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Official Opening



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join us for
a night with the stars

*trades people,
 conference speakers
 and attendees*

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*post workshops
 Thurs 15th October
 2015 - 1 CPD*


6.00pm drinks & nibbles - 6.30pm Steve Pointing: *Life in the Universe*

Steve Pointing: Life in the Universe



Steve's research pioneered the use of molecular techniques to understand how simple microbes cling to life in extreme environments such as the icy deserts of Antarctica, boiling geothermal pools and lakes that are ten times more salty than the ocean. This led to interest from NASA astrobiologists, those who seek to understand if life could exist beyond Earth, since the harsh conditions mimic those encountered on the surface of other planets. Steve has led an astrobiology research team collaborating with NASA for over a decade and broadened his interests to consider the human impacts of discovering life on other planets. This includes effects on human physiology, evolution, society... and even oral health!

Friday 16th

Time	Speaker	Sponsor	Topic
7.15AM	Registrations and trade show opens		
8.10AM	Tracy Burke		NZIDT President's welcome
8.15AM	Olivier Tric		The master is in the detail - Pt1
9:45AM	Morning Tea		
10.15AM	John Pearson		Designing a partial in five easy steps
11.15AM	John Batchelor		Mediation: The art of the second opinion
11.45PM	Lunch		
12.30PM	Mike Williams		Maxillofacial
1.00PM	Mauritz Slabbert		Chrome
1.30PM	Andrew Tawse-Smith		Oral Implant maintenance
2.30PM	Afternoon Tea		
3.00PM	Chris Kelly		Snore Guards
4.00PM	John Pearson		Immediate dentures: The third set of teeth
5.15PM	Session ends		
6.45PM	Pre-dinner drinks		
7.30PM	Dinner & Band		<i>Red Carpet Ready</i> Best dressed: 

Saturday 17th

Time	Speaker	Sponsor	Topic
9.00AM	Trade show opens		
9.15AM	Registrations		
9.25AM	Minshym Chan Wong		Incoming President's opening statement
9.30AM	Olivier Tric		The master is in the detail - Pt2
10.30AM	Christiaan Claassens		Maximising customers' experience
11.30AM	Brunch		
12.30PM	Hyall Coraj		The New Locator Abutment
1.00PM	Student: Tay Yoon		Research: the effect of surface treatment on bonding of reline poly(methacrylate) to denture base resin
1.30PM	Session ends		
1.45 - 3.15PM	NZIDT AGM		



Speakers

Olivier Tric: The Master is in the Details – Parts one and two

Olivier Tric began his studies in France at the College of Leonardo De Vinci and the University of Pharo while concurrently pursuing an apprenticeship in Dental Technology. After a 5 year apprenticeship, he launched a 15+ year career devoted to a thorough understanding of the principles of Dental Aesthetics and the mastery of specialized techniques in Dental Laboratory Technology. His specialties include all facets of porcelain restorations on both natural teeth and osseointegrated implants. He is recognized by his peers as a pioneer in the industry by developing new and unique methodologies that are taught worldwide.



He is widely published on the topic of ceramic layering techniques and aesthetic dentistry in industry journals such as Dental Dialogue, Practical Procedures & Aesthetic Dentistry and Quintessence Dental Technology. He also serves on the Editorial Board for Spectrum Dialogue, and Teamwork Magazine. His professional affiliations include Design Technique International (DTI), Oral Design International Foundation, and others. Mr. Tric is a highly respected lecturer and educator, teaching hands-on courses to dentists and technicians throughout the United States, Canada and Europe. He is regularly consulted by leading Dental Manufacturers and Laboratories for input on new product development. He currently operates Olivier Tric Dental Laboratory and Educational Center in the Chicago suburb of Elmhurst, Illinois.

Chris Kelly: Oral appliance therapy for OSA and oral appliances - DME provision from the dental perspective

Christopher Kelly graduated from TAFE in 1985. ODL, (OrthoDental Laboratory) was founded by Christopher in 1989. Orthodontic appliance construction and theory was always a passion for Chris, and with over 26 years' experience with removable orthodontic appliances, Chris has provided thoughtful discussion on the right kind of appliances for his (dentist) clients patients. Chris became a dental Prosthetist in 1998 and since then such he regularly assists his clients- both dentists and patients with various kinds of cases. Full dentures, partial dentures and implant retained dentures are services Chris enjoys offering to patients.



Sleep medicine, and oral appliances have become an area of great interest and passion for Chris, and ODL Sleep Services was formed to represent that passion since 2006. For the last 9 years Chris has been offering oral appliance services as a lab to dentists. More recently ODL Sleep Services has been able to offer clinical support services to dental clinics, and direct support to patients that require CPAP (continuous positive airway pressure) therapy for Obstructive sleep apnoea (OSA).

Sleep 2008 and 2010, in Baltimore and San Antonio in the USA, saw Chris demonstrate the FDA Cleared medical device (oral appliance), with keen interest from dentists and RSPGT (sleep technicians). Chris completed the Fundamentals of sleep medicine course held at Sydney University in 2012. This week long intense course is an in-depth journey into the field of sleep medicine.

Chris has participated in presentations on the subject of OSA and Sleep medicine from a dental perspective as well as from a durable medical equipment provider (DME provider) point of view. Chris has delivered presentations to small groups of dentists, and groups of clinical dental technicians in New Zealand, as well as dental prosthetists in Australia over the last couple of years. Dentists have enjoyed personal assistance with their patients for oral appliances across Australia in most states on a case by case basis over the last year from Chris. DME provision is an emerging cross over area that dental prosthetists can become involved in; the combination of scope for oral appliance record taking and construction, plus efficiency follow up screening for oral appliances, and further to this, the provision of DME equipment to patients (CPAP).

John Pearson: Designing a partial in five easy steps

After graduating from the University of Queensland, he moved to Melbourne to take a position as an assistant in Private General Practice. He then moved to London and continued in Private Practice. When he returned to Melbourne he joined a Private General Practice until entering the University of Melbourne to pursue post graduate studies in Prosthetic Dentistry. He graduated M.D.Sc. in 1986 and then proceeded to enter Specialist Private Practice which he has operated until this day. During this period he has held positions as



clinical demonstrator for undergraduate and graduate students at the Universities of Melbourne and Sydney. He has been involved as an examiner for the Australian Dental Council in Prosthetic Dentistry. He is past President of the Australian Prosthodontic Society (Vic Branch), and past Editor of the Australian Prosthodontic Society Newsletter. He is a member of the Australian and New Zealand Academy of Prosthetic Dentistry, the International College of Prosthetic Dentistry and other specialist societies within dentistry. He has been on the Australian Dental Association (Vic Branch) Executive, and on numerous committees within the ADA. He is currently in Private Specialist Practice in Glen Iris Victoria with a special interest in Removable and Implant related Prosthodontics.

Christiaan Claassens: Maximising customers' experience

Christiaan has over 30 years experience within the dental profession and has been a practicing dental Prosthetist since 1988. Christiaan has worked in-group dental practices, public sector hospitals and in private practice. He has gained valuable experiences in all sectors of the profession. Christiaan has held many positions on various boards including Chief Examiner for the DTRB (NSW), President of ADPA (NSW), obtained his Certificate IV in Assessment and Workplace Training in 2002, and is currently on the ADPA Limited Education Committee. Christiaan is passionate about education but more importantly the sharing of experiences amongst colleagues as a means of developing the profession and the relationships along the way that will develop a team approach to the delivery of exceptional customer care.



Andrew Tawse-Smith: Oral implant maintenance

Dr Tawse-Smith obtained his DDS at the Colombian School of Dentistry (COC) in 1986. He continued his specialist education in Periodontology at Gothenburg University in 1992. He has worked in both private specialist practice and universities for more than 20 years during which he was a former dean at COC. He is the scientific director of the Journal Odontologico Colegial, a referee for the Cochrane Oral health Review Group and the Scientific Journal SOBRAPE (Sociedad Brasileira de Periodoncia). He is also a member of the Editorial Committee Scientific Journal “Clinica e Pesquisa em Odontologia (CLIFE)-UNITAU (Universidade de Taubate) Brazil”.



Dr Tawse-Smith has multiple publications in the theme of oral implantology focusing on the biological complications and maintenance issues. He is a member of the Oral Implantology Research Group at Sir John Walsh Research Institute, Faculty of Dentistry, University of Otago, New Zealand.

Hyll Coraj: Next generation locator abutment introduction

Hyll Coraj is the Managing Director of Pacific Dental Specialties, which has offices in New Zealand and Australia. After completing his BSc, Hyll began his career as a digital imaging product manager for scientific microscopes, a role which involved extensive professional development and training in Germany, Switzerland and the United Kingdom.



Hyll then took this valuable experience in imaging software and on-site training to the dental industry, where he worked for Nobel Biocare as their NobelGuide product specialist. In 2009 he became a partner at Pacific Dental Specialties and established their New Zealand office. Six years later, PDS has become a well known name in the Australasian laboratory industry, providing specialist products and invaluable support.

Pacific Dental Specialties is the direct distributor of Zest Anchors, and Hyll will be talking on the new locator abutment, which is due to be released next year.

Michael Williams: Maxillofacial

Mike trained as a dental technician in Sheffield, England and qualified in 1985. He came to NZ in 1988 and worked at Wellington Hospital's Dental Department for 5 years where he mainly worked in removable prosthetics including the provision of artificial eyes. He'd always had an interest in maxillofacial prosthetics and in 1992 gained a QE2 Technicians Study Award through the NZ Ministry of Education. This enabled Mike to go the UK for 1 year and attend Manchester Metropolitan University to gain a higher qualification, the B/TEC HNC in Maxillofacial Prosthetics and Technology, and also work experience in some of the UK's most highly regarded Maxillofacial Units.



Prior to leaving to go to the UK in November of 1993, he moved to Hamilton to take up the role of Maxillofacial Technician in the Maxillofacial unit at Waikato Hospital. He attended MMU from Sept 1994 end August 1995 and graduated as top student on the HNC programme. He has been at Waikato Hospital's Maxillofacial unit since returning and is an integral member of the department's maxillofacial surgical team for orthognathic surgical planning and craniofacial osseointegrated prosthetic rehabilitation and BAHA provision. He is also a Registered CDT, having completed the first training course for the Advanced Certificate in Clinical Dental Technology organized by CIT through their Auckland campus, graduating in 2000 with Distinction. He was also a CDT representative on the Dental Technician's Board from 2008-2010.

He is a member of The Institute of Maxillofacial Prosthetists and Technologists (UK) and The International Anaplastology Association (USA).

Mauritz Slabbert: A snap shot of chrome

Mauritz Slabbert is the owner of ProCast Dental Laboratory in Albany. He studied for four years at the Cape Peninsula University of Technology, and qualified as a Dental Technician during the nineties. In addition to his National and Higher Diploma, Mauritz continued his learning with an internship and advanced training courses.



Mauritz practiced in Cape Town before immigrating to New Zealand in 1997. He sat for his New Zealand Dental Technology Registration Examination in Dunedin during 1998 and moved to Auckland. Here he worked under two outstanding mentors for a number of years before establishing his own laboratory in 2005.

ProCast Dental Laboratory specialises in implant denture restorations, chrome cobalt metal partial dentures, and denture work.

Mauritz is interested in new developments and has recently attended the 2015 International Dental Show in Cologne as well as a number of dental suppliers in Europe.

John Batchelor: Mediation and the art of the second opinion

John has been involved in dental technology for over 30 years, beginning at Ken Prior's Dental Laboratory in Wellington, followed by periods in Nelson and at Otago Dental School overseeing the Hospital Dental Laboratory. John has a clinical focus, specifically in the areas of orthodontics and prosthetics.



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