SOCIETY OF

AMERICAN INDIAN DENTISTS

ANNUAL CONFERENCE

MAY 31ST – JUNE 2, 2013

TULALIP RESORT CASINO & SPA
10200 QUIL CEDA BOULEVARD
TULALIP, WA 98271
GREETINGS!

The Society of American Indian Dentists invites you to join us as we celebrate our 24th Annual Conference in beautiful Washington State this **May 31st – June 2, 2013.** We are proud to be working with The University of Washington School of Dentistry as well as the Tulalip Tribe to bring you an amazing experience!

Come enjoy educational sessions provided by leading professionals to cover topics such as “Adolescent Oral Health Issues” and Pediatric Radiology”. Additionally, this is a year of many firsts for SAID. We will be hosting our first ever Dream Catcher’s Circle meeting strengthening the foundation of our organization; unveiling student scholarships provided by Colgate Palmolive; holding our first dental career event for middle and high school students and joining the Tulalip Tribe as they celebrate their 22nd Annual Veterans Pow Wow. To close, Dr. Dave Smith will be leading us in the “Round Dance” at our Awards Dinner on Saturday followed by a SAID/Colgate Bright Smiles Bright Futures community outreach event for our children by SAID Dentists and Colgate Bright Smiles Bright Futures team on Sunday.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU!

The University Of Washington School Of Dentistry is pleased to be a host for the annual meeting of the Society of American Indian Dentists. Deeply rooted in the mission of the School of Dentistry is the need to grow and nurture a diverse population of dentists, starting with a pipeline of outstanding candidates from the region and across the country. Our outreach efforts in this regard are significant, and hosting the meeting this year in our area will allow us to demonstrate the great work we are doing in partnership with American Indian communities locally toward fulfillment of this part of our mission.

Dr. Joel Berg
Dean, University of Washington
School of Dentistry

Dr. Ruth Bol
SAID President
THE PURPOSE OF THE SOCIETY OF AMERICAN INDIAN DENTISTS (SAID) IS TO:

• Promote dental health in the American Indian Community
• Encourage American Indian Youth to pursue a career in the profession of dentistry
• Serve as a resource for assistance to American Indian students interested in the profession of dentistry
• Provide role-model leadership
• Promote American Indian heritage and traditional values
• Promote and support the unique concerns of American Indian Dentists

With resources provided by the University Of Colorado Health Services Center, in April 1990, six American Indian dentists gathered in Denver, Colorado to develop a mission statement and organize the Society of American Indian Dentists (SAID). Several months later, the SAID filed its application and was incorporated as a non-profit organization with the state of Arizona. The primary source of support for the SAID comes from donations and yearly dues.

The Society of American Indian Dentists holds annual meetings each summer. These meetings are usually held in association with a dental school and American Indian tribes located in the vicinity of the institution.
SUMMARY OF PROGRAM

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2013

5:00 PM – 7:00 PM  SAID BOARD MEETING  Douglas Board Room
5:00 PM – 7:00 PM  REGISTRATION  Chinook 1
7:00 PM – 9:00 PM  MEET AND GREET  Chinook 1
Open to all (Sponsored by Henry Schein)

FRIDAY, MAY 31, 2013

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM  WELCOME REMARKS  Chinook 1
SAID President- Dr. Ruth Bol – Comanche
Dean Of The Dental School – Dr. Joel Berg
Invocation – President Emeritus- Dr. Blue Spruce

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM  PETER MILGROM, DDS  Chinook 1
“Silver Diamine to Control Caries”

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM  JOHAN APS, DDS, MSC, MSC, PHD  Chinook 1
“Pediatric Radiology”

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM  REBECCA L. SLAYTON, DDS, PHD  Chinook 1
“Adolescent Oral Health Issues”

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM  DENTIST LUNCHEON (SPONSORED BY WASHINGTON DENTAL SERVICE FOUNDATION)  Chinook 1

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM  STUDENT LUNCHEON WITH DR. WOODY CROW  Birch Room
“How to Prepare for Boards”

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM  ROLANDA WARD, DDS  Chinook 1
“Burning Mouth Symptoms & Other Oral Neuropathies”

3:00 PM – 4:00 PM  JOANN R. GURENLIAN, RDH, PHD  Chinook 1
Colgate – Palmolive Company

4:30 PM-5:30 PM  TOUR OF TULALIP DENTAL CLINIC  Casino Ballrooms
(SPONSORED BY DENTAL EZ)
(Shuttle provided)

7:00 PM  TULALIP VETERAN’S POW-WOW  Casino Ballrooms
(Grand Entry)
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SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 2013

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM  GENERAL SAID MEETING  Chinook 1
9:00 AM – 10:00 AM  TERRY BATLINER, DDS, MBA & JOAQUIN GALLEGOS  “Native Oral Health Problems and Solutions”
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM  MARY JENNINGS, DDS  “Health Care Reform”  Chinook 1
11:30 AM  SHUTTLE TO GYM
09:30 AM – 12:00 PM  “TOOTHTASTIC DENTAL CAMP” WITH DR. BEA GANDARA, UW DENTAL STUDENTS AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS  Gym
DENTAL CAREER ACTIVITY DAY FOR AMERICAN INDIAN YOUTH (SPONSORED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY AND WASHINGTON DENTAL SERVICE FOUNDATION)
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM  LUNCH AND LEARN (SPONSORED BY DENTAL EZ)  Gym
1:00 PM – 1:30 PM  HISTORY OF SAID- PRESENTED BY DR. GEORGE BLUE SPRUCE  Gym
1:30PM-2:00PM  INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE PRESENTATION BY DR. WOODY CROW  Gym
1:30 PM – 3:30 PM  DENTAL AND PRE-DENTAL STUDENT MENTORSHIP PROGRAM  Gym
6:30 PM – 10:00PM  SAID AWARDS DINNER (SPONSORED BY P&G/ DENTAQUEST)  Chinook 1 & 2

SUNDAY, JUNE 2, 2013

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM  SAID BOARD MEETING  Casino
1:00 PM  BRIGHT SMILES, BRIGHT FUTURES EVENT  Casino
Join SAID Dentists and Colgate Palmolive
Bright Smiles Bright Future’s staff as we provide
Free dental screenings for children!

1:00 PM  TULALIP VETERAN’S POW-WOW  Casino
Dinner
BIOS

DR. MILGROM

Dr. Milgrom is currently Professor of Oral Health Sciences and Pediatric Dentistry in the School of Dentistry and the adjunct Professor of Health Sciences in the School of Public Health. He directs the NW Center to reduce Oral Health Disparities at UW. He also holds academic appointments at Case Western University, University of Rochester, University of California, San Francisco, and King’s College Dental Institute, London. He maintains a private practice limited to the care of fearful patients and was the Director of the Dental Fears Clinic at the UW for 25 years. Dr. Milgrom’s work includes research on the application of xylitol in public health settings, the effectiveness of fluoride varnish and iodine in preschoolers, the clinical efficacy and safety of the diamine silver fluoride, motivational strategies to increase perinatal and well child dental visits in rural communities, and studies of cognitive interventions in pediatric and adult fear. His work is supported by the NIH, the Office of Head Start, and the Maternal and Child Health Bureau. Dr. Milgrom is author or co-author of 5 books and over 275 scientific articles.

Dr. Milgrom was the Distinguished Dental Behavioral Scientist of the International Association of Dental Research for 1999. In 1999, and again in 2000, his work was recognized by the Giddon Award for research in the behavioral sciences in Dentistry. He received the Barrows Milk Award from IADR in 2000, recognizing his work for public health including the development of the Access to Baby and Child Dentistry (ABCD) program in WA State. In 2003, he received a Special Commendation Award from the National Legal Aid and Defenders Association and the UW Medical Center Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Service Award. In 2008 he was awarded the degree of Doctor Honoris Causa from the University of Bergen, Norway in recognition of his work in social and behavioral dentistry. In 2010 he received the Aubrey Sheiham Research Award for his work on xylitol. In 2012, he received the University of California, San Francisco Dental Alumni Gold Medal for his contributions to Dentistry. He serves on scientific review committees for the NIDCR, NIMHHD, NINDS, the Center for Scientific Review at NIH and as a consultant to the FDA. Dr. Milgrom lectures widely.

JOHAN APS, DDS, MSC, MSC, PHD

DDS, Ghent University - Belgium (1993), MSc in Pediatric Dentistry and Special Care, Ghent University - Belgium (1997), PhD in Dentistry, Ghent University - Belgium (2002), MsC in Dental and Maxillofacial Radiology, London University, United Kingdom (2008)
Current: Clinical Associate Professor, University of Washington, Dept. of Pediatric Dentistry
Author of several international publications, presenter of several lectures at international conferences, winner of 5 scientific awards, reviewer for several peer-reviewed journals and editor-in-chief of ‘Het Tandheelkundig Jaar’ (Dutch-Flemish Dental Yearbook).
Special interests: local anesthesia in dentistry - anatomy - dental and maxillofacial radiology, incl. ultrasonography - salivary gland pathology
ROLANDA WARD, DDS

Department of Oral Medicine, School of Dentistry, University of Washington

Dr. Rolanda Ward, who is Aleut, is originally from Wasilla, Alaska and worked as a dental assistant at the Alaska Native Medical Center in Anchorage, Alaska, where her interest in dentistry began. Concurrent with working at the medical center, Dr. Ward earned her Bachelors of Science in biological sciences at the University of Alaska in Anchorage. Following completion of her BS degree program, she was accepted to the University of Washington School of Dentistry and obtained her DDS in 2011. Dr. Ward is currently a senior oral medicine resident in the University of Washington Oral Medicine MSD program.

THOMAS H. MORTON JR., DDS, MS

Thomas H. Morton Jr. is Emeritus Professor who recently retired as Acting Chairman of the Department of Oral Biology, School of Dentistry, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington. He earned a BA from the University of Redlands, Redlands, California; a DDS from Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska; and a Master of Science in Dentistry in Oral Pathology from the University of Washington, Seattle, Washington. He also completed a one-year residency in Surgical and Anatomic Pathology at the University of Washington Affiliated Hospitals.

Dr. Morton is a Diplomat of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and participated in the UW Oral Pathology Biopsy service of over 6000 oral and craniofacial specimens per year. He continues to participate in research on the oral manifestations of chronic Graft Vs Host Disease through the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, a part of the Seattle Cancer Care Alliance. He served as the oral pathologist for the NIH Consensus Development Project on Criteria for Clinical Trials in Chronic GVHD-Histopathology Working Group. He is currently involved with research on salivary biomarkers in cGVHD and other systemic diseases. He is also a consultant on research for the Cancer Council of the Pacific Islands.

Dr. Morton is active in several professional organizations. He has served on the Governor’s Advisory Council on HIV-AIDS for the state of Washington. He has received several teaching awards and has received the Washington State Dental Association Faculty Award. He has been involved with several research projects in interprofessional education including “Interprofessional Education to Promote Patient Safety” and “Interprofessional Bridges Program for Classroom and Clinical Linkages”. He has given an invited presentation on “Dentistry’s Role in Interprofessional Education for Present and Future Patient Centered Health Care Providers”. He has also served as an Assistant and Associate Dean for the School of Dentistry. He is currently Professor Emeritus and will continue his current research, writing, diagnostic pathology and academic administration consulting in his retirement.
MARY JENNINGS, DDS, MPH

Mary Jennings, DDS, MPH is Dental Director of the Tacoma, Washington-based Lindquist Dental Clinic for Children. She received her DDS from Case Western Reserve University and BS from Oklahoma City University. During her 25-year career prior to Lindquist, Mary has worked as a dentist or dental manager for the Yakima Valley Farm Workers Clinic, Community Health Care of Tacoma, and other community health centers and clinics throughout Washington and Arizona. She also holds active memberships and leadership positions within the ADA, the Washington State Dental Association, and the American College of Dentists. Mary has served as adjunct faculty for the Lutheran Medical Center Dental Residency and Northwest Dental Residency Programs, as well as AT Still University, which earned the Urban Clinic of the Year Award during her 3-year tenure. Other professional endeavors include the 2008 EFDA Examination, which she co-wrote for the Washington State Dental Quality Assurance Commission. Mary is a member of the Chickasaw Nation.

JOANN R. GURENLIAN, RDH, PHD

JoAnn R. Gurenlian, RDH, PhD, has a Bachelor’s degree in dental hygiene from Fairleigh Dickinson University, a Master’s degree in dental hygiene from Columbia University, and a Doctoral degree specializing in educational leadership from the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Gurenlian has been active in dental hygiene for over 35 years having served as a former chairperson of the Department of Dental Hygiene at Thomas Jefferson University, former President of the ADHA, and current President-Elect of the International Federation of Dental Hygienists. She is an entrepreneur offering consulting and continuing education services to health care professionals. She has experience as a clinician, educator, administrator, and researcher. Dr. Gurenlian is also currently serving as Professor and Graduate Dental Hygiene Program Director at Idaho State University. She maintains adjunct faculty status with the Department of Dental Hygiene of Burlington County College and of Montgomery County Community College.

Dr. Gurenlian served as author of the Dental Hygiene Diagnosis and Oral Medicine column for Access. She is the coauthor of the text Preventing Medical Emergencies: Use of the Medical History, has published over 160 papers, and conducted over 450 presentations. Dr. Gurenlian served as chair of the Advisory Committee on the Future of Dental Hygiene, and coauthored the report “Dental Hygiene: Focus on Advancing the Profession. Dr. Gurenlian served as Chair of the Pharmacy, Podiatry, Optometry, and Dental Professionals Workgroup (PPOD) of the National Diabetes Education Program. She is the recipient of numerous awards including the Alfred C. Fones Award, Irene Newman Award, ADHA/ Warner Lambert Award for Excellence, and the ADHA Distinguished Service Award. Dr. Gurenlian is an internationally recognized speaker who addresses topics related to the dental hygiene process of care, oral pathology, oral medicine, diabetes, women’s health, women’s cancers, and leadership and professional development.
REBECCA L. SLAYTON, DDS, PHD

Dr. Slayton is Professor and Chair of the Department of Pediatric Dentistry at the University of Washington. She was appointed to that position in March 2013. She was the Chair of the Department of Pediatric Dentistry at the University of Iowa from May 2008 through February 2013. Prior to her appointment at Iowa, she was the Graduate Program Director of the Pediatric Dentistry Residency Program at the University of Washington and the Chair of the Department of Pediatric Dentistry at Oregon Health & Sciences University. She is a board certified Pediatric Dentist and a diplomate of the American Board of Pediatric Dentistry. She is the Chair of the Scientific Advisory Board for the National Children’s Oral Health Foundation, serves on the Scientific Program Committee of the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry and is a member of the Executive Committee for the Section on Oral Health for the American Academy of Pediatrics. She also serves as an examiner for the American Board of Pediatric Dentistry Oral Clinical Exam. Dr. Slayton has an active faculty practice where she treats patients with special health care needs and developmental disabilities. She is the co-editor of a textbook entitled “Early Childhood Oral Health”. She has published 23 peer reviewed articles and has mentored 12 Master’s degree students and 2 PhD students. Her research focuses on caries risk assessment tools and genetic factors that contribute to dental caries susceptibility.

TERRY BATLINER, DDS, MBA

Terry Batliner, DDS, MBA is the Associate Director for the Center for Native Oral Health Research- Centers for American Indian and Alaska Native Health-Colorado School of Public Health. Terry is a member of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma with family roots in eastern Oklahoma. Before coming to the University of Colorado, Terry held senior leadership positions at Delta Dental, the Indian Health Service, Veterans Affairs, and Harvard Pilgrim Health Care. In addition to the University of Colorado, he has held faculty appointments at the Medical College of Georgia and the Harvard School of Dental Medicine. He received his DDS and MBA degrees from the University of Iowa and holds the designation of certified professional in health care quality. Terry is a practicing dentist working part time in private practice in the Denver, Colorado area.

JOAQUIN GALLEGOS

Joaquin Gallegos is from the Jicarilla Apache Nation and Pueblo of Santa Ana and currently a Public Health (BS) senior at the University of Colorado Denver |Anschutz Medical Campus. Joaquin has been a student Research Assistant at the Center for Native Oral Health Research for four years where he has been involved in clinical trials and other oral health studies with numerous Tribal Nations. He is a Board Member of the Colorado American Indian Health Council for the State of Colorado. Joaquin was most recently honored with the Champions for Change Award by the Aspen Institute for his work in oral health care and Federal Indian Health policy. Next year after graduation, Joaquin intends to begin dental school.
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