

THE COLLEG OF DENTAL SURGEONS OF HONG KONG SPRING NEWSLETTER 2025

President's Message

Dear Fellows, Members, and Trainees,

On behalf of the College of Dental Surgeons (CDSHK), I wish you a healthy, happy, successful, and prosperous Year of the Snake. Kung Hey Fat Choy!

First and foremost, I would like to thank Dr Alex CHAN and Dr Tom HO for their contributions over the last term of office, and welcome our new Council Members, Dr May HO, and welcome again Dr. Jerome YU and Immediate Past President Dr. Simon HO. Similarly, I warmly welcome all eight specialty board chairs and their board members.



The snake-coiled staff of Aesculapius symbolizes healing and

and medicine, while the Snake symbolizes wisdom, intuition, and transformation for the Chinese. In medicine, the Snake signifies promoting good health. A person with the Snake zodiac is intelligent, intuitive, calm, graceful, and highly motivated to pursue one's career. He/she is believed to be a persuasive communicator and a skilled problem-solver, making him/her adept at achieving goals and influencing others. Please, let's learn from these traits for the smooth running of CDSHK and, more importantly, our ever better oral healthcare delivery and good oral health to the clients we serve.

Please allow me a moment of self-reflection after one year in my position. With the great support of

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the last Council, Fellows, Members, the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine (HKAM), and some luck, I completed my first year as the CDSHK President. Those were a few incidences where I considered I could have done things way better. Overall, I sincerely appreciate the Council's support, kindness, and great collective wisdom so we can move forward in this time of change.

As the current Council embarks on its second year, we shall stay resilient and continue growing, especially with your critiques, suggestions, and encouragements. Under the advocation and support of HKAM, we are embarking upon implementing Competency-Based Medical (Dental) Education (CBME) in our training and assessments, which include e-learning and the utilization of artificial intelligence, robotics, and simulation, to name a few, to support this initiative. At the Trainee and Fellow level, again under the HKAM lead, we are also exploring all fronts that can enhance the well-being of all.

Following my pledge for 2024, I would like to continue inviting all our CDSHK Family to get involved to make good things happen for CDSHK. Please feed us with your comments and suggestions, volunteer to assist our Committees and Specialty Boards, and partake in our scientific and social activities. We are counting on your involvement.

I wish everyone excellent health for 2025, or the year of the Snake, while bringing perfect oral health to all our patients.

Professor LEUNG Wai Keung President

Council News

In accordance with the M&A of our College, the following Office Bearers and Council Members for the Year 2024-2025 have been elected:

President

Vice-President (Education & Examinations)

Vice-President (General Affairs & CPD)

Honorary Secretary

Honorary Treasurer

Censor-in-Chief

Council Members

Prof LEUNG Wai Keung

Dr YU Jerome

Dr FANG Tak Sang Daniel

Dr HO Wai Mei

Dr LAU Yun Wah

Dr SO Cheuk Hang

Dr CHU Kit Ling

Dr FONG Kin Man

Dr HO Kam Yuen

Dr HO King Lun

Prof LAM Yu Hang

Dr LAW Yee Hung

Dr SHE Tsang Tsang

Dr WONG May Kuen Alice

Dr WONG Tsz Leung

Dr HO Kam Yuen

Immediate Past President



Back Row (L to R):

Dr WONG May Kuen Alice, Dr CHU Kit Ling, Dr FONG Kin Man, Dr SHE Tsang Tsang, Dr WONG Tsz Leung,
Prof LAM Yu Hang, Dr HO King Lun, Dr LAW Yee Hung

Front Row (L to R):

Dr SO Cheuk Hang, Dr LAU Yun Wah, Dr YU Jerome, Prof LEUNG Wai Keung, Dr FANG Tak Sang Daniel, Dr HO Wai Mei, Dr HO Kam Yuen

Introducing New Council Members

Dr HO Wai Mei May



It is my honor to introduce myself here. I am an Endodontist and had been working in the Government Dental Services (GDS) for 35 years before retirement in last August. In 1999, I was one of the first batch of Dentists locally trained in the Specialty of Endodontics in Hong Kong. Several years after my master's training, I was promoted to be the Senior Dental Officer and Clinic-in-charge of the Maclehose Dental Centre 2/F (MDC 2/F) which became one of the higher training centers of the College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong in the Specialty of Endodontics. Now I am working as part-time Senior Dental Officer in GDS and serve as the Supervisor and trainer in the Specialty of Endodontics. Besides, I am working as a part-time endodontist in private practices.

In my years working in the GDS, I was very pleased to see that many young dental officers in my clinics had pursued their professional pathways and dreams to become Endodontists or other Specialists. Teaching, coaching and sharing my knowledge and experiences with fellow colleagues had been my greatest satisfaction while working in GDS.

I was a Council member of the CDSHK for 9 years (2012 to 2021) and the Chairperson of the Scientific Committee for 2 years. Thank you very much for all your support, I was elected to be a member again this year. Taking up the post of Honorary Secretary is a big challenge for me. However, with the support and cooperation of other Council members, I will serve the College wholeheartedly, and try my best to maintain a healthy and efficient Secretariat to support all functions of Specialties and the College.

You are most welcome to contact me if you have any opinions, suggestions and comments for the College.

Together, we can accomplish more for the benefits of our fellows, members, trainees as well as our patients and the community as a whole.

Dr HO Kam Yuen Simon

I am Simon Ho, a periodontist in private practice. After a sabbatical year following twelve years of consecutive service, I am eager to continue contributing to the College's mission. I extend my heartfelt gratitude to all Fellows who supported my re-election. Your trust inspires me to work diligently in advancing our profession. I firmly believe that the education and training of specialists are pivotal to the growth and excellence of dentistry. With my experience and a collaborative approach, I am committed to working alongside dental and medical colleagues to uphold the highest standard of specialist practice.



I began as a young Councillor in 2011 and served in various offices, eventually becoming President in 2023. I could not have achieved this without your support and the guidance of Senior Councillors and Past Presidents. Their mentorship has been invaluable. Succession planning is essential for the College's sustained progress. I warmly invite you, especially young Fellows, to join us in shaping the College's future. Your fresh perspectives and energy are vital for our continued growth. Together, we can ensure the advancement of our profession and the College.

THE COMPOSITIONS OF COMMITTEES AND SUBCOMMITTEES FOR 2025-2026

Committee of General Dentistry 2023-2026

Chairman Dr YIU Bun Ka
Deputy Chairman Dr SIU Hin Ho Gerald
Ex-officio Member Dr YU Jerome (2025-2026)
Secretary Dr FUNG Tak Sang Daniel
Members Dr CHIU Tin Yan Andy
Dr FOO Tai Chuen

Dr LEE Kin Man Raymond
Dr LIU Wai Ming Haston
Dr NG Chi Hong

Dr NG Chi Hong Dr NG Sheung Chun

Continuing Medical Education Subcommittee

Chairman Dr FANG Tak Sang Daniel

Ex-officio Member Dr YU Jerome
Secretary Prof LAM Yu Hang
Members Dr CHEUNG Chi Kai
Dr HO King Lun
Dr LAW Yee Hung

Dr LAW Yee Hung Dr LO Chi Wai Dr WONG Yiu Kai Dr YEUNG Ka Chun Dr YIU Bun Ka

Dental Young Fellows Chapter

Chairman Dr LEE Siu Hong Alfred
Vice-chairman Dr LAM Pui Ying Phoebe
Secretary Dr SUM Fung Hou Kumoi

Mineaki Howard

Members Dr CHEUNG Chi Hang Alex

Dr HO Siu Shan Edith
Dr LAM Ching
Dr LIU Hin Nam
Dr BUT Yu Tin Andrew

Education and Examinations Committee

Chairman Dr YU Jerome

Ex-officio Members Dr FANG Tak Sang Daniel

Dr HO Wai Mei

Members Dr CHENG Hung Wai Ronald

Dr CHO Shiu Yin Dr LAU Yun Wah

Dr LAW Chi Ming Norman
Dr LIEW Cho Hwei Julianna
Prof LO Chip Map Edward

Prof LO Chin Man Edward

Dr MAK Yiu Fai Dr WONG Tsz Leung Dr YIU Bun Ka

House Committee

Chairman Dr HO Wai Mei

Members Dr LAU Yun Wah

Dr SO Cheuk Hang

Dr WONG May Kuen Alice

Dr YU Jerome

IT Committee

Chairman Prof LAM Yu Hang
Co-Chairman Dr FONG Kin Man
Members Dr CHAU Man Him

Dr LAM Ching Dr LAU Yun Wah Dr LAW Yee Hung Dr LAW Hong Yu

Dr LEUNG Wing See Fiona Dr SHE Tsang Tsang

Membership Committee

Chairman Dr SO Cheuk Hang Members Dr CHAU Man Him

Dr CHO Shiu Yin Dr HO King Lun Dr LAM Ching Prof LAM Yu Hang Dr LAU Sze Lok

Dr NG Pong Yin Robert Dr NG Sze Wing Sylvia

Dr SIU Hin Ho

Publication Committee

Chairman Dr CHU Kit Ling Members Dr FONG Kin Man

Dr LAU Yun Wah Dr LAW Yee Hung

Dr WONG May Kuen Alice

Scholarship Committee

Chairman Dr HO Wai Mei
Members Dr LAU Yun Wah
Dr YU Jerome

Scientific Meetings Committee

Chairman Dr LAW Yee Hung Ex-officio Member Dr HO King Lun

Members Dr CHEUNG Wan Tin Amelia

Dr FUNG Ho Tak Marcus Prof LAM Yu Hang Dr LEE Hiu Man Gillian Dr LEE Siu Hong Alfred Dr NG Sheung Chun Dr SHE Tsang Tsang Dr TSANG Yiu Cheung

THE COMPOSITIONS OF SPECIALTY BOARDS FOR 2025-2027

Specialty Board in Community Dentistry

Chairman
Deputy Chairman
Secretary
Members

Prof LO Chin Man Edward Dr LEE Siu Man Sharon Dr WONG Wing Sze Dr BUT Yu Tin Andrew Dr CHAU Man Him Prof McGRATH Colman

Dr SO Hon Ching Frankie

Dr YU Jerome

Specialty Board in Endodontics

Chairman
Deputy Chairman
Secretary
Members

Dr MAK Yiu Fai Dr HO Wai Mei Dr TAN Siow Wah Dr CHAN Wai Kwok

Dr CHEUNG Ho Ming Lisa Prof CHEUNG Shun Pan Gary

Dr HO Wing Lam

Prof LEE Angeline Hui Cheng

Dr LO Chi Wai

Dr NG Pong Yin Robert

Specialty Board in Family Dentistry

Chairman
Deputy Chairman
Secretary

Members

Dr LAW Chi Ming Norman Dr NG Sheung Chun Dr LAM Ching

Dr AU YEUNG King Sang Dr LEE Kin Man Raymond Dr LIU Chi Yung Simon Dr LIU Wai Ming Haston

Dr NG Chi Hong Dr TANG Kam Kee Dr YIU Bun Ka

Specialty Board in Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery

Chairman
Deputy Chairman
Secretary
Members

Dr LIEW Cho Hwei Julianna Dr TONG Chi Kit Antonio Dr SO Cheuk Hang Dr CHOI Wing Shan

Dr CHOW Lop Keung Raymond

Dr KO Hay Ching Brian
Dr LAU Sze Lok
Prof LEUNG Yiu Yan
Prof SU Richard
Dr WONG Yiu Kai

Specialty Board in Orthodontics

Chairman
Deputy Chairman

Secretary Members Dr LAU Yun Wah Dr WONG May Kuen Alice

Dr TRAN Chanh Duong Dr CHAN Lap Shun Clement Dr NG Sze Wing Sylvia Dr TANG Tin Hong Alexander

Dr TSANG Hing Suen Dr TSE Pui Yee Agnes Dr WONG Wai Kwong Prof YANG Yangi

Specialty Board in Paediatric Dentistry

Chairman
Deputy Chairman

Secretary Members Dr CHO Shiu Yin

Prof YIU Kar Yung Cynthia

Dr FONG Kin Man
Dr CHU Kit Ling
Dr HSE Mei Yin Kitty

Dr HUI Kwok Kuen Kenneth Dr LEE Hiu Man Gillian Dr LEE Man Piu Albert Prof WONG Hai Ming

Specialty Board in Periodontology

Chairman
Deputy Chairman
Secretary

Members

Dr CHENG Hung Wai Ronald Dr LAI Man Lung Stanley Dr TSANG Yiu Cheung

Dr HO King Lun Dr HO Yee Lin Evelyn Dr MAK Yun Lok Raymond

Dr NG Sin Tsoi

Dr SHUM Hoi Yum Irma

Dr WAN Chi Pui Dr YIP Ka Wai

Specialty Board in Prosthodontics

Chairman
Deputy Chairman
Secretary
Members

Dr WONG Tsz Leung Dr PONG Sze Ming Prof LAM Yu Hang Prof BOTELHO Michael Dr FANG Tak Sang Daniel

Dr IP Yun Lam

Prof LEUNG Chiu Man Katherine

Dr LEUNG Tsz Man

Prof POW Ho Nang Edmond Dr SHUM Hoi Cheung

2024 Fellowship and Membership Conferment Ceremony

17 November 2024

2024 Honorary Fellow Prof Christopher Daniel LYNCH



2024 New Fellows



2024 New Members



New Fellows and Members



2024 Distinguished Young Fellows Dr NG Sheung Chun (Specialty in Family Dentistry)



2024 Distinguished Young Fellows
Dr YEUNG Yat Cheong
(Specialty in Orthodontics)



Dr CHAN Wai Kwok, Dr HO Fu Tak, Prof LEUNG Wai Keung and Dr YU Jerome received souvenirs for completion of their previous term of office.



Dr HO Kam Yuen received the Past President pin for his service as President of the College Council from Year 2022 to 2023.



New Fellows and Members

New Fellows

18 New Fellows were admitted in 2024:

Family Dentistry	,	Oral and Maxillofacial S	urgery	Orthodontics	
Dr LAM Ching	林晶	Dr CHEUNG Ka Yan Dr MA Hai Leong Dr TAM Ching Yan Dr WAN Chi Ching Joan Dr WANG Rui	張嘉恩 馬熹亮 譚鉦鍁 温芷晴 汪睿	Dr CHAN Tsz Hin Dr HO Cheuk Hin Dr SUM Fung Hou Kumoi Mineaki Howard	陳子軒 何綽軒 沈峰豪
Paediatric Dentistr	у	Periodontology		Prosthodontics	
Dr HUI Wai Chung Leon					

New Members

29 New Members were admitted in 2024:

Community Dentist	Community Dentistry		Endodontics		Family Dentistry		
Dr CHAN Ka Wai Kathy Dr CHAN Wai Ling Dr CHOW Wing Yi Winnie Dr CHU Wing Ho Prof JIANG Chloe Meng	陳嘉蕙 陳慧玲 周頴儀 朱永豪 姜曚	Dr BREZHNEV Sergey Dr LEUNG Wing See Fiona Dr LO Tsun Ming Dr WONG Jasmine	梁詠詩 勞俊銘 黃芷敏	Dr LEUNG Wing Tung Dr TANG Ho Yeung	梁詠彤 鄧浩揚		
Oral and Maxillofacial S	urgery	Orthodontics		Paediatric Dentistr	У		
Dr CHAN Lue Hang Dr LAW Ka Wing Dr TAI Pak Chuen Patrick Dr YUEN Chee Yiu Matthew	陳律行 羅家穎 戴柏全 袁梓耀	Dr KU Nan Yin Dr LAU Michelle Tsz Wing Dr LEUNG Chi Hang Dr TSANG Kieran Daniel	顧南燕 劉子知行 曾啟揚	Dr CHEUNG Yi Lok Elok Dr HO Yuen Ling Cindy Dr MAN Chin Wing Vanessa Dr ONSIONG Kimberlee Sheryll Lee Siu Hua Dr WONG Hey Ching	張依諾 何宛 文 李 秀 華 黃 千 晴		
Periodontology		Prosthodontics					
Dr LAM Lut Ting Dr LAM Pok Man Dr TSANG Nichol Chun Wai	林律廷 林博文 曾俊瑋	Dr HAU Cheuk Fung Dr HO Kwun Yin	侯卓峰 何冠彦				

1 Member in General Dentistry was admitted in 2024:

Dr FUNG Wai Lam William

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Examination Results

The following Higher Trainees were successful in the Specialty Exit Examinations and have completed their specialist training pathway:

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Dr PU Jingya 蒲靜雅 Dr TAM Yim Ha 譚艷霞

Paediatric Dentistry

Dr KHOSALM Ingrid Patricia

Prosthodontics

Dr YUEN Ha Ching 袁夏靜

The Intermediate Examinations were held between September and December 2024. The following candidates were successful in passing the Intermediate Examinations:

Endodontics

Dr CHAN Chi Wai 陳智偉 Dr NGAI Ping 倪冰

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Dr CHAO Tsz Kwan Michael 趙子鈞
Dr CHEUNG Ming Yan 張明欣
Dr HO Chui Yi 何翠宜
Dr LEUNG Tsun Sun 梁浚鋅
Dr MAK Pui Ying 麥佩盈
Dr NG Wing Yau 伍穎柔

Periodontology

Dr CHEN See Nok Tiffany 陳思諾 Dr KAN Yee Ting Alice 簡綺廷 Dr SUNG Nicholas David 孫瑞亨

Prosthodontics

Dr LAM Vanessa 林穎珊 Dr TSE Wai Ling 謝惠玲

Webinar on Recognizing and Managing Burnout in Dentistry: A Resounding Success

On October 17, 2024, Dental Protection, the Medical Protection Society, and the College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong (CDSHK) jointly hosted a highly insightful webinar aimed at addressing the critical issue of burnout among dental professionals. With 184 dedicated participants in attendance, the event provided valuable knowledge on recognizing and managing the symptoms of burnout, ensuring better personal well-being and patient care. This was particularly beneficial for our fellows and members.







The session, held online via Zoom, featured an expert speaker, Dr. James Foster, Deputy Dental Director and the Dental Australia/Asia Lead at Dental Protection, and was moderated by Dr. Ho King Lun, Chairman of the Scientific Meetings Committee at CDSHK. Dr. Foster's expertise and engaging presentation was highly appreciated by all attendees.

Participants earned 1 point each for CDSHK CME/CPD (Category C) and DCHK CPD (Core H). This event was a testament to the continuous commitment to professional development and well-being of dental practitioners.

Dr HO King Lun Chairman, Scientific Meetings Committee

Dental Young Fellows Chapter

After the Milk Tea and Egg Tart Workshop, the DYFC committee (2024-2025) had organized two more activities. They were "Workshop on Private Healthcare Facilities Ordinance (Cap. 633) – points to note including legal requirements on small practice clinics" on 29 October 2024 and "Workshop on Effective Communication Skills for Complaint Management" on 23 February 2025.

Workshop on Private Healthcare Facilities Ordinance (Cap. 633) – points to note including legal requirements on small practice clinics (29 October 2024)

The Private Healthcare Facilities Ordinance (PHFO) was gazetted on November 2018 and the Government is implementing the PHFO in phases. The Code of Practice for Hospitals and Day Procedure Centres is already in effect, and the one for Clinics is expected to launch in the year 2025. We were so grateful to have Dr. Andrew But and Dr. Kathy Chan, the Senior Dental Officers of Dental Regulatory and Law Enforcement, Department of Health to introduce the requirements for Day Procedure Centre (DPC) and small practice clinics under Cap.633 to our fellows and trainees as our second activity of DYFC. The workshop highlighted some important points in complying with requirements under Cap. 633, covering governance, staffing, facilities and equipment, service delivery, quality and safety of care, infection control, and other operational matters. Dr. But and Dr. Chan provided lots of useful tips with examples illustrating the application of Cap. 633. The attendees enjoyed the workshop and actively participated in small group discussions by raising questions relevant to their current practice. The interactive section was useful particularly to those young fellows who plan to start a new practice in the future.



Participants were very attentive while Dr. But and Dr. Chan were sharing their opinions about the participants' own cases.

Workshop on Effective Communication Skills for Complaint Management (23 February 2025)

For the third DYFC activity, we have invited Ms. Scarlett Tsoi, an expert in mediation and counselling, to enhance our skills in handling complaints with real case scenario illustrations. Her lively presentation aroused the atteedees' interest. She also introduced the VAK (visual, auditory and kinaesthetic) learning model to analyze our own strengths and weaknesses, which was very useful when tackling conflicts. The participants were invited to have a role play to simulate real life situation when handling complaints. All the participants enjoyed so much especially when their role was "patients" to make a complaint face to face to their "dentist". Besides learning the skills in handling complaints, maybe stress relieving workshop is necessary and could be included in the list of our future activities.



Joyful faces of participants during the role play session.



Everyone enjoyed the workshop and learnt a lot from Ms. Tsoi.

Time flies. It felt just like we were enjoying milk tea and egg tart together last week, and having a fruitful lecture on the topics of Private Healthcare Facilities Ordinance (Cap. 633) and complaint handling. Thank you very much to our DYFC committee for organizing these events. Now, we would like to introduce our new committee for the year 2025-2026. There are together eight Young Fellows from eight specialties. We aim to engage Young Fellows, and all other members of the college with various social and educational activities in the year ahead. Our first event will be launched this Summer. We look forward to seeing you all. Thank you.



Back Row (L to R):

Dr CHEUNG Chi Hang Alex (Prosthodontics), Dr LIU Hin Nam (Periodontology), Dr BUT Yu Tin Andrew (Community Dentistry), Dr LAM Ching (Family Dentistry), Dr HO Siu SHan Edith (Endodontics)

Front Row (L to R):

Dr LAM Pui Ying Phoebe (Paediatric Dentistry), Dr Lee Siu Hong Alfred (Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery),
Dr SUM Fung Hou Kumoi Mineaki Howard (Orthodontics)

Dental Young Fellows Chapter
Dr WONG Wing Sze (Chairperson, 2024-25)
Dr LEE Siu Hong Alfred (Vice-chairperson, 2024-25; Chairperson, 2025-2026)
Dr AU YEUNG King Sang (Secretary, 2024-25)

Observational Externship in Graduate Prosthodontics Program, The University of Washington

I am deeply grateful to have received the CDSHK Scholarship for the Observership in the Graduate Prosthodontics Program (Grad Pros) at the University of Washington (UW) for one month. This was a truly valuable experience, allowing me to study alongside UW Grad Pros residents and engage in academic discussions with their renowned faculty members. I gained invaluable insights into both the rewarding and intensity of their programs.





The hallway to School of Dentistry

Program Details

The lectures, observations, and discussions with the faculty and residents in the Graduate Prosthodontics Program were truly inspirational.

The program lasted for 4 weeks, with morning and afternoon sessions from Mondays to Fridays.



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Morning	9:00-12:00 (D751) Current Literature Review (Dr. Ramos)	8:00-12:00 (D751) Complete Dentures (Dr. Ramos) Dr. Sumon's Clinic Observation (D484)	7:30-5:00 (Zoom or 7739) Ortho Seminar (Dr. Khosravi) 9:00 (Perio Clinic) Clinic Observation Dr. Sutton's Clinic Observation (0:484)	9:45-11:00 (D683A) Maxillofacial Prosthetics I (Dr. Sutton) 11:00 (Perio Clinic) Clinic Observation	8:30 (D751 and Li RPD course (Dr. Zhang) (Dr. Sutton)
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Observation Schedule Summer '24 Graduate Prosthodontics Program 8/5/2024-8/9/2024					
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Timetables of Every Week (Original plan in black, actual itinerary in blue if any amendment)

Literature Review (Mondays, 9am - 12pm)

Professor Ramos, the Director of Grad Pros, led literature review sessions where residents presented journal articles and formulated questions relevant to board examinations. Prof. Ramos engaged the residents by asking probing questions and providing constructive criticism to stimulate their critical thinking. During my observership, topics discussed included implant complications, implant shade selection, occlusion, digitalized complete dentures, implant surface treatments, and the fracture resistance of zirconia crowns with different preparations for occlusal rest seats.



Prof. Van Ramos (Right side of photo) with Grad Pros Residents and Observers after Literature Review Session

Prosthodontic Clinical Sessions (Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, 1pm - 5pm)

I observed clinical sessions of residents, supervised by Professors Ramos, Sorensen, and Sutton. The cases included consultation for new cases, complete denture procedures, immediate denture procedures, implant retained overdenture on bar, full-mouth rehabilitation on natural teeth, and full-arch implant-supported fixed partial dentures. The supervisors and residents were incredibly generous in sharing their knowledge and clinical skills.



The Working Cast of A Full-mouth Rehabilitation Case on Natural Teeth Courtesy of Dr. Mevadee Pibulniyom





The Working Impression and Cast for A Full-mouth Rehabilitation Case on Both Natural Teeth and Implants
Courtesy of Dr. Marco Bergaminidds



Professor John Sorensen, Currently Director of Biomimetics Biomaterials Biophotonics Biomechanics & Technology Laboratory B4T and Director of Research for both Grad Pros and Department of Restorative Dentistry in UW.

Complete Denture Lectures (Tuesdays, 9am - 12pm)

Prof. Ramos delivered comprehensive lectures on complete dentures, covering topics such as final impression techniques, record bases and wax rims, maxillo-mandibular records, anterior tooth selection, denture occlusion, flasking and de-flasking, and denture delivery.

Multidisciplinary Case Presentation (Wednesdays, 7:30am - 9:00am)

Residents presented multidisciplinary cases involving the Orthodontic, Periodontic, and Prosthodontic departments and were commented on by supervisors and residents from different departments.

Maxillofacial Lectures (Thursdays, 9:45am - 12pm, except August 15, 2024)

Professor Sutton, who is the director of Maxillofacial Prosthetics Services, delivered lectures on topics such as speech-aid prostheses (nasopharyngeal obturation), mandibular resection and reconstruction, and the role of hyperbaric oxygen in maxillofacial rehabilitation. His engaging lecturing style, which included mimicking compromised speech, made the sessions both informative and enjoyable.



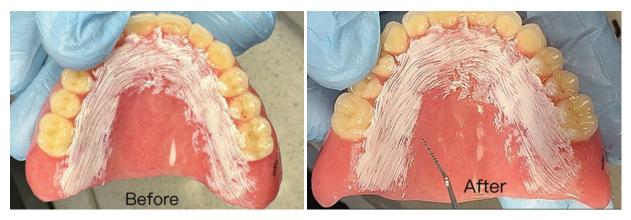
Prof. Alan Sutton, Director of Maxillofacial Prosthetic Service and Associate Professor of Restorative Dentistry in UW, studied Pros and served for 29 years in the U.S. Air Force.

Occlusion Literature Review (August 15, 2024 9am-12pm)

I attended the final session of this seven-class course, where first-year residents from the Grad Pros and Perio summarized and discussed articles on the topic "Possible Role of Occlusal Traumatism in Periodontal Disease" with Prof. Ramos.

Maxillofacial Prosthetic Clinic (Wednesdays 9am-5pm and Thursdays 1pm - 5pm)

I observed Prof. Sutton providing dental treatments to patients before and after maxillofacial surgeries, including pre-surgical consultations, immediate and early reviews after surgeries, obturator review and relining, nasal prosthesis wax-up and shade matching, and the conversion of removable complete dentures to provisional fixed implant-supported FPDs.



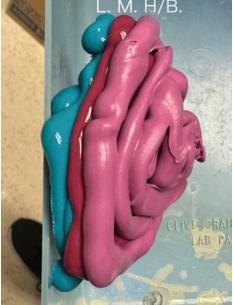
Palatogram for Speech Evaluation After Glossectomy





Pick-up Impression for Nasopharyngeal Prosthesis



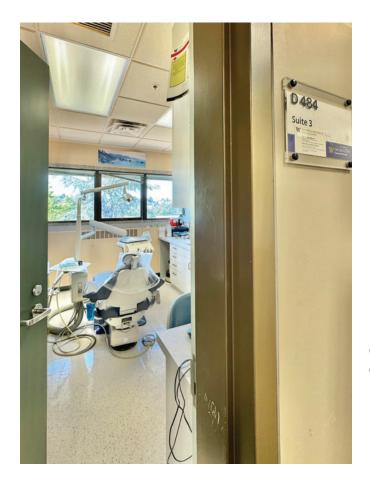


Working Impression for A Nasal Prosthesis





Wax Pattern for A Nasal Prosthesis Courtesy of Dr. Sharon Haggerty



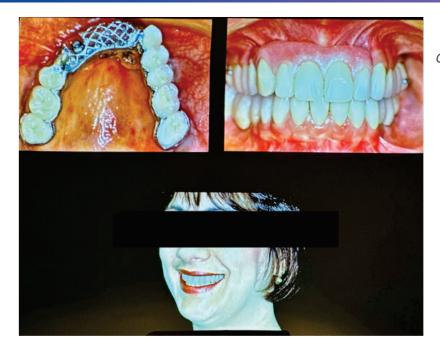
One of The Surgery Rooms of Maxillofacial Prosthetic Clinic

Removable Partial Denture Lectures (July 26 and August 16, 8:30am - 12pm)

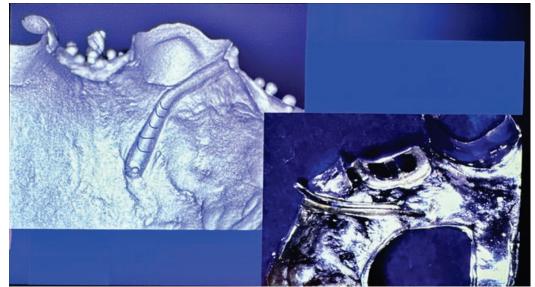
Professor. Zhang, whose research interest in biomimetic restorative materials, dental implantology and applications of innovative technology in Prosthodontics and Restorative dentistry, delivered lectures on Brudvik's removable partial denture design, which includes the use of metal veneers for rest seats, attachments such as Extracoronal Resilient Attachments, bars, twin flex clasps to avoid visible clasps, and multiple crowns with lingual ledges for support.



Brudvik's Claspless Design with Ledge Rest on Surveyed Crowns Courtesy of Dr. Trisawan Limmaneevichitr



Claspless Design for RPD



Twin Flex Clasps for Anterior Edentulous Ridge



Prof.Hai Zhang (Right side of photo) with M1 Residents and Observers after RPD Lecture

Removable Partial Denture Lectures (August 2 and 9, 2024, 8:30am -12pm)

Prof. Sutton discussed different categories of rotational path of insertion and advanced designs such as the Equipoise Esthetic Clasp and the Swing Lock design.



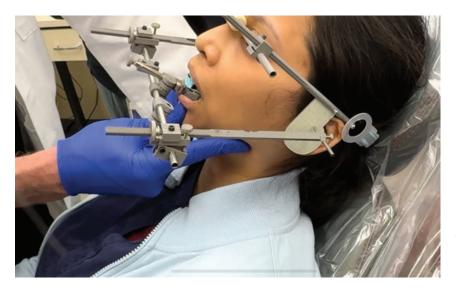
Equipoise Esthetic Clasp on 24



The Swing Lock Design

Dr. Sutton's Study Club (Mondays, 5pm - 7pm)

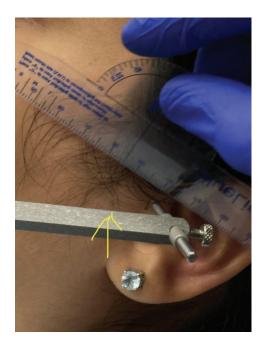
Prof. Sutton has been the course director for Occlusion, Fixed and Removable Prosthodontics and Prosthodontics Research in both University of Colorado School of Dental Medicine and U.S. Air Force Dental Corps as well as Dental Laboratory Flight Commander in Lackland and Germany. He received teaching awards for 9 times. He has a large amount of teaching materials and equipment that he would like to share with students so he organises extra classes after regular school hours.



Location of Physiological Hinge Axis with Axiograph



The Use of Kinematic
Face-bow after
Location of
Physiological Hinge
Axis



The Distance between Arbitrary (arrowed) and Physiologic Hinge Axis

Seminars by Guest Lecturers (Wednesdays, afternoon)





Dr. Philippe Khayat, who is an alumnus of UW Grad Pros, gave a wonderful lecture on 'Peri-implantitis'. He took a break from the busy Paris during the Olympic Games 2024.

Post-Training Reflections

I was amazed by the depth and breadth of the UW Grad Pros Programme. In addition to the classes I attended, residents started even earlier on Thursdays (8am) for research classes and on Fridays (6am) for guest speaker sessions. They were also required to perform their own laboratory work for patients, often spending weekends in the laboratory.

I had a wonderful time interacting with the residents and their committed faculty. They generously shared their cases, knowledge, and personal experiences, making me feel welcomed and integrated into their program. The knowledge and clinical skills I have acquired will undoubtedly benefit my ability to treat patients more effectively and comprehensively.



The Magnificent Library for Studying



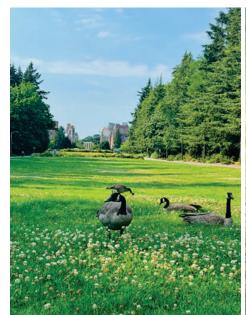
Another Angle of The Library



Exterior of The Suzzallo & Allen Library in The University of Washington



Gowen Hall in 'The Quad'





The Lovely Campus 'Wildlife'



Scenery View from The Guesthouse, Space Needle and City Center in the South



Scenery View from The Guesthouse, The Rainier Mountain in the East

Dr YUEN Ha Ching Higher trainee in Prosthodontics

THE COLLEGE OF DENTAL SURGEONS OF HONG KONG SCHOLARSHIP 2025

The College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong Scholarship was set up in 2011 to support Fellows and Higher Trainees to have opportunity in gaining overseas training experience in their specialties. Preference will be given to young colleagues who are admitted as our College Fellows within 5 years.

The maximum amount of the Scholarship is HK\$50,000 for the Year 2025. Application for the Scholarship is now open to all of our College Fellows and Higher Trainees. The training programme, which will be self-arranged for a duration not more than 8 weeks, requires prior approval by the College Council. The scholarship cannot be held in conjunction with any other award, grant or sponsorship that will give financial support for the same training event.

Application form is available on our College website at www.cdshk.org and the deadline for the application is 30 June 2025.

Dr HO Wai Mei Honorary Secretary

Mr Eric Peake's Tribute



In Loving Memory of Mr. Eric. PEAKE, Hon FCDSHK (1997)

Mr. Eric Peake, a distinguished administrator and esteemed public servant in Hong Kong and elsewhere, passed away peacefully on November 17, 2024 in the United Kingdom., aged 91.

Eric Peake brought to the position of Comptroller of the Prince Philip Dental Hospital a wide array of administrative skills honed during his many years as a civil servant with the Hong Kong Government, serving, as was then the custom, in many departments and units. He had further developed great experience in interacting with various Government Departments through his involvement in the development of the Kowloon Park Mosque and Islamic Centre.

Mr. Peake proved himself to be a highly effective Comptroller.He was popular with the hospital's staff and was gentlemanly in his dealings with all, including the Faculty of Dentistry academics. He was most approachable and gave all issues raised careful but prompt consideration.

In 1986, the Working Party on Postgraduate Medical Examination and Training, under the chairmanship of Oncologist Dr. Keith Halnan or what is called 'the Halnan Report' recommended that Hong Kong take charge of postgraduate training, accreditation, and recognition of the status of medical specialists in Hong Kong. This resulted in preparatory work for the formation of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine (HKAM) and the establishment of the Colleges that would become designated constituent colleges of the future Academy. From the outset, the College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong (CDSHK) was one such college. Eric Peake acted, in an entirely voluntary and honorary capacity, as Secretary to committees in the process of establishing the CDSHK, and he advised extensively on the processes required to comply with the Academy Ordinance, which was enacted in 1992, with the inaugural ceremony of the HKAM being held in December 1993. Eric Peake further worked with the CDSHK in enabling and facilitating the higher training of dentists within the Prince Philip Dental Hospital, a development of which he was an eager supporter. He also made valuable suggestions as to the way in which the CDSHK could be administered going forward.

In recognition of Mr. Eric Peake's singular contributions to the establishment of the CDSHK, the College Council bestowed upon Eric an Honorary Fellowship. On the day of his conferral, his sons recall: "Dad telling us it was the proudest day of his entire working career." In his dedicated but humorous and self-effacing style, Eric Peake had indeed served the CDSHK with distinction.

The CDSHK pays tribute to Mr. Peake, honoring his remarkable dentistry contributions and enduring impact on dental training in Hong Kong. We extend our deepest condolences to his family and loved ones during this difficult time.

May Mr. Eric Peake's memory be a blessing and his legacy of excellence in administration be cherished forever.

Sincerely,

The College of Dental Surgeons of Hong Kong

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