General information

Date and times
May 24, 2013
Breakfast and registration at 8:00 am
Lecture and hands-on: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm

Location
Palais de Congres
159 St. Antoine West
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Tuition
$995 CDN plus applicable taxes

To register, contact:
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Learning objectives
- Treatment plan clinical scenarios requiring soft tissue grafting around implants
- Identify the advantages and disadvantages of various surgical approaches
- Decision making based on outcome of available soft tissue protocols

Course overview
Interactive lecture (1/2 day)
Biological and clinical aspects of advanced soft tissue surgical techniques including the key elements for esthetic success.
- Flap design, flap management and suturing methods
- Augmentation of keratinized tissue
- Augmentation of soft tissue volume
- Complications and compromised attempts
- Vertical GBR of the esthetic implant site
- Vestibular depth corrections after vertical GBR
- Soft tissue autografts, collagen grafts, cellular grafts and allograft
- Abutment design modifications
- Perio-implant papilla support

Hands-on porcine laboratory with maxilla model (1/2 day)
Participants will practice on fresh porcine maxilla models, with the latest implant designs, microsurgical hand instruments, bovine filler materials, resorbable and non-resorbable sutures, and collagen grafts.
- Full and partial thickness flap management
- Apical repositioned flap and soft tissue graft harvest
- Tunneling procedure and graft placement
- Soft tissue autograft and collagen grafts management
- Suturing methods
- Growth-factor application

Each workstation is equipped with implant drill unit, dental implants, fresh porcine maxilla model, hand instruments, bone filler material, suture materials and all disposable materials.

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Dr. Jovanovic was formally trained in Periodontics at UCLA School of Dentistry, in Implant Dentistry at Loma Linda University and in Prosthodontics at University of Aachen, Germany and holds a Master of Sciences degree in Oral Biology from UCLA. He graduated dental school from the University of Amsterdam (ACTA).
Since 1990 he resides in Los Angeles and restricts his patient and research work for 23+ years to dental implant therapy and bone & soft tissue reconstruction, is Course Director in Implant Dentistry at UCLA Continuing Dental Education, is Academic Chair and Founder of gIDE, the #1 ranking online dental education Institute (www.gidedental.com).
He is the past-president of the European Association for Osseointegration (EAO), a past-Board member of AO’s Osseointegration Foundation and an honorary member of the South African Society of Periodontology.
Dr. Jovanovic’s clinical research emphasizes surgical and esthetic management in dental implant therapy and bone and soft tissue reconstruction techniques. His applied research focuses on bone regeneration with different bone graft materials, rhBMP-2 growth factors and barrier membranes as well as the biology of soft tissues around teeth and implants.
He teaches implant dentistry extensively worldwide. He has published 63 articles and book chapters, and one textbook titled Color Atlas of Implantology (Thieme Publ.). He is on several editorial boards for scientific journals and has published a DVD and Online education series titled “Advanced Implant Therapy.”