When SCANDEFA was held for the first time in 1968, Denmark was not part of the European Union yet, no human footprint had been left on the moon and daily groceries only cost a few øre. This year, this important trade event for the dental industry in Scandinavia and Finland opens for the 50th time to dental professionals from the region, who attend to see and experience the latest innovations in the field of dental medicine.

According to the organiser, over 8,000 visitors are expected for the anniversary event, which will run over the next two days in the Bella Center, Copenhagen’s premier exhibition and congress venue. Official celebrations are being held on Thursday afternoon between 15:00 and 16:00 and refreshments for exhibitors and visitors will be served, it also announced.

At the exhibition, the latest local and international dental industry has to offer will be on display. More than 150 dental manufacturers and distributors from the region and beyond are participating in this year’s event. In addition to the newest materials and equipment, state-of-the-art devices for the growing field of digital dentistry will be available for visitors to experience for themselves. For example, Roland DG (Booth C2-028) is presenting its recently launched DWX-40C 3D dental printer and the DWX-52DC, a new addition to its popular line of dental mills. Both are aimed at improving the workflow of dentists and dental technicians significantly. With its Planmeca PlanMill 40 S, Planmeca (Booth C2-008) is presenting another device for dental clinics that, according to the Finnish company, is the most powerful unit for chairside milling the dental market has ever seen, combining superior usability with accurate high-speed milling.

In the restorative field, Japanese company GC is demonstrating a paradigm shift in dental materials with Essentia, which was developed together with a group of experts in aesthetic dentistry and no longer relies on the classic VITA colours, but on a very simple assortment of seven shades, created to mimic natural teeth in a patient of any age and offer dentists the maximum creative freedom.

Alongside the exhibition, the Danish Dental Association is holding its annual educational programme, which will feature interesting lectures and hands-on courses focusing on clinical issues and the latest developments in various surgical fields, including implantology. Furthermore, helpful information and guidance will be provided on areas like practice management and financial planning. Although primarily in Danish, the programme will also feature a few English sessions with dental experts from abroad.

More information about the show in Danish and English is available on the event’s website, www.scandefa.dk. SCANDEFA 2017 will be open to visitors from Thursday to Friday, 9:00 to 18:00. Those who have not registered in advance can still do so on site.

Welcome to SCANDEFA 2017
Velkommen til SCANDEFA 2017

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to this year’s SCANDEFA, the leading dental fair in Scandinavia. Well established in the regional dental industry, SCANDEFA is celebrating its 50-year anniversary in 2017. The fair runs concurrently with the Danish Dental Association’s annual educational programme and will once again take place in Halls C of Copenhagen’s Bella Center. The approximately 150 exhibitors are looking forward to meeting new customers and showcasing their latest products.

We hope that you as a visitor will draw inspiration from your trip to SCANDEFA 2017, make new contacts and generate profitable business.

On behalf of Bella Center Copenhagen and all of the exhibitors at SCANDEFA 2017, we bid you a warm welcome and hope that you will enjoy your visit to the trade fair.

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