

**College of Dental Surgeons of BC**

*2015 Awards Ceremony*

Thursday, March 5

6:00 pm

Pan Pacific Hotel, Crystal Pavilion A

Vancouver, British Columbia



**CDSBC**

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of British Columbia

## Welcome to CDSBC's 2015 Awards Ceremony

Each year, the College of Dental Surgeons of BC (CDSBC) presents awards to recognize dentists, certified dental assistants, and members of the public who have made significant contributions to CDSBC.

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Dr. Brian Wong

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**Honoured Member Award**

Dr. Myrna Halpenny

## CDSBC Nominations Committee Members

Dr. Peter Stevenson-Moore, Past President (Chair)

Dr. Bob Coles, Past President (Vice-Chair)

Ms. Melanie Crombie, Public Member

Ms. Lane Shupe, CDA

Dr. David Tobias, President

Dr. Ash Varma, Past President

# Special Group Award

**This award recognizes valuable contributions to the practice or profession of dentistry through involvement with CDSBC. It may be awarded to a group that has gone above and beyond basic volunteer participation to complete a special project or noteworthy task.**

## **Minimal and Moderate Sedation Working Group**

Chair: **Dr. Michael Henry**, DDS, Certified Specialist (Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery)

**Dr. Geoff Grant**, DMD, Certified Specialist (Pediatrics)

**Dr. David Sowden**, BSc, DMD, MD, Certified Specialist (Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery)

**Dr. Mark Spurr**, DDS

**Dr. Bruce Ward**, DDS

The administration of sedation is an integral part of dental practice. The Minimal and Moderate Sedation Working Group, made up of general dentists and certified specialists, was charged with revising the previous guidelines to assist dentists in the delivery of safe and effective minimal and moderate sedation.

The group worked together over several years to develop the document, which went through extensive revisions, several reviews by the Board,

as well as public consultation that elicited more than 100 submissions from general dentists, certified specialists, CDAs, dental societies and study clubs, and medical professionals.

The final document, *Minimal and Moderate Sedation Services in Dentistry (Non-hospital Facilities)*, was published to the profession in the summer of 2014. Most of the requirements contained within it are in effect, while others are being implemented over a period of months.

The CDSBC Board noted the collaboration and effort that went into the document and acknowledged its value to the profession. Each of the working group members brought a unique understanding to the table in order to create standards and guidelines that were easy to understand, straightforward about the expectations for safe practice, and reflective of current standards for sedation in dentistry.



**From left to right:** Dr. Michael Henry (Chair), Dr. Bruce Ward, Dr. David Sowden, Dr. Geoff Grant. **Missing:** Dr. Mark Spurr.

# Award of Merit

**This award recognizes significant contributions to CDSBC, beyond basic volunteer participation.**

## Dr. Josephine Chung, BDS



Dr. Josephine Chung has been a dedicated CDSBC volunteer for more than 10 years. She began her service as a member of the Inquiry Committee in 2003, and then joined the Discipline Committee in 2009. She has been the chair of the Committee since 2012.

Josephine received her Bachelor of Dental Surgery from the University of Hong Kong, and her Diploma of Membership of the Faculty of General Dental

Practitioners (UK) from the Royal College of Surgeons of England. She is a fellow of the Academy of General Dentistry, the International Congress of Oral Implantologists, and the Academy of Dentistry International.

Josephine's other volunteer work includes serving as director of the Chinese Canadian Dental Society of BC from 1995 to 2003, and director of the Chinese Cultural Centre of Greater Vancouver from 1997 to 2001.

She has been a part-time clinical instructor at UBC's Faculty of Dentistry for over 15 years, and operates a private general dentistry practice in Vancouver.

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## Dr. Alexander Hird, BSc (H), DDS



Dr. Alexander Hird joined CDSBC's volunteer network in 2007 when he became a member of the College's Registration Committee. In 2011, he took over the position of chair.

Alexander received his Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Physiology

from the University of British Columbia, went on to graduate with his Doctor of Dental Surgery degree

from the University of Western Ontario, and then returned to BC to complete a hospital residency. In 2012, he was named Fellow of the Academy of General Dentistry.

As a staff dentist at Vancouver General Hospital from 2005 to 2012, Alexander treated medically complex patients and did rotations as a public health dentist in Haida Gwaii and in Vancouver's Downtown Eastside.

Alexander has been a part-time clinical instructor at UBC's Faculty of Dentistry for the past seven years. He is a partner at White Rock Dental Group, where he practises general dentistry.



### Dr. Francis Ping, MB, BCh, BAO



Dr. Francis Ping was a member of CDSBC's Sedation and General Anaesthetic Services Committee from 2010 to 2014. As a committee member, he travelled around the province to complete sedation facility inspections for CDSBC, and contributed his

medical expertise to the development of the new standards and guidelines for minimal and moderate sedation, which were published to the profession in 2014.

After earning his medical degree from University College in Dublin, Ireland, he practised as a general

practitioner for three years before doing his anaesthesia residency at the University of British Columbia.

Following his certification as a specialist anaesthetist in 1978, Francis joined the anaesthetic staff at Vancouver General Hospital, serving as a staff anaesthetist and clinical instructor.

Francis then became a clinical assistant professor and director of the residency program for obstetrical anaesthesia at BC Women's Hospital. Following that, he worked for three years as a staff anaesthetist at Chilliwack General Hospital.

Francis moved to the North Shore, spending the next 25 years as a staff anaesthetist at Lions Gate Hospital, which included three years as the head of the Department of Anaesthesia. He officially retired on December 31, 2014.

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### Dr. William Rosebush, BSc, DipEd, DMD



Dr. William Rosebush has been a long-time CDSBC volunteer, serving the College since the late 1980s. He has been a member of the Arbitration Committee and Professional Review Committee, and he currently sits on the

Discipline Committee. He also participates in the College's mentoring program.

Will earned a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry and a Diploma of Education from the University of Victoria. After earning his Doctor of Dental Medicine degree from the University of British Columbia, he went through the hospital residency program at Vancouver General and UBC hospitals.

He has been an active member in a number of Vancouver-based study clubs like the Spectrum Study Club, the Richard V. Tucker Club, and an endodontic study club. He also served on the board of the Vancouver & District Dental Society.

Since 1984, he has been a part-time clinical instructor at UBC's Faculty of Dentistry and has operated a private practice in Vancouver.

## Award of Merit

### Dr. Jonathan Suzuki, DMD, Certified Specialist (Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics)



Dr. Jonathan Suzuki has given his time as a CDSBC volunteer since 2003. Originally joining the College as a member of the Practice Standards Committee, he went on to serve on the Professional Conduct Committee, the Registration Committee,

and the Strategic Planning Working Group. He also sat on the CDSBC Board, as the specialist board

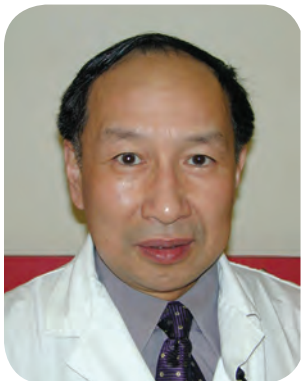
member, from 2008 to 2014. He currently serves on the College's Inquiry Committee.

In addition to his work with CDSBC, Jonathan is past president of the British Columbia Society of Orthodontists, as well as an active member of two orthodontic study clubs, one in BC and one in Alberta.

Jonathan graduated with his Doctor of Dental Medicine degree and his Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics specialty degree from the University of Manitoba. He has been practising in Vancouver and Coquitlam since 1999.

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### Dr. Brian Wong, DMD



Dr. Brian Wong has been a dedicated CDSBC volunteer since he joined the Ethics Committee in 2007. A member of the Ethics Committee from 2007 to 2013, he took over the position of vice-chair in 2013, and continues to give his time to this active committee.

Brian received his Doctor of Dental Medicine Degree from the University of British Columbia in 1976, and has been practising general dentistry in Richmond for over 35 years.

Brian has been a part-time faculty member at UBC Dentistry for more than 20 years, and is currently a clinical assistant professor. Brian has also been involved in the candidate assessment process for UBC's International Dental Degree Completion Program, as well as the Summer Student Practitioner Program. Since 2010, Brian has been a clinical assessment evaluator for the National Dental Examining Board of Canada.

He holds fellowships with the International College of Dentists, the American College of Dentists, and the Academy of Dentistry International. He is also deputy regent for the International College of Dentists, British Columbia district.



# Our volunteers in action



**Top:** 1. Dr. Ken Chow 2. Dr. Josephine Chung 3. Dr. Adam Pite 4. Dr. Leetty Huang

**Middle:** 5. Dr. Peter Stevenson-Moore; Dr. Ash Varma 6. Mr. Samson Lim; Dr. Pamela Barias  
7. Ms. Julie Johal; Dr. Dustin Holben

**Bottom:** 8. Dr. Ben Balevi; Ms. Sherry Messenger; Ms. Melanie Crombie 9. Ms. Susanne Feenstra  
10. Dr. Eli Whitney; Dr. Rob Staschuk 11. Ms. Nadine Bunting; Ms. Carmel Wiseman (staff)

# Distinguished Service Award

**This award recognizes outstanding and broad contributions to CDSBC over an extended period of time.**

## **Dr. Peter Stevenson-Moore**, BDS, MSD, Certified Specialist (Prosthodontics)



Dr. Peter Stevenson-Moore first became involved with CDSBC in 1989, serving on various committees, working groups and task forces. Most notably, he was part of a task force on denturists and dental technicians' legislation as well as a working group

on the registration of dental specialists. In 2004, Peter was elected as the dental specialist society member on the College Council. He became a Board Officer in 2008, going on to serve two terms as Treasurer and two as Vice-President. He served as President from 2012 to 2014. Peter currently sits on the Ethics, Nominations, and Audit committees.

Peter received his general dentistry degree from Guy's Hospital in London, England, and obtained his specialty degree in Prosthodontics at the University of Washington. He came to British Columbia to join the BC Cancer Agency, where he developed a dental program to support the oral care needs of cancer patients. He led the BC Cancer Agency dental program for 29 years.

Peter is a past president of the Association of Prosthodontists of Canada, and of the Pacific Coast Society for Prosthodontics. Most recently, he was the scientific program chair and a board member for the Multinational Association for Supportive Care in Cancer.

A clinical associate professor in UBC's Faculty of Dentistry undergraduate program, Peter also interacts closely with prosthodontics graduate students. He practises both in his own private specialty practice and at Vancouver General Hospital.



# Honoured Member Award

**The Honoured Member Award is presented to individuals who have made remarkable, broad-based contributions to CDSBC over a sustained period of time, having significant impact on the College. This award may be for service that is provincial, national or international in nature.**

## **Dr. Myrna Halpenny**, DDS, Certified Specialist (Endodontics)



Dr. Myrna Halpenny began her service to CDSBC with work on the Nominations & Award Committee and the Peer Review Committee. Her first experience on the CDSBC Board was as a specialty representative. Subsequently she became Vice-President

from 1998 to 2002. The next year Myrna became the first – and only – woman elected as CDSBC President.

In addition to her many roles with the College, Myrna is an advocate for the profession, and particularly for women in the profession. She was a founding member of the BC Women's Dental Society in the 1980s and recently chaired a mentorship program for female dentists in British Columbia.

Myrna became a fellow of the International College of Dentists and the American College of Dentists

(ACD) in 2003, serving as the president of the BC Chapter of the ACD from 2008 to 2010. Myrna was chair of the Vancouver & District Mid-winter Clinic in 1985 and president of the Vancouver & District Dental Society in 1991.

Myrna earned her undergraduate degree at the University of Saskatchewan before becoming one of two women in the 1974 dental class at McGill University. She practised general dentistry in Vancouver for two years before taking her specialty in endodontics at the University of Oregon. In 1979 Myrna began a longstanding partnership with Dr. John Fraser, which lasted until their retirement in 2013.

In her first year of retirement Myrna co-chaired the BC Dental Association's task force on Best Ethical Practices and volunteered at UBC Dentistry in the ethics and first year programs.

Myrna has been honoured with the Award of Merit from both CDSBC and the BC Dental Association. In addition, she has also received the Distinguished Service Award.

# Past CDSBC Award Recipients

## Honoured Member Award

Ms. Sandra Bailey  
Dr. Neil Basaraba  
Dr. Ludlow Beamish  
Dr. Marcia Boyd  
Dr. Jim Brass  
Dr. John Diggins  
Dr. John Fraser  
Dr. Robert Hicks  
Dr. Don MacFarlane  
Dr. Ronald Markey  
Dr. Max Nacht  
Dr. Marke Pedersen  
Dr. Ted Ramage  
Dr. Fred Reid  
Dr. Bill Scott  
Ms. Lane Shupe  
Dr. Ron Smith  
Dr. Arnold Steinbart  
Dr. David Sweet, O.C.  
Dr. G. Roy Thordarson  
Dr. Perry Trester  
Dr. Richard Tucker  
Dr. Serge Vanry  
Dr. Edwin Yen  
Dr. Doug Yeo

## Distinguished Service Award

Dr. Don Anderson  
Ms. Sandra Bailey  
Dr. Neil Basaraba  
Dr. Gordon Baynes  
Dr. Ludlow Beamish  
Ms. Kathy Boyd  
Dr. Jim Brass  
Dr. John Carpendale  
Mr. Brian Carter  
Ms. Lynn Carter  
Dr. Bill Catalano  
Dr. Susan Chow  
Dr. Chris Christensen  
Dr. Bob Coles  
Mr. Ken Croft  
Dr. John Diggins  
Dr. David Donaldson  
Mr. Paul Durose  
Dr. Joel Epstein  
Dr. Norman Ferguson  
Dr. John Fraser  
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Dr. Fred Froese  
Dr. Harry Gelfant  
Dr. John Gercsak

Ms. Jan Godsmark  
Dr. Alan Gray  
Ms. Alison Hall  
Dr. Myrna Halpenny  
Dr. Wayne Halstrom  
Dr. Alan Hannam  
Ms. Cia Harms  
Dr. Michael Henry  
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Dr. Robin Jackson  
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Dr. Terry Kline  
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Dr. Don Lauriente  
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Dr. Ron Smith  
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Dr. Dan Stoneman  
Dr. Perry Trester  
Dr. Richard Tucker  
Dr. Ross Upton  
Dr. Serge Vanry  
Dr. Ashok Varma  
Dr. Bruce Ward  
Ms. Maureen Woodward  
Dr. Edwin Yen  
Dr. John Zaporinuk

## Award of Merit

Dr. Jonathan Adams  
Dr. Mike Adey  
Dr. Martin Aidelbaum  
Dr. Fernanda Almeida  
Dr. Gregory Ames  
Dr. Don Anderson  
Dr. George Andreiuk  
Ms. Beverly Arduini  
Ms. Leona Ashcroft  
Ash Temple  
Aurum Dental Ceramics  
Dr. Roger Bailey  
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Mr. Victor Bowman  
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Dr. Richard Busse  
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Dr. Larry Goldstein  
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Dr. John Gould  
Dr. Tim Gould  
Dr. Ian Hadfield  
Dr. Rick Hallett  
Dr. Myrna Halpenny  
Ms. Lael Hamilton  
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Mr. Anthony Soda  
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Ms. Maureen Woodward  
Dr. Leon Woolf  
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Dr. Ralph Yorsh  
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Dr. Christopher Zed

## **Special Group Award**

### ***The Regulatory Review Task Force***

Dr. Bruce Ward, Chair  
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Ms. Cia Harms  
Mr. Robbie Moore  
Ms. Linda Mykecey  
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Dr. Helen Scott  
Dr. Mike Wells

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Dr. Robert Elliott  
Dr. Chris Hacker  
Dr. Don MacFarlane  
Dr. Craig Naylor  
Dr. Mark Norris

### ***The Infection Prevention and Control Working Group***

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