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• Dr. Armando Ponzi speaks on the 'Role of Socket Shield (SS) and Osseodensification in a Single-Day Visit' in a Main Podium session Thursday morning. (Photo/Sierra Rendon, *today* Staff)

# Future focus

By Sierra Rendon, *today* Staff

■ “The future is now” is not just the theme of this year’s American Academy of Implant Dentistry Annual Conference, it’s also the leading concept behind every facet of this compelling event.

From educational sessions to networking events to all the new technology in the exhibit hall, the future of implant dentistry will surely be affected by all of the new skills and information you glean from this week’s program.

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## AAID Foundation hosts silent auction via smartphone

By AAID Staff

■ The AAID Foundation Silent Auction gives you the opportunity to save money on purchases for your office as well as your other interests. There are a variety of items this year, including dental implant systems and hands-on training courses, and your contributions help the AAID Foundation pay it forward – it’s a win-win!

Everyone is eligible to bid on auction items. This year’s bidding system

is easier than ever; just follow the instructions here to bid on items using your smartphone!

### How does the auction work?

The AAID Foundation is using a mobile bidding system, which will allow you to bid on items any time during the conference using your smartphone. You should have received an auction code prior to arriving in Dallas. The mobile site also allows bidders to input their credit card information rather

than the AAID having to take their information (and it’s secure).

The site also will allow the auction to continue after the event – if an item does not receive bids at the AAID 67th Annual Conference, it will continue to be available.

### How do I bid?

All bidding is secure and can be done via your smartphone. Follow these easy instructions to get started.

1. Text AAID2018 to number 52182

2. The app will ask you for your first/last name and your email address.

3. Click on the blue link to view the auction.

4. Start bidding.

If you’d like to donate to the auction instead of bidding, you can simply type GIVE with the dollar amount you would like to donate (for example, “Give 100”) once you receive the text to get started with the auction.

Questions? Visit the AAID Foundation booth any time for assistance.



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• Dr. Paresh B. Patel, center, and the team at Glidewell Dental, booth No. 300.

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Additionally, you'll want to be sure to visit the 100+ exhibitors in the exhibit hall, which are featuring a slew of products and technology to help make your practice run smoother and more efficiently.

Here is a sampling of products and companies you'll want to check out in the exhibit hall:

- **Optimizing implant placement:** ClaroNav's breakthrough in computer-aided implantology — Navident — offers dental surgeons an easy-to-use, accurate, highly portable and affordable way to plan the desired restoration and implant placement on a virtual patient. If you are interested in mastering this technology for yourself, ask at the booth, No. 319, for more information about an upcoming workshop on Nov. 9 in Houston, which will include live surgical observation.

- **Tired of broken hybrid dentures?** Stop by the Glidewell Dental booth,



**Attendees cruise through the aisles of booths in the AAID Exhibit Hall.**

No. 300, and ask about the BruxZir® Full-Arch Implant Prosthesis, constructed from 100 percent monolithic zirconia and offering the stability and function of a fixed implant restoration.

- **Bone sets the tone:** Bone Management® is key to successful implant procedures. Besides the prosthetic aspect, achieving minimally invasive surgical techniques, along with predictable results, facilitates less traumatic and more controlled surgi-

cal procedures. The Meisinger High Altitude Comprehensive Implant Symposium outlines implant treatment planning, site preparation, surgical procedures and techniques including: sinus elevation, sandwich bone augmentation, full-arch immediate reconstruction, esthetic zone implants and much more. To learn more about the Meisinger Bone Management product line or the upcoming symposium, stop by the booth, No. 419.

And speaking of the future, you're going to want to make plans now to put next year's conference on your calendar. The AAID 68th Annual Conference will take place Oct. 23-26, 2019, at the Aria Hotel & Casino in Las Vegas. There will be hands-on workshops, along with networking and fun, family-friendly activities. Attendees can earn at least 20 hours of implant-specific continuing education. To learn more, visit [www.aaid.com/Annual\\_Conference/AAID-68th-Annual-Conference-2019.html](http://www.aaid.com/Annual_Conference/AAID-68th-Annual-Conference-2019.html).



# Scenes from the AAID



• Attendees Adam Foleck, Justin Moody and Danny Domingue stop in Thursday morning at the interactive AAID booth promoting next year's annual meeting taking place in Las Vegas. If you stop and take a picture with one of the superheroes at the booth and post it to social media with the tag #aaid2018, you can be entered to win \$50, \$100, \$150 or even free registration at next year's AAID annual meeting. To learn more, visit booth No. 92.



• BioHorizons' Drew Horne demonstrates to an attendee the integrative use of 3Shape technology at booth No. 606.



• Christian Pierson of Treloar & Heisel helps Cassandra Joseph with financial planning questions at booth No. 96.



• Gavin Sternberg, left, answers question at the Planmeca booth, No. 612.



• Stop by the Dentatus booth, No. 610, and ask Denise Manekas about the company's narrow-diameter implants and many other innovative products.



• Kazu Tanji displays the DoWell Zirconia Sinus Drill Kit at booth No. 614.



• Taylor Ellis speaks with an attendee at the Bicon booth, No. 510.



• Rob Btralik of Salvin helps an attendee Thursday morning at booth No. 605. Stop by and ask about the company's show specials available here in Dallas.

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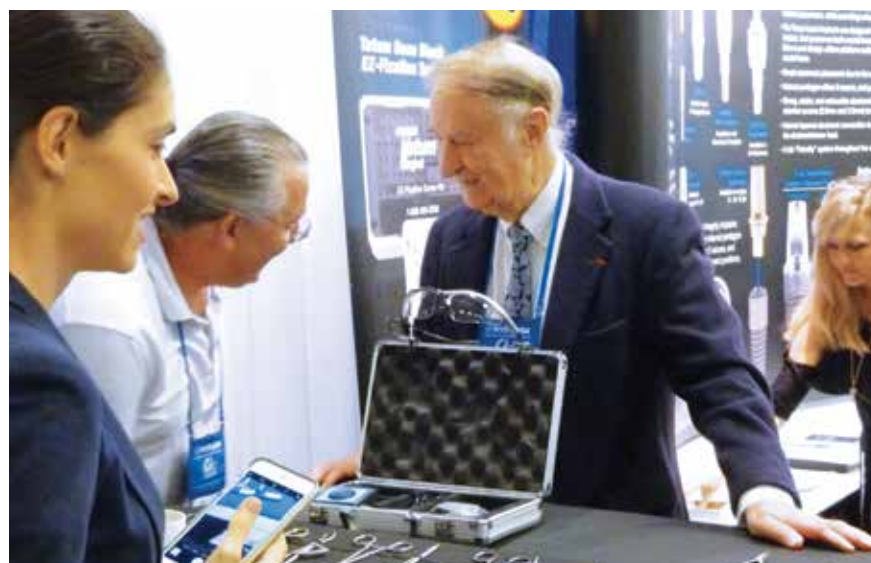
• Thiago Alves of Piezosurgery Incorporated demonstrates the precision offered by the company's advanced technology at booth No. 809.



• Chris Berry shows an attendee the benefits of the Aseptico implant motor at booth No. 609.



• Meisinger President Alex Miller speaks to attendees at the company's booth, No. 419.



• Dr. Hilt Tatum Jr., widely regarded as a pioneer in the field of implant dentistry, visits with colleagues at the Tatum Surgical booth, No. 518.



• Trisha Carlin and Jason Whitmore stand ready to help at the Ceatus Media Group, booth No. 617.



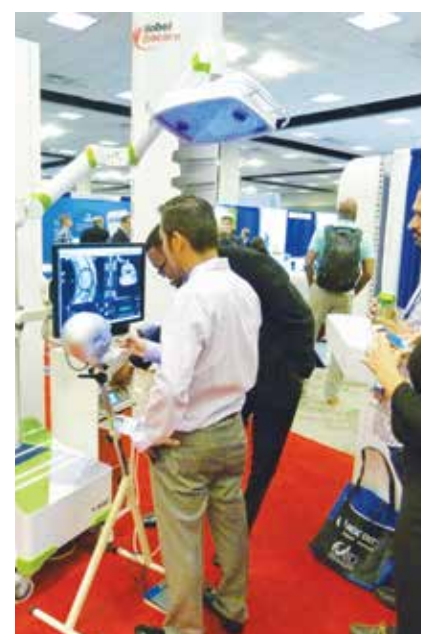
• Darrell Cook of ClaroNav demonstrates the company's surgical navigation solutions at booth No. 319.



• From left, Dan Carmody, Liz Weber and Mark Freedman show off innovative equipment at the Kavo Kerr booth, No. 307.



• Learn more about OCO Biomedical complete implant solutions at booth No. 418.



• Jamal Matthews of Nobel Biocare demonstrates the benefits of X-Nav Technology. To learn more, stop by booth Nos. 400 or 515.



# Plan out your AAID education

## Main Podium sessions

The Main Podium sessions feature presentations about the timeliest issues facing today's practicing implant dentist. Join your colleagues as you learn from world-class experts.

Main Podium sessions that were recorded will be available for purchase after the conference online at [aaid.com](http://aaid.com).

All Main Podium sessions are held in Landmark ABC.

### Today

- "Osseodensification: Optimize the Site, Optimize the Outcome," 8 to 9 a.m., Salah Huwais, DDS, FAAID, DABOI/ID
- "Site Preservation of Tissue (SPOT) to Optimize Implant Treatment," 9 to 10 a.m., Charles Schwimer, DMD
- "Implant-Supported Provisional Restorations for Soft-Tissue Shaping: Facilitating Esthetic and Functional Restorative Success," 11 a.m. to noon, Ariel Raigrodski, DMD, MS

## In the exhibit hall

The Implant World Expo features more than 100 exhibitors offering the latest in implant dentistry equipment and services. No children younger than the age of 12 are allowed in the exhibit hall, which is located in Marsalis Hall (Lower Level). The exhibit hall is open from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. today and from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Saturday.

- "Dynamic Navigation for Implant Placement: State-of-the-Art," 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., Robert Emery, III, BDS, DDS
  - "Guided Surgery Navigation," 2:30 to 3:30 p.m., Michael Block, DMD
  - "CBCT's Added Value in Maxillary Sinus Surgical Evaluation," 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Mitra Sadrameli, DMD, MS
- Saturday**
- "Peri-Implantitis Management: How Should We Prevent It? How Should We Treat It?," 8 to 9 a.m., Paul Rosen, DMD, MS

- "Strategies to Manage Implant Complications: Short- and Long-Term Considerations," 9 to 10 a.m., Natalie Wong, DDS, FAAID, DABOI/ID

## Workshops and seminars

For those seeking a more in-depth and interactive learning experience, the AAID 67th Annual Conference has a wide variety of workshops and seminars. Check in at registration find out which sessions still have seats available.

### 8 a.m. to noon today

- "W05: Sterile and Aseptic Technique for the General Dentist's Implant Practice: Two Choices Depending on the Size and Extent of the Case," Robert Heller, DDS, AFAAID
- "W06: Advanced Ridge Augmentation and Bone Graft," Suheil Boutros, DDS, MS, DABOI/ID, and Joseph Leonetti, DMD, FAAID, DABOI/ID
- "W07: Planning and Execution of Guided Surgery," Dominique Rousson, DDS, DMD, FAAID, DABOI/ID and

Adam Hamilton, BDS

- "W08: Surgical Techniques Including Suturing," Stuart Orton-Jones, BDS
- "SW11: Management of Ridge Deformity: Maximizing Long-Term Esthetic Outcomes with a Triangular Neck Design Implant and Ossifying Scaffold," sponsored by MIS Implants Technologies, Emilio Arguello, DMD
- "SW12: A Human Living Tissue Graft to Enhance Osseointegration and Tissue Regeneration," sponsored by Intra-Lock International, Nelson R. Pinto, DDS

### 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. today

- "W10: IV Access, Tips, and Tricks," Michael Mashni, DDS and Nicholas Caplanis, DMD, MS, FAAID, DABOI/ID
- "W11: Experience the Brilliance of a Revolutionary Implant and Tooth Delivery System," Brent Boyse, DDS and Jay Watson
- "W12: State-of-the-Art with Sinus Augmentation," Ziv Mazor, DMD

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■ AAID stands for excellence in education, scientific development and patient care. The academy provides bona fide credentialing in implant dentistry through the associate fellow and fellow membership examinations.

The associate fellow and fellow credentials are recognized by numerous state boards and most recently by United States Court of Appeals for the 5th Circuit consisting of Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi. The state court in the Florida and the United States Federal Court in California have also recognized AAID's credentials.

Members who demonstrate the highest standards in implant dentistry find the AAID to be the organization that supports their clinical and research interests, as well as recognition for their achievements.

More information is available on the AAID website at [www.aaid.com](http://www.aaid.com) or by contacting Carolina Hernandez at [carolina@aaid.com](mailto:carolina@aaid.com) or by phone at (312) 335-1550.

## Here in Dallas

Visit the A&C Board area near the AAID booth in the exhibit hall during today's morning and afternoon breaks (10 to 11 a.m. and 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.). There you will have the opportunity to talk with some of the newly credentialed members and learn how they prepared their case reports and studied for the examinations. Representatives of the A & C Board will also be present.

## Associate fellow membership

### Requirements

- Are you dedicated to providing the best possible dental implant treatment to your patients?
- Experienced in surgical placement of dental implants and/or the replacement of teeth?
- A licensed dentist?
- Completed at least 300 hours of postdoctoral or continuing education related to implant dentistry in the past 12 years?
- Have one or more years of experience in the practice of implant dentistry?

## The examination process

- **Part 1 exam (written):** 150 multiple choice question examination to demonstrate knowledge of implant dentistry.
- **Part 2 exam (oral/case):** Demonstrate competency in implant dentistry through five standardized cases discussion (oral exam) and the presentation and review of the candidate's own patient cases (case exam).

## Fellow membership

### Requirements

- Be a licensed dentist.
- AAID member in good standing.
- Completed at least 400 hours of postdoctoral or continuing education related to implant dentistry.
- Have five or more years of experience in the practice of implant dentistry.
- Fully knowledgeable of both surgical and prosthetic phases of implant treatment.
- Attend an AAID annual conference, district meeting or educational course in the past two years.
- Completed at least 50 cases of

dental implant treatment.

## The examination process

- Oral/case examination demonstrating competency in all phases of implant dentistry cases, through five standardized cases and in-depth discussion of 10 of one's own patient cases, including placing dental implants in challenging situations and in patients with jawbone deficiencies, among others

- Review of professional credentials such as implant dentistry presentations and publications for peers; holding offices in an implant dentistry organization or local or state dental society; board certification; or completion of a full-time advanced education program in implant dentistry, oral and maxillofacial surgery, periodontology or prosthodontics

## Once elected

- Attend at least one of every three consecutive AAID annual conferences.
- Keep your membership in good standing.

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## March 7-9, 2019

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## Pacific Dental Conference

March 9

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