Restoring the edentulous patient with an aesthetic reconstruction may present numerous challenges to the clinician. The patient’s occlusal vertical dimension, centric relation, esthetics and phonetics need to be determined and maintained throughout the restorative process. With the advent of dental implants, there are various treatment options available today to address the patient’s esthetic and functional needs.

This course will discuss diagnosis and treatment planning for fixed implant supported reconstruction. A variety of treatment options and prosthesis designs will be introduced and the treatment sequence will be reviewed in a step-by-step simplified approach to provide a predictable outcome with esthetic implant reconstruction.

SYNOPSIS

- Diagnostic tools such as flangeless record base, wax-up, setup, intraoral mock-up and radiographic templates.
- Esthetic pontics: horizontally submerged & fused pontic designs.
- Gingiva-colored ceramics design and technique.
- Provisionalization: fixed or removable?
- Transitional implants to support provisional restorations.
- The conversion prosthesis as a treatment philosophy.
- Communication with the surgeon, laboratory and patient to obtain predictable results.
- Laboratory techniques and procedures.
- Surgical considerations.

TOPICS TO BE COVERED

- Surgical reconstruction to recreate lip support.
- Fixed implant reconstruction of patients with severely resorbed ridges and lack of lip support.
- Esthetic full-mouth implant reconstruction in one visit?
- Fixed implant reconstruction of patients with severely resorbed ridges and lack of lip support.
- Surgical reconstruction to recreate lip support.
- Management of complications.

MODULE I - Lecture

From Overdentures to Full-Mouth Fixed
- Fundamental treatment options for the edentulous patient.
- Comprehensive diagnosis and treatment planning.
- Individual attachments vs. bar overdentures.
- Implant supported vs. implant-tissue supported overdentures.
- Esthetic metal-resin and metal-ceramic fixed implant reconstruction.
- Practical and time saving tips for full-mouth reconstruction.

MODULE II - Lecture

Fixed Prostheses Designs and Treatment Planning
- Simplicity in design: from one-piece complete arch to segmented design.
- From screw retained to custom abutments and telescopic copings.
- Esthetic full-mouth implant reconstruction in one visit?
- Fixed implant reconstruction of patients with severely resorbed ridges and lack of lip support.
- Surgical reconstruction to recreate lip support.
- Management of complications.

MODULE III - Hands-On Workshop (Limited Attendance)

Conversion of Complete Dentures to Fixed Implant Restorations in One Clinical Visit

Faculty: Harel Simon, DMD; Joseph Field, DDS; Take Katayama, CDT

In this unique and exclusive course, participants will receive models of completely edentulous arches with implants and corresponding complete dentures. Each participant will convert a complete denture to a fixed implant supported provisional restoration.

This technique is the core philosophy for a simplified approach for implant reconstruction. Mastering this technique simplifies the restorative sequence significantly and enhances the predictability of the treatment from an esthetic and functional point of view.

Upon completion, participants will receive these models for patient education and demonstration of full-mouth implant reconstruction.

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

FACULTY

Harel Simon, DMD (Course Director)

Dr. Harel Simon received his DMD degree from the Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel and his specialty certificate in advanced prosthodontics from UCLA School of Dentistry. Dr. Simon has conducted research, published and lectured nationally and internationally on esthetics and implant prosthodontics. He has been a featured speaker at the Academy of Osseointegration, Academy of Prosthodontics, American College of Prosthodontists, American Academy of Fixed Prosthodontics and the Pacific Coast Society of Prosthodontics. Dr. Simon has coauthored the 2nd edition of the bestseller book Dental Implant Complications (Wiley-Blackwell). He currently serves on the editorial review board of various scientific publications including the Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry and Quintessence International. Dr. Simon practices in Beverly Hills, California and is a clinical associate professor at the Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry of University of Southern California. Dr. Simon can be reached at hsimon@usc.edu.

This course is one of three in the successful series of Esthetic Full-Mouth Implant Reconstruction offering a comprehensive review of this treatment modality. It will expose you to a larger variety of patients with challenging conditions to enrich your experience in this field. You may take each module separately, but we encourage you to take all modules to maximize your learning experience and fully comprehend this treatment modality.

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  After March 15, 2018: Dentist $2,245; Aux $1,910

- Module II: Lecture (Sat, April 21, 2018)
  Before March 15, 2018: Dentist $295; Aux $250
  After March 15, 2018: Dentist $375; Aux $320

- Module I: Lecture (Fri, April 20, 2018)
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- Module III: Hands-On (Sun, April 22, 2018)
  Before March 15, 2018: $1,875
  After March 15, 2018: $1,995

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