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### Recognizing Service and the Opportunity to Serve

#### Mission

The International College of Dentists is a leading honorary dental organization dedicated to the recognition of outstanding professional achievement meritorious service and the continued progress of the profession of dentistry for the benefit of mankind..

*'Collegiality Promotes Progress'*

*Dr. Richard Shick  
ICD World President 2009*

## *A Historic and Progressive Year for The College*



**Secretary General Designate Dr. Jeffrey Terrell (Terry) Hoffeld is introduced by ICD World President Dr. Richard Shick.**

Greetings and best wishes for the second half of 2009 from your President and Council. It has been a very busy six months with significant progress on many fronts for the College.

In February, the first ever Central Office Review was conducted on the day prior to the Executive Committee meeting. So beneficial was this Review, providing a road map for College activities and more effective working relations between Staff and Council, it is to be undertaken annually.

Due to the competent and dedicated efforts of all involved in both the Search Committee and the oversight Transition Committee (with its three equally hard-working Sub-Committees), excellent progress towards the most critical activity of establishing an independent office for the College has been made.

These Committee and Sub-Committees:

- ✓ established the qualifications, duties and responsibilities of the Secretary General and Central Office Administrator respectively;
- ✓ developed a Budget for the total support of the independent office, with salary ranges for the two employees;
- ✓ found office sites that will match the needs, location and College budget;
- ✓ agreed a transition arrangement with the USA Section to effect a seamless separation into two independent offices;
- ✓ and last but by no means least, carried out and successfully completed a comprehensive search plan with the signing of an Employment Agreement with Dr. Jeffrey Terrell (Terry) Hoffeld, DDS, Ph.D., as our new Secretary General, replacing Dr. Robert Brady on January 1st, 2010. ([ICD Welcomes Dr. Hoffeld, page 2](#))

In addition, following work with a very competent professional relations firm, it can also be announced that Mrs. Kathleen Bula has been appointed as the new Central Office Administrator designate. ([Introducing Mrs. Bula, page 2](#))

Dr. Hoffeld will attend the USA Section meeting at the end of October and both Secretary-General and Central Office Administrator will begin orientation in their new roles that start November 1st, 2009.

It's an exciting time for the College and all hands are working diligently to assure that the independent office will more efficiently and effectively serve the expanding needs of our College.

**Dr. Richard A. Shick**  
ICD World President

Full text of mid-year Presidential message at:  
[www.icd.org/publications/news/2009\\_mid-year\\_report.htm](http://www.icd.org/publications/news/2009_mid-year_report.htm)

### New Office for College At Large

The new office is in the 1010 Rockville Pike Building, Suite 510, in Rockville, MD, one mile from the current office. It is being designed to suit the needs of the College and should serve well for many years. Anticipated occupation is November with grand opening on January 4th, 2010. The new contact information will be provided in a future communication.

## Welcoming the Secretary General Designate

The International Council is pleased to introduce Jeffery Terrell (Terry) Hoffeld, BS, DDS, PhD, FICD, the ICD Secretary General Designate.

Dr. Hoffeld brings a unique professional background to his future role with The College. He recently completed a thirty year commission as a Dental Officer in the U.S. Public Health Service (USPHS), serving as both a research scientist and a research grant administrator at the National Institutes of Health, relying heavily on both his DDS and PhD (Microbiology/Immunology) degrees. In those roles, Dr. Hoffeld worked closely with Dental clinicians and scientists, mostly in the U.S. but also abroad. He maintained working relationships with cross-agency organizations through which he provided various types of support services for several Chief Dental Officers and U.S. Surgeons General.

In his role as the ICD Secretary General, Dr. Hoffeld will serve as Administrator of The College and shall be responsible for administrative planning, execution, and implementation of all programs and policies as directed by the ICD International Council or its Executive Committee. In addition to these and other responsibilities, Dr. Hoffeld "hopes he will also be for the ICD a trusted individual whom Fellows throughout the worldwide constituency will feel

comfortable contacting with any questions to which he might have access to the answers". Dr. Hoffeld feels his new role is a service position in which the greatest satisfaction can be derived from helping someone who needs information to resolve some situation that may seem otherwise insoluble.

Known as "Terry" to friends and colleagues, Dr. Hoffeld and his wife Edwina, who reside in Rockville, Maryland, celebrated their 36th wedding anniversary in August. Their daughter Erika is a practicing Veterinarian in Maryland. Their son Bradley recently earned his M.S. degree in Health Promotion Management and resides in California.

Dr. Hoffeld acknowledges that he was justly accused during his 30 year career with USPHS of being overly devoted to his work. He limits his non work activities to community service and administrative or leadership roles for various organizations to the exclusion of any overriding specific interests or hobbies.

The International Council extends a warm welcome to Terry and Edwina. The Council has every confidence that as our next Secretary General, Terry will find enough work to do, and will do it extremely well!

**Dr J.V. Hinterman**  
ICD Editor

## Introducing the Central Office Administrator Designate



**Mrs. Kathleen Warner Bula**  
Central Office Administrator Designate

Kathleen Warner Bula has been appointed as Central Office Administrator (COA) designate for the newly established International College of Dentists At Large.

Chosen in August 2009 by the Search Committee from seventy-four applicants, in her new position as Central Office Administrator, Kathleen will work closely with the new Secretary General, the Executive Committee and the Council-

ors to further develop the new College office. A few of her goals are to facilitate stronger relationships with all Sections of The College, to add details to the ICD database, roster and website, and to foster a better system for collecting annual capitation fees.

A graduate in business administration of the University of Maryland, Kathleen worked for a Property management company and in an attorney's office as a legal secretary/office manager before being employed at her father's office filing systems and equipment company. She began her employment with the International College of Dentists in 2005 as an Executive Administrator and Editorial Assistant.

In 1983, she married her high-school sweetheart, Jim Bula, a Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC) Scholar at Elon College, North Carolina. They had three beautiful children, two daughters and one son. Tragically, their elder daughter Kelley was diagnosed with brain cancer in 1993 and passed away in 1997 at 8 years of age. During those years, Kathleen gave up work to care for her daughter and for the next several years, became deeply involved in the PTA of her children's school in an administrative role and also worked as an 'at-home' transcriptionist.

Kathleen is very honoured, and excited to begin working with Dr. J. Terrell Hoffeld, Secretary-General Designate, at the new ICD College-At-Large office.

## Major Accomplishments of the International Council Meeting in Yokohama, Japan, May 2009

1. Retiring Secretary General Robert Brady named Secretary General Emeritus, a lifelong appointment.
2. A new Strategic Plan including a mission statement, goals, and objectives adopted.
3. China and Myanmar granted autonomous status becoming ICD Sections XIII and XIV respectively.
4. Resource media documents to introduce the ICD to new Fellows and the public approved.

The Fellows of the Japan Section were perfect hosts arranging successful meetings & social gatherings.



**International Editors in Japan, May 2009**

Back (from left): Cedric Haddad (Middle East), Garry Lunn (Canada), Yuh-Yuan Shiau (Taiwan), Rajiv Chugh (India).  
Front (from left): Jack Hinterman (USA), Koji Hashimoto (Japan) and Sheldon Sydney (Europe).

## *ICD Section II Canada: A Model Section*



**President ICD Section II  
Dr. Gene Solmundson**



**ICD Vice-President 2010  
Dr. Garry Lunn, Vancouver BC**



**Dr. Fil Cappa  
Honorary Registrar & Editor**



**Dr. Robert Baker  
Newly Appointed Registrar**

### **New Web-Site**

Canada launched its own website in September 2009  
[www.icd-canada.com](http://www.icd-canada.com)

## *Outstanding History of Service of Canadian Fellows*

As well as providing many leaders for the ICD worldwide, Canada's Fellows have a wonderful record of service.

**Student Award Programme:** Since 1956, recognition has been given to one outstanding student in the penultimate year of each of Canada's ten dental schools. The award, consisting of a mounted certificate and a bursary, began with the bursary being \$100. It is now \$1,000.

### **Support for Humanitarian Projects.**

Participation in humanitarian projects has increased steadily over the past 15 years. Since giving a modest sum of \$5,000 in 1995 to the '**The Kindness in Action Service Society of Alberta**' for a project in Honduras, the Canadian Section has provided a total of \$164,000 to fund 21 humanitarian projects of a dental nature in such other places as Guatemala, The Philippines, Myanmar, Sri Lanka, Bolivia, Brazil, Paraguay, Zambia, Latvia and Bulgaria. See [www.icd-canada.com/projects](http://www.icd-canada.com/projects)

### **The William J. Spence ICD Memorial Foundation**

In 2003, the William J. Spence ICD Memorial Foundation was registered with the Charities Directorate of Canada Revenue, so individual donors could receive tax-exempt receipts. Annual receipted donations now exceed \$25,000.

C. F. Linehan  
September 2009

Canada, Section II of the ICD, has a long and proud tradition. In 1948, by agreement of the College at Large and the USA Section, the twenty-two Canadian Fellows were given autonomy as Section II and as a model for future autonomous sections.

The first meeting of the new Section was held in Toronto in May 1950 when ten new Canadian Fellows were inducted. Since then, the Section has given the College six World Presidents, and in May 2009, Dr. Garry Lunn was elected ICD World Vice-President for 2010. Councillor Lunn is Chairman of the Communications Committee of the International Council and a Past President of Canada Section II.

### **Dr. Cappa Retires.....and is honoured**

Section II has been wonderfully served by Dr. Fil Cappa, first as Editor in 1995 and then as Editor/Registrar from 1996. Inducted into ICD in 1982, Fil has had an outstanding career in many facets of dentistry leading to the Gies Award for Editorial Writing from the American Dental Association in 1973, the Ontario Dental Association Service Award in 2000 and being conferred as Master of the ICD in the same year. A talented musician and above all a family man with two daughters, one son and six grandchildren, as a true Fellow of ICD, Fil has also worked ceaselessly for the benefit of others in several service roles. In recognition of his outstanding contribution to Section II, the Board of Regents voted unanimously to confer the title of Honorary Registrar on Master Fellow Fil Cappa in March 2009.

### **Introducing the New Registrar**

Dr. Robert (Bob) Baker succeeds Dr. Cappa as Registrar of Section II. Bob has had an exceptional career in the field of academic study in the University of Toronto. A Fellow of the Pierre Fauchard Academy and of the American College of Dentists, Bob received the Alumni of Distinction Award from the Faculty of Dentistry, University of Manitoba in 2005. He served as President of Manitoba Dental Association in 1981 and of ICD Section II in 2001. We wish him well in his new post.

### **New Procedures Manual**

This important publication, a reference manual for appointees to the International Councillors, was compiled by Section II Councillor and ICD World Vice-President Dr. Garry Lunn. As well as listing the Duties of Councillors, the manual sets out the relative roles of Central Office, the International Council, Officers and Committees and gives biographies of Councillors.

### **ICD on Wikipedia**

Canadian Fellow Ian Furst took the initiative last year and entered a page on the ICD on Wikipedia – see [www.wikipedia.org/wiki/International\\_College\\_of\\_Dentists](http://www.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_College_of_Dentists)

You want to add something? Contact Ian at: [ifurst@cdsg.ca](mailto:ifurst@cdsg.ca)

### **The Statistics of Canada ICD Section II**

There are eight Districts in Canada ICD Section II: British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec, Atlantic Canada and The Military.

There are 678 Fellows: 456 Active, 202 Life and 14 Honorary.

New Fellows (approximately 35 per year) are inducted at the annual convocation -in 2010 is 14th – 15th May, Toronto, Ontario.

Section II has two representatives on the International Council. The current Councillors are: Past Presidents Garry W. Lunn, Vancouver, British Columbia, and Mike Suzuki, London, Ontario.

## Middle East Section X Succeeds with Cross Cultural Oral Health Project

The eighty-one Fellows of Section X have broken new ground by having the "Oral Longevity" DVD and accompanying booklet prepared as a joint initiative between GlaxoSmithKline and the American Dental Association translated into Arabic – congratulations definitely due on bringing such a worthwhile project to completion – a wonderful example of co-operation across boundaries for public benefit in promoting long-term oral health.

### Cover of Arabic Version of 'Oral Longevity'



Copyright permission was granted by the ADA in September 2008 and the Al Waleed Bin Talal Humanitarian Foundation of Lebanon sponsored the translation and distribution of over 5,000 copies of the Arabic version of 'Oral Longevity' to institutions and health care facilities and to dental professionals in the eleven countries in Section X as follows:

#### Section X District 1:

Lebanon, Syria, Jordan and Iraq

#### Section X District 2:

Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Kuwait, Qatar, Oman, Bahrain, Yemen



World President Dick Shick receives a Commemorative Shield from His Highness Prince Mot'eb bin Abdallah at the Annual Meeting of Section X District 2, Riyadh, KSA April 2009

## Congratulations to our two new autonomous sections created May 2009



ICD President Elect Manfred Seidemann of Santiago, Chile, congratulates Dr. Qianming Chen, Registrar of China as the creation of autonomous Section XIII is announced



Dr. Tun Tun Thwe (left) Registrar, and Dr. Cho Sitt President, Section XIV stand proudly as Myanmar is declared an autonomous Section of ICD

## Fellows' Honours

### Fellow Denis P. Lynch receives the UCSF Medal of Honour.

At an awards ceremony in San Francisco on June 1, 2009, FICD Denis P. Lynch, Professor of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs at Marquette University of School of Dentistry became the 72nd recipient of the University of California San Francisco Medal of Honour, the highest award given by the over 5,000 member Dental Alumni Association. It is bestowed for "outstanding accomplishments in advancing the quality and standards of the dental profession." The award was presented by previous Medal of Honour recipient, Sol Silverman, Jr., DDS, M.A., Professor Emeritus in the School of Dentistry – Dr. Lynch's mentor.

### ICD Section VI – India and Sri Lanka

Dr. J. C. Chandna, Secretary General of Section VI for the last 30 years was honoured for his dedication by an Outstanding Contribution Services Plaque signed by most of the Past Presidents for last 30 years and elected as the Secretary General Emeritus. Dr. Rajiv Chugh was elected and takes over as the new Registrar for ICD Section VI.

### Dr. Leslie Sedlin to Chair National Museum of Dentistry's Board of Visitors, Baltimore Maryland, USA

In June 2009, the National Museum of Dentistry's Board of Visitors elected ICD Fellow, Dr. Leslie W. Seldin as its new Chair.

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