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ENDODONTICS FROM A TO Z:
A HANDS-ON WORKSHOP FOR THE GENERAL PRACTITIONER

USC School of Dentistry
Friday - Sunday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
June 4 - 6, 2010 (Part I)
June 25 - 27, 2010 (Part II)
Endodontics has gone through many exciting changes in the past several years. Recent advances in technology, materials and equipment have changed the way endodontics is practiced today. These advances have made it possible to efficiently perform successful endodontic treatment with improved precision, predictable results, and with much greater patient acceptance.

This comprehensive state-of-the-art course includes series of seminars and hands-on workshops specially designed for General Dentists who wish to advance their knowledge and clinical skills in the art and science of endodontics. A team of endodontic specialists from the University of Southern California School of Dentistry will thoroughly discuss evidence-based clinical and biological concepts of modern endodontic therapy. These experts will walk you, from start to finish, through all the necessary steps and phases that will enable you to enhance the way you practice endodontics so you can provide the best standards of endodontic care to your patients.

During the hands-on part of this course you will have the opportunity to apply the principles discussed by the USC team of experts and practice in one of the most modern facilities in California. You will perform endodontic treatment from start to finish in both single-rooted and multi-rooted teeth and will also practice endodontic retreatment.

Without doubt, this course will be a complete learning experience!

Stanley Malamed, DDS
Professor of Anesthesia and Medicine at the USC School of Dentistry. He authored a widely used textbook: Handbook of Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office (6th ed. 2007), Handbook of Local Anesthesia (5th ed. 2004), and Sedation – A Guide to Patient Management (9th ed. 2010).

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Professor and Director of Advanced Endodontics at the USC School of Dentistry. Formerly, Director of the Endodontic Residency at the VA Medical Center, Long Beach. Dr. Simon has published extensively in the endodontic literature and has lectured nationally and internationally.

### Topics to be covered
- Diagnosis and treatment planning
- Case selection in endodontics
- Endodontic emergencies
- Achieving effective anesthesia for endodontic treatment
- Management of anxiety and pain in endodontics
- Preparation for endodontic treatment
- The operating microscope and its uses in endodontics
- Current principles of endodontic access
- Canal length determination including electronic apex locators
- Root canal cleaning and shaping
- Nickel Titanium rotary instrumentation
- Canal irrigation and intracanal medication
- Procedural errors and their prevention
- Root canal obturation
- Endodontic retreatment
- Root resorptions
- Endodontic considerations of dental trauma
- Endodontic-periodontal interrelationship
- Achieving better success in endodontic cases

### Upon completion of this course you will be able to
- Enhance your knowledge of the clinical and biological concepts of modern endodontics
- Successfully treat single-rooted and multi-rooted teeth
- Apply system-based approaches and state-of-the-art technology for treating your endodontic cases
- Use endodontic hand and rotary instruments safely and effectively

Endodontics From A to Z - Registration Form
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