The desire and drive to maintain a healthy and attractive smile for a lifetime has never been greater. This desire has created a great need for modern dentistry to offer highly attractive yet conservative procedures.

The objective of this course is to review and present different treatment options that are available to restore the damaged tooth with minimal or no further reduction of the remaining healthy tooth structure using adhesive concepts and materials.

At the conclusion of this thought provoking presentation, the participants will become familiar with concepts that will challenge traditional concepts for restorative care. This paradigm shift will ultimately result in safer, more conservative therapies, which respect and reproduce the natural tooth’s biomechanical, functional and esthetic properties more closely than ever before.

OBJECTIVES

- Learn the advantages of offering protective products and procedures to protect and enhance unrestored natural teeth
- Learn the advantages and techniques for direct composite veneer restorations versus porcelain veneer restorations
- Learn the advantages and techniques for “fragment reattachment” for fractured teeth
- Learn the advantages and techniques for using bonded single tooth replacement for missing anterior teeth

ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Dr. Abdi Sameni, Clinical Associate Professor of Dentistry at Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry of USC, is the chairman and developer of the “USC International Restorative Dentistry Symposium.” He is a former faculty for the “esthetic selective” and the former director of the USC Advanced Esthetic Dentistry Continuum for the portion relating to indirect porcelain veneers. Dr. Sameni lectures nationally and internationally. He is a member of The American College of Dentists, OKU National Dental Honor Society and the Pierre Fauchard Academy. Dr. Sameni maintains a practice limited to restorative dentistry in West Los Angeles, California.
It was an honor and pleasure to attend a fascinating and informative lecture on the future of healthcare in the US recently. I applaud Dean Emeritus, Dr. Harold Slavkin for a brilliant lecture.

I am excited about our upcoming Alpha Omega international convention, this year in Los Angeles from December 26th to December 31st. Dentists from around the globe with their families will gather for 5 days of comaraderie, learning and festivities.

You truly should not miss this rare opportunity to enjoy a magnificent celebration of international fraternalism.

Lectures by masters such as Drs Stanley Melamed, Ziv Simon, Marshall Fagin and Bill Becker. Immediately following the Friday afternoon lectures there will be Kabbalat Shabat dinner. Also planned are a city tour, a golf day, capped off by the Honors Night banquet. Don’t miss it. The next one in Los Angeles may not be for another 50 years!

Kindest regards,
Rami Etessami
ALPHA OMEGA TRIBUTE PROGRAM

Our chapter has sponsored the Apha Omega Tribute Program where we have recognized when a frater has lost a spouse, loved one or there was a celebration within the family that you want to recognize. For years this program was run efficiently by Char Gilbert, Nanette Cutler, Bernice Bloom and Al Rubel. Today this is still an excellent vehicle that we can utilize to print the tributes in our bulletin to keep the membership informed.

Therefore you may want to remember the life cycles of loved ones, colleagues and friends. You also may want to honor significant occasions of all kinds with our Standard, Gold and Platinum Tribute Cards. We make it easy to Donate and Celebrate.

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2019 AO CONVENTION
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Alpha Omega’s international convention will convene in Los Angeles for the first time in more than a half century.

Check out the website (AO.org) for details regarding registration for the convention and the two half-days of outstanding continuing education.

Please consider registering for this special event and welcoming fraters and families who will travel great distances to participate.

“Fraters” from Europe, Israel, Australia, Mexico, Canada and the many chapters across the U.S. will congregate at the Century City Intercontinental hotel this December. Hosting this convention is a golden opportunity to discover the richness of our many commonalities.

We will need local volunteers to assist with hosting of convention events including Universal Studios tour, an Alpha Omega Foundation event, sightseeing activities and a golf outing.

Please refer to the website AO.ORG for the details of dates and activities.

Please contact Bob Simon (rlsdc@mac.com) for any questions and to discuss participation.
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Please make _____ dinner reservation(s) to attend this month’s Alumni Dinner Meeting at Sinai Temple.

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| Member Pre-register by 12/1/19 | $80.00 | Cocktails | 6:15 p.m. |
| Member Guest (non-dentist)    | 80.00  | Dinner    | 7:15 p.m. |
| Member at the door             | 95.00  | Speaker   | promptly at 7:30 p.m. |
| Non-member dentist             | 95.00  |           |            |
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