Interdisciplinary Clinical Approaches to Achieve Dental Esthetics

USC Bovard Auditorium
Friday, April 4, 2008
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Online registration at www.uscdentalce.org

Registration Fees

Before March 4, 2008
Delta Dental Dentist: $55
Non-Delta Dentist: $185

After March 4, 2008
Delta Dental Dentist: $70
Non-Delta Dentist: $205

Fees include continental breakfast and refreshment during breaks

Refunds are granted only if a written cancellation notification is received at least 14 days before the course. 50% of the tuition minus processing fee will be refunded if cancellation occurs within 7 days before this course. No refund is granted afterwards. A $60 fee is withheld for processing. For additional registrations, xerox this form and send.

Upcoming Events

MASTERING MOLAR ENDODONTICS
Friday - Saturday, February 8 - 9, 2008

EMERGING DISEASES, INFECTION CONTROL AND THE CALIFORNIA DENTAL PRACTICE ACT
Saturday, February 9, 2008

NEGOTIATING THE LICENSURE HURDLE: LEARNING AND PRACTICING FOR THE DENTAL BOARD EXAM, WREB AND CALIFORNIA LICENSING EXAM
Friday - Saturday, February 22 - 23, 2008

PORCELAIN VENEERS: OPTIMIZING LONG-TERM ESTHETIC OUTCOME USING DFED AND MANAGING OCCLUSAL DISEASE
Friday, February 29, 2008

ORAL SURGERY FOR THE GENERAL PRACTITIONER
Saturday, March 1, 2008

FUNDAMENTALS OF RESTORATIVE IMPLANT DENTISTRY FOR THE GENERAL DENTIST
Friday, March 7, 2008

ESTHETIC FULL-MOUTH IMPLANT RECONSTRUCTION
Module I: Saturday, March 8, 2008
Module II: Friday, March 14, 2008
Module III: Saturday, March 15, 2008

IMPLANT THERAPY IN THE ESTHETIC ZONE (COURSE C)
Friday - Sunday, March 16, 2008

OBSTRUCTIVE SLEEP APNEA, SNORING AND DENTAL ADVANCEMENT
Friday - Saturday, March 28 - 29, 2008

ESTHETIC BONE GRAFTING FOR IMPLANT SITE DEVELOPMENT
Module I (Lecture): Saturday, March 29, 2008

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**Speakers**

**Homayoun H. Zadeh, DDS, PhD**
Dr. Zadeh is an Associate Professor at the University of Southern California, School of Dentistry and a Diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology. He received his doctor of dental surgery degree from USC School of Dentistry in 1987. He has also completed advanced clinical education in Periodontology and earned a PhD degree in immunology from the University of Connecticut, Schools of Dental Medicine and Medicine. Dr. Zadeh directs the Laboratory for Immunoregulation and Tissue Engineering (LITE), funded by the National Institutes of Health. He has extensive publication track record and serves as editorial reviewer for several scientific journals. He also serves on an advisory panel to the Center for Scientific Review of the National Institutes of Health. Dr. Zadeh is the Director of the USC Periodontal and Implant Symposium, and the USC Comprehensive Surgical and Restorative Implant Training Program. He also maintains a part-time private practice limited to Periodontology in Southern California.

Topic: Esthetic Outcomes in Periodontal and Implant Therapy Through Interdisciplinary Collaboration

**Abdi Sameni, DDS**
Dr. Abdi Sameni graduated from USC School of Dentistry in 1991 and has been a member of the USC clinical faculty since 1998. He is faculty and lecturer for the Esthetic Selective course at USC and Chair of the USC International Restorative Symposium. Dr. Sameni was the first faculty member to serve and direct the portion relating to indirect porcelain veneers for the USC Advanced Esthetic Dentistry Continuum. He is currently directing an intensive lecture and hands-on course focusing on indirect bonded porcelain restorations. Dr. Sameni lectures regularly on topics related to interdisciplinary dentistry, digital photography and its applications in dentistry, as well as on topics related to esthetic dentistry. He is Past-President of the USC Dental Alumni Association, President-Elect of the USC Century Club and member of the Board of Counselors of the USC School of Dentistry. Dr. Sameni maintains a private practice in West Los Angeles, where he emphasizes comprehensive restorative dentistry, including implant reconstruction and esthetic dentistry.

Topic: Achieving Esthetic Outcome With Adhesive and Restorative Dentistry - A Team Driven Approach

**Timothy R. Saunders, DDS**
Dr. Saunders is a Professor of Clinical Dentistry, Division of Primary Oral Health Care, USC School of Dentistry. He spent 24 years actively practicing and teaching prosthodontics and maxillofacial prosthetics in the United Stated Air Force. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics, a Fellow of the American College of Dentists, the International College of Dentists, and a Fellow and Past-President of the American Academy of Maxillofacial Prosthetics.

Topic: Achieving Esthetics with Removable Partial Dentures

**In this course participants will learn:**
- How to plan interdisciplinary cases for ideal esthetic results
- How to perform smile analysis
- How to properly sequence complex cases
- How to conduct a clinical examination with emphasis on facial esthetics and develop an effective, protocol-based facial treatment plan
- Conservative approaches to achieve esthetics and function with bonded restorations
- The use of bonded porcelain restoration in the anterior and posterior dentition
- Techniques to minimize postoperative sensitivity after placement of direct bonded restorations
- Essential elements in the design, optimization, fabrication and luting of bonded porcelain restorations
- How digital photography and computer technology can be used to facilitate documentation and communication
- Esthetic periodontal therapy for smile reconstruction
- Criteria for esthetic implant reconstruction
- How to achieve soft tissue harmony by preservation and regeneration of the interdental papilla, root coverage and soft tissue grafting
- How to preserve and augment extraction sockets and edentulous ridges for ideal implant placement
- An approach to reduce tissue healing time, increase patient acceptance and enhance esthetics by using minimally invasive surgery
- Criteria for immediate placement and provisionalization of implants in the esthetic zone
- Criteria for selection of ideal implant site and abutment
- Principles of diagnosis, treatment planning and design of esthetic removable partial dentures
- State-of-the art esthetic material selection for removable partial dentures
- How to identify multiple clinical factors associated with removable partial denture design

**Synopsis**

Dentists today are constantly required to improve and maintain their patients’ dental and facial esthetics. Although challenging, once predictable esthetic results are achieved, it is most rewarding to patients and the dental team. Often, clinical case selection and treatment planning require a careful consideration of a multitude and inter-disciplinary factors and conditions affecting the patient as well as thorough knowledge of the most current concepts and techniques of esthetic dentistry. In this course, faculty experts from different disciplines of dentistry will discuss the most up-to-date concepts and clinical approaches to help you achieve better and more predictable esthetic results in your practice.