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Presidential Message Rodrigo Romano, D.D.S., M.S., FICD

Dr. Romano's address given at the February 9th, 2019 FAP General Business Meeting

Dear Prestigious Members, FAP Board, our Executive Director, Honored Guests, and Residents,

It is of great honor and pride to stand here in front of you to receive the privilege to serve as your FAP President. This is not a simple task because it requires a lot of your continued support and guidance. I need every single one of you to continue helping our Florida Association of Periodontists so it may prosper and grow. As your immediate past chair of Membership for the ADA, I can tell you that membership is one of my top priorities. Membership is the key element to building a strong association. We must continue to encourage all our Florida Periodontists to unite and become members of the FAP.

During my year as your president, I promise to continue to strengthen our specialty and protect it. Dentistry is facing many changes, and our specialty is seeing the tougher side of it all. We have an amazing specialty that focuses on the overall health of our patients, let us not forget that, but let's find ways to make us stronger. Periodontal disease is not a myth, it is an ongoing disease that affects millions of people every year and we, as Periodontists, are the only ones that truly understand it. We need to go back to the core of our specialty and continue to demonstrate the importance of maintaining a healthy natural dentition.

We have many great weapons that no other dental specialty knows how to implement as well as we do. Yesterday, Dr. Duarte stated during his Senior Resident Presentation, "Sorry that I will present old-fashioned surgeries." I applaud him and all our residents for bringing forward the great old-fashioned periodontics built into new materials and procedures. Crown lengthening, guided tissue regeneration, osseous surgery, proper scale and root planning, and soft tissue grafting are just a few amazing treatments that separate our specialty from all others.

Our great future lies within all of you and especially all our future periodontists. I want to thank our faculty for guiding our residents and allowing them to take time off to attend our meetings. We are here to help every single one of you grow so one day you will become our leaders. I encourage you to continue to question everything that is presented to you and continue to find the best solution to the problem. Please remember, our late Dr. Gerald M. Kramer's words of wisdom, "Treat each patient like they are your mother and you will do okay."

2019 Summer Meeting

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August 9-10, 2019 Loews Portofino Bay Hotel at Universal Orlando™

Friday – Mr. Shaun Fix – Emergency Medical Consultants Emergency Airway Management for Dental Professionals

Saturday – Dr. Robert Vogel Precision, Productivity, and Profitability of Implant Dentistry through a Team Approach





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2019-2020 Important Dates

May 17	Florida Board of Dentistry Orlando
June 20-23	Southern Academy of Periodontology Annual Meeting – Naples
June 27-29	Florida Dental Convention Gaylord Palms - Orlando
August 9-10	FAP Summer Meeting Loews Portofino Bay Resort - Orlando
August 23	Florida Board of Dentistry Jacksonville
November 2-5	AAP Annual Meeting Chicago, IL
January 24-25	Southern Academy of Periodontology Winter Seminar - Charlotte, NC
February 7-8	FAP Winter Meeting Walt Disney World Swan

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Perio Program Updates

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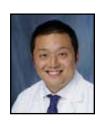
We are glad to welcome our four new residents starting July 2019. Dr. Kristen Diaz (Nova Southeastern University), Dr. Haider Fakhri (Loma Linda University), Dr. Taro Fukushima (Meikai University, Japan) and Dr. Joshua Weinberger (University of Southern California).

Respectfully submitted, Theofilos Koutouzis, DDS, MS Graduate Program Director and Associate Professor Department of Periodontology

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

The University of Florida Graduate program in Periodontics is proud to announce that our former residents Drs. Christie and Justin Craighead, Daniel Garcia, and Lindsey Rosati, successfully completed the Oral Examination of the American Board of Periodontology and achieved Board Certification status. Drs. Christian Alvarez, Alexander Fetner, Camille Medina-Citron, and Gabriela Vila, successfully completed the Qualifying Exam and are now eligible to take the Oral Exam in May of 2019.

Our department is also glad to introduce our new Clinical Assistant Professor, Dr. Tsuyoshi Tanaka. Dr. Tanaka earned his dental degree from the most prestigious Dental School in Japan, the Tokyo Medical and Dental University. He worked as a General Practitioner in Japan for two years before he moved to the United States. He completed his



Master's degree in Periodontics at the Indiana University School of Dentistry, where he also earned a certificate in periodontology in 2016. He then attended the Advanced Education in General Dentistry program at Boston University Henry M. Goldman School of Dental Medicine in 2017. He also completed the oneyear implant fellowship at the University of Florida in 2018. Dr. Tanaka is a Diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology.

He joined the University of Florida College of Dentistry as a faculty member on October 15, 2018, and has been serving as the Pre-doctoral Periodontal Program Director. He has also been working in our Graduate Program and has been providing patient care in the college's Faculty Dental Practice and pursuing his research interests.

Respectfully submitted, Rodrigo Neiva, DDS, MS Graduate Program Director

2019 Summer Meeting Loews Portofino Bay Hotel at Universal Orlando™

Friday, August 9, 2019 12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – 4.5 CEUs

Shaun Fix, EMT-P and President, Emergency Medical Consultants, Inc. – Emergency Airway Management for Dental Professionals – A Skilled Approach



The inability to control the patient's airway and ventilations is one of the greatest killers in the emergency setting. This course is designed for those familiar with the basic concept of airway management. Through the use of video, slides, case reviews, and hands-on skills labs, participants will review the anatomy of the airway and the physiology of adequate ventilations followed by skills labs in basic and advanced procedures as they relate to Dental or Oral Surgery cases.

- Initial airway skills such as effective BVM, oral and nasal airways, and perilaryngeal airways will be introduced, reviewed and practiced as the first choice as well as a "rescue" or failed airway.
- Advanced skills such as basic intubation, difficult intubation, unique anatomy, unique positioning, and variations to the "normal intubation" will be practiced.
- Needle and surgical cricothyrotomies will be practiced on both manikins and animal models.

This skills-focused day will leave you with many "tricks of the trade", feeling more confident with the airway anatomy, providing care and recognizing patients who may or may <u>not</u> be candidates for various procedures.

This program is specifically designed for patients in the dental practice setting utilizing equipment common and available to the dental professional 4.5 hours.

Course Fees:

\$475.00 per dentist. \$225.00 per staff member with paid dentist. Staff is defined as non-periodontist, non-dentist.

It is imperative that you show up on time for this course.

All dentists who hold an active sedation permit of any level must complete four (4) hours of continuing education in airway management and four (4) hours of continuing education in medical emergencies, every four (4) years from the last date the dentist took the continuing education course. The four (4) hours in airway management must include two hours didactic training in providing dentistry on sedated patients with compromised airways and two hours must include hands-on training in airway management of sedated patients. The continuing education must be taken through a board approved continuing education provider. The continuing education required by this subsection will take effect on March 1, 2014. The continuing education required by this subsection may be included in the thirty (30) hours required by Section 466.0135, FS.

Meets the needs of all Dentists who hold an active sedation permit of any level!

Saturday, August 10, 2019 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. – 5 CEUs

Dr. Robert Vogel -

Precision, Predictability and Profitability of Implant Dentistry through a Team Approach Sponsored by Straumann

This scientifically based fast moving presentation designed for private practice will cover state of the art topics, tips and techniques in implant dentistry. A systematic approach to ideal esthetic treatment of single teeth and fully edentulous patients will be presented emphasizing ideal treatment planning, long term predictability and improved profitability.

This program is designed for the entire implant team stressing ideal interaction for simplification of even the most advanced implant cases. Topics in fixed, removable and hybrid prosthetics will be addressed focusing on new options for screw retained restorations, ideal material selection, provisionalization and realist digital workflows for the implant surgeon and restorative partners. Also discussed will be simplified surgical and prosthetic decision making, foolproof fee determination, proper insurance codes and patient presentation techniques. An in-depth discussion of the newest components and technologies will be included.

- Confidence and Predictability with state-of-the-art implant materials & techniques.
- Become the GOTO Surgeon for implant referrals.
- Improve practice productivity and reduced complications.
- Integrate advanced techniques into private practice with simplification.
- Allow more patients to benefit from implant-based treatment through ideal fee determination and presentation techniques.

For this meeting:

- ✓ Bring Your Dental Team Members
- ✓ Invite your Referring Dentists and Their Team Members
- ✓ Bring Your Family to Enjoy This Awesome Venue



2019 Winter Meeting Recap

The 2019 FAP Winter Meeting was held at the Tampa Airport Marriott. On Friday morning, the University of Florida and Nova Southeastern University Senior Residents presented at the FAP's 14th Annual Senior Residents' Day. After their presentations, all residents, faculty members, and FAP Officers attending a luncheon sponsored by the American Academy of Periodontology and the FAP. A hands-on workshop was presented on Friday afternoon by Dr. Daniel Thoma and was underwritten by Geistlich Biomaterials.

On Saturday, corporate forums were given by Millennium Dental Technologies and Geistlich. Dr. Daniel Thoma, then followed with his all-day lecture on designing a connective tissue graph alternative.

At the business meeting, Dr. Louis F. Rubino, Jr., Dr. Steve Meraw, and Dr. David Okano, addressed the group. All are running for AAP Secretary/Treasurer.

Dr. Oscar Morejon gave the FAP Investiture Oath and presented the 2019-2020 Florida Association of Periodontists Executive Council to the FAP membership:

President: Dr. Rodrigo Romano President Elect: Dr. Jessica Stilley-Mallah Secretary/Treasurer: Dr. Walt Colon 2nd Year Member at Large: Dr. Roger Robinson 1st Year Member at Large: Dr. Susan Lamar Immediate Past President: Dr. Patrick Johnson



FAP Past Presidents: Drs. Gary Altschuler, Rodrigo Romano (current president), James Antoon, and Beatriz Terry



Hands-On Workshop Participants

MEETING FACTS: There were 111 Attendees (Periodontists/Residents) and 18 Exhibitors.

UF Residents and Faculty



Welcome new members: Dr. Bashar Adeinat and Dr. Daniel Garcia. Not pictured: Drs. Tsuyoshi Tanaka, Kenia Alvarez, Adrian Rodriguez, and David Garazi.



Hands-On Workshop - Denis Royer, Geistlich





FAP Executive Council Meeting, Dr. Patrick Johnson presiding



(L-R) Dr. Robert Churney, speaker Dr. Daniel Thoma, and Dr. Oscar Morejon



Dr. Pat Johnson, 2018-2019 FAP President, addresses the group at the Residents' Luncheon

2019-2020 FAP President, **Dr. Rodrigo Romano** gives his presidential message



Outgoing FAP President Dr. Patrick Johnson and 2019-2020 President, Dr. Rodrigo Romano



FAP Presidential Message (cont'd)

Last year, The American Academy of Periodontology separated from The American Dental Association because of a conflict in their bylaws, a change on a mandatory membership criterion. I can tell you that from personal conversation with both associations and as a member of both, they feel strong and united, so I strongly encourage everyone to continue being part of their membership. The ADA, our national; and the Florida Dental Association, our state dental association, are the voice of dentistry, and the only way that we can continue to stay strong is the unity among all levels of dentistry. That means AAP, ADA, FDA, and FAP.... together is the only way we can Help All Members Succeed.

Three years ago, we created the FAP PerioPac, headed by Dr. Mark Abdoney. It was created to protect and advocate for all our Florida Periodontists. By having our PerioPac it places us at the table and allows us to have deeper conversations with lawmakers. I encourage everyone to please continue to support it. Without it, we could fall behind the trenches and lose many upcoming battles.

Your board has helped me develop an amazing two series course for the upcoming year. The focus is the unity of all your team players, your whole staff, and your general dentists with their staff, so they can also understand what other benefits you can bring into their practice. Please bring your family to both meetings since they will have a chance to experience both large parks, Universal and Disney. This year at the 2019 Florida Dental Convention, the FAP is sponsoring our very own, Dr. Gregory Oxford. I truly hope that

everyone here has a chance to attend the meeting.

There are many great things our FAP is doing behind the scenes in Florida, but a particular one that will take your heart and dedication to dentistry to the next level is the Florida Dental Association Foundation's Florida Mission of Mercy I challenge every single person in this room to donate their time and skills to the FLA-MOM Event this year, you will be changed forever. It is a life changing experience that cannot be explained unless you are involved.

I would like everyone to please give a loud applause to Denis, Julie, and Carlos from Geistlich, they continuously provide the FAP and our residents their support and leadership.

Last but never least, in my heart is Dr. Beatriz Terry. She is an amazing leader, full of energy, well-being, an amazing human being, full of righteousness and clarity, and she has taught me throughout the years to stay focus and always transparent.

I am looking forward to our 2019-2020 year and please, don't be shy. I am only an email away.

Dr. Rodrigo Romano romanoperio@gmail.com

Florida Board of Dentistry Report

The BOD held a Sedation Inspection Workshop on February 14, 2019. The workshop was open to all permit holders and those applying for a permit. The inspection process was reviewed for both initial and routine inspections. At the end of the workshop the idea to move the inspection process to the DOH bureau of enforcement was introduced.

The Florida Board of Dentistry (BOD) met in Gainesville on Friday, February 15, 2019:

Review of Applications – An applicant for a pediatric sedation permit withdrew her application as the BOD advised her that she needed to take a course in pediatric sedation in order to qualify to apply for a pediatric sedation permit. The BOD was not going to allow her to use a conscious sedation course (that did not focus on pediatric patients) to qualify for a pediatric sedation permit.

Chair Report - Dr. Miro asked the BOD to reconsider its revision to Rule 64B5-15.018 at its last meeting where it increased the fee for an initial anesthesia permit to \$2000. The BOD voted to withdraw this rule and the fee is now again \$300.

Commission on Dental Competency Assessments (CDCA) Report - Dr. Dennis from the CDCA requested the BOD develop a closer relationship with the CDCA. All BOD members are invited to attend their annual meeting and it is a good opportunity for BOD members to caucus with examiners from Florida and other parts of the country. Council on Dental Hygiene - The BOD approved the following modification to Rule 64B5-16.001 Definitions of Remediable Tasks and Supervision Levels. Current rule allows a hygienist to use an assessment device. This rule is clarifying that a hygienist can use a diagnodent. The BOD approved the following modification to ownership of dental instruments by a dental hygienist - a note of clarification was put on the record that the only instruments that a hygienist could own under this rule would be the tools they can use under their scope of practice.

Legislation Update - The BOD heard testimony from Dr. Frank Catalanotto and the Florida Dental Hygiene Association in support of Dental Therapy. The BOD cannot lobby or influence this legislation. Board members asked questions and challenged Dr. Catalanotto on some of his main points.

To view the full minutes from this BOD meeting, go to: https://floridasdentistry.gov/meeting-information/past-meetings/

Update on Dental Therapy

Legislation was filed this session to authorize dental therapists in Florida. The FDA was successful in stopping both House and Senate bills in their first committee. Neither bill (SB 684 by Sen. Jeff Brandes and HB 649 by Rep. Rene Plasencia) are expected to be addressed again this year.

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Non-member periodontists: \$300.00 includes Dr. Robert Vogel/Corporate Forums/FAP Business Meeting & Luncheon.				
Referring Dentists (non-periodontists) \$150.00 – includes Dr. Robert Name of Referring Dentists:	Vogel/Corporate Forum/	FAP Business Meeting Luncheon		
All Dental Team Members (non-dentists, non-periodontists) \$35.00 – includes Dr. Robert Vogel/Corporate Forums – <i>Lunch on their own</i> . Name of Team Members:				
Late Registration Fees from August 7-10, 20	019 – Add \$50.00 to	above fee schedule.		
REGISTER FOR AIRWAY MAN YES! Register me for the Airway Management Course on Friday, Augu The following dental team members will be attending:	st 9th. Cost per dentist	/periodontist: \$475.00		
at \$225.00 ea. <i>Dental team is defined as Non-Periodontist, Non-Dentist.</i>				
YES, I will be attending the FAP Welcome Reception on Friday, August	10th, 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 j	ɔ.m.		
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September 7, 2018

Dr. Patrick Johnson Florida Association of Periodontists PO Box 7075 Wesley Chapel, FL 33545

Dear Dr. Johnson,

On behalf of the Florida Dental Association Foundation, I would like to thank the Florida Association of Periodontists for your generous contribution of \$2,500.00 to the *Florida Mission of Mercy (FLA-MOM)*. The signature program of the FDA Foundation, *FLA-MOM* is a large-scale, two-day, professional dental clinic that provides care to any patient at no cost to them, with the goal of serving the underserved and uninsured in Florida — those who would otherwise go without care. Since 2014, we have provided services to 8,140 patients, totaling \$7.37 million in donated dental care.

With your support, we hope to accomplish the following at the 2019 FLA-MOM event in Orlando:

- Serve 2,000 people
- Utilize 1,600 event volunteers—including 800+ dentists, hygienists and dental assistants
- Record more than 10,000 volunteer hours
- Complete more than 12,000 treatment procedures
- Provide approximately \$1.5 million in oral health services

As the philanthropic arm of the Florida Dental Association, the Foundation is committed to promoting dental health for all Floridians, and we are proud to represent the values of the dental profession.

Your support is an essential component of everything we do, and it is an honor to work with you as we change lives through the gift of dentistry. Thank you again for your gift!

Sincerely,

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R. Jai Gillum Director of Foundation Affairs

As required by the Internal Revenue Service, please accept this letter as our acknowledgement that you received no goods or services for your tax-deductible contribution. Please keep for your records. Florida Dental Association Foundation, Inc. FEIN: 59-2019148

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The Florida Dental Association Foundation (FDA Foundation) hosted its fifth Florida Mission of Mercy event on March 22-23 at Edgewater High School, which provided close to 1,850 Floridians with donated dental care valued at over \$2.07 million.



Dr. Oscar Morejon helping out at central supply on Thursday.



Dr. Gary Altschuler, Patient Registration Data Entry Mgr., Dr. Oscar Morejon, Patient Registration Entry/Line Mgr., and Dr. Joe Richardson, Sterilization Mgr. take a breather.

FAP Member **Dr. Jim Antoon**, FLA-MOM Local Co-Chair, with **Jerry Fulton**, Volunteer (Plumbing), **Dr. Jerry Bird**, Clinical Co-Lead, **Dr. Don Ilkka**, FLA-MOM Local Co-Chair, and FAP Executive Director, **Marlinda Fulton**, start the set-up on Tuesday afternoon.





Dr. Jessica Stilley on the left working hard in oral surgery.



Dr. Ryan Mendro preparing to start his volunteer time.



Dr. Jeff Sevor receives a big thank you from a happy patient!



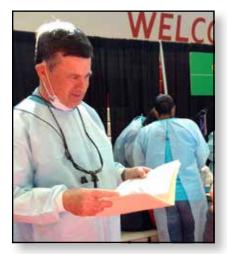
Thank you to all FAP members, their dental teams, and families who came out to support this event. The following pictures are just a few of the many who gave so unselfishly to provide dental care!



FAP Members **Dr. Lindsay Pikos**, pictured here with **Dr. Michael Pikos**, and volunteer dental assistants.



FAP President, **Dr. Rodrigo Romano** getting ready to hit the clinic floor.



Dr. Alan Fetner listens intently to his patient.



I'll take your pic, you take my pic – **Dr. David Boden**.



Dr. Beatriz Terry with two patient exit volunteers.



Part of the clinic floor pictured - in full swing on Saturday.



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