By Academy of Osseointegration Staff


This program will feature three days of scientific sessions. You may preview the schedule of events below:

**Thursday, March 12**
- 8 a.m.–noon: Corporate Forum, featuring companies such as BioHorizons, DENTSPLY Implants, Intra-Lock International and many more.
- 1:51 p.m.: Welcome remarks and opening symposium, “The Power of Collaboration and the Team Approach,” featuring a session with Dr. Dennis Tarnow and Dr. Stephen Chu, among many others.
- 5:15–6:45 p.m.: Exhibit hall, welcome reception and ePoster presentations.

**Friday, March 13**
- 7–8 a.m.: Morning with the Masters, which offer smaller group sessions designed to provide you the opportunity to interact with world-renowned experts. All “Morning with the Masters” sessions run concurrently.
- 8 a.m.–noon: Surgical track, “Current Surgical Challenges in Practice.”
- 8 a.m.–noon: Restorative track: “Current Restorative Challenges in Practice.”
- 1:30–5 p.m.: Focus on South Korea Symposium.
- 1:30–5 p.m.: Science in Treatment, “What’s the Evidence?”
- 7–9 p.m.: President’s Reception at The Exploratorium, which will open its doors exclusively for our attendees and their registered guests at this free event. Courtesy transportation will be provided.

**Saturday, March 14**
- 8 a.m.–4 p.m.: TEAM Program. For all members of the dental team: dentists, implant treatment coordinators, hygienists, assistants and receptionists. (Formerly the Allied Staff Program.)
- 8 a.m.–4 p.m.: Laboratory Technician Program, “Simplifying the Use of Technology, Communication and Art to Create the Smile: From Planning to Delivery.”
- 8 a.m.: “Considerations for Monday Morning’s Patient” with topics such as “Clinical Decision Making: What Do We Need to Know?” and “Maintenance: The Key to Successful Implant Therapy.”
- Noon–1:30 p.m.: “Lunch & Learn Sessions” with a wide variety of topics and speakers, including “Vertical Ridge Augmentation: Classic GBR Protocol and rhBMP-2 Bone Graft/Ti-Mesh Protocol” with Dr. Sascha Jovanovic, “Blueprints for Success: How to Maximize 3-D Planning for Simple to Complex Cases” with Dr. Scott Ganz and many more.
- 2:30 p.m.: “Ethics in Implant Dentistry.”
- 2:30–5 p.m.: Closing symposium, an Interactive Session, “Putting it All Together – Two Missing Adjacent Teeth in the Esthetic Zone: Options for Treatment.”

For more information, or to register today and save $250 off the full registration rate, visit www.osseo.org/events/meetings/2015/index.html.

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With 6,000 members in 70 countries around the world, the Academy of Osseointegration (AO) is recognized as the premier international association for professionals interested in implant dentistry. AO aims to serve as a nexus where specialists and generalists can come together to evaluate emerging research, technology and techniques, share best practices and coordinate optimal patient care using timely, evidence-based information. Follow AO on Facebook and Twitter.
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- **Howard S. Glazer**, DDS, covering “What’s Hot and What’s Getting Hotter: New Materials and Techniques.” Glazer is a past president of the AGD and founding member of the Canadian Academy for Esthetic Dentistry (CAED). He has been named a “Leading Clinician in Continuing Education” by Dentistry Today, and a “Top Dentist” by New Jersey Monthly. He has a general practice in Fort Lee, N.J. Glazer describes his programs as being “about real dentistry for real people by a real dentist.” He will present a potpourri of materials and techniques designed to make your day at the office easier, more productive and more fun. Your entire dental team can benefit from learning about the latest products and benefits.

- **George Freedman**, DDS, will cover topics focused on how to “Improve Your Productivity with Innovative Dentistry.” Freedman is a founder and past president of the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry and a founder of the CAED. His most recent textbook is “Contemporary Esthetic Dentistry” (Elsevier). His private practice in esthetic dentistry is in Toronto. His presentation will cover technologies and materials that improve patient acceptance, clinical efficiency and practice productivity; stress-free, cement-free, far-less-expensive implants; the latest (seventh generation) adhesives; and state-of-the-art composites, cements, curing lights and novel matrix systems. In “Comfortable Cavity Preparation,” he covers impression materials for wet environments and non-surgical, non-bacterial perio treatment and much more.

- **Fay Goldstep**, DMD, will cover “The Bioactive Patient.” Goldstep has served on the teaching faculties of post-graduate programs in esthetic dentistry at multiple U.S. universities. She has lectured nationally and internationally on soft-tissue lasers, electronic caries detection, healing dentistry and innovations in hygiene. Goldstep has a private practice in Toronto. According to Goldstep, patients are “living, breathing bioactive beings,” and dental practitioners need tools to guide bioactive structures. Participants will learn how to use glass ionomers, ionomers and biodentine; how soft-tissue lasers can biostimulate tissue repair and healing; and how to enhance an in-office perio practice.

- **Tenni Toole** will cover “The Next Level for the Digital Dental Practice.” She will guide you through high-profile trends and lesser-known shifts you may be unfamiliar with. She will show you how to charge up your patient database by integrating user-friendly acquisition tools into your daily communications. Toole will give you the recipe for building patient loyalty through a strong web presence — without having to remodel your team’s work habits. Register online at www.smilesinthesun.net, call (631) 423-5200 or send an email to smilesinthesun@verizon.net.