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College Hosts Successful Events at the AAO Annual Session



THE COLLEGE RECENTLY held several events at the 2012 AAO Annual Session in Honolulu, Hawaii. The review course, Discrepancy Index and Cast-Radiograph Evaluation, for the ABO Clinical Exam was well attended. Drs. Eric Dellinger, Michael Guess, Kenneth Hrechka, Rodney Hyduk, Paul Miller, Jim Williams and Dorothy Whalen taught the course.

The annual College luncheon served 116 guests and included six award presentations. Dr. Vince Kokich, Sr. presented the 2012 Case Report of the Year Award to Dr. Takeshi Yanagita, Okayama University, Okayama, Japan for case report, Class III Malocclusion with Complex Problems of Lateral Open Bite and Severe Crowding Successfully Treated with Miniscrew Anchorage and Lingual Orthodontic Brackets. ABO directors presented the 2012 Dale B. Wade Award of Excellence in Orthodontics to Drs. David Turpin and Robert Vanarsdall, Jr., the 2012 Earl E. & Wilma S. Shepard Distinguished Service Award to **Dr. Allen Moffitt** and Christine Eisenmayer and the 2012 O.B. Vaughan Special Recognition Award to Dr. Robert Bray.

A total of 48 orthodontic programs participated in the College's Resident Case Display Program.



Above: Cases are set up in the College Resident Case Display room. Right: College Councilors teach the board certification prep course.

Far left: Residents attend the College of Diplomates Luncheon at the AAO Annual Session. Left: Drs. Rodney Hyduk and Chun-Hsi Chung present the Dale **B. Wade Award** of Excellence in Orthodontics to Dr. Robert Vanarsdall.



President's Message By Rodney Hyduk



PLANS ARE UNDERWAY for our annual summer meeting "in my backyard" in Bay Harbor, Michigan. This annual Reunion of Diplomates will be held July 19-23, 2012 at the

Inn at Bay Harbor. If you have never

been to Michigan, you are in for a very pleasant surprise, and if you have, you will be in for a fantastic experience. It will be an honor to have you attend our annual meeting.

The scientific program, "Imbalance to Balance," Diagnosing and Treating Facial Imbalances for the Orthodontic Patient, put together by **Dr. Scott** Conley, will be insightful, cutting-edge and as planned, full of lively discussion. You will have the opportunity to receive up to 13.5 hours of continuing education. Continued on page 2

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President's Message

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The program lectures are presented in the mornings and your afternoons are free to take advantage of what the area has to offer. See the registration brochure on our Web site at www.cdabo.org for a list of speakers and their topics.

In January the College Council members met and completed their revision of the College's Strategic Plan with threefive year goals. The results will be shared with the membership in the near future on our Web site.

The College will offer the ABO Clinical Exam Preparatory course this fall at the annual sessions of the Great Lakes Association of Orthodontists (GLAO) and the Southern Association of Orthodontists (SAO). Dr. Eric Dellinger and myself will teach the GLAO presentations, while Dr. Robert Moss will again handle the course at the SAO. Information on these courses can be found on the College's Web site.

The College will have a booth at the 2012 GORP meeting in Michigan this summer. Dr. Eric Dellinger and myself will represent the College, encouraging residents to become board certified.

I want to thank you for all your support during my presidency. I especially wish to thank the Council members for all their hard work and support this past year. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact me, or your constituent representative on the Council.

Again, if you haven't been to the shores of Lake Michigan in the Bay Harbor area, you are in for a treat. So bring the family and join Nancy and me at the College summer meeting.

College Junior Councilor Nominee

Dr. Bruce Goldstein of Phoenix. Arizona is nominated to represent the Pacific Coast Society of Orthodontics on the College Council.

Bruce Goldstein received his D.D.S. in 1982 and his M.S. in orthodontics 1984 from the State University of New York at Buffalo. Bruce is happily married (32 years) to Jill, a speech Pathologist. His daughter, Danielle, graduated from the University of Southern California School of Dentistry and is now finishing her residency at Baylor College of Dentistry in Pediatric Dentistry. Danielle's Husband Tal, a graduate of the University of California, Los Angeles School of Dentistry, is a resident in Orthodontics at Montefiore-Albert Einstein Medical Center. Bruce's son, Chad, after graduating from Arizona State University, works in Finance in New York City, New York.

Bruce was certified by the ABO in 1991 and has been active in the College of Diplomates since that time. He is a clinical instructor in the Post Graduate Orthodontic Program at A.T. Still University (Arizona School of Dentistry) and active in many professional organizations.



Watch your email for an announcement on the address and phone number of the new management firm for the College of Diplomates beginning September 1, 2012.

2012 CDABO Award Winner Chosen

By Vincent G. Kokich, Sr.

THE WINNER of the prestigious CDABO Case Report Award for 2012 was announced by *AJO-DO* Editor-in-Chief Vincent G. Kokich, Sr. at the Annual CDABO Luncheon in conjunction with the AAO Annual Session in Honolulu, Hawaii on May 5, 2012.

The CDABO Case Report Award is given annually to the most outstanding case report published during the previous year in the *AJO-DO*. This year five officers of the college participated as judges, and the selection was based upon:

- Uniqueness of the original clinical problem
- Quality of the records
- Quality of the orthodontic treatment
- Quality and clarity of the writing

This award is sponsored by the College of Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontics and includes a certificate

as well as a \$1,500.00 award to the recipient. The 2012 CDABO Case Report Award goes to Dr. Takeshi Yanagita and his coauthors for their case report, "Class III Malocclusion with Complex Problems of Lateral Open Bite and Severe Crowding Successfully Treated with Miniscrew Anchorage and Lingual Orthodontic Brackets," which was published in the May 2011 issue of the journal.

Dr. Yanagita received his Ph.D. degree from the Graduate School of Medicine, Dentistry, and Pharmaceutical Sciences at Okayama University in 2007 and completed his orthodontic training at the same institution in 2009. He is currently



Dr. Takeshi Yanagita

an assistant professor in the Department of Orthodontics at Okayama University. Dr. Yanagita continues to carry out research and teach graduate orthodontic residents. He also maintains an intramural private practice in the university. He graciously thanked the College for bestowing this exceptional honor on him and his coauthors.

The editorial board and staff of the *American Journal of*

Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics as well as the officers and members of the College of Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontics congratulate this young, dedicated individual for his past work and also for a bright future as an orthodontic academician, researcher, and clinician.

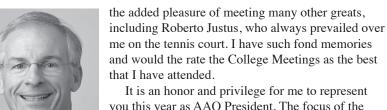
AAO REPORT

By John Buzzatto, 2012–2013 President

Greetings to the College of Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontics.

It has been several years since I have had the opportunity to attend the College Meeting. I look forward to joining you in Bay Harbor this summer. When my children were young, before we had the obligations that came with their sports and summer camps, we were regular attendees. I have fond memories of spending quality family time in such places as Colorado Springs, Santa Barbara, Beaver Creek, Whistler, Lake George and Sun Valley.

CDABO's excellent scientific programs never disappointed, nor did the quality of the attendees. My first meeting was at the Broadmore in 1990. Jack Ziegler, a fellow Pennsylvanian, was President, and I wanted to support his meeting. Little did I know beforehand that I would meet giants in our specialty at that meeting: Art Dugoni and Lionel Sadowski, who graciously welcomed me as a colleague and friend. Lionel and Carole invited my wife, Janie, our son Zack (then age 5) and me to join them on a tour of the Air Force Academy. I don't know if the visit had any bearing on Zack's future career plans, but he did graduate from the U.S. Naval Academy in 2008. Our daughter, Bailey, at age 4, joined us the following year in Santa Barbara. Over the years I had



you this year as AAO President. The focus of the AAO remains the five critical issues as adopted by the House of Delegates in 2010, and which serves as our road map for the next 3-5 years. The issues are Consumer Awareness, Advocacy/Governmental Affairs, Relationships with GP's and Other

Healthcare Professionals, Transition of Recent Graduates into Practice and Operating, Marketing, Cost Management of an Orthodontic Practice.

You may notice as a part of the Consumer Awareness Program our effort to "rebrand" orthodontists from appliances used to outcomes from treatment. This is reflected in the consumer Web site change from braces.org to MyLifeMySmile.org. The current message on our two to three years' additional education will be maintained as we expand our reach into the adult market.

Legislative goals include raising the \$2,500.00 cap on

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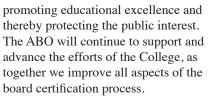
ABO REPORT

By Scott A. Jamieson, 2012-2013 President

THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN the

American Board of Orthodontics (ABO) and the College of Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontics

(CDABO), as in the past, remains collegial, strong and healthy. Our relationship has continued to grow stronger as we have faced issues of joint concern. We have addressed them, solved them and moved forward for the benefit of our beloved specialty. We are jointly promoting the process of board certification,



As you are aware, the number of Gateway Diplomates completing their certification has been less than anticipated. This year marks the end of the allotted time period for the Gateway Diplomates to certify and maintain their diplomate status. If they have contacted the ABO office to register for the examination in 2012 and those examination times and dates are full, we are assigning them times and dates into 2013 without penalty. If they have not contacted the ABO for an examination time and date in 2012, then their Diplomate status will expire and they must remove their certification document from their offices and cease to designate themselves as being Board Certified. It is essential for both of our organizations to have as many Gateway Diplomates as possible complete their examination requirements so that they, not only become ABO Certified, but they will also become members of the College. Statistically, 3,131 orthodontists have

registered for Gateway. A total of 916 have taken the clinical examination with 595 passing; 53 were incomplete on one or two cases and they have

another year to complete the exam; 1,259 will not expire until June-December and can still register for exams in 2012 and 2013. At this time 1,277 have not taken the clinical examination and have forfeited their diplomate status.

We would like to encourage all College members to contact those orthodontists you know, who

have not completed their Gateway requirements and whose time periods have lapsed, to become board certified by signing-up for the BGCE (Beginning Certification Examination). The BGCE has the same case and BCOE requirements as the Gateway pathway to certification. The staff at the ABO office can be contacted for the names, addresses and telephone numbers of those that did not fulfill their Gateway requirements.

The Initial Certification Examination (ICE) Advocacy Committee, that is a joint venture between the ABO and CDABO, is progressing quickly and effectively. The following CDABO members of this committee are: Drs. John Kanyusik, Dot Whalen and **Phil Markin**. They are joined by ABO Directors, Drs. Eladio DeLeon, Steve Dugoni, Buddy Kastrop and past-president Barry Briss. ABO staff members are Chris Eisenmayer and Prudy Yerkes. The committee is in the process of assigning contact orthodontists to each ADA approved Orthodontic Educational Program. The committee is also educating these orthodontic presenters and supporting them as they encourage the residents to take advantage of the ICE and Banking Programs that have been

established by the ABO. The ABO has given each contact orthodontist power point presentations to be shown to the residents and will continue to support the process involved in the Advocacy Program. You can become involved by contacting a member of the ICE Advocacy Committee and offering your expertise as a contact orthodontist thereby encouraging the residents that you know to become board certified. The ABO believes that ICE will become the primary pathway to certification.

I would like to re-present, for your understanding, the established ABO Banking Program for the newly graduated orthodontic resident. This program encourages the resident to initiate taking the clinical portion of the certification examination and makes it possible for all residents, no matter the length of their respective program, to achieve full certification:

Of the six cases required for full ABO certification, a minimum of three cases must be presented in person at the Clinical Examination. Of the cases presented, cases that are designated as being complete will be "banked" (documented at the ABO central office). The examinee must then collect the balance of the required cases, either from their other residency cases or from their post-residency practice, within the next 10 years. Two more attempts at certification within that 10-year period are allowed. If at least three cases presented at the initial certification are designated as complete and include at least one case with a Discrepancy Index (DI) of 20 or above, and the Board Case Oral Examination (BCOE) is complete, the examinee may mail the remaining cases to the ABO for grading at a future Clinical Examination.

The examinee must return to a future Clinical Examination to complete the ICE requirements if:

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- · less than three cases are complete
- three cases are complete, but do not include one case with a DI of 20 or above, and
- the BCOE is incomplete

Again, on a maximum of two separate occasions, they may present the incomplete cases with the same applied criteria over a 10-year period. Cases submitted for reexamination must be treated solely by the examinee from their respective residency program or private practice.

I would like to thank the many members of the College that are examiners for the ABO Clinical Examinations. They volunteer their time, expertise and compassion for our specialty as they help with our written and clinical examinations. These members of the College deserve our deepest thanks for their commitment to the certification process. It is our continued hope that more members of the College will become examiners.

I congratulate Rod Hyduk for a very successful year as president of CDABO. As a friend, colleague and fellow "Michigander" I would like to say: "A job well done" for a successful year as president of CDABO. Your enthusiasm and leadership have been a continuing contribution to the ongoing trust and respect between the ABO and CDABO.

I look forward to our continued excellent relationship and working with your president, your Council and all of the members of the College. Please contact me if I, or the ABO, can be of help with any of our continuing efforts.

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flexible spending accounts (FSA's) and ensuring that orthodontic products are not included in the 2.3% Medical Device Tax. Both of these are scheduled to be implemented in 2013.

Continuing our collaboration with our sister organizations, our 2013 Mid-winter Conference will be co-sponsored by the American Academy of Periodontology.

Maintaining the 95% success rate of transitioning residents into active AAO membership may become more challenging as the increasing student debt potentially limits practice options.

Educational vehicles have and continue to remain a priority for both doctors and staff, and we see increasing utilization of webinars and the distance learning program.

Permit me to be the first to welcome you to the 2013 AAO Annual Session in Philadelphia, May 3-7, at the Pennsylvania Convention Center. Check the AAO Web site periodically for new information on the meeting events.

I look forward to seeing you in Philadelphia in 2013, and in Bay Harbor this July.



2012 Annual Summer Meeting July 19-23 at The Inn At Bay Harbor

By Rodney Hyduk

THERE IS STILL TIME for you to make plans to join fellow colleagues at our 34th annual reunion in Bay Harbor, Michigan.

The scientific program, "Imbalance to Balance," Diagnosing & Treating Facial Imbalances for the Orthodontic Patient, put together by Dr. Scott Conley, has an impressive group of speakers to include: Drs. Peter Buschang, Hugo De Clerck, Hans Friede, Jamie Gateno, Ian Jackson, Mario Polo, John Spolyar, and Myron Tucker.

Bring the family and make it a vacation. This is a family-oriented meeting with lectures in the morning and the afternoons are free to enjoy the area or to join group optional activities. Other activities include swimming, boating, biking, fishing and golf. Northern Michigan is well known for its prominent golf resorts.

Families are invited to register for the meeting to be included in

the welcome reception, daily breakfasts with all attendees and the president's dinner.

Hope to see you this summer for a great scientific program, golf and Midwestern hospitality along the shores of Lake Michigan in Northern Michigan.

Information on the meeting is on the College's Web site at www.cdabo.org or call the College's office at 636-922-5551.



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College of Diplomates Resident Case Display Program

By Ken Hrechka

RESIDENTS FROM ADA Accredited orthodontic residency programs are invited to display treated cases for the College of

Diplomates Resident Case Display Program each year during the AAO Annual Session. This year 48 schools participated.

These cases are judged for the best-treated case. The criteria the judges use are completeness and quality of records, quality of the finished case, case write-up and unique features from pretreatment to final result. Judges are members of the College of Diplomates.

The selected case will be published with the support of Dr. Vincent Kokich, Sr., editor of the *AJO-DO*.

The College of Diplomates is pleased to announce that the selected case for publication was submitted by Dr. Jonathan Collette.

Honorable Mention for their case is awarded to Drs. Bryan Wirtz and Eric Vela.

Dr. Jonathan Collette completed his residency recently at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio. Having been born and raised in Idaho, he is excited to be heading back to the Northwest where



he is opening his own practice in Kennewick, Washington working in conjunction with his brother and partner, both pediatric dentists. He is happily married to his wife Celeste and together they have three children, Isaac (7), Carly (4), and Laney (6 months). Dr. Collette says, "I have never been more excited about the future. I am truly honored to be an alumnus of the fabulous residency

program in San Antonio. The residents in San Antonio not only leave the residency having been trained by some of the finest orthodontists in the country; they leave with the expectation of treating to the highest standard. I look forward to being able to deliver this standard of care while working in conjunction with family and friends in the Kennewick, Washington community. It is truly an amazing time to be alive as the orthodontic profession continues to pursue excellence. I am honored to be a new member of the profession. A special thank you to Dr. Ravi Anthony who was my attending faculty in my selected CDABO case."

"Keeping in line with what the College is all about, we can see each of the selected residents case display doctors, has their heart in orthodontics and also a commitment to family."

Dr. Bryan Wirtz completed his residency program at Saint Louis University. He is currently working as an associate in a practice in Kent, Ohio. His hometown is Ontario, Ohio, a small city outside Mansfield, Ohio. Dr. Wirtz says, "My



training at Saint Louis University was outstanding. I had fantastic full and part-time faculty members and learned a vast array of orthodontic techniques. Although each faculty member played a large role in my education, Dr. Eustaquio Araujo had the most significant impact on my education, as he was both my thesis chair and my clinical mentor. Dr. Randy Brown of Evansville, Indiana was the faculty member supervising my case selected for

the CDABO. At some point in my future I feel I would enjoy becoming a full or part-time faculty member. It is wonderful to be finished with school and practicing orthodontics. The main difference I have noticed in private practice versus residency is the pace. In residency having 8-10 patients a day was a busy day. In private practice the pace is increased and every time you sit in the chair you have to reanalyze each case and determine where you are going with treatment and how you're going to get there. I feel I would enjoy becoming full or part-time faculty."

Dr. Eric Vela completed his residency program at Baylor College of Dentistry. He is currently practicing in Alice, Texas and in Corpus Christi, Texas where he calls home. His wife Amy is a general dentist and they have two



children, Mia (4) and Matthew (20 months). Dr. Vela says he "feels blessed to be part of the orthodontic community. Coming from the Baylor College of Dentistry orthodontic residency program, a true appreciation was instilled in all residents to honor the profession, as well as appreciate the opportunity we have been given to practice orthodontics. I have taken this privileged opportunity and lessons learned from my great mentors at Baylor and instilled them

into my practice. The most rewarding part of orthodontics is the relationships and friendships that are created from treating patients. A patient walks in as a stranger on the consultation visit and leaves as a friend at the completion of treatment. All the experiences and changes that take place in between are what makes being an orthodontist the best, most rewarding profession."

PROPOSED BYLAW CHANGES

By Bylaws Committee

The bylaws revision is being proposed by the bylaws committee of **Drs. Walter Buchsieb**, **Robert Moss** and **Perry Opin**.

 Resolved that Article III, Section 2A, of the bylaws, Members, Eligibility be amended by adding the underlined words as follows: Active membership in the College shall be limited to active and retired Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontics who are also a member of the American Association of Orthodontists.

The background for this change is to define eligibility for membership in the College of Diplomates.

MEMBER ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

2012 College Annual Member Business Meeting, Bay Harbor, MI Sunday, July 22 – 7:30 am – 8:15 am

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT By Nominating Committee

The College's Nominating Committee (**Drs. Dorothy Whalen, chair, Paul Miller and Tom Iverson**) has placed in nomination the following:

Robert Moss – President-Elect Kim Anderson – Secretary Ken Hrechka – Treasurer James Williams – Sr. Councilor (12-13) Paul Miller – Sr. Councilor (12-14)

Terry Sobler – Sr. Councilor (12-14)

Bruce Goldstein - Jr. Councilor (12-14) (new councilor)

The floor will be open for additional nominations on Sunday, July 22nd. Elections will be held on Sunday, July 22nd. Councilor Dr. Eric Dellinger will continue his term. Dr. Michael Guess will automatically assume the term of president.



By Rodney D. Hyduk

ON BEHALF OF the College of Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontics, we thank Dr. Irwin Kolin, as he retires as Editor



in Chief of the *Diplomate*, for his many years of dedicated service to the College. He has shared his time and talent to not only his patients, but to the College Council and the membership.

Dr. Kolin has served as the "Editor in Chief" of the *Diplomate* for over 20 years. He is a founding member of the College and has attended nearly every annual meeting since 1979. In his quiet and very kind way he consistently supports the College and the College Council.

On a personal note, I have appreciated his personal encouragement and guidance through the years of my affiliation with the College. I will also miss his no nonsense, well organized and delivered on time, every time approach to the publication of the *Diplomate*.

We thank him and will miss his counsel, professionalism and expertise in publishing future issues of the *Diplomate*.



Proud father of the bride! Dr. Robert Moss, College Secretary, is shown with his daughter Ashley, March 24, 2012.



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