

2010-2011 CE Package Program Speaker Biographies

Dr. David Hornbrook graduated from UCLA School of dentistry and currently practices in San Diego, CA. He has been a guest faculty member of the post-graduate programs in Cosmetic Dentistry at Baylor, Tufts, SUNY at Buffalo, UMKC, and the UCLA Center of Cosmetic Dentistry. He has consulted with numerous manufacturers' in product development and refinement and is on the editorial board of Practical Procedures & Aesthetic Dentistry, Contemporary Esthetics, Signature, and is the past editor of the Journal of the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry. He is also the current clinical editor of the Dental Practice Report, as well as a member of the Esthetic Dentistry Research Group, which publishes REALITY and REALITY NOW. He is an accredited member and Fellow of the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry. He was the founder and past director of P.A.C.-live, and The Hornbrook Group. He has lectured internationally on all facets of esthetic dentistry and has published articles in all of the leading dental journals.

Dr. Lou Graham is an internationally recognized lecturer extensively involved in continuing education for dental professionals, focusing on incorporating current clinical advancements through "conservative dentistry." He emphasizes in his teachings the same concepts he practices: dental health diagnosis, treatment plans for medically compromised patients, conservative treatment, cosmetic dentistry, and customized approaches to periodontal care, implants and laser dentistry. He is the founder of Dental Team Concepts a continuing education company whose philosophy and programs use contemporary, interactive formats to integrate time-proven conservative dentistry with 21st century materials and techniques. Dr. Graham is a published author in many leading national and international dental journals. He is a member of the American Dental Association, American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry, Academy of General Dentistry, Chicago Dental Society and Illinois Dental Association. Dr. Graham is a graduate of Emory Dental School. He is the former Dental Director of the University of Chicago's Department of Dentistry. He enjoys providing dental care at his private practice, University Dental Professionals, in Chicago, IL – Hyde Park.

Dr. L. Stephen Buchanan was valedictorian of his class at the University of the Pacific School of Dentistry, and completed the Endodontic Graduate program at Temple University in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania in 1980. Dr. Buchanan began pursuing 3-D anatomy research early in his career, and in 1986 he became the first person in dentistry to use micro CT technology to show the intricacies of root structure. In 1989 he established Dental Education Laboratories, and subsequently built a state-of-the-art teaching laboratory devoted to hands-on endodontic instruction, where he continues to teach today. Through Dental Education Laboratories he has lectured and conducted participation courses around the world, published numerous articles, and produced an award-winning video series, The Art of Endodontics. In addition to his activities as an educator and practicing clinician, Dr. Buchanan holds a number of patents for dental instruments and techniques. Most notably, he was the first to introduce variably-tapered shaping instruments for use in endodontic therapy and pioneered a system-based approach to treating root canals. He is a diplomate of the American Board of Endodontics and a fellow of the International and American Colleges of Dentistry. He also serves as an assistant clinical professor at the University of Southern California School of Dentistry and at the University of California, Los Angeles School of Dentistry. Dr. Buchanan also maintains a private practice limited to endodontics and implant surgery in Santa Barbara, California.

Dr. Gerard Kugel is the Associate Dean for Research, and Professor of Prosthodontics and Operative Dentistry at Tufts University School of Dental Medicine. With an expertise in Clinical Research and Esthetic Dentistry, he is a reviewer for The New England Journal of Medicine, JADA, The Journal of Esthetic and Restorative Dentistry, and the Clinicians Report. He is on the Editorial Board of Functional Esthetics & Restorative Dentistry, The Journal of Cosmetic Dentistry, and The Journal of Adhesive Dentistry and he is Editor -in- Chief of Inside Dentistry. He is a Fellow in the American and International Colleges of Dentistry as well as the Academy of General Dentistry and the Academy of Dental Materials. Dr Kugel is on the Board of Directors of the CR Foundation and has his M.S. in Anatomy and Cellular Biology and his Ph.D. in Dental Materials. Dr. Kugel has published over 120 articles and over 200 abstracts in the field of restorative materials and techniques. He was given over 300 lectures both nationally and internationally. Dr. Kugel is part of a group practice, the Boston Center for Oral Health, located in Back Bay, Boston.

Dr. Robert Fazio is Associate Clinical Professor of Surgery at Yale University School of Medicine. He maintains a private practice limited to Periodontology, Implants and Oral Medicine. His "Ultimate Cheat Sheets – The Practical Guide for Dentists" was the CLINICIAN REVIEW NEWSLETTER's "Best Educational Product of 2008 AND 2009". He is among Dentistry Today's top 100 clinician lecturers for 2008 and 2009.

Dr. DeWitt Wilkerson was a 1982 graduate of the University Of Florida College of Dentistry, the year he joined the Dawson group practice in St. Petersburg, Florida. Dr. Wilkerson is the Director of Dental Medicine and a senior lecturer at the Dawson Academy. He is a Fellow in the American College of Dentists, a member of the American Academy of Restorative Dentistry, American Equilibration Society (2010-2011 President), and numerous other professional organizations. He serves as an adjunct professor in the Graduate Program, University of Florida College of Dentistry. Dr. Wilkerson lectures extensively nationally and internationally on the subjects of Restorative Dentistry, Occlusion and Masticatory System Disorders.

Dr. Louis Clarizio is in private practice in Portsmouth, New Hampshire at the Oral Surgery & Dental Implant Center. He is Assistant Clinical Professor at the University of Illinois Dental School, and Adjunct Clinical Professor at Southern Illinois University Dental School. He has been a Diplomat of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons since 1989. He is a graduate of Northwestern University with a BS in Biomedical Engineering Dr. Clarizio received his DDS degree from Northwestern University Dental School; Ranked second in his class; American College of Dentists Award of Merit Recipient for outstanding senior dental student. He completed externships in OMS at the University of Miami-Jackson Memorial Hospital under Dr. Stuart Kline; University of Erlangen in Numberg, Germany under Prof Dr. Emil Steinhauer; Gemeente Ziekenhaus, Amhem, Netherlands under PJW Stoelinga DDS MD, PA Blijdorp DDS MD, JGAE Schoenaers DDS MS. His residency in OMS was at the University of Connecticut Health Center. He has published many articles over the past 10 years and his research interests include biomechanics in implant design, progressive provisional loading to alter bone physiology, implant prosthetics, bone grafting techniques and single-stage implants. He has been speaking at national meetings since 1996.