment to education and your participation in organized dentistry through the AGD.

Sincerely,
Eric G. Jackson, DDS, MAGD
Chicago Component President 2015-2016

Seminar Speakers

Joseph Kim, DDS
Lou Graham, DDS
Nels Ewoldsen, DDS, MSD
Paul L. Child Jr., DDS
Rolando Nunez, DDS
Byoung I. Suh, DDS
Chicago Component of the Illinois Academy of General Dentistry

Seminar Courses 2015-2016

Real World Implant Dentistry
Joseph Kim, DDS

Wednesday, September 9, 2015
8:00 am to 4:00 pm (7:30 Registration)
7 CE Lecture Credits
Location: Westin North Shore, Botanic Garden Ballroom
601 N Milwaukee Ave, Wheeling, IL

ILAGD Annual Business Meeting - Election and installation of officers will be held before lunch at 11:45 am.

Speaker Biography: Joseph Kim, DDS graduated from the University of Michigan School of Dentistry in 2001. He has maintained a general practice in Yorkville and Sugar Grove, where he has focused on sedation and implant dentistry. Since 2008, Dr. Kim has trained hundreds of dentists in implant surgery and restoration, with support from various implant and dental materials manufacturers. Additionally, Dr. Kim operates an in-house dental laboratory which provides unique implant prosthetic solutions to clinicians across the country.

Course Description: Implant dentistry continues to be one of the hottest fields in dentistry, but with its popularity, more problems seem to arise than are solved. For example, clinicians are bombarded daily with manufacturer claims of superiority, and are lead to believe that certain products or procedures are more predictable than others. Also, surgical specialists may limit restorative options by placing implants in surgically convenient positions or by avoiding certain augmentation procedures. In this course, we will address these and other questions from both evidence based and anecdotal perspectives. Topics covered include treatment planning, treatment presentation, prosthetic options and alternatives, tissue augmentation, impression techniques, abutment selection, delivery of cement retained restorations, and more.

Course Objectives:
• Understand the importance of approaching implant dentistry as a prosthetically driven discipline
• Learn to present treatment options successfully
• Be aware of prosthetic options for common situations
• Recognize the limits of predictable grafting procedures
• Understand the importance of taking appropriate implant records
• Distinguish between stock, custom, and CAD/CAM abutments
• Learn how to deliver fixed prostheses appropriately

Integrating the Team and Creating the Value
Lou Graham, DDS

Friday, November 13, 2015
8:00 am to 4:00 pm (7:30 Registration)
7 CE Lecture Credits
Location: Maggiano’s Little Italy
240 OakBrook Center, Oak Brook, IL

Speaker Biography: Dr. Graham is an internationally recognized lecturer extensively involved in continuing education for dental professionals. His lectures focus on incorporating current clinical advancements through “conservative dentistry.” Dr. Graham is a published author in many national and international dental journals. Dr. Graham is a graduate of Emory Dental School. He is the former Dental Director of the University of Chicago’s Department of Dentistry.

Course Description: This course is all about integrating “your” practice’s philosophical approach to dentistry amongst your entire team for seamless interactions. Your initial exams, periodic exams, periodontal exams, oral cancer screening exams, x-ray protocols, diagnostic approaches, and communication skills all must be consistent to allow your practice to maximize value. This course will demonstrate some of the latest techniques to truly maximize what you can be doing each day to become a recession-proof office. This course is recommended for doctors and their staff.

Course Objectives:
• Understand what “your” philosophy is.
• Learn how hygiene growth is the number 1 driver to overall growth and the essence of your practice.
• Learn why the “wheel” defines consistency and communication between the doctor and hygienist.
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• Understand the latest in diagnostics for the hygienist/doctor team and why these new technologies provide you with more information and equally, allow you to deliver far more diagnostically driven outcomes.
• Learn combination treatment plans that integrate hygienist and doctor.
• Understand prevention at every age and customize your protocols.
• Learn the latest in rinses, toothpastes, gels and how to treat areas from chronic halitosis to refractory periodontal patients.
• Understand specific casework on patients 65 and beyond.

Simplifying Removable Prosthodontics
Nels Ewoldsen, DDS, MSD

Friday, March 18, 2016
8:00 am to 4:00 pm (7:30 Registration)
7 CE Lecture Credits
Location: Maggiano’s Little Italy
240 OakBrook Center, Oak Brook, IL

Speaker Biography: Nels Ewoldsen earned his DDS from Indiana University in 1978 and while maintaining a full-time private practice in rural Indiana earned his MSD (Dental Materials & Prosthodontics) in 1994. A full time dental educator from 1994-2000 he taught removable prosthodontics and dental materials at the University of Nebraska and holds a faculty appointment at Indiana University School of Dentistry in Indianapolis.

3-Appointment Conventional & Digital Complete Dentures (Morning): This 3-hour presentation reviews Massad-impressioning while introducing other options for expediting complete denture impressioning. Pre-manufactured templates, chairside constructed preforms as well as digitally created prototypes can establish tooth position and quickly record jaw relationships saving valuable chair time.

Course Objectives (Morning):
• Border-molded impression with stock trays and silicone, capturing all supporting structures and landmarks for complete dentures.
• Provide customized template occlusion rims communicating midline, foxline, tooth display, and phonetics.
• Identify, prescribe, and adjust a lingualized denture occlusion.
• Learn effects of the denture manufacturing process on delivery procedures for “digital” dentures compared to traditional dentures.

Conventional & Digital Partial Dentures: Designs, Materials, Tooth Preservation (Afternoon): The lecture features an historical overview of removable partial denture (RPD) concepts, design principles and materials with emphasis on evidence-based successes and failures. From conventional materials to CAD/CAM technologies, this presentation assists dentists in selecting and designing optimal RPDs using metals, acrylics, polyamides, polycarbonates, acetal resins and polyarylketones, dentistry’s latest super-polymer.

Course Objectives (Afternoon):
• List problems associated with “nylon” partial dentures.
• Describe advancements brought about by CAD manufacture of removable partial denture (RPD) frameworks.
• Learn effects of selective laser melting on cobalt-chromium alloys
• Compare and contrast PEEK, with hot-pressed polymers such as nylon, polycarbonate, and acetal resins.

Ideal Restorative Materials and Techniques for Long-term Success
Dr. Paul L. Child Jr., Dr. Rolando Nunez, & Dr. Byoung I. Suh

Friday, May 13, 2016
8:00 am to 4:00 pm (7:30 Registration)
7 CE Lecture Credits
Location: Maggiano’s Little Italy
240 OakBrook Center, Oak Brook, IL
Chicago Component of the Illinois Academy of General Dentistry

Seminar Courses 2015-2016

Speaker Biographies: Dr. Paul L. Child Jr. is a Prosthodontist and Certified Dental Technician. He focuses on Prosthodontics, esthetics, implants, complex restorative, CAD/CAM, and all aspects of surgery. Dr. Child is the former CEO of the CR Foundation (formerly CRA). His lectures emphasize new and emerging technologies, prosthodontics, adhesives, cements, implants, and surgery.

Dr. Rolando Nunez received this dental degree from Central University of Venezuela in 1997. He enrolled in a Biomaterials Graduate Program at the University of Alabama at Birmingham, obtaining a MSc. degree in 2004. In 2014, he became Manager of Clinical Affairs for BISCO Inc. He has many publications regarding clinical techniques as well as scientific articles in peer reviews.

Dr. Byoung Suh founded Bisco, Inc. in 1981. In addition to his dental materials research, he has published over 150 articles. Dr. Suh has become a well-known and sought after lecturer and teacher, having given more than 200 lectures and presentations worldwide at various dental associations and research conventions.

Course Description: In adhesion dentistry, it is critical for clinicians to understand the science behind adhesive and restorative materials to be able to select the best material for each restoration and implement proven techniques. We will discuss the latest developments in adhesive dentistry, bioactive dental materials, the best techniques and materials to cement an all-ceramic crown or veneer, and the ideal dental materials and techniques. Topics will include: direct & indirect pulp-capping, resin-based composite restorations, post & cores, cementation, and indirect restorative materials and techniques for veneers, onlays, and crowns.

Course Objectives:
- Introduce classifications of bonding agents, advantages & limitations of different generations.
- Understand the issues of adhesion incompatibility with some composites/cements, and the differences between the dual-cured luting cements on the market.
- Learn how to select the proper materials & techniques when bonding different types of indirect restorations, including glass ceramic and zirconia substrates.

OSF Saint Francis Medical Center has committed itself to teaching dental professionals the skills needed to meet the unique challenges of a rapidly changing oral health field.

The GPR program is a 12-month, full-time residency program designed in conformance with the guidelines of the Council on Dental Education and the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association. A certificate is awarded upon satisfactory completion of the program.

The program is designed to increase expertise in diagnostics, general knowledge and clinical ability. Residents receive instruction in the following fields of study: implants, Oral Surgery, Endodontics, Periodontics, Orthodontics, Emergency Room Care, Anesthesia, Internal Medicine, Operating Room and Hospital Protocols and Care, Pain and Anxiety Control, Forensic Dentistry and Disaster Training, Practice Management, Community and Public Health Dentistry, Dental Auxiliary Utilization, management of inpatients and same-day surgery patients. Participants will acquire the knowledge required to perform general dentistry at a higher level of care.

The program will be conducted primarily at OSF Saint Francis Medical Center.

For more information on the OSF Dental Residency Program, contact Dr. Paul Amodeo at 309-624-9741 or email to Paul.A.Amodeo@osfhealthcare.org.

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The Central Illinois Academy of General Dentistry (CIAGD) is the component of the Illinois AGD dedicated to providing high quality continuing education to dentists in all of Illinois south of Interstate 80! While that is our geography, our speakers are national, and so are our attendees!

CIAGD is made up of general dentists just like you. We share your curiosity and eagerness to learn and we are here to listen! Your feedback is essential!

We typically provide two-day participation courses in March, June and November of each year at Southern Illinois University College of Dental Medicine. Our Friday night dinner at Tony’s, a local icon, is hard to beat. We look forward to seeing you!

Dr. Curtis Mitchem, President CIAGD

The Central Illinois Component of the IL AGD in collaboration with the SIU School of Dental Medicine is pleased to present continuing dental education programs leading to Fellowship and Mastership certification in the Academy of General Dentistry. These programs earn 16 hours of participation credit for those who attend the two day lecture and hands-on course. A total of 34 hours of participation credit will be given to those who attend the two day lecture, the hands-on course, complete the assigned protocol in their office, AND return to present the protocol assignment. The reporting session for in-office protocol presentations from previous courses will be held on the Thursday evening prior to the CE program. These hands-on programs were designed originally for AGD Fellows striving to be AGD Masters. However, these courses can be valuable to all dentists from new graduates to the most experienced clinicians. Participants are not necessarily in pursuit of the AGD Mastership Award, just in pursuit of excellence in dentistry!

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**Breathe, YOUR Life Depends On It!**  
Dr. Jim Metz  
November 20-21, 2015

**Endodontics**  
More Clean, More Fill–Keeping Up With New Technology  
Dr. David Landwehr  
March 18-19, 2016

**Cariology and Esthetic Restorations**  
Dr. Poonam Jain  
June 10-11, 2016

Location:
Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine,  
Hoag Hall Auditorium,  
2800 College Ave., Alton, IL

For further information please contact:  
Dr. Susan B. Bishop  
sbishop@peoriacounty.org  
309-692-1796

Registration will be online at ILAGD.org
## 2015-2016 IL AGD COURSE OFFERINGS

### September 2015
- **9**  Wednesday | Lecture | Real World Implant Dentistry | Joseph Kim, DDS
- **18**  Friday & Saturday | Lecture & Participation | A Clear Approach to Aligner Therapy | Neil Warshawsky, DDS, MS

### October 2015
- **23**  Friday | Lecture | Current Methods in Periodontal Therapy | Jun Lim, DDS, MS
- **24**  Saturday | Participation | The Wonderful World of Children | Marvin Berman, DDS

### November 2015
- **13**  Friday | Lecture | Integrating the Team and Creating Value | Lou Graham, DDS
- **20**  Friday | Lecture & Participation | Breathe, YOUR Life Depends On It! | Jim Metz, DDS

### February 2016
- **24**  Wednesday | Lecture | Predictable Implant Esthetics | Paresh Shah, DDS

### March 2016
- **18**  Friday | Lecture | Simplifying Removable Prosthodontics | Nels Ewoldsen, DDS, MSD
- **18**  Friday | Lecture & Participation | Endodontics More Clean, More Fill–Keeping Up With New Technology | David Landwehr, DDS

### April 2016
- **1**  Friday | Lecture & Participation | Update in Pediatric and Special Care Dentistry | Fred S. Margolis, DDS
- **29**  Friday | Lecture | Oral Pathology | John Kalmar, DMD, PhD

### May 2016
- **13**  Friday | Lecture | Ideal Restorative Materials & Techniques | Dr. Paul L. Child Jr., Dr. Rolando Nunez & Dr. Byoung I. Suh
- **20**  Friday | Lecture & Participation | Implant Assisted Removable Prosthetics | David A. Little, DDS

### June 2016
- **10**  Friday | Lecture & Participation | Cariology and Esthetic Restorations | Poonam Jain, DDS

### July 2016
- **14 - 17**  AGD Annual Session Boston

### September 2016
- **7**  Wednesday | Lectures | Restorative Options (am) / Treating Worn Dentition | Thomas E. Dudney, DMD
- **16**  Friday | Lecture & Participation | Oral Surgery | Karl L. Koerner, BS, DDS, MS

Registration will be online at ILAGD.org
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Do you currently hold a valid U.S./Canadian dental license? [ ] No [ ] Yes:
- [ ] License number
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- [ ] Date renewed (mm/yyyy)

Type of membership: (Check one.) [ ] Active general dentist [ ] Associate (dental specialist) [ ] Resident [ ] Dental student [ ] Affiliate

If you are not in general practice, please indicate your specialty: _______________________________

Current dental practice environment: (Check one.) [ ] Solo [ ] Associateship [ ] Group practice [ ] Hospital [ ] Resident [ ] Corporate [ ] Other _______________________________

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If you are a member of the Canadian Forces Dental Service, please indicate your preferred constituent: [ ] U.S. military counterpart [ ] Local Canadian constituent

## Contact Information

Your AGD constituent is determined by your business address, unless one is not available.

**Preferred billing/mailing address:** [ ] Business [ ] Home

**Preferred method of contact:** [ ] Email [ ] Mail [ ] Phone

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## Educational Information

Are you a graduate of an accredited* U.S./Canadian dental school? [ ] Yes [ ] No [ ] Currently enrolled

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Type: [ ] AEGD [ ] GPR [ ] Other _______________________________

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**Gender** [ ] Male [ ] Female

**Ethnicity** [ ] American Indian [ ] Asian [ ] African-American [ ] Hispanic [ ] Caucasian [ ] Other _______________________________

I am interested in participating in the AGD Mentor Program as a: [ ] Mentor [ ] Mentee

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