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## ICD-USA Regent's Report

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I t's mid-January as
I write this and have
just returned from
the holiday party my local
dental society holds this
time every year. As I often do
at gatherings of my colleagues,
I wore my ICD lapel pin. This
year, another dentist noticed
and asked about it. I briefly

related the history of ICD, named its core values and described some of the current work we do within the state, nationally and internationally. My colleague seemed impressed, but confessed to never having heard of ICD before. This is a shame. Considering all of the good works we perform, one would think we would be on the radar. I suspect, however, that this experience is not isolated - that many dentists have no idea that ICD is out there. It should go without saying that if our peers are in the dark, the general public is clueless. It is time to change that. I challenge all of our Fellows to wear their ICD lapel pins to dental meetings. Wear it to Kiwanis. To Lions. To Rotary. To any charitable or service organization you belong to or are attending. You are our ambassadors: Let the world know we exist and what we do.

District 3 was proud to induct 7 dentists into Fellowship at the Convocation held in New Orleans last fall. Their biographies are included in this newsletter. If you know them, please take a moment to introduce yourself as a Fellow and congratulate them on their accomplishment. Some other news to share from the New Orleans meeting: Our district was one of three who received a Model District Award. It was humbling to know that we won in the face of some stiff competition. Congratulations all!

We will once again be sponsoring a free CE course the day before the PDA Annual Session. Dr. Herbert Ray will present *Endodontic Therapy—More Than Just Doing Root Canals!* on Thursday, April 24 at the Hotel Hershey. An additional free course has been added this year: Dr. David Anderson will present an ethics course entitled *Collateral* 

Consequences of Global Conflict—In Your
Dental Office early that afternoon. This
course is presented as a collaborative effort
between ICD and both PA sections of ACD and
the PFA. We hope to continue such collaborations
in the future. Please contact Rebecca Von Nieda
(rvn@padental.org) or (800) 223-0016, ext. 117
to reserve a seat. Seating is limited, so reserve
early. I look forward to seeing many of you at both
of these courses.

This year the MOM-n-PA event will be held in Allentown on Friday and Saturday, September 12-13. Those of you who attended the 2013 Mission of Mercy know that this was an incredibly rewarding experience. I encourage as many of you as possible to mark your calendars and contact the organizers of this important event to participate.

In other news, the ICD-USA central office completed the move to its new location in December. The new facility is indeed an improvement from our old location, and photos have been posted on the Section Facebook page. If you are on FB, please take a moment and "like" our page.

As always, I am available to answer any questions you have regarding the College. Feel free to drop me a line.

#### **2014 CALENDAR**

#### April 29 - May 3, 2014

The spring meeting of the USA Section will be held in Bonita Springs, Florida at the Hyatt Regency Point Resort and Spa. For information call the Section office at (301) 251-8861.

#### Summer, 2015

The Foundation is planning a continuing education trip to Ireland. The European Section will be having its annual meeting in Dublin and we are invited to attend. Keep your eyes open for details.

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THE U.S.A. SECTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE OF DENTISTS, AS PART OF THE PREEMINENT HONORARY DENTAL ORGANIZATION IN THE WORLD...

- RECOGNIZES AND PROMOTES EXCELLENCE IN LEADERSHIP WITH AN EMPHASIS ON SERVICE
- PROVIDES SUPPORT TO OUR FELLOWS AND RESPECT FOR OUR PEERS.
- ADDRESSES ORAL HEALTH NEEDS AND EDUCATION THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, AND
- FOSTERS AN ATMOSPHERE OF COLLABORATION
   WITH THOSE WHO SHARE OUR VALUES.

#### MEET PENNSYLVANIA'S NEW 2013 ICD FELLOWS

#### Frederic Barnett, DMD

Dr. Barnett received his DMD degree in 1978 and his Certificate in Endodontics in 1981, both from the University of Pennsylvania, School of Dental Medicine. He received his Board Certification in Endodontics in 1988, has served as the Director of Postdoctoral Endodontics at the University of Pennsylvania, and is currently the Chairman of the Department of Dental Medicine and Chairman and Program Director of the IB Bender Postdoctoral Endodontic Program at Albert Einstein Medical Center in Philadelphia.

Dr. Barnett has written numerous scientific and clinical papers and has lectured nationally and internationally on the Treatment of Endodontic Infections, Revascularization, Dental Trauma and Contemporary Endodontic Treatment. He currently serves on the Advisory Board of the Dental Traumatology Journal, is a Director of the International Association of Dental Traumatology and is an Associate Editor of the Journal of Endodontics. Dr. Barnett has also been in private practice in Endodontics from 1981-2011.

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#### Tamara S. Brady, DMD

A 1992 graduate of the University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine, Dr. Brady completed a one-year AEGD residency program at SUNY at Buffalo Dental School. From 1993 to 1998 she was dental director at a federally funded community health center in southwest PA, Cornerstone Care. From 1998 to the present she has worked in private practice dental offices.

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Tamara has been a member of the ADA since her first year in dental school and member of the PDA since 1993. She has been a delegate or alternate delegate to the PDA House of Delegates since 2007. She has served on the PDA Council on Membership and the Communications and Public Relations Committee serving as chair for both groups. She as been both President and treasurer of her local dental society, the Dental Society of Chester and Delaware Counties and has been a director and is the current editor for the 2nd District Valley Forge Dental Association. Tamara served as a committee member on various committees at both the district and local levels, assisting in the planning and execution of their 3 local Give Kids a Smile events yearly. Outside of dentistry she is active in her son's Cub Scout pack, booster organization at Pancott Gymnastics Center and volunteer weekly at my children's school.

#### Frederick S. Johnson, DMD

Dr. Johnson is a general dentist who was born and raised in Lancaster County. He attended Hempfield High School from which he graduated in 1970. While in high school he lettered in tennis and swimming and attained the rank of Eagle Scout while participating in Boy Scout Troop 33 of East Petersburg. From 1970 to 1974 he attended Ursinus College, graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry. During this time he was a member of Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity. From 1974 to 1978 he attended the University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine from which he received his DMD degree. After graduation he joined a dental practice in Annville, Pa. which shortly thereafter he purchased and practiced general dentistry there until 2000 at which time due to a growing practice and desire to expand he moved into his present facility in Cleona.

He is presently or has been in the past a member of numerous dental organizations including the ADA tripartite, American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry, Dentists for Oral Conscious Sedation and attended numerous continuing education modalities including those of the Pankey Institute and Dr. Frank Spear. He is married to Dr Jennifer Davis with whom he practices. He has a son and a daughter and four lovely granddaughters. Throughout his life he has been an athletic individual and at present is competing in triathlons. Other interests include any and all outdoor activities such as skiing, hiking, biking, hunting, touring historical sites, and traveling.

#### Nicole Stachewicz Johnson, DMD

Dr. Johnson grew up just outside of Erie, PA and attended Iroquois High School. She continued her undergraduate studies at Allegheny College in Meadville, PA graduating with a B.S. in Chemistry. She attended the Case School of Dental Medicine for her doctorate.

Nicole is involved in several areas of organized dentistry such as ADA Council on Membership,

past Chair and Vice Chair of the Pennsylvania Dental Association Council on Membership. Currently, she is the President of the Erie County Dental Association and held the positions of Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.

She is the sole owner of a general dental practice in Erie, PA and enjoys spending as much time as possible with her husband, Christopher and their three children; Ari, Ilse and Anton. Nicole's hobbies include reading and the outdoors.

#### Richard D. Knowlton, DMD, MAGD

Dr. Knowlton has served the Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania community for 30 years. He has served as a National Trustee of the Academy of General Dentistry (AGD) and is now the Division Coordinator for Education with the AGD. In Pennsylvania, he helps oversee a continuing education curriculum for dentists through the Peak MasterTrack program, which helps dentists receive their Fellowship, Mastership, and Lifelong Learning Awards. Dr. Knowlton achieved the designation of Master in the Academy of General Dentistry in 2005.

In 2006, Dr. Knowlton was recognized with the Lifelong Learning and Service Recognition Award from AGD, being one of the first 10 dentists to achieve this recognition. In 2012 he received a second Lifelong Learning Award. He has been named one of the Top Dentist's by Harrisburg Magazine voted on by his peers and specialists every year since 2003.

In addition to serving his patients, Rick serves as the Associated Dentist for the Harrisburg Stampede Arena Football of the SIFL, Central Penn Piranhas Football Team of the NAFL; Harrisburg Area Roller Derby Team, Elizabethtown College's field hockey, softball and lacrosse teams; and Lancaster Catholic High School's football team. He is also a team coach for Central Penn Volleyball Club and is Volleyball Commissioner for Rheems Athletic Association.

#### Miriam C. O'Malley, DMD

Dr. O'Malley received her dental degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1990. She completed a two year General Practice Residency at Staten Island University Hospital in Staten Island, NY. Her Oral Maxillofacial training was at the University of Chicago and University of California San Francisco. She followed her OMS residency with a fellowship in orthognathic and temperomandibular joint surgery at Missouri Baptist Hospital.

Dr. O'Malley has practiced in Lackawanna County since 1997 and recently moved to practicing in Kingston. She is a member of the Scranton District Dental Society, Pennsylvania Dental Association, American Dental Association, Pennsylvania Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons, and American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons.

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# Congratulations!

Alvin Arzt was recently interviewed by the Profitable Dentist, Dr. Woody Oakes, for a CD to be soon released. He describes many tips for a better dental practice that he learned in his 61 years of dental practice. "There are many basics learned in dental school that have been forgotten and should be considered to help our patients stay healthy."

David A. Anderson receives a Plaque of Appreciation in recognition of outstanding unselfish service as Chairman of the Western Pennsylvania Section of the American College of Dentists as presented by his wife, Carmen Anderson. Dr. Anderson also presented the ACD Student Leadership Award to Nicholas S. Lieb of the University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine at the Annual Student Award Night Reception held at the Pittsburgh Athletic Association.



David A. Anderson and Carmen Anderson Photo: M. Rosella

**Henry J. Bitar** was re-elected Treasurer of the Dental Society of Western Pennsylvania.

**Stephen Brown** published a paper in 2013 in the Journal Clinical Advances in Periodontics entitled "Current Advances in the Use of Lasers in Periodontal Therapy: A Laser-Assisted New Attachment Procedure Case Series". He is a past president and current member of the Board of Directors, Delaware Valley Academy of Osseointegration and has been selected as an Examiner for the American Board of Periodontology.

**Howard S. Glazer** from Fort Lee, NJ presented "What's Hot and What's Getting Hotter" at the Annual T. F. Bowser Memorial Lecture hosted by the University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine.

Jay Goldberg has been invited to serve as a member of the Board of Visitors of the Kornberg School of Dentistry. He also serves as a part time Clinical Adjunct Instructor in the Department of Endodontology. In addition, Jay served as the Lead for Endodontics at the Mom-n-PA held last spring and will again be the lead for the next Mom-n-PA to be held in Allentown in September, 2014.

**Linda K. Himmelberger** is currently serving as the vice-chairperson of the ADA Council on Ethics, Bylaws and Judicial Affairs (CEBJA). And, as a Councilor to the ICD CAL, she has been assigned to serve on the Communications Committee.

**R. Donald Hoffman** presented the ICD Student Leadership Award to Ms. Elena V. Kureichyk of the University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine at the Annual Student Award Night Reception held at the Pittsburgh Athletic Association. Dr. Hoffman, President of the Pennsylvania Dental Association, will end his tenure in April.



PDA President R. Donald Hoffman presenting award to Ms. Elena V. Kureichyk Рното: М. Rosella

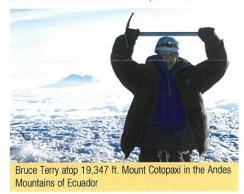
**Herbert L. Ray Jr.** was elected as the Tenth District Trustee to the Pennsylvania Dental Association.

Lance Rose has been elected President of the Board of Directors of the Blackhawk School District. Blackhawk School District is in the northwest corner of Beaver County and is comprised of the Townships of Chippewa, Darlington, Patterson and South Beaver and the Boroughs of Darlington, Patterson Heights, West Mayfield and Enon Valley in Lawrence County. Their student enrollment is about 2,500 pupils.

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THE ITEMS ON THIS PAGE WERE OBTAINED PRIMARILY FROM A BLAST EMAIL THAT WAS SENT TO PENNSYLVANIA FELLOWS. HELP US KEEP OUR DATABASE OF EMAIL ADDRESSES CURRENT. IF YOU HAVE A NEW EMAIL ADDRESS PLEASE NOTIFY THE ICD AT maryjo@usa-icd.org. THANK YOU!

In January of 2013 **Bruce Terry** climbed two volcanos in Ecuador: Cotopaxi and Cayambe, both of which are about 19,000 feet. Bruce was also awarded the prestigious Geis Award for writing the best dental editorial of the year and, as Editor of the Pennsylvania Dental Journal, accepted an honorable mention award for the Platinum Pencil given for excellence in graphic design. Both awards were presented at the annual meeting of the American Association of Dental Editors and Journalists in New Orleans this past October.



**Cynthia L. Schuler** was elected as Secretary for the Dental Society of western Pennsylvania.

**Thomas Sollecito** and **Eric Stoopler** served as Editors for a 2-volume series of the Dental Clinics of North America entitled "Clinical Approaches to Oral Mucosal Disorders". Part I was published in October 2013 and Part II will be published in April 2014.

Donald Stoner presented Robert S. Runzo with an engraved glass sculpting in recognition of his twenty-two years of devoted and unselfish service as Secretary of the Dental Society of Western Pennsylvania. The sculpting was given by the Dental Society of Western Pennsylvania in conjunction with the Western Pennsylvania Section of the American College of Dentists.



Robert S. Runzo accepting recognition award from Donald Stoner Photo: M. Rosella

**Dennis A. Zabelsky** was elected President of the Dental Society of Western Pennsylvania.

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She is the Past President of the Scranton District Dental Society and of the Third District of the Pennsylvania Dental Association. She has served as a member of PADPAC, Member of the Peer Review Committee for the Scranton District Dental Society. and a member of the ad hoc committee for office anesthesia evaluation for the PSOMS.

Dr. O'Malley is an evaluator for office anesthesia for the PSOMS and clinic instructor at The Commonwealth Medical College. She is also a member of the Pierre Fauchard Academy.

#### Eric Todd Stoopler, DMD

Dr. Stoopler is an Associate Professor of Oral Medicine and Director of Postdoctoral Oral Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine. He completed his undergraduate studies at Binghamton University in 1994 and earned his DMD from Penn in 1999. Dr. Stoopler completed a General Practice Residency at the Brooklyn V.A.M.C. in 2000 and a Fellowship in Oral Medicine at Penn in 2002. Dr. Stoopler holds Fellowship in The American Association of Hospital Dentists, The Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh and England, and is a Diplomate of both The American Board of Oral Medicine and The American Board of Special Care Dentistry. Currently, he maintains an active clinical oral medicine practice at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania and is a Consultant to the

Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. Dr. Stoopler holds an appointment as an Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine at the Perelman School of Medicine at Penn and provides extensive didactic and clinical training to students and residents in dentistry, medicine and nursing throughout the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Stoopler received the University of Pennsylvania's Christian R. and Mary F. Lindback Foundation Award for Distinguished Teaching in 2013. He is actively involved in organized dentistry, a member of the Executive Committee and Board of Trustees of The American Academy of Oral Medicine, a member of Omicron Kappa Upsilon and a Site Visitor Consultant for the Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA).

Dr. Stoopler has published over 100 peer-reviewed manuscripts, scientific abstracts, book chapters, monographs and expert viewpoints on various topics related to oral medicine. He is a contributing author to Burket's Oral Medicine, the American Dental Association Guide to Dental Therapeutics and an Editor of the Medical and Dental Clinics of North America. Dr. Stoopler serves on the Editorial Board for the Special Care in Dentistry Journal and as a reviewer for several prominent dental and medical journals. He served as an expert reviewer for the 5<sup>th</sup> World Workshop of Oral Medicine and is currently serving as a Consultant for the 6<sup>th</sup> World Workshop of Oral Medicine.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 2013 - December 31, 2013

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STARTING BALANCE...

INCOME
Dues5,515.00
Steinberg Sponsorship2,000.00
Total Income7,515.00
EXPENSES
Newsletter/printing1,235.00
Student Leadership Awards (3 @ \$400 each) 1,200.00
CE Course (Reimburse PDA for Speaker Expenses)446.55
Reimburse for Pitt Honor Dinners106.00
Steinberg Honorarium2,200.00
Steinberg (Speaker's Expense)253.88
AADE Dues175.00
USA-ICD (Banner)
USA-ICD (KEY Advertisement)180.00
MOM 'n PA Donation500.00
Total Expenses6,379.47
ENDING BALANCE \$3,007.82

### ICD AGAIN SPONSORS FREE CE AT ANNUAL SESSION

"Endodontic Therapy - More Than Just Doing Root Canals"

by Dr. Herbert Ray

"Collateral Consequences of Global Conflict -In Your Dental Office"

On Ethics by Dr. David Anderson (Sponsored by ICD, ACD and the PFA)

> THURSDAY, APRIL 24 AT THE HOTEL HERSHEY

Seating is limited. To reserve a seat please contact Rebecca Von Nieda at rvn@padental.org or (800) 223-0016, ext. 117.

### Section Has New Office



he USA Section has moved to a new headquarters location. One of the goals of the Applied Strategic Plan was to purchase office space to accommodate our increased activity and growing staff. Taking advantage of the depressed real estate market in the Capitol area the Section was able to buy a property which was appraised at \$1.3 million for less than half a million dollars and qualify for a very attractive mortgage rate. The plan is to pay the mortgage off within five years. The new address is:

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