

# California News

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#### Spring award breakfast

## Neil Loveridge honored in Anaheim



Dr. Loveridge with Dr. Gene Brown at awards breakfast

The ICD and the ACD held their spring award breakfast in Anaheim May 4, 2012. The event honored L. Neil Loveridge, DDS, and the ACD Student Leadership Awardees. Special guest speaker was Alvin B. Rosenblum, DDS, professor at the Ostrow School of Dentistry at USC.

Dr. Loveridge, our immediate past regent, was presented with his award for service to ICD and to dentistry by Regent Wayne Del Carlo. Many of us did not know that Loveridge was a B-47 pilot during the Korean War. A 1962 graduate of UOP, he practiced 42 years in Carmichael. At CDA he served as trustee and Speaker of the House of Delegates. He was awarded the Distinguished Member Award by our Sacramento component in 1983 and the ACD Fleming award for meritorious service in 2005. For ICD District XIII, Dr. Loveridge served as editor, deputy and vice regent, and regent. He is still involved in dentistry with our honorary organizations and in his volunteer work.

ICD Student Leadership Awards 2012

#### Ani Toomanian

Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry

Seth Ichikawa

**UCLA** 

Mark J. Wierenga

Loma Linda

Grace L. Lam

**UCSF** 

#### **Gregory Gardner**

UOP Arthur Dugoni School of Dentistry

Dr. Rosenblum took the audience on a journey, as he described his own educational path and dentistry's ethics-related history during the past three decades. Rosenblum led us from the Federal Trade Commission's influence and the busyness problem of the 1980s through today's issues of increasing student debt and CODA's guidelines for faculty. Today we have a new and improved CODA standard for a systematic teaching program for ethics. We also have the American Society of Dental Ethics and the Student Professional and Ethics Club at USC, a format copied by most other dental schools. Dr. Rosenblum encouraged all of us to learn, as he has, from the history of applied teaching of ethics.



Alvin B. Rosenblum, DDS, Ostrow School of Dentistry at USC



# Applied strategic planning in the making by Donna B. Hurowitz, DDS, editor



The USA section of the ICD began developing a 5-year Applied Strategic Plan in Savannah, GA, from March 25 to March 29, 2012. The executive committee and Board of Regents set two of the top priorities this year as membership and communications. Regent Wayne Del Carlo attended the session.

I have accepted national editor Richard Galeone's invitation to join other participants in

developing a think tank or shadow team of members to offer suggestions on some specific proposals which will be discussed at a follow-up retreat in July.

What are our core values? What is our mission, our vision, and our purpose? How does international volunteer work, international dental education, and our members' leadership at home interrelate in ICD? What do you think?



Members Sig Abelson and Ron Mito at Anaheim Spring Awards breakfast (story on page one) The purpose of the Applied Strategic Planning is: to create a future of choice for the USA Section of the International College of Dentists, its Fellows and staff. Through the process of Applied Strategic Planning, the College and its people will achieve their highest potential in service to others, resulting in increased effectiveness, fulfillment, success, and significance.

#### Kudos

- **Dr. Herbert K.Yee** won the 2011 Dragon Boat Festival award in Sacramento for community service. In 2000 Dr. Yee was given the Master of the ICD award. Always a promoter for education and for dentistry, Hebert Yee is the senior member of the UOP Board of Regents.
- **Dr. Jeff Brucia** received the 2011 Gordon J. Christensen Recognition Lecturer award from the Chicago Dental Society



### Nine fellows welcomed to ICD October 10, 2011 in Las Vegas

Adrian J. Carrington: Granite Bay
David R. Cummings, Mission Viejo
Gary Lee Dougan, Long Beach
David Eshan, San Francisco
Jeffrey Jang, San Francisco
Terence W. Jones, Sacramento
Thomas Edward Lenhart, Clayton
David M. Okuji, Aptos
James A. Ridgeway, San Mateo

#### Top row:

Drs. Lenhart, Dougan, Jang, Cummings, Okuji

Bottom row:

Drs. Ridgeway, Eshan, Jones, Carrington



### National Fisher House-ICD program begins in Hawaii at Tripler Army Medical Center

The USA Section will provide a list of Fellows who are willing to provide emergency care to the families of wounded warriors who are currently undergoing medical treatment. To volunteer, visit our website at www.usa-icd.org

## ICD Annual Meeting October 18 and 19, 2012 San Francisco

Our International College of Dentists 2012 USA Section Fellowship Orientation Program on Thursday, October 18, and Convocation and Dinner Program on Friday, October 19, will take place at the Hilton San Francisco Union Square, just prior to the ADA 2012 Annual Session.

see you there!

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