Travel & Learn
Annual Ski Seminar
Whistler
February 24 - 26, 2023
Four Seasons Resort

Course Schedule

Friday, February 24
Registration
3:00 PM

The Orthodontic - Prosthodontic Connection | Part 1
Drs. Benjamin Pliska & Roxana Saldarriaga
3:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Cocktail Reception
6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Saturday, February 25

The Orthodontic - Prosthodontic Connection | Part 2
Drs. Benjamin Pliska & Roxana Saldarriaga
3:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Sunday, February 26

Management of Prosthodontic Challenges
8:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Dr. Roxana Saldarriaga

9 Hours of Instruction
Limited Enrollment

Registration

Until Dec 1
After Dec 1
Dentists
$955
$1025
Allied Dental Personnel
$555
$585

Location

Four Seasons Resort, Whistler, BC
The Four Seasons Resort is offering special hotel conference rates if you make your reservation before January 24, 2023 (based on availability). This rate is reserved for participants attending the Annual Ski Seminar.

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Reserve accommodation online at http://www.fourseasons.com/whistler
Click on ‘Check Rates’, enter your dates, use the Promo Code: 230220UBC, and complete your reservation details. Please book accommodation early to avoid disappointment.
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Benjamin Pliska, DDS, MS, FRCD(C) Orthodontics
Dr. Benjamin Pliska is a graduate of the University of Western Ontario School of Dentistry, and obtained his Certificate in Orthodontics and Master’s Degree in Dentistry from the University of Minnesota. He is an Associate Professor of the University of British Columbia Faculty of Dentistry, an Orthodontic Consultant at B.C. Children’s Hospital and maintains a private practice in Vancouver as a certified specialist in Orthodontics. Dr. Pliska’s research interests include interdisciplinary treatment, craniofacial imaging, and sleep medicine - topics on which he frequently lectures and publishes.

Roxana Saldarriaga, DDS, FRCD(C) Prosthodontics
Dr. Roxana Saldarriaga obtained her DDS from the University of Western Ontario School of Dentistry, and a GPR certificate at Hennepin County Medical Center in Minneapolis, Minnesota. She completed her post-graduate training in prosthodontics at the University of Minnesota and is a fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada and currently maintains a full-time private practice and in-house prosthodontic laboratory in Vancouver, BC. Dr. Saldarriaga has held positions as part-time Graduate and Undergraduate instructor in the Division of Prosthodontics at the University of British Columbia Faculty of Dentistry. Dr. Saldarriaga continues to mentor her peers as a director and frequent speaker of the Western Restorative and Every Day Dentistry Study Clubs in Vancouver.

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THE ORTHODONTIC – PROSTHODONTIC CONNECTION
How a synergistic approach to complex restorative problems results in superior outcomes for dental patients

DRS BENJAMIN PLISKA AND ROXANA SALDARRIAGA

The successful rehabilitation of the complex restorative patient often requires a synergistic approach of multiple dental specialties. These dentitions are often characterized by having any combination of congenital or multiple missing teeth, inappropriate spacing, over erupted teeth, advanced attrition, uneven occlusal planes, and compromised periodontal health. Communication between team members to establish uniform treatment objectives and appropriate sequence of care is required to ensure that an optimal outcome is achieved. With attention to the prosthodontic demands of treatment and through the use of many clinical examples, a systematic method of diagnosis and treatment planning for the complex interdisciplinary dental patient will be presented. The orthodontist’s role in assisting with Prosthodontic-driven treatment plans that optimize aesthetics and facilitate the restorative phase of treatment, while still satisfying specific functional requirements for these patients will be discussed in depth.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Evaluate the steps necessary for proper diagnosis and treatment plan considerations for the complex restorative patient
- Outline essential information that should be communicated during the collaborative treatment planning process
- Describe the advantages and goals of pre-prosthodontic orthodontic treatment
- Describe the management of congenitally missing teeth
- Summarize the range of orthodontic tooth movements possible with modern techniques to facilitate the restorative phase of treatment
- Review how adjunctive orthodontic treatment can both facilitate and benefit from implant restorations

MANAGEMENT OF PROSTHODONTIC CHALLENGES
From the single anterior tooth to full mouth rehabilitation

DR. ROXANA SALDARRIAGA

Restoration of the anterior tooth is considered to be one of the most challenging processes in dentistry due to the difficulty in replicating the natural state of shape and colour when the work is so obviously exposed. At the other end of the spectrum of severity and complexity is the patient with a failing dentition who requires rehabilitation of their entire dentition. Each of these situations offers its own unique challenges for successful management, from patient emotions and demands, to communication with the laboratory technician, and finally long-term maintenance.

Through many clinical examples this presentation will demonstrate the intricacies, nuances and steps that are required to create high realism in the challenging anterior restoration case. Additionally, simplified procedures for the various treatment options for patients with a mutilated dentition will be discussed to illustrate some of the problems and solutions involved in the complete rehabilitation of dental form and function.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Detail the key considerations and steps involved in restoring the single anterior tooth.
- Suggest a protocol for establishing communication with the dental technician to achieve an optimum outcome.
- Discuss the strengths and limitations of current restorative materials for specific treatment options in both the anterior and posterior regions to achieve reliable and esthetic restorative outcomes.
- Detail the process of increasing the vertical dimension with occlusal and esthetic harmony
- Review management of soft tissues around natural teeth and implants

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