The Clinical Innovations Conference has become a major event in the dentistry calendar. Now in its ninth year, this established event gives participants a chance to hear from world-class speakers from around the globe who will be presenting a host of lectures and live workshops. The event looks set to be inspirational and motivating for all involved.

This year the conference will be held in the Millennium Gloucester, Kensington in London on Friday 18th and Saturday 19th of March 2012. With a varied schedule throughout the conference, participants will have an opportunity to understand and learn how to apply the latest aesthetic developments through practical experience, and to attain treatment tips that can immediately be introduced to everyday practice.

The conference meets the GDC’s educational criteria and delegates who attend both days will gain 14 hours of verifiable CPD certified by Smile-On Ltd. The event is not just an opportunity to gain priceless experience but a chance to encounter experienced speakers. Confirmed speakers for the conference are:

**Professor Barghi** is head of the aesthetic dentistry division in the Department of Restorative Dentistry at the University of Texas, San Antonio. He has presented over 650 educational courses and empiric workshops in more than 30 countries and written over 250 articles. He is a member of the American Academies of both Esthetic Dentistry and Fixed Prosthodontics, and the International Association for Dental Research.

**Dr Chan** is a teeth whitening specialist who has conducted research which has led to the granting of five UK patents. He has developed protocols that improve the safety, predictability and efficacy of teeth whitening procedures. A prolific author on this subject, he is responsible for a chapter in the new Quintessence manual “The Art of Treatment Planning.”

**Dr Kahan** is a Harley Street specialist and the senior visiting lecturer on endodontology at the Eastman Dental Institute. A highly regarded lecturer nationwide, his other interest is dental IT integration, and he has recently created Endobiz, a clinical software programme.

**Professor Gambarini** has lectured in universities all over the world and is the author of or has contributed to hundreds of books and articles. He has been the keynote speaker at major national and international endodontic congresses, including...
those of the AAE, IFEA and ESE. He is currently working with manufacturers to develop new technologies and clinical procedures for root canal treatment.

Matt McColey, Group Corporate Business Manager for Software of Excellence, joined the company in April 2010, taking guru from virtually an unknown product to establish it as the first choice for patient education and making sales in Australia and Dubai. Matt will be discussing how implementing guru within the practice can help educate patients and increase treatment plan acceptance.

Amit Patel is a Specialist in periodontics practicing at Grace House Specialist Dental Centre in Birmingham. His special interests are dental implants, regenerative and aesthetic periodontics. He has taught at undergraduate and postgraduate level, and lectured both in the UK and internationally.

Anthony Roberts qualified from Birmingham Dental School having also completed an Intercollegiate Bachelor of Science Honours Degree in Physiology. Anthony worked in general practice as a VDP and then in a variety of SHO positions. He completed his Fellowship in Dental Surgery in 1999. Anthony’s main interest in restorative dentistry is periodontology.

Dr John Moore is a private GDP from Plymouth in Devon who uses Cerec for all his cosmetic smile makeovers. For eight years John has developed Cerec techniques and taught other dentists how to benefit from Digital dentistry. John became an BCD Cerec Trainer in Dubai in 2007 and with his brother Dr Paul Moore in Galway, has had articles published.

Dr Ajay Kakar, Periodontist and Implantologist, in private practice in Mumbai is the current Secretary of the IAACD and the Vice President of the International Academy of Periodontology and a member of the Extended Board of the European Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry. He is also a Clinical Assistant Professor at Smoly Brook, NY. He is Lecturing extensively around the globe satiating the urge to teach, travel and taste. BITEIN and the IDo, his creations created a decade ago are the fore runners of the internet and Indian dentistry.

Basil Mizrahi graduated from the University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa. After qualifying with an MSc in Dentistry, he left South Africa to specialise in prosthodontics and implant dentistry at Louisiana State University, USA. Basil is fully recognised by the General Dental Council as a Specialist in Prosthodontics and Restorative dentistry. He operates a full time referral private practice as well as running hands-on “Advanced Aesthetic and Restorative Dentistry” courses. Basil publishes and lectures extensively both nationally and internationally.

Fraser McCord graduated from Edinburgh and spent ten years in a busy general dental practice. He bagged BDS and Part 1 FDS while in practice and then migrated to be a Registrar in Restorative in Edinburgh Dental Hospital for two years when, after passing FDS Part 2, Fraser retired in 2010 but continues to lecture for fun.

Mhari Coxon has 20 years experience in dentistry in the UK, in a variety of practice and hospital environments. At present, she works as Senior Professional Relations Manager for Philips Oral Healthcare and clinically as a hygienist. Mhari is a keen writer and is a sought after speaker who has lectured extensively in the UK and overseas.

Apart from the opportunity to listen to experts in the field, there is a chance to debate, participate in question and answer sessions and attend the AOG Clinical Innovations Charity Ball, a great opportunity to relax and network. The AOG Clinical Innovations Charity ball will be held on the Friday evening for the third year running. In 2011 more than 200 people attended and enjoyed a festive occasion of wonderful food and entertainment.

The Clinical Innovations Conference is always well attended. Now it is firmly established, it is valuable for dentists seeking to improve their own practice and performance. Delegates can also be kept well-informed on endodontic progress, enjoying and extending their expertise. Dental Tribune

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