2014 IACA conference is July 24-26 in the Bahamas

The International Association of Comprehensive Aesthetics 2014 annual meeting will be at The Atlantis Resort in Paradise Island, Bahamas, from July 24–26. The event will be held on the Imperial Conference Level, located between the Coral and Beach towers.

The IACA strives for dental excellence through higher education via a variety of lectures, panel discussions and workshops for dental professionals and their team members. Whether you have achieved the highest levels of dental training or are just beginning your journey in the areas of esthetics, occlusion and neuromuscular dentistry, by the end of this meeting, the quality of care that you will be able to provide your patients will notably increase, according to the meeting organizers. This year’s 10-year anniversary meeting will honor Dr. Ron Jackson with a lifetime achievement award for his commitment to education in occlusion and neuromuscular dentistry. You can learn more at www.theiaca.com/conferenceinformation. (Source: IACA)
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ADEA offering two meetings in Barcelona

International Workshop, Sept. 14; International Women’s Leadership Conference, Sept. 14–16

The American Dental Education Association (ADEA) is hosting two meetings for today’s globally minded dental education and research communities: the 5th ADEA International Women’s Leadership Conference (IWLC) and the ADEA International Workshop.

Both events — being held at the Renaissance Barcelona Fira Hotel from Sept. 14–16, in Barcelona, Spain — will focus on professional development, leadership strategies, cross-cultural connections and curricular reform to help chart dentistry’s future course.

Hundreds of dental educators, leaders and practitioners from around the world are expected to come together with ADEA experts, other thought leaders and emerging pioneers in dental education and research for the two conferences, which are separate in theme and focus.

In its fifth year, with the theme of “Global Health Through Women’s Leadership,” the ADEA IWLC is a three-day conference providing insight and perspectives on how women are forging new pathways to help advance future generations and produce better health outcomes globally.

Participants — including both men and women — will explore research-based and practical strategies related to gender and the roles of women leaders in dentistry worldwide through plenaries, working groups and skills-building sessions.

Building on a long-standing collaboration with the Association for Dental Education in Europe, the ADEA International Workshop is a one-day event discussing change and innovation in dental education. With the theme “A Global Perspective on Leading Change and Innovation in Dental Education,” this meeting also presents an opportunity to further expand on ongoing efforts being championed through the ADEA Commission on Change and Innovation in Dental Education, which was created in 2005 to facilitate transformation in the education of dental professionals so they graduate with the competencies required to meet future oral health needs of the public.

For more information and to register for the 5th ADEA International Women’s Leadership Conference and ADEA International Workshop visit www.adea.org/Barcelona.

Follow ADEA on Twitter at @ADEAweb using #ADEA2014 and #IWLC14.

(Source: ADEA)

Changes at 2014 Winter Clinic include new downtown venue

The 77th Annual Winter Clinic, the largest one-day dental convention in North America, is on the move, with its 2014 meeting set for Friday, Nov. 14, at the Toronto Sheraton Centre.

This year’s clinical program covers a broad spectrum of topics, including an examination of the way digital technology is transforming workflow; demonstrations of cutting-edge tools and equipment; specialized techniques for prosthetic tooth repositioning, the use of lasers in peri-odontal therapy; a discussion of X-rays as a diagnostic tool; advice on the latest legal requirements for health and safety in the dental office; and how to meet the demands of your modern dental practice through healthy habits and humor.

You can bring the whole team to share the knowledge. The single-day event features 24 separate programs in contemporary dentistry, offering something for all.

(Source: Toronto Academy of Dentistry)

Greater New York Dental Meeting keeps expanding

By Jayme McNiff Spicciati
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New events scheduled for the 2014 Greater New York Dental Meeting include:

• The World Implant Expo, four days of innovations in implantology
• An expanded ColLABoration Dental Laboratory Meeting, bringing together dentists and lab technicians.
• An expanded exhibit floor with more than 1,700 booths and 700 companies.

The new World Implant Expo will be held simultaneously with the main Greater New York Dental Meeting, from Nov. 28 through Dec. 3. ColLABoration, the dental laboratory meeting, is expected to surpass its inaugural 2013 numbers: 1,183 technicians and technican students and 50 exhibitor booths. The 2014 GNYDM exhibit hall dates are Nov. 30 through Dec. 3.

Again for 2014, the GNYDM, which is sponsored by the New York County Dental Society and Second District Dental Societies, will remain free of any registration fee. Other distinctions that make the GNYDM stand out include:

• Only event with four-day exhibit hall.
• More than 300 educational programs.
• One C.E. unit can be earned by exploring the exhibit floor.
• Eight “Live Patient Demonstrations.”
• Multilingual programs (in Spanish, Russian, Portuguese, French and Italian).

Learn more at www.gnydm.com