Upcoming Courses

SAVING NATURAL TEETH WITH ENDOODONTIC TREATMENT
Friday, April 5, 2019

MINIMALLY INVASIVE ADHESIVE AND ESTHETIC DENTISTRY: A REVIEW OF AVAILBLE TREATMENT OPTIONS & MATERIALS
Saturday, April 6, 2019

INTERVENTION FOR TMD, MYOFASCIAL PAIN AND HEADACHES - (LIVE WEBINAR AVAILABLE)
Friday - Saturday, April 12 - 13, 2019

ADVANCES IN DENTAL BIOMATERIALS: A REVIEW OF CLINICAL APPLICATION
Saturday, April 27, 2019

LEARNING IMPLANT DENTISTRY FOR THE RESTORATIVE DENTIST - PART II (LIVE WEBINAR AVAILABLE)
Saturday, May 4, 2019

Webinar System Requirements:
Mac or PC:
- Operating system: Windows XP with SP3+, Vista with SP1+, Windows 7 – 10 Mac OS X 10.7 (Lion) or later
- Web Browser: Windows: IE7+, Firefox, Chrome, Safari5+
  Mac: Safari5+, Firefox, Chrome
  Linux: Firefox, Chrome
- Internet connection: 1.1 video calling: 600kbps (down) for HQ video and 1.2 Mbps (down) for HD video (broadband recommended)
- Software: Zoom desktop app; JavaScript enabled
- Hardware: Single Core 1Ghz or Higher, 2GB or more of RAM; Microphone and speakers (USB headset recommended**); Webcam (to use HDFaces)

Join from iOS:
- Operating system: iOS 7.0 or later
- Device: iPhone 4s or later; iPad 2 or later
- Internet connection: 3G connection or better (WiFi recommended for VoIP audio)
- Browser for Web Start: iOS Safari5+, Chrome

Join from Android:
- Operating system: Android 4.0.x (Ice Cream Sandwich) or later, Kindle Fire HD
- Internet connection: 3G connection or better (WiFi recommended for VoIP audio)
- Browser for Web Start: Android: Webkit (default), Chrome
- Hardware: Any 1 Gba single core processor or better (non-Intel), Microphone and speakers (headset recommended**)

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Dr. Frydman’s research focuses on implant therapy and as an Examiner for the American Board of Periodontology. Related to aggressive periodontitis and implant disease. He is planning and implant therapy and lectures nationally on topics related to aggressive periodontitis and implant disease. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology as well as an Examiner for the American Board of Periodontology. Dr. Frydman’s research focuses on implant therapy and periodontal disease.

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Dr. Simonian is a graduate of the Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry of USC. He practiced as a general dentist for 11 years, and in the meantime held a faculty position at USC. He obtained his specialty certificate in 2004 upon completion of the 3-year program in Advanced Periodontology at USC, and his board certification by the American Board of Periodontology in 2005. He is a Clinical Assistant Professor at the Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry of USC Advanced Periodontology Program and has lectured nationally. He has published in several leading peer-reviewed journals, including Journal of Periodontology, International Journal of Oral & Maxillofacial Implants, Journal of the California Dental Association, Clinical Implant Dentistry and Related Research, Clinical Advances in Periodontics and the Journal of the Western Society of Periodontology. Dr. Simonian is an active member of the American Board of Periodontology, American Academy of Periodontology, American Dental Association, California Dental Association and the San Gabriel Valley Dental Society.

Understanding implant treatment planning requires both restorative and surgical perspectives. Further complicating implant dentistry are the challenges in treating the ailing implant. Surgically, implants are an obvious choice for edentulous areas, however challenges arise when replacement of questionable teeth with implants are contemplated. Periodontal literature provides insights when maintaining the dentition is possible. However, there are situations where the decision to replace teeth with implants is not very clear. The aim of the course is to explore the multiple facets of implant dentistry including the treatment of ailing implants in order to achieve a broad perspective that will be valuable to surgical and periodontal decision making. Topics will include origins and science behind osseointegration, current trends in peri-implantitis therapy a basic review of surgical procedures typically used for augmentation and implant site preparation, implant success and failure, an understanding of periodontal prognosis of teeth in relation to implant prognosis, and surgical treatment planning of implants. The goal is to combine a broad understanding of the current science behind implants and the treatment of their complications in order to develop a more concise treatment plan that helps navigate the difficult question of when to replace natural teeth with implants, or even when to replace ailing implants.

This course is designed for dentists, periodontists, oral surgeons, prosthodontists, hygienists, dental assistants and all members of the dental team.

Please be cautious about the potential risks of using limited knowledge when integrating new techniques into your practices.

topics to be covered:
• New disease classifications in peri implant diseases from the World Workshop released in 2018
• Emerging therapies for treating peri-implantitis
• Prevention of peri-implant disease
• Alternatives to titanium implants
• Periodontal diseases and their potential impact on implant prognosis
• Tooth prognosis versus implant prognosis
• Implants as foreign bodies
• Peri-implant disease
• Peri-implantitis in comparison to periodontitis lesions
• Prognostic evaluation of teeth in treatment planning for implants
• Prognosis of traditional therapy versus implant treatment

Upon completion of the course participants should know:
• Current theories behind peri-implantitis
• Emerging modalities for treatment of peri-implant disease
• Principals of osseointegration
• Principals of implant site preparation and augmentation
• Differences between treatment planning implants for sites with and without teeth
• How to assign a concise prognosis for involved teeth
• How to select teeth for strategic extraction
• Indications and contraindications for placing dental implants in periodontally compromised cases