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Message from the President



It has been a very quick start to 2017 and the first five months have been filled with many activities and trips to regional meetings. In January, the ICD **USA Section Executive Committee** met in Gaithersburg, Maryland. The Committee developed an agenda for the Section that adheres to the 2016 Strategic Plan and continues to promote the ICD in a favorable light. It was the first opportunity that the Executive Committee had to work with Admiral Elaine Wagner, our new Registrar and Dr. Cliff Simmons, our new Editor. I was very impressed with both of them and they both brought new prospective to our discussions.

In January, I had the pleasure to attend the Yankee Dental Congress in Boston, Massachusetts and the Chicago Midwinter Meeting in February. The ICD Fellows that I met were gracious, excited about the Section and College and confirmed my belief that we all belong to the Preeminent Dental Honors College.

In May the Section held our Spring Meeting in San Juan, Puerto Rico. This venue was chosen to generate interest in the ICD in Puerto Rico and to have the opportunity to meet and interact with ICD Fellows from Puerto Rico. A joint ICD-ACD-PFA reception was held in honor of our Fellows from Puerto Rico, generously sponsored by Henry Schein®. It was interesting to listen to the passion that many of them have for the ICD and the ADA. An Ethics Course was also held at the University of Puerto Rico School of Dental Medicine led by Fellows Gerri Ferris (PFA) and Barry Langley (ACD) who planned and facilitated the course. I would like to thank our staff, Regent Julio Rodriguez, and new Fellow Edwin del Valle for assisting Drs. Ferris and Langley with logistical planning and moderating of the course.

The Section is continuing to investigate ways to communicate to our Fellows through the media stream that they desire and is also studying our IT systems and developing a long-term plan to keep the Section's IT functioning efficiently in the future. Drs. Elaine Wagner and Michael Bydalek will be giving a presentation with IT recommendations at our BOR Meeting this fall. The Section has launched a new ICD USA Section mobile App for iPhone and Android phones available for free download at the iTunes and Google Play stores. Key-Mail blasts, KeyNotes, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and the annual "Key", are methods of communicating with our Fellows about the USA Section. Please make sure your email address is current in the USA Section Office database.

We have 430 Candidates in the

process at this time, which indicates we will have an outstanding class of New Fellows to welcome at our Convocation in Atlanta, GA. Thank you all for recruiting the "cream of the crop" leaders of our profession for Fellowship in the ICD. Please continue to monitor your Candidates for Fellowship application to make sure all letters are written and the Fellowship Application is complete. This can be easily accomplished by logging into the website and selecting "My Candidates".

The schedule for this year's meeting has been 'pushed forward' one day, to avoid interference with ADA Activities, and allow our Fellows to participate in the ADA House of Delegates. The Fellowship Orientation will be held on Wednesday, October 18th and the Convocation and Dinner Dance will be held on Thursday, October 19th. I am pleased to announce that the Keynote Speaker for the Convocation will be Dr. Rajesh Chandna, ICD Worldwide President. I am looking forward to a successful Annual Meeting and memorable Convocation in Atlanta, Georgia!

Integrity, Leadership, and Service

Chales L. Smith DDS

Yours in Fellowship,

Charles L. Smith, DDS President, ICD USA Section t has been a busy and rewarding five months in my new role as Registrar of the ICD USA Section.

Two days after I officially joined the office, we held our annual Executive Committee Meeting here in Gaithersburg. It was a wonderful experience for me and a great way to start as it gave me a better understanding of the issues, concerns, projects and future goals of the Section.

One of the first major tasks we accomplished here at the Office was to dramatically improve and expand our Peace Corps Program website. We developed a page for each state, listing all of the current participating ICD dental providers by city. We then provided a link for each volunteer dentist that takes you to either their office website (if they have one) or to a page that lists their contact information. Now, our young (and not-so-young!) Peace Corps applicants can find a participating ICD dental provider by simply going to the public portion of our website!

We are looking forward to more expansions of the website in the near future.

Early in May, we held our Spring Board of Regents Meeting in San Juan, Puerto Rico, with many new directives from the Board, all of which are in line with our Applied Strategic Plan. While in San Juan. the ICD ioined with the ACD and the PFA to invite all Fellows from the Puerto Rico area to a reception sponsored by Henry Schein International. It was a memorable evening that included Dr. Geraldine Ferris' awarding PFA Fellowship to Dr. Ana Lopez. Dr. Lopez is the Dean of the University of Puerto Rico School of Dental Medicine. The evening quickly became a lively celebration with many dental colleagues who enjoyed participating in the special night. Happily, we now have nine Candidates from Puerto Rico in the New Fellowship Process! We are expecting great things from both our seasoned and our new Fellows from Puerto Rico!

Another new initiative is our free ICD USA Section App. It is now available for download at both the App Store for iPhones and the Google Play Store for Androids. The App will allow Fellows to access annual meeting information and schedules as well as news and events. Stay tuned for more updates.

We are gearing up for the Annual Meeting, Convocation and Dinner Dance in Atlanta, GA – October 16-19, 2017. Please note that our Convocation and Dinner Dance will be held on THURSDAY this year (not Friday, as in years past). You will find all of the information regarding the meeting on pages 3, 4 & 5 and on our website's Events page. We look forward to seeing many of you in Atlanta!

Respectfully,

Elami C. Wagner

Elaine C. Wagner, D.D.S. USA Section Registrar

Save the Date!



The 2018 Spring Board of Regents Meeting will be held at the Portland Regency Hotel & Spa in Portland, Maine.

The Hotel is surrounded by shops, restaurants, galleries, and entertainment in the heart of the historic Old Port District on Portland's restored waterfront.

May 15, 2018

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Executive Committee Meeting

May 16, 2018 ontinuing Education

Continuing Education
Course
UNE College of Dental
Medicine

May 17, 2018

USA Section Committee Meetings

May 17, 2018

Foundation Committee and BOT Meetings

May 18, 2018

Board of Regents Meeting

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2017 Annual Meeting — Atlanta, GA



2017 Annual Meeting, Convocation and Dinner Dance October 16-19, 2017 ICD Headquarters Hotel Omni Atlanta Hotel at CNN Center 100 CNN Center Atlanta, GA 30303

The ICD USA Section Annual Meeting, Convocation and Dinner Dance are held in conjunction with the American Dental Association's Annual Session. The ICD room block at the Omni is available through the ADA's website at **www.ada.org/meeting**.

Group Code: ICDATL

Our ICD room block at the Omni is very limited. Please select a nearby hotel if the Omni is sold out online. Contact Experient directly for questions regarding hotel reservations and/or the ADA registration process.

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IMPORTANT DEADLINES:

June 23, 2017

Deadline date for booking hotel reservations for group blocks. Reservations received after June 23 will be accommodated on a space available basis. For this reason, we strongly encourage you to complete your registration and hotel reservations prior to June 23.

September 29, 2017

Advance housing deadline. Last day to make changes to existing reservations through the ADA housing bureau, Experient. After September 29, any hotel cancellations may incur one night's room and tax charges.

September 22, 2017

After September 22, all ADA fees will increase and regisgration badge materials will not be mailed. Advance registration for ADA 2017 closes at 5:00pm Central Time on Friday, September 22, 2017. For detailed information on the ADA cancellation and refund policy please visit, ADA.org/meeting.

October 4, 2017

All changes to existing hotel reservations must be made directly with the hotel. (No changes can be made during the housing company's transfer of information to the Omni from September 29, 2017-October 3, 2017.)

Pre-Fellowship Orientation Program "Life, Leadership and Legacy"

Date: October 18, 2017 Presenter: Dr. Robert L. Frazer Jr. Location: Grand Ballroom E

Time: 2:30pm-3:45pm Candidates and Guests are invited to attend

As today's world continues to accelerate we move more and more from human beings to human doings. Those of us in leadership roles find it increasingly more difficult to maintain life balance. This content-rich, entertaining presentation will help you explore three cornerstones of your life and life's work. You will clarify what matters most in each of these dimensions of your life—both as a whole person and as a committed professional. A central

theme will be the values-based, principle-centered life of success with significance. You will learn the six styles of star leaders and the five practices of exceptional leaders. And, you will be challenged to create a strategic vision of the best you and your organization can become. ICD Fellow Dr. Bob Frazer will have you laughing and perhaps even shedding a tear as he shares some of his trials and triumphs of a life well lived.

2017 Annual Meeting Schedule

October 16-19, 2017 • Omni Atlanta Hotel at CNN Center

Monday, Octobe	er 16 th	
1:00pm-5:00pm	Executive Committee Meeting	Beechnut • North/M3
Tuesday, Octob	er 17 th	
7:00am-5:00pm	USA Section Committee Meetings	Pine/Birch/Spruce • South/Atrium
7:00am-5:00pm	Foundation Board of Trustees Meeting	Maple A/B • South/Atrium
8:30am-10:30am	Spouse Coffee (by Invitation)	TBD
6:30pm-9:00pm	BOR and BOT Dinner	College Football Hall of Fame Museum
Wednesday, Oc	tober 18 th	
7:00am-8:00am	BOR Breakfast (for BOR Attendees)	Grand Ballroom A • North/M4
8:00am-4:00pm	Board of Regents Meeting	Grand Ballroom B/C • North/M4
10:30am (Break)	BOR and BOT Photos (Bring Medallions)	TBD/Meet in Grand Foyer • North/M4
11:30am-1:30pm	Spouse Lunch (by Invitation)	Pecan Foyer • North/M3
12:00pm-1:00pm	BOR Lunch (for BOR Attendees)	Grand Ballroom A • North/M4
1:30pm-5:00pm	Candidate Registration	Grand Ballroom Foyer • North/M4
1:30pm-7:00pm	Information Desk, Dinner Tickets & Key Room	Grand Ballroom Foyer • North/M4
2:30pm-3:45pm	Presentation: Life, Leadership and Legacy Speaker: Dr. Robert L. Frazer Jr. Candidates and Guests are invited to attend	Grand Ballroom E • North/M4
5:00pm	Dr. George D. Selfridge Speaker: Dr. Usa Bunnag Fellowship Orientation Program (FOP)	Grand Ballroom E • North/M4
6:00pm	Dr. Charles M. and Alice Simons FOP Reception	Atrium Terrace • South/Atrium
Thursday, Octob	per 19 th	
7:30am-9:00am	Deputy and Vice Regents Breakfast	Dogwood A/B • North/M1
7:30am-7:30pm	Information Desk, Dinner Tickets & Key Room	Grand Ballroom Foyer • North/M4
8:00am-9:30am	Past Presidents Breakfast	Sycamore • North/M2
8:00am-11:00am	Convocation Robe Pickup	International Ballroom A-D • North/M
9:15am-10:15am	Board of Regents Rehearsal	Grand Ballroom D/E • North/M4
10:15am-11:15am	New Regent Training (Dr. Peter P. Korch III, VP)	Hazelnut • North/M3
12:00pm	Candidates and BOR Report to Staging Room	International Ballroom A-D • North/M
1:00pm	Convocation	Grand Ballroom D/E • North/M4
6:30pm	Cocktail Reception (Cash Bar)	Grand Ballroom Foyer • North/M4
7:30pm-11:00pm	Dinner Dance Program Honoring New Fellows	Grand Ballroom D/E • North/M4

2017 Dinner Dance Reservation Form

Thursday, October 19, 2017 Omni Atlanta Hotel at CNN Center, Grand Ballroom D & E



6:30pm Reception (Cash Bar)

7:30pm Dinner Dance Program

(Black Tie Optional)

R.S.V.P. (As Soon As Possible)

FAX (240) 224-7359 or Mail Reservation Form to: ICD USA Section Office 610 Professional Drive, Suite 201 Gaithersburg, MD 20879

R.S.V.P. no later than September 15! No tickets will be sold in Atlanta, GA.

Main Course: Mahi Mahi & Beef Tenderloin Combo				
I NeedDinner Tickets (\$150/each) - Tickets will be distributed in Atlanta.				
Total \$				
Please indicate below any dietary restrictions for you and your guest(s).				
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Fellows in Action

Read the rest of these articles online: www.usa-icd.org/projects/fellows-action



District 11

Dr. Kaz Rafia recently returned from a week of volunteer dental work in Nepal, alongside Dr. George Manos, FICD (Section VIII - Australia). Dr. Manos has set up a clinic at Kopan Monastery outside of Kathmandu.



District 15

Dr. Kevin Beitchman of San Antonio, Texas created a program involving his orthodontic office and fifty other dental offices. They build custom-made teddy bears for children at Methodist Children's Hospital. In its third year they distributed 190 of the bears to every child in the hospital and cancer clinic.



District 4

Dr. Usa Bunnag, Founder of Smiles on Wings will receive the ADA 2017 Humanitarian Award in Atlanta, GA during the ADA Annual Session for her continued dedication to provide dental health care and education to rural communities. Congratulations Dr. Bunnag!

Dr. Bunnag will be our guest speaker for the Fellowship Orientation Program this year on Wednesday, October 18, 2017.











Visit our website to read about these and other ICD Fellows in Action at www.usa-icd.org/projects/fellows-action

Are you a Fellow in Action?

Do you know a Fellow who inspires you?

Submit your article to kylie@usa-icd.org for a chance to be featured in our upcoming Key-Mail!

ICD-USA Section Foundation Strategic Plan



he ICD USA Section
Foundation (ICDF)
had its Spring Board
of Trustees (BOT)
meeting in San Juan, Puerto
Rico in May. As usual, the BOT
meeting was held at the same
time as the USA Section's
Board of Regents meeting.
The setting at the Caribe
Hilton Resort was beautiful
and allowed participants not

only a wonderful meeting facility but also a beautiful area to visit.

We had 11 (of 13) BOT members present and spent much time in ICDF committee meetings prior to the BOT meeting. The accomplishments of 2016 were noted and we agreed to goals for 2017. Noteworthy among those are the following:

- The election of Dr. Michael Bydalek as ICDF Treasurer (and appreciation to Dr. Ron Paler for his 6 years as ICDF Treasurer)
- The ICDF Strategic Plan, approved in Denver in the Fall, provides the framework for how the ICDF plans to use its efforts and resources
- The ICDF Bylaws were again tweaked and now are very current for the organization
- An ICDF Policy Manual was approved and distributed which will clarify many of the operational aspects of the organization
- New ICDF Grant protocol and process documents were developed and approved
- A pilot program to identify and financially support USA Fellows' humanitarian projects was approved and is also supported by Henry Schein Cares (more about this below)
- Fundraising activities were reviewed, existing efforts enhanced, and new efforts identified
- · Century Club membership
- Planned Giving opportunities
- Named Fund protocol
- The Past Presidents Council was approved by both the ICDF and the USA Section—this will create an engagement of past presidents of both groups as well as corporate personnel
- ICDF website improvements were identified which will enhance our exposure
- An ICDF audit of 2016 was obtained and resulted in a very positive report
- Discussions are ongoing for ICDF Financial Advisor and CPA support

- Determination that the Foundation and Section together need to continue to assess the identification of a "Signature" project—this will occur in the Joint Projects Committee
- The ICDF noted appreciation to Imtiaz Manji for his personal support and Henry Schein Cares potential support for ongoing and new projects

Now that the organizational structure of the ICDF has been enhanced (BOT and committee functioning, Strategic Plan, Policy Manual, Bylaws update, etc.) the ICDF will primarily focus on two activities during 2017: enhanced fundraising strategies and a pilot program to support USA Fellows' projects.

We are in the process of engaging a firm to assist us in the development and implementation of a Planned Giving Program and hope to have this initiated during this year. We will also continue to expand our Century Club membership (\$100/month for 5 years). We also want to promote a Named Fund project whereby prominent individuals can have an ICDF fund established in their name. More information about these fundraising efforts will be presented in a later article.

We also want to survey our USA Fellows to determine the types of humanitarian projects they participate in as well as to assess their interest in the ICDF providing small grants (\$500) to help initiate or sustain their local projects. If we get positive feedback for this initiative, we hope to establish the protocol for such a program during this year. If the grant program is deemed worthwhile, the ICDF and Henry Schein Cares have committed to provide financial support for these grants.

So...much occurred at our Spring BOT meeting. We believe we are doing our best to be great stewards of your contributions and that our efforts continue to benefit our profession and oral health.

Best regards to all,

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Theodore M. Roberson, President ICD USA Section Foundation



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office@usa-icd.org or by phone/fax (listed above)

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I will provide a free comprehensive dental examination and x-rays for Peace Corps applicants.



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Signature: _

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Date:

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