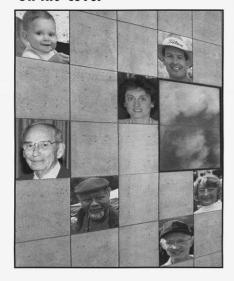
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he facade of the Fine Arts Museum on Indiana University's Bloomington campus provides the backdrop for a few of the faces we spotted among the hundreds belonging to participants of the 53rd annual Fall Dental Alumni Conference. They are, clockwise from the upper left-hand corner: 1-year-old Devin Jenkins, son of Dennis (DDS'88) and Jolie Jenkins, Sellersburg; Jim Gordon (DDS'81), Indianapolis; Melvena Stenger, spouse of John Stenger (DDS'45), South Bend; Pete Yancich (DDS'70), Wahiawa, Hawaii; B.K. "Stu" Stuart (DDS'55), Fort Wayne; Ralph Gieringer (DDS'35), Naples, Fla.; and (center) Patricia Humphrey Clark (ASDH'74, DDS'80, MSD'86), Terre Haute.

A tour of the I.M. Pei-designed Fine Arts Museum was one of more than a dozen events keeping the dental alumni busy during the annual three-day celebration last September. Conference coverage begins on page 4.

Cover photos by Mike Halloran and Susan Crum

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IUSD Administrative Transition

George K. Stookey Appointed Acting Dean of Dentistry

r. H. William Gilmore resigned from the deanship of the Indiana University School of Dentistry on March 1, 1996, nearly 11 years after he was appointed to the position.

The IUPUI administration has appointed IU faculty member Dr. George K. Stookey to serve as acting dean until a new dean is named. A search and screen committee headed by Dr. Angela B. McBride, dean of the IU School of Nursing, has been recruiting candidates for the deanship since January.

At a special gathering of the IUSD faculty, staff, and students called by IUPUI Chancellor Gerald L. Bepko on March 1, Dr. McBride reported that the search is progressing well and that several outstanding candidates have submitted applications for the position. A new dean is expected to be appointed as early as July 1.

Dr. Stookey, who joined the IU School of Dentistry faculty in 1964, has been the director of the school's Oral Health Research Institute since 1981 and the associate dean for research since 1987. He holds three degrees from IU—a B.A. in chemistry ('57) and M.S.D. and Ph.D. degrees in preventive dentistry ('62 and '71, respectively).

As a professor of preventive and community dentistry, Dr. Stookey has served as a consultant for both the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and the American Dental Association. He also has been a member of the Special Grants Review Committee of the National Institute of Dental Research.

Under his leadership, the external support for research at the IU School of Dentistry has doubled. His personal contributions to the research program have helped IU gain international prominence for its work in such areas as fluoridation, the early detection of dental caries, and other preventive measures in dentistry.

Dr. Stookey was the first recipient of the IUSD Alumni Association's Distinguished Faculty Award, established in 1986, and the 1994 recipient of the Indiana Dental

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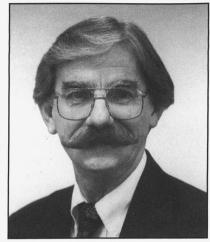
is named.

Association's highest honor, the Maynard K. Hine Award.

Introduced at Chancellor
Bepko's special dental school meeting, Dr.
Stookey indicated that he will work closely with the faculty and staff to maintain the school's traditions and

facilitate scholarly activities during the interim period until a new dean is named.

Dr. Gilmore, who became dean of dentistry on July 1, 1985, and who has devoted nearly four decades of service to the school,



Dr. George K. Stookey

plans to return to faculty activities in the summer and will retire from the faculty when eligible in September 1997. Upon announcing his resignation, Dr. Gilmore issued the following statement:

"It has been a privilege to be an employee of Indiana University over the last 40 years. As a strong supporter of the University and the School of Dentistry, I have

> been rewarded personally and professionally while serving in many different capacities. Unfortunately, and to my great dismay, my present assignment as dean has now become associated with factors which are harmful to me personally and to the faculty and students at the School of Den-

tistry. I, therefore, am resigning from my official administrative responsibilities as dean of the IU School of Dentistry, effective March 1, 1996, and will, instead, resume my full-time faculty position.

"I leave the position of dean with sadness and, at the same time, pride in the accomplishments that have been implemented at the School of Dentistry over the past decade while I served as dean. We have developed a plan for the future of dental education that will position the IU School of Dentistry among the leading dental schools of the 21st century. It has become apparent to me that issues directed at me personally are detracting from our progress in implementing the plan. My commitment to the success of the School of Dentistry is more important to me than the deanship. I believe the school's future is best served by allowing someone else to provide the leadership until a new dean is named.

"Indiana University is a great institution and one which is vital to the future of the state and its citizens. I look forward to continuing to support the University and higher education in Indiana, with particular devotion to the profession of dentistry. In my new role, I also look forward to enjoying a more private existence while contributing in a variety of ways to the health and growth of the School of Dentistry and the University."

Coming Up

IUSD Calendar of Events

April 8

IUSD Research Day, an afternoon program for faculty, staff, students, and alumni; University Place Conference Center, IUPUI Campus. Keynote speaker is Dr. Marjorie Jeffcoat, immediate past president of the American Association for Dental Research.

April 12

IU School of Dentistry Graduation Awards Banquet, University Place Hotel Ballroom, IUPUI Campus

April 13

Dental School Admission Test, held at the dental school

April 29-May 3

Dental School final exams

May 3

Spring Semester ends

May 3

IU School of Dentistry Donor Recognition Celebration (by invitation), Westin Hotel, Indianapolis

May 3-5

138th Indiana Dental Association Annual Session, Indiana Convention Center, Indianapolis

May 6

Summer Session begins

May 12

IUPUI Commencement and IUSD Graduation Program, Indiana Convention Center and RCA Dome

May 15-18

First Annual Indiana Conference: Early Detection of Dental Caries, University Place Conference Center and Hotel, IUPUI Campus

June 1

Dental Assisting Certification Examination, held at the dental school

June 2-4

Indiana State Dental Board Examination for Dentists, held at the dental school

Tune 3-5

Indiana State Dental Board Examination for Dental Hygienists, held at the dental school

July 1

Fall Semester of the 1996-97 academic year begins for graduate students (candidates for certificates, master's degrees, and PhD degrees)

July 8

National Board Dental Examination, held at the dental school

July 22

Fall Semester begins for the incoming DDS class. As part of the dental school's ongoing efforts to reform the curriculum, this group is enrolled in a four-week pilot program, *Introduction to Critical Thinking Skills*.

August 16

Summer Session ends

August 19

Fall Semester begins for dental hygiene and dental assisting students, and for dental students in the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th year classes

September 28-October 1

American Dental Association Annual Session (held in Orlando, Fla.)

TENTATIVE DATES FOR FALL '96

October 12

Dental School Admission Test, held at the dental school

October 16

Private Practice Associateship Conference (morning), held at the dental school

October 24-26

54th Annual Fall Dental Alumni Conference, held in Bloomington on the weekend that IU plays Penn State. (This date is firm.)

December 2,3

National Dental Board Examination

December 9-13

School of Dentistry final exams

December 13

Fall Semester ends

January 2, 1997 Clinics reopen

January 13, 1997Spring Semester begins

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Flashback to Indiana University's 1995 Fall Dental Alumni Conference



Making Sweet Music at the Fall Conference

f we'd had our druthers, the dental school's annual reunion weekend last fall would have ended on a more jubilant note—with Kentucky taking it on the chin instead of the Hoosiers during Saturday's football game (Kentucky 17, IU 10).

But the rest of the 53rd annual get-together, held September 14-16 in Bloomington, had a lot going for it: great weather, excellent company, diverse social and educational activities, and plenty of time for the time-honored stroll on campus for dental professionals and their families, handsomely decked out in Cream and Crimson.

To put together this annual event for grads of the dental school, IU Alumni Association Director Stefan Davis (Indianapo-

Class of 1990 grad Todd Hunt tickles the ivories while classmates Robert Phillips and April West Bardonner kick back for a bit of fun at the conference's dinner-dance.

lis) must draw on the help of virtually everyone in his IUPUI office. Karen Deery and Yvonne Owens in particular devote a good part of their year to working out the details with the IUSD Alumni Association board of directors for an event that is by tradition one of the largest the university handles. This team deserves a round of applause for its commitment to producing conferences that are both fun and memorable.

As usual, dental school photographer Mike Halloran brought a camera bag full of film to the conference and diligently kept shooting till he hit the end of the last roll. The school was delighted to find Mike being recognized by the association this year for the many thousands of conference photos he has snapped over the past 15 years. We thank him once again for contributing most of the photos used on these pages—they are invaluable in our goal to share highlights of the conference with the dental alumni at large.

Finally, the School of Dentistry extends a sincere thank you to the many reunion participants who made donations to the IDA/IUSD Pursuit of Excellence Endowment Program. Together, the classes contributed more than \$8,000, which will go toward the IDA's goal of endowing a chair at Indiana University (for more on that story, see page 18).

Anderson Dentist Is New Alumni President

At the close of the 53rd Fall Dental Alumni Conference, Victor R. Clevenger (DDS'69, MSD'73), an orthodontist in Anderson, was elected president of the Indiana University School of Dentistry Alumni Association's Board of Directors. He is a life member of the IUAA.

The one-year position includes the overseeing of plans and production of the next annual conference, scheduled for October 24-26, 1996, in Bloomington.

In addition to his dental degrees, Dr. Clevenger holds a bachelor's degree from Purdue University (1966). He is a past president of the Madison County Dental Society and East Central Dental Society. His professional memberships include the Indiana Society of Orthodontists, American Association of Orthodontists, and Great Lakes Society of Orthodontists.

Dr. Clevenger married his wife, Linda, in 1966. Mrs. Clevenger has two IU degrees and last year received the IUAA's President's Award. She is employed as a Continuous Quality Improvement specialist at Saint John's Health System in Anderson. The Clevengers have two daughters— Victoria Clevenger Carey is currently pursuing a PhD in clinical psychology at Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Elizabeth Clevenger is a recent graduate of the Bachelor of Arts degree program at DePauw University, Greencastle.



Vic Clevenger

Dr. Clevenger is an avid jogger and snow skier, and he enjoys boating on Lake Michigan with his wife.

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ALUMNI AWARDS

JOHN A. RAHE (DDS'63) AURORA DISTINGUISHED ALUMNUS

Dr. Rahe's far-reaching professional achievements bring much pride to his alma mater.

A former president of the Indiana Dental Association, Dr. Rahe currently is trustee of the 7th District (Indiana and Ohio) of the American Dental Association. He previously was an IDA delegate and alternate delegate to the ADA for 14 years. Dr. Rahe has served since 1992 on the board of trustees of the ADA, pursuing a wide variety of special assignments for several ADA councils and committees. In 1989 he chaired the ADA's Committee on State Government Affairs.

Long active in IU's alumni affairs, Dr. Rahe joined the IUSD Alumni Association board in 1987 and was elected president in 1992. In the 1960s Dr. Rahe organized the IU Alumni Club of Dearborn County, serving as its second president.

A general dentist in Aurora, Dr. Rahe presided over the Southeastern Indiana Dental Society from 1969 to 1971. He served on the IDA's Endowment Committee for the IU dental school for 11 years.

Dr. Rahe is a fellow of the American College of Dentists and the International College of Dentists, and holds membership in the Pierre Fauchard Academy and Academy of Operative Dentistry. A long record of civic leadership includes his having organized and served as the first president of Aurora Community Housing, Inc., a not-for-profit group that built Aurora's first housing project for senior citizens. He was first president of the Aurora City Board of Parks and



Helping the Distinguished Alumnus (center rear) celebrate at the banquet are, from left, his brother Marty Rahe, Lake Forest, Ill.; wife, Patricia Rahe; mother, Laura Rahe, Aurora; brother Bill Rahe, Indianapolis; sister-in-law Lillie Rahe, wife of brother Mel, New Albany; and Mel Rahe.

Recreation, and a four-term president of Aurora's Chamber of Commerce. He is also a past president and chair of the Dearborn County Chamber of Commerce.



John Rahe

REMARKS: I would like to thank the officers and directors of the IUSD Alumni Association for giving me this award. Also I wish to thank the wonderful people in dentistry and in the Alumni Association with whom I have worked for so many years. They have made the years and the association with them a great reward and the award even more meaningful for me.

When my mother learned of this award her reaction was the same as mine: What did you do to deserve such a high honor? After some

extensive searching for an answer, I began explaining: I suppose, Mother, that I represent the long tradition of a close relationship between organized dentistry and the private practice of dentistry with academic dentistry in Indiana. Also, as a private practicing dentist in Aurora, a small city relatively remote from any Indiana public institution of higher learning, I may represent that part of the mission of Indiana University that strives to serve all communities of the state.

If in a small way I have been a positive representative of that relationship and that mission goal, I am indeed humbled and deeply honored.

RICHARD D. ELLSWORTH (DDS'73) LAFAYETTE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Dr. Ellsworth's outstanding record of service to Indiana University is a testament to his strong commitment to both the Alumni Association and the School of Dentistry.

A life member of the association, Dr. Ellsworth was appointed to the IUSDAA board of directors

in 1985. He was elected to a oneyear term as president of the organization in 1990 and represented the dental school on the IUAA's Executive Council from 1991 to 1993.

Since 1993 Dr. Ellsworth has devoted much energy and time as chair of the dental school's Development Committee, a group that was formed that year to assist the school with a variety of fundraising efforts. Under Dr. Ellsworth's leadership the committee created the Dean's Associates program, which recognizes donors who contribute at least \$1,000 annually to the school.

When not involved with IU projects, Dr. Ellsworth turns his attention to a number of community and church activities in Lafayette, where he has practiced since graduating from IUSD. He has served on the Home Hospital Staff for 22 years and has been active on the board of the First Christian Church since 1986.

Dr. Ellsworth is a former trustee of the Indiana Dental Association and former president of West Central Dental Society. He holds fellowship in the International College of Dentists.



Richard Ellsworth

REMARKS: It is very gratifying to receive an award. The Distinguished Service Award is extremely gratifying since it is given to me by my peers. I would like to thank the officers and board of directors of the IUSD Alumni Association for selecting me to receive this very special award. A special thanks to my family, which

has supported me and shared time that has enabled me to serve in various capacities.

I have enjoyed and am continuing to enjoy serving a profession that has allowed me to serve the public and my colleagues. The opportunity to serve at both local and state levels is very rewarding.

I would like to take this time to encourage members of our profession to serve and support their profession, communities, and schools with their time, talents, and resources. In an era when state financial support to higher education is decreasing, we have a great opportunity to support our dental school. We have the Indiana Dental Association Fund for the Pursuit of Excellence, the IUSD Dean's Associates, and the Century Club that we can support.

Again, I would like to thank each person responsible for this award.

MIKE HALLORAN INDIANAPOLIS CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

As a photographer at the School of Dentistry for 26 years, Mike Halloran puts subjects in their best light. A bit camera-shy himself—he almost never steps in front of the lens—Mr. Halloran enjoys the challenge of putting his subjects at ease. His diverse photographic assignments at the school range from publicity shots to the intraoral photography that finds its way into postgraduate theses, scientific journals, and dental textbooks. His favorite projects involve assisting graduate students and faculty with the visualization of their research projects.

Mr. Halloran discovered his talent for photography as a teenager. He apprenticed with master photographer Lin Caulfield and worked for a television station in Louisville, Ky., before moving to Indianapolis.

Mr. Halloran is best known by the dental alumni for his photo-

graphic efforts at the annual Fall Dental Alumni Conference. He's been shooting conference activities since 1981 and has served as chief photographer since 1987. It is by way of the images Mike captures on film that the *Alumni Bulletin* is able each year to share highlights of the conference with the dental alumni at large, and to help preserve memories of the event for participants.



Mike Halloran

REMARKS: I would like to pass along my sincere thanks to the IUSD Alumni Association and its Board of Directors for this award. It is very gratifying to be recognized for something I enjoy doing so much.

The Fall Dental Alumni Conference is the highlight of all the functions I am asked to attend for the association. Each year I look forward to visiting with the many IUSD graduates I have become friends with since I first became employed at the dental school in 1969.

A special thanks to Dr. H. William Gilmore, Alumni Bulletin editor Susan Crum, and Alumni Association representative Karen Deery for giving me the opportunity to contribute to the success of an outstanding organization.

REUNION PICS Class photos by Stephen Sellers



special congratulations to the Class of 1945, which celebrated its 50th renuion year in 1995.

The group was honored by the alumni during a reception that preceded Friday night's annual banquet.

And, at the banquet itself, the Class of 1945 honored the alumni with an impromptu musical performance. They stepped to the microphone in fine voice, belting out a number that undoubtedly reverberated off the walls of the dental school's laboratories a half century ago. Gentlemen, a bit of time may have passed since you first raised your voices together, but you still deserve an A+ for your sweet harmony.



STANDING: Miles Standish, Hugh Seller, John Stenger. Seated: Stanley Schwartz, J. Weir Mitchell, Irving Newmark, Roger Huff

The Alumni Association was also delighted to welcome back the following dental classes:



Joseph Cockerill, Ralph Gieringer, Edgar Terrill, Leo Pancoska, Frank Traster

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1950 *Kent Moseley and Jim Dirlam*



1965 *Bob Burns, Dave Miller, Steve Cohen*



Standing: Floyd Hale, Arthur Karpinski, Russell Heyde, Richard Harris, Gene Meyer, M. John Borkowski. Seated: Robert Kuhn, Charles "Bud" Greif, Roy France, Norman Glassman, W. Kelley Carr, B.K. Stuart, Charles Hall



1960Standing: Bailey Davis, Robert Spedding, Leroy Kochert, Lester Tweedle.
Seated: Jack Portzline, Jim Meyer, David Hennon



1970

Standing: David Steele, Robert Fisher, Frederick Katz, Jack Altekruse, Steven Keiser, Stephen Nelson, Daniel Overholser, Robert Currie, Ronald Yaros, Ronald Armstrong, Peter Yancich, Steven Guy, William Corbin, John Deppen, John Little, Larry Clemons, Patrick Barrett, Richard Kitchell, James Hulfeld. Seated: Charles Hazelrigg, Diane Halvorson Dilley, Rupert Knierim, Sue Green, Tom Gibbs, William Carr, Larry Vancil, Nicolas Shelly, Thomas Myers

1975

Standing: Arnold Braun, Joseph Jacobi, John Diekmann. Seated: Paul Weber, Mike Gasko, John Trok

More Class Acts

1980

Standing: Greg Wittig, Terrence Cunningham, Randall Brown, Ben Blakely, Kerry Knape, Robert Berghoff, Steven Buedel, Daniel Price, Patricia Clark, Ken Beckerman, Rachelle Shaw, Larry McAtee, Jennifer Taube, William Kenfield, Steven Staton. Seated: Terrence McDermott, Thomas Kennedy, David Henderson, Aaron Ison, Barry Ray, Barbara LaMere Heck, J. Mark Thomas







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Standing: John Rapp, Mary Ruth Staadt, Greg Ortman, Robert Bour, dental hygiene grad Suzanne Goble. Seated: Rob Kunas, Gregory Jennings, Karen Hrisomalos, Mark Lemons, and dental hygiene grad Pamela (Van Lue) Denson



1990:

STANDING: Daniel Sakel, Herb Yekel, Joe Richter, Greg Johnson, Todd Hunt, Ronald Stangebye, Gary Friedman, Robert Phillips, David Trigg, Bruce Easter, Tom Nasser, Alex Mishel. SEATED: Erin Evans, Catherine Haas, Georgia Knotek, Joni Kluth, Niki Martine, Joseph Meek, Richard Spencer

IUSD Alumni Association Past Presidents. Standing: Willard Damm (DDS'41), Bill Gilmore (DDS'58), Richard Ellsworth (DDS'73), Bruce Raibley (DDS'73), Richard Buchanan (DDS'51), Charles Smith (DDS'61), Ralph McDonald (DDS'44), and Charles Gish (DDS'49). Seated: Robert Modlin (DDS'59), Vincent Guido (DDS'82), Gerald French (DDS'57), and Les Tweedle (DDS'60).



Exercising the Right to Exercise

Staying Fit at the Fall Dental Conference



Letting the Good Times Roll. Members of the conference bike tour are, from left: Shelli Fullhart and her father, Ted (DDS'63), Leroy Kochert (DDS'60), Ken Hyde (DDS'75), and Jim Cahillane (DDS'78).

ental alums and their families took their traditionally energetic approach to the conference—swinging golf clubs, tennis rackets, and dance partners. Five even pedaled to Nashville on Friday afternoon.

"We were a small but good-spirited group," reports Ken Hyde (DDS'75, MSD'79), a Valparaiso orthodontist who has been coordinating the bike tour for several years. "We had great weather for a nice group ride to Nashville, where we stopped to relax and meet our spouses. Then we toured through Beanblossom and past Lake Lemon on our way back to Bloomington. The entire trip took under 3 1/2 hours."

A Hyde Ride

After his class reunion Saturday night, Dr. Hyde headed out for yet another spin of the wheels. "I left IU early Sunday morning and drove west of Kankakee, Ill., on the strength of 'golden arches' pancakes and not enough sleep," he told us in a recent letter. "Arrived late at the race but just in time to register, then throw on my bike clothes, forget the heart-rate

monitor, and ride three minutes to the starting line—an inadequate warm-up by any standard. Munched on a Power Bar as the official gave us instructions and finished it as the gun went off to start a 60-mile road race. I've always dreamed of breaking away from the pack in a race and holding them off to the finish line for a win. I've certainly tried it and failed enough times, but this was my lucky day. Maybe I should change my pre-race discipline to: don't sleep enough,

don't eat right, don't have all your equipment ready, and don't warm up. As long as you add 'don't give up' to that list, you sometimes come out all right!"

We offer congratulations to Dr. Hyde, who no doubt owes a small part of his success in the Illinois race to the fact that he was still "pumped" from the great time he had at the fall conference! His efforts to coordinate the reunion bike tour each year are deeply appreciated.



Fascinatin' Rhythms. Conference participants step gracefully onto the floor during Friday evening's after-dinner dance.

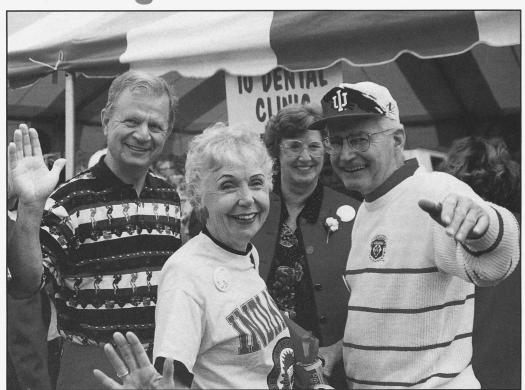


Keep Your Eye on the Birdie. Outgoing Alumni Association President Roger Isaacs (DDS'69) chats with Sally Sturgeon (DDS'76), who assumed Dr. Isaacs' duties this year as coordinator of the conference golf tournament.



10 Play Tennis, One Plays...a Guitar? Back row, from left: Ron Ditto (DDS'69), Phillip Pate (DDS'68), Stephen Beeker (DDS'66), George Vail (DDS'69), and Al Reichle. Front: Nancy Modlin (ASDH'58), Phyd Lentz, spouse of Dale Lentz (DDS'67), Ruth Ann Pate, Robert Modlin (DDS'59), Lynn Gassoway (DDS'74), and Jeff Badell (DDS'82).

So Long Till Next Year



Jane and Les Tweedle (front) and Bob and Nancy Modlin, shown here at the IU Dental Clinic (i.e., Dentistry's Pre-Game Tailgate party at the IU Football Stadium), help us put a wrap on coverage of the Fall Dental Alumni Conference.

We hope that you will be among the dental graduates at the 54th conference, scheduled in Bloomington October 24-26, 1996.

Information about the dental conference will be mailed in the spring from the Indiana University Alumni Association on the IUPUI campus.

Questions should be directed to the IUAA at (317) 274-8828. ₹

On Course

Indiana University School of Dentistry Continuing Education Calendar

(Courses held in Indianapolis unless otherwise stated.)

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April 12, 13	May 3-5	September 20
CE-409 Oral Cancer and Precancer Symposium—Recognition and Treatment Dr. Susan Zunt, IU associate professor, Department of Oral Surgery, Medicine, and Pathology (moderator) Speakers: Dr. John Wright, Baylor College of	Indiana Dental Association 138th Annual Session May 8 CE-417 Radiology for Dental Personnel (lecture)	CE-434 Creating a Professional and Productive Dental Hygiene Department: It's Not Just a Cleaning and a Checkup! (1996-97 Dental Hygiene Series, Part 1) Annette Ashley Linder, Capital Associates, Richmond, Va.
Dentistry, Dallas; Dr. Robert Ord, University of Maryland; Dr. Linda Lee, University of Toronto; Dr.	Gail Williamson, associate professor, Department of Oral Surgery, Medicine, and Pathology	September 28-October 1
Scott Lippman, University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston; Dr. Robert Timmerman, IU School of Medicine; and Dr. Edward Weisberger,	May 11	American Dental Association Annual Session (held in Orlando, Fla.)
IU School of Medicine	CE-417 Radiology for Dental Personnel (laboratory)	October 4
April 19 CE-412 Restorative Dentistry Update	Professor Gail Williamson May 17	CE-436 The Successful Direct-Posterior Composite Restoration Dr. Ronald Maitland, New York City
Dr. Norman Feigenbaum, Broward Community Dental Research Center, Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	CE-420 Modern Methodology in the Diagnosis and Treatment of Periodontal	October 9
April 19 CE-370 Academy of General Dentistry's	Disease (Dental Hygiene Series, Part III) Dr. Edwin Rosenberg, Philadelphia, Pa. June 7	CE-437 Radiology for Dental Personnel— Pre-Exam Preparation Course (lecture) Professor Gail Williamson
Hoosier Concepts '90s and Beyond: Basic Health Sciences Review (followup to	CE-422 Indiana Dental Association/	October 10,11
October '95 course) Dr. Mark Saxen, IU assistant professor, Department of Oral Surgery, Medicine, and Pathology April 20-22	Indiana University School of Dentistry Academy of Continuing Education: Problem Solving for the Restorative Dentist Dr. Terry Tanaka, University of Southern California	CE-439 Advanced Endodontic Concepts, Technology and Techniques (lecture and workshop) Dr. Donald Arens
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CE-413 AGD Hoosier Concepts '90s and Beyond: Comprehensive Endodontics Dr. Donald Arens, IU associate professor, Department of Restorative Dentistry April 26	CE-423 Building an Electronic Dental Office Lecture/Workshop (limited attendance) Dr. Mostafa Analovi, assistant professor, Dr. Dale Miles, professor, and Dr. Margot Van Dis, associate professor, IU Department of Oral Surgery,	CE-441 Building the More Effective Practice Dr. Dick Barnes, Arrowhead Management International, Salt Lake City, Utah October 18,19
CE-414 Building the Dream Practice Jennifer de St. Georges. Jennifer de St. Georges &	Medicine, and Pathology	CE-442 Building an Electronic Dental Office

Jennifer de St. Georges, Jennifer de St. Georges & Associates, Monte Sereno, Calif.

April 27

CE-415 CPR, Basic Life Support for Dentists and Allied Dental Professionals (healthcare provider course)

Sue Kelly, IU assistant director of clinical research, Oral Health Research Institute September 14

CE-426 Building an Electronic Dental Office

Lecture/Workshop (limited attendance)

Dr. Mostafa Analoui, Dr. Dale Miles, and Dr.

Margot Van Dis

CE-432 CPR: Basic Life Support for Dentists and Allied Dental Professionals (healthcare provider course) Sue Kelly CE-442 Building an Electronic Dental Office Lecture/Workshop (limited attendance) Dr. Mostafa Analoui, Dr. Dale Miles, and Dr. Margot Van Dis

October 24-26

CE-445 54th Fall Dental Alumni Conference (held in Bloomington)

JAMES A. COTTONE RECEIVES DISTINGUISHED ALUMNUS AWARD



James Cottone

November 2

CE-446 CPR: Basic Life Support for Dentists and Allied Dental Professionals (healthcare provider course) Sue Kelly

November 7-9

CE-447 Regaining Pleasure and Success with Complete Dentures—The Earl Pound Demonstration Course (comprehensive lecture)

Dr. W. F. "Jack" Turbyfill, West Columbia, S.C.

November 15

CE-448 IDA/IUSD Academy of Continuing Education: Current Developments in Restorative Materials and Techniques Dr. Karl Leinfelder, Leinfelder Enterprises, Calabash, N.C.

For information about course fees, credits, and registration, contact: Dr. Donald Arens, director of Continuing Education, Indiana University School of Dentistry, 1121 West Michigan Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202-5186.

phone: (317) 274-7782 fax: (317) 274-2419 e-mail: ce@iusd.iupui.edu When Dr. James Cottone was in Indianapolis last September to present a continuing education course at Indiana University, he was belatedly presented with an IUSD Alumni Association award he had been selected for a year earlier.

In 1994 Dr. Cottone, professor and director, Division of Oral Diagnosis/Oral Medicine at The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, was named a Distinguished Alumnus of IUSD. A prior engagement that year prevented Dr. Cottone from participating in the Fall Dental Alumni Conference, where the alumni honors are traditionally bestowed, so the presentation was delayed until his most recent visit to Indiana.

Dr. Cottone, a native of Syracuse, N.Y., received his education at the University of Pennsylvania (BA'68), Tufts University (DMD'72), and Indiana University (MS'77 in oral diagnosis/oral medicine). He practiced dentistry both in the Navy and in Syracuse.

Dr. Cottone's current appointment at The University of Texas also includes the directorship of the Center for Research, Education and Policy Development in Infectious Disease Control in Dentistry. He is internationally recognized for his work in viral hepatitis, AIDS, and infection control as they relate to the dental profession. Dr. Cottone has presented more than 500 programs on these topics. He received an Assistant Secretary for Health Award from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services in 1989 for his

contributions to the care and treatment of people with AIDS and HIV infection.

Dr. Cottone's other area of interest is forensic dentistry. He participated in the identification of Lee Harvey Oswald (1981) and the victims of the Pam Am Flight 759 crash (New Orleans, 1982) and the Delta Flight 191 crash (Dallas–Fort Worth Airport, 1985). He is a past president of the American Society of Forensic Odontology and was a member of the Examining Committee of the American Board of Forensic Odontology.

Dr. Cottone has written several textbooks and monographs, and more than 100 scientific papers and abstracts. In 1995 he and two colleagues produced the 2nd edition of *Practical Infection Control in Dentistry*.

He holds fellowships in the American College of Dentistry, the Academy of General Dentistry, the American Academy of Forensic Sciences, and the Academy of Dentistry International. He is a diplomate of the American Board of Forensic Odontology and the American Board of Oral Medicine. Dr. Cottone is a past chair of the Board of Directors of the Office of Sterilization and Asepsis Procedures (OSAP) Research Foundation and is a retired Captain in the U.S. Naval Reserve Dental Corps.

Dr. James Cottone received his 1994 Distinguished Alumnus Award during a visit back to Indianapolis in 1995 to present a continuing education course, "Infection Control and OSHA Requirements for Dentistry."



Indiana Dental Association & Indiana University Partners in the Pursuit of Excellence

pen the door to any clinic, any lab, any lecture hall at the Indiana University School of Dentistry and you will likely find evidence of the Indiana Dental Association's generosity.

Results of this generosity often reveal themselves tangibly, as in the form of research equipment, clinical instruments, and computer systems.

They also show up in more subtle displays, as in the form of training programs, scholarships, and faculty recruitment efforts.

In whatever form, the financial assistance is critically important to the dental school's ongoing pledge to excel in teaching, research, and service, and to uphold the ideals of the parent university.

In 1979 the IDA, under the direction of then IDA President W. Kelley Carr (DDS'55, MSD'61), vowed to establish an endowment program for the pursuit of excellence at IUSD. The IDA leadership was particularly interested in contributing to the school's efforts to acquire, retain, and nurture an outstanding roster

of faculty. By 1980 the organization had created its Endowment Committee and an endowment fund, which became known as the Pursuit of Excellence Endowment Program. These efforts set in motion a fundraising campaign for dental education in Indiana that has not only grown but flourished over the past 16 years.

Funding Nuts and Bolts—or an Entire Laboratory

Sometimes assistance from the IDA comes in small packages. Two winters ago, for example, a modest \$171.99 from the Pursuit of Excellence fund helped the school install a breaker switch for a microradiographic instrument that the Oral Health Research Institute needed for its work related to the early detection of dental caries. Since then, the Institute has moved swiftly forward in its study of early caries detection. In May of this year, Dr. George Stookey, acting dean of dentistry and the Institute's director, will host on behalf of IUSD a global community of experts in early caries detection. Twenty-two researchers from six nations, including four IU faculty members, will share their work in

Photo by Doug Bartlow



This photo, published in the Alumni Bulletin in the spring of 1981, shows members of the Eastern Indiana Dental Society pledging a total of \$47,000 to the IDA/IUSD Pursuit of Excellence Fund.

this important field with participants of the lst Annual Indiana Conference, to be held on the IUPUI campus.

The IDA also lends a welcome hand when the dental school's needs are sizable, such as in 1994 when the newly established Department of Oral Biology required a variety of laboratory instruments and devices. More than \$53,000 from the Pursuit fund was applied toward these expenses. In turn, this demonstration of the dental school's commitment to develop a team of oral biology researchers helped lead to a grant of \$476,500 from the **IUPUI** Research Investment Fund to support the cost of renovations and additional instrumentation required for this new program.

In 1996, the IDA hopes to realize its most ambitious project yet—the creation of an Indiana Dental Association Chair in Restorative Dentistry.

The IDA trustees have endorsed this recommendation of the Endowment Committee, chaired by former IDA President Lloyd Phillips (DDS'54).

A minimum of \$1 million is required to endow a chair in the IU system, and the Pursuit of Excellence fund is drawing near to that goal. As Dr. Phillips and Dr. H. William Gilmore, then IU dean of dentistry, conveyed in a letter to IDA members last December, prudent investments and a strong base of donors have helped the fund grow to its current level of about \$915,000.

The IDA Endowment Committee is hopeful that donations made this spring will push the fund "over the top," making it possible for the search for an endowed chair to be announced at the IDA's annual session in May.

"The endowed chair project has given strength to the bond that already exists between the IDA and the dental school," said Dr. Gilmore. "Only one other state dental association in the nation has chosen to support its dental school with the special gift of an endowed chair. We've seen the Pursuit fund swell to nearly a million dollars over the years—outstanding proof of the IDA's special commitment to this school and its graduates."

Endowing a "Chair": Notes on Nomenclature

Some of you may be asking, Just what does an endowed chair do? Is it the same as an endowed professorship? Will the endowed chair teach, conduct research, or

run a department?

While teaching and conducting research are expected to play enormous roles in the career of the IU dental school's endowed chair, he or she will not "chair," or administer, a department.

The terminology can be confusing since the words "chair" and "professor" are routinely used in teachers' academic titles. To the Indiana University Foundation, however, the phrase "endowed chair" is a philanthropic rather than academic term. It denotes one of several gift opportunities in the IU system that are used to perpetuate the name of a person or group by associating that name with a project of enduring value. One may choose, for example, to create an "endowed professorship" for the sum of about \$500,000. Endowing a chair is one of the highest philanthropic honors that can be awarded, and it requires one of the highest levels of giving at about a million dollars.

Last year IDA President Charles Hassel (DDS'67) appointed a committee led by Immediate Past President James Frey (DDS'62) to determine the area of dentistry that would benefit most from this special addition to the faculty.

The committee decided during its October 1995 meeting to focus its attention on the dental school's restorative dentistry program. The Indiana Dental Association Chair would be used to pay tribute to the success of IU's restorative program, including a salute to its past contributors, and would serve as a symbol of a renewed commitment by the IDA to support the faculty's efforts to expand oral health services for the citizens of Indiana.

"Dental professionals in Indiana have always had an appreciation of clinical dentistry and the types of research that help practitioners expedite patient care," said Dr. Gilmore. "The committee that will be charged with the responsibility of recruiting the endowed chair will be focusing its search on dentists who have superior clinical and teaching skills as well as an outstanding background in research related to dental materials commonly used in general practices. It will be important to find a gifted person—a unique individual—who can work closely with IU's restorative team as well as other teaching and research groups throughout the school. We hope that the search, once it gets under way, will be brief. But it must be a thorough, worldwide search."

Dr. George Willis, who heads IU's Department of Restorative Dentistry, was delighted to learn that the group wanted to place this special faculty member in the restorative area.

"I'm very honored that our department was chosen by the IDA," says Dr. Willis. "It is very difficult financially to create new faculty positions in this era of tightening budgets—especially a world-class position such as the one the IDA has in mind. The whole department is very excited about the prospect of having this person join us. We want to work

with the IDA to find the best person possible for the position, someone worthy of carrying the IDA name in his or her title."

In anticipation of the fund reaching its goal this spring, a committee is being composed of IU teachers and IDA members to initiate a global search for the endowed chair. Dr. Willis will oversee the search and screen committee. "We are finalizing the list of committee members now," he says. "That list will be published, and we will welcome input from the IDA membership. Obviously, we will be looking for an extraordinary restorative dentist, and someone who can augment our departmental research and clinical programs."

In 1981, a year after the Pursuit of Excellence Endowment Program was launched, Dr. Ralph McDonald, then IU's dean of dentistry, announced with pride and gratitude in his Alumni Bulletin column that 13 persons had joined this unique IDA/IUSD campaign for excellence. Today a couple of hundred dental professionals are participating, and everyone who has contributed since the program's inception has helped to guide it toward its unprecedented success in the history of giving at IUSD.

While the creation of the endowed chair will undoubtedly reflect the Pursuit of Excellence program's finest hour, it will by no means signal the program's last hurrah. Once the endowed chair has been created with the Pursuit monies the chair will become self-supporting, leaving the Pursuit fund free to begin building once again toward new goals shared by the IDA and the IU dental school. And there promises to be many innovative projects on the dental school's horizon that will require the support of its partners in the IDA. A perennially valuable component of the dental school's

fundraising program, the Pursuit of Excellence Endowment Program has never been more important to the dental school that it is right now.

IDA Members: Help IU Fill the IDA Chair

Only one other state dental organization has established an endowed chair for its dental school. Please help the IDA become the second in the nation—and the *first* in the Big 10—by sending a contribution to the IDA/IUSD Pursuit of Excellence Endowment Program. Expenditures from this fund are made from the interest earned, which leaves the principal intact and allows the endowment program to remain self-supporting and ongoing.

An envelope from the IU Foundation has been enclosed with this issue of the *Alumni Bulletin* for your convenience in sending a gift or arranging a deferred gift. Please make your check payable to the IU Foundation, and indicate on the envelope that your gift is for the Pursuit of Excellence Endowment Program.

IDA/IUSD Pursuit of Excellence

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Thank You IDA

n the 16 years that the IDA/ IUSD Pursuit of Excellence Endowment Program has thrived, gifts have helped breathe life into old programs and been invaluable in the creation of new ones. While the individual instances in which the Pursuit fund has helped shape the school are too numerous to list here, we offer a few examples of how these donations have become part of the rich educational fabric at IUSD.

☐ In 1981 the Pursuit fund recognized the excellence of two IU faculty members by honoring them at a Dean's Council banquet in Bloomington, where they each were presented a \$1,000 award.

Chris Miller, PhD, Excellence in Research Award. "It made me feel proud to be associated with the dentists in the state of Indiana," Dr. Miller recalls of that September evening 15 years ago. He received the award after nine years on the IUSD faculty. "I've always enjoyed, and will continue to enjoy, interacting with the



Dr. Chris Miller, national expert in matters related to infection control, was a recipient of the Pursuit of Excellence Research Award.

dental community, through both my teaching and research efforts."

Today Dr. Miller is a professor of oral microbiology at the School of Dentistry and a professor of microbiology and immunology at the School of Medicine. He is a nationally respected authority on infection control in dentistry, serving as a spokesperson for the American Dental Association and as a consultant to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention as well as the ADA's Council on Scientific Affairs. Dr. Miller writes a monthly column on infection control procedures for RDH, a national journal for dental hygienists, and has co-written a textbook titled Infection Control and Management of Hazardous Materials for the Dental Team. He maintains the dental school's Sterilization Monitoring Service for dental practitioners throughout Indiana and in other states, and co-edits the service's newsletter.

Abdel Kafrawy, BDS, Excellence in Teaching Award. "I will never forget that evening," says Dr. Kafrawy, who earned an MSD degree in oral diagnosis/oral medicine at IU in 1962 and joined IU as a research assistant in 1969. "The award came as a very nice surprise, and it meant a lot to me. To this day I remain honored as well as grateful to everyone in the IDA who made the award possible."

Today Dr. Kafrawy is a professor of dental diagnostic sciences. He possesses one of the most brilliant minds in oral histology, and has been a key figure in the education of the majority of postdoctoral students who have passed through IU's advanced education programs. He has written or co-written 125 articles and chapters published in a wide



Dr. Abdel Kafrawy was honored by the Pursuit of Excellence for his outstanding teaching. Behind him are files containing hundreds of thousands of histologic slides that Dr. Kafrawy has evaluated for students and faculty during his career at IU.

variety of scientific journals and texts (mirroring the wide variety of student researchers he has taught during his career). Dr. Kafrawy has served on hundreds of graduate committees during his IU tenure and has turned a highly trained eye to the evaluation of histologic work required in many student and faculty projects. Dr. Kafrawy has read hundreds of thousands of histologic slides since coming to IU; they are on file in black boxes that cover an entire wall of the histology laboratory. His lecture courses which any grad student will tell you are among the most comprehensive they have experienced include Advanced Oral Histology and Embryology and Histophysiology and Pathology of the Periodontium.

☐ In November 1985 the Pursuit of Excellence fund sent two IU faculty members— Timothy O'Leary, a periodontist, and Roland Dykema, a prosthodontist—and Diana Yates, a periodontic dental assistant, to Sweden for training in the

Branemark implant system. Dr. O'Leary is now deceased and Dr. Dykema has retired, but Diana Yates continues to draw upon the valuable knowledge she acquired in Sweden more than a decade ago in her career at the school today. In 1994, Diana celebrated her twentieth anniversary with IUSD. "The Branemark implants continue to serve as our primary implant system in both the periodontic and prosthodontic graduate programs," says Dr. E. Brady Hancock, chair of periodontics and allied dental programs. "About 75 percent of the implants we place are Branemark."

And, speaking of Dr. Hancock, the Pursuit fund was instrumental in the recruiting process back in 1987 when the school was combing the nation for a talented person to fill the chair of the periodontics department, a position that Dr. Timothy O'Leary had retired from. A retired Captain in the U.S. Navy Dental Corps, a diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology, and an alumnus of IU (MSD'74), Dr. Hancock was chosen to follow in his former teacher's footsteps, and he has been an outstanding



Alana Barra, supervisor of dental illustrations, works daily with the Pursuit of Excellence-funded computers that helped improve services to faculty and students.

addition to the IU faculty. Dr. Hancock is widely recognized in his field and is serving until 1999 as a director of the American Board of Periodontology. He is a consultant in periodontics to the ADA's Council on Dental Education.

☐ About \$38,000 of Pursuit funds was channeled into the dental school's aging dental illustrations facility in 1990 and 1991, bringing the facility up to speed technologically. The newly installed computer system made it possible for the facility to offer more—and faster—services. No one was more ecstatic about this infusion of technology than Alana Barra, supervisor of dental illustrations. "The new system enabled us to produce higher quality computer-generated slides with enhanced graphics capabilities," she explains. "Another dramatic benefit was the expedience it gave us in terms of layout and design of numerous types of artwork and other printed materials. Many tedious hours of free-hand artwork design and creation were eliminated by the new system. The turn-around time for most slide requests was reduced by 75 percent. After we started using the computers we began to receive a lot of positive feedback from faculty who were lecturing at professional conferences-members of their audiences were remarking to them about the excellent quality of their slide presentations. Since our slides travel with the faculty all over the world, they represent in a visual sense the quality of the institution itself. We're proud of the work we can do with these computers, and we are deeply grateful to the IDA members for their generous contributions to our department."

☐ In 1994, about \$53,500 in Pursuit funds was used to purchase a variety of equipment needed to develop research



Pursuit funds paid for this centrifuge, which is used by a team of new teachers and researchers, including Dr. Lech Switalski, in the Department of Oral Biology.

laboratories for the school's new Department of Oral Biology, chaired by Dr. Marilyn Lantz. The biggest ticket item—a high-speed centrifuge costing \$28,374—is also one of the most essential instruments for research performed at the cellular and molecular level. Looking a lot like a household washing machine, the centrifuge has a spin cycle of 20,000 revolutions per minute. "Think of it as a machine that separates the 'milk from the cream' in research," says Dr. Lech Switalski, a new IU associate professor and one of several oral biology faculty and staff members who keep the centrifuge humming in its corner spot in Room 284. "The centrifuge is fundamental to research in molecular biology, biochemistry, and microbiology. We study bacteria in our labs, so we use the centrifuge to separate the bacteria from the cultures they are grown in. The centrifuge is one of many instruments that help us study root surface caries and periodontal disease." The oral biology department's research is funded in part with grants from the National Institute of Dental Research. R

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The dental school is set to play a significant role in the new collaborative relationship between Indiana University and France's Université de Lille II.



Lille University's dental school

hey are separated by some 4,000 miles, but Indiana University and the University of Lille II have sealed an agreement that will allow the two institutions to work closely with one another for the mutual benefit of their students and faculty.

In a ceremony held March 26, 1995, on the Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis campus, an official Agreement of Friendship and Cooperation was signed by Dr. Jean Leonardelli, president of the University of Lille II, Lille, France, and Gerald Bepko, IU's vice president for

long-range planning and chancellor of IUPUI.

The agreement pledges a commitment from both universities to engage in activities that promote "mutual understanding and academic, cultural, and personnel exchange."

The University of Lille II is one of four universities (and about two dozen schools of higher education) situated in this northern French city, located near the Belgium border. About one hundred thousand students and researchers inhabit the city of Lille, which has a population of 1.1 million. Lille is the largest university complex outside Paris and the second largest health center in France.

The university is composed of three campuses, with Lille II comprising the professional schools of law, medicine, and dentistry.

In September 1995 IU's Dr. Eugene Roberts (center) returned to Lille to participate in a conference of the French Society of Stomatology and Maxillofacial Surgery. He is joined here by Drs. Pierre Houdin, Frederick Hillenbrand, Manuel Chanavaz, and Stephen Schendel.



Dr. Leonardelli's delegation included six members of Lille's faculty, with representatives from all three schools. In 1993, a private delegation of Indiana physicians and dentists visited Lille, followed by an official visit by Dr. H. William Gilmore, then IU's dean of dentistry, and Dr. W. Eugene Roberts, chair of IU's Department of Oral Facial Development.

"IU's dental school has enjoyed an unofficial working relationship with Lille university for several years," Dr. Gilmore said last spring. "We are therefore very pleased to be a participant in the two universities' official friendship agreement."

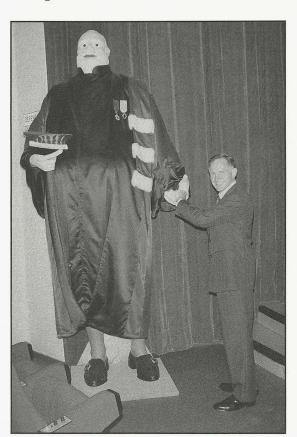
The idea to pursue a collaborative agreement originated primarily with two persons: IU's Dr. Eugene Roberts—who had been appointed a permanent visiting professor at the Lille medical school in 1986, when he was on the faculty at the University of the Pacific in San Francisco—and Manuel Chanavaz, DDS, MD, a colleague of Dr. Roberts at Lille.



Dr. William Hohlt, an orthodontist on the IU faculty (standing), tours Lille University with host Dr. Manuel Chanavaz, head of implant surgery at Lille.

(Dr. Roberts joined the IU faculty in 1988 and continues to maintain his position at Lille.)

Both teachers share research interests in such areas as implantology. In 1990, Dr. Chanavaz, who heads Lille's Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Implant Surgery, was appointed a consultant on the orthodontic faculty at IU, where he periodically lectures to graduate students and presents continuing education programs to Indiana physicians and dentists on such subjects as orthognathic surgery, dental implant procedures, and craniofacial anatomy.



Dr. Eugene Roberts sizes up one of the many giants to be found in the city of Lille. This imposing fellow watches over a lecture hall at the medical school. Another statue called La Déesse, or "The Goddess," is Lille's best-known giant in a land that is fond of looming figures. A bronze statue standing on a column in the middle of town, La Déesse represents the city and commemorates Lille's successful resistance to an Austrian siege in 1792. "Other cities might choose football teams to forge their identity," says French publication Grands Reportages, "but here in the North of France, the people build belfries that potential aggressors can see from afar. Or giants, which they bring out and parade on carnival days."



The IU School of Dentistry welcomed administrators from the Lille campus last year. Seated, from left: French guests Madame Aline Leonardelli, spouse of the president of the University of Lille II and a professor of communication sciences at the University of Lille I; Dr. Jean Leonardelli, president; Dr. Pierre Lafforgue, dean of dentistry; and Dr. Jean-Paul Francke, vice-dean of the medical school. Standing, from left: Elisabeth Simcox, French interpreter and spouse of IU dental student Richard Simcox; IU faculty members Drs. William Hohlt, Marilyn Lantz, Hala Henderson, George Willis, Eugene Roberts, and H. William Gilmore; Lille university's Dr. Yves Demeer, vice dean of the School of Law, and Dr. Manuel Chanavaz, chair of oral and maxillofacial implant surgery; IU faculty member Dr. E. Brady Hancock; Dr. Pierre Lecocq, vice president of the University of Lille II; IU faculty member Dr. Mark Wohlford; Barry Smith, then IUSD's development director; IU faculty members Dr. LaForrest Garner and George Stookey; IU fourth-year dental student Richard Simcox; and Dr. Alain Vernes, Lille university's delegate for international affairs.

Dr. Chanavaz helped IU's dental faculty develop its advanced anatomy curriculum.

Over the years Dr. Roberts has pursued a number of teaching obligations at Lille, where he annually presents a lecture series on bone physiology. In June 1995, he completed a six-month faculty sabbatical there.

"My time at Lille was both professionally and personally rewarding," says Dr. Roberts. "Lille has an excellent medical center with a rich resource of patients and faculty. It was also personally gratifying to experience the French culture from 'the inside'—a unique benefit of the sabbatical."

The IU dental school is now participating in friendship agreements with 17 institutions located in Australia, Brazil, China, England, France, Germany, Hungary, Japan, Mexico, Singapore, South Korea, and Thailand.



IU visitors Dr. William Hohlt (left) and Dr. Eugene Dellinger (second from right), both of the oral facial development faculty, "take five" with Dr. Manuel Chanavaz (center) and two Lille student hosts in the campus' student lounge, where alcoholic beverages can be purchased.

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Take a Bow eventeen dental school staff members were among campus employees recently honored by IUPUI for their long records of service to Indiana University. Ceremonies and a reception held in November 1995 at the University Conference Center focused a spotlight on employees who celebrated anniversary years with IU in 1995 and who have been with the university for at least 15 years.

The dental school's own Lois Adams stood out as one of the campus' longest-employed staff members, having served a remarkable 40 years at IU.

For the first time the program also recognized faculty holding titles that reflect academic staff positions. Their names are marked with an asterisk on the following list of dedicated employees whose daily contributions lend much to the successful operation of IUSD's clinical, research, and administrative units.

40 YEARS

Lois Adams

Comprehensive Care Clinics Dispensing Supply Clerk

35 YEARS

Alana Barra

Dental Illustrations Supervisor

Shirley Hubbard

Administrative Assistant to the Dean

29 YEARS

Hazel Clark*

Dental Materials Research Associate

28 YEARS

Gerald Wood*

Oral Health Research Institute (OHRI) Research Associate

25 YEARS

Nancy Cox

Clinical Affairs Clinic Clerk

Donna Schaaf

Clinical Affairs Patient Admitting Supervisor

22 YEARS

Bruce Schemehorn*

OHRI Assistant Director of Preclinical Research

20 YEARS

Sharon Gwinn

OHRI Infection Control Coordinator

Melissa Mau

OHRI Associate Director of Clinical Research

Veronica "Ester" Pierson OHRI Research Technician

Karen Bissonette

Endodontic Clinic Coordinator

Jodie Crawford

OHRI Clinical Research Coordinator

Lois Duncan

Dental Assisting Secretary

Patricia Huff

Comprehensive Care Clinic F Coordinator

Fusako Penner

Restorative Dentistry Laboratory Technician

Jo Ann Watson

Dental Copy Center Supervisor

In addition, dental school employees who reached the five- and 10-year milestones with IU in 1995 are:

10 YEARS

Terry Ball

Sterilization Monitoring Service Senior Laboratory Assistant

Martha Couch

Endodontic Clinic Certified Dental Assistant

S. Laverne Henderson

Clinical Affairs Receptionist

Marilyn Herald

Service and Supply Center Mail Clerk

Sue Rogers

Clinical Affairs Principal Billing Clerk

Barry Smith

Director of Development

Kimberly Tillman

Oral Biology Administrative Secretary

Ora Wade

Oral Biology Dental Records Clerk

Candice Yocum

Prosthodontic Dental Laboratory Technician

Sandra Butcher

Bioresearch Facility Animal Research Technician

Rhonda Gregg Oral Surgery, Medicine, and Pathology Secretary

Dayna Hackleman

Dental Faculty Private Practice Dental Assistant

Brenda Hartman

Dental Hygiene Secretary

Carol Hurst-Dudek

Dental Faculty Private Practice Dental Hygienist

Kenneth Johnson

Dental School's Campus Facility Services Assistant Supervisor

Irina Leyvand

Orthodontic Laboratory Technician

Robert Meeks

Service and Supply Center Dental Equipment Technician

Jerry Moore

Bioresearch Facility Animal Research Technician

Juanita Moore

Prosthodontic Administrative Secretary

Jeffery Moss

Campus Facility Services Employee



Longtime Contributors Pose at Annual IUPUI Celebration. Back row (from left): Dr. H. William Gilmore, then dean of dentistry, with honored employees Alana Barra, Nancy Cox, and Karen Bissonette. Middle: Shirley Hubbard, Hazel Clark, Donna Schaaf, Melissa Mau, and Gerald Wood. Front: Fuzako Penner, Lois Adams, and Veronica "Ester" Pierson.

Latest Developments in the Development Office

In the past few months the IUSD Office of Development has undergone several important personnel changes.

After serving for three years as director of development, Barry F. Smith resigned from his position at IU in order to proceed with plans to move to Roanoke, Va., where, ironically, his ties to the IU dental school will remain strong.

A native of Bloomington, Ind., Mr. Smith announced late last summer that he would be leaving IU in order to marry a recently departed IUSD student—Dr. Penny Lampros, who became an alumna after collecting her Master of Science in Dentistry degree in orthodontics last July (see Postdoc Profiles on page 40). Penny, by the way, is the daughter of another IU alum: Dr. Leo Lampros, who preceded Penny in IU's ortho program by 31 years. Penny has joined her father in his Roanoke practice. As she and Barry plan their May '96 wedding, all of their many friends and colleagues at IUSD wish for them a lifetime of prosperity and happiness.

On January 2, Mr. Smith began a new job as director of development for the College of Architecture and Urban Studies at Virginia Tech (Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University), in Blacksburg, Va. He is also overseeing the development efforts of the university's Center for European Studies in Switzerland.

Also last fall the dental school bid farewell to Joyce Stafford, the development office's longtime secretary. Mrs. Stafford, who worked with Mr. Smith and also his predecessor, Mr. Danny Dean, has moved to Carrollton, Texas, where she is still involved with development work, this time for a church group that raises funds to send missionaries overseas.

Taking the reins of the dental school's development program is B.J. Isaacson, who is currently serving as the program's on-site manager. Her efforts complement those of Gail Plater, a director with the Indiana University Foundation who has been serving as a consultant to the school's development program.

Ms. Isaacson recently moved to Indianapolis from St. Louis, where she has a long history of service with not-for-profit organizations. From 1986 to 1994 she was executive director of Reproductive Health Services, a crisis intervention, counseling, and ambulatory surgical center with a budget of more than \$3 million. The center's 90 staff members and volunteers serve 16,000 women annually.

Last year Ms. Isaacson was named director of Client and Volunteer Services for the St. Louis Effort For AIDS (EFA), which is funded by the United Way and involves the efforts of more than 400 volunteers. Her responsibilities included the recruitment, management, and training of these volunteers as well as program development.

An experienced fundraiser, Ms. Isaacson raised more than \$1 million from grants, private foundations, and direct mail campaigns between 1989 and 1994.

Ms. Isaacson is a licensed clinical social worker with degrees from Stephen's College, Columbia, Mo. (BA'72) and Washington University (MA'82). She is a founding member of five service organizations in St. Louis and Washington, D.C., including Adoption Associates, which finds homes for minority infants.

Ms. Isaacson is busy settling into the dental school environment and hopes to meet as many of the school's donors as possible in the months ahead. "I am most struck by the wonderful example



B.J. Isaacson

of benevolence I see in the dental school's faculty, staff, students, and alumni," Ms. Isaacson said after her first few weeks on the job.

"I'm also very humbled by what is happening with the IDA's generous plans to endow a chair at IU," she says. "It gives me the desire to do even more in my own position at the school. I'm very proud to be a part of the dental school's fundraising efforts."

Ms. Isaacson welcomes communications from all members of the dental alumni. You can write to her at the dental school address or reach her by phone (317) 274-3246, fax (317) 274-2419, or e-mail (bisaacso@iusd.iupui.edu).

Classes

IU a Strong Presence at Meeting in Italy

With IU graduate Martin Walshe (MSD/pediatric dentistry '67) leading the way, participants of the 101st meeting of the American Dental Society of Europe were treated to an impressive roster of continuing education programs and social events during the four-day event held in June in Montecatini, a spa town in Tuscany, Italy.

Dr. Walshe, a practitioner in Dublin, Ireland, is the first IU alumnus to serve as president of the society, which was founded in 1873 by five American dentists working in Europe. An American dental degree is required for membership.

On hand for the 1995 meeting was Dr. Richard D'Eustachio, then president of the American Dental Association.

IU enjoyed a high profile at the meeting, which was organized by President Walshe and two other society officers—Vice President **James Page** (MSD/pediatric dentistry '66), of Kent, England, and Honorary Secretary **Declan Thompson** (MSD/prosthodontics '75), of London.

Nearly half of the 30 talks and table clinics presented during the scientific sessions were given by persons with ties to IU. They included **Robert Ricketts** (DDS'45), director of the American Institute for Bioprogressive Education, Scottsdale, Ariz.; **William Binnie** (MSD/oral diagno-



Charles and Karen Pritchett of Indianapolis were among the many IU graduates who participated in the society's 101st annual meeting.

sis-oral medicine '67), chair of the Department of Diagnostic Sciences at Baylor College of Dentistry, Dallas, Texas; Eugene Roberts, chair of IU's Department of Oral Facial Development; John Walsh (MSD/pediatric dentistry '77), a pediatric dentist and orthodontist in Dublin; Assad Mora (MSD/ prosthodontics '78, DDS'79), a private practitioner in Santa Barbara, Calif.; Tariq Javed (MSD/preventive dentistry '75), assistant dean of academic and student affairs at the University

of South Carolina; **Joe Camp** (MSD/pediatric dentistry '68), an associate professor at the University of North Carolina; and **Charles Pritchett** (DDS'67), a practitioner in Indianapolis.

The next two meetings are scheduled for June 25-28, 1996, in Dublin; and June 17-20, 1997, in Seefeld, Austria.



Martin Walshe (right), president of the American Dental Society of Europe, and his wife, Fionnuala (center left), welcome IU faculty member Eugene Roberts and his wife, Cheri, to the conference.

New ICD Fellows Welcomed by District 7

Jean Williams (DDS'69), Crawfordsville, shares with us the names of IU grads who were inducted into the International College of Dentists, District 7 (Indiana and Ohio), during the annual convocation, held in Las Vegas, Nev., last October. Dr. Williams is deputy regent of District 7's Indiana constituent, and Dr. Charles Simons (DDS'68), Kokomo, is regent.

NEW FELLOWS FOR 1995

Gordon Arbuckle (DDS'67) Indianapolis

Daniel Cheek Jr. (DDS'52) Terre Haute

Max Fetters (MSD'67) Fort Wayne

Jack Goris (DDS'82) Lafayette Russell Heyde (DDS'55) Warsaw

Richard E. Jones (DDS'75) Munster

Parvin Raibley (DDS'54) Evansville

William Record (DDS'76) Plymouth

Jeffrey Rhoades (DDS'75) Columbus

Robert Shellenberger (DDS'51) Evansville

Frederick Sputh (DDS'77) Lafayette

Keith Yoder (DDS'63) Fort Wayne

Also inducted was Dr. **Wilfrid Keaton**, IU clinical associate professor of oral and maxillofacial surgery.



IU Alumnus Sponsors Brazilian Dean's
Induction into the ICD. Also taken into the
International College of Dentists in 1995 was Dr.
Raphael Onorino Carlos Loro (left), director (dean)
of the Faculty of Dentistry at Pontificia Universidade
Catolica do Rio Grande do Sul, Porto Alegre, Brazil.
Dr. Carlos Loro, who has been dean of his dental school
for 12 years, signed an Agreement of Friendship and
Cooperation with IUSD several years ago to promote
scholarly pursuits between the two schools. Dean
Carlos Loro's entry into the ICD was supported by Dr.
Antonio Rosat (right in photo), who earned a dental
degree from IU in 1938. He resides in Porto Alegre.

Moving Up in the AGD

Seven IU School of Dentistry alumni members living in Indiana recently received awards from the Academy of General Dentistry during its 43rd annual meeting in Baltimore, Md. Congratulations to the following grads.

AGD Mastership Awards were presented to:

John Harker (DDS'71) Hope

Philip Polus (DDS'81) Crown Point

Ted Reese (DDS'84) Indianapolis

AGD Fellowship Awards went to:

Philip Eversman (DDS'75) Danville

Michael Tillery (DDS'79) Indianapolis

Michael Gordon (DDS'89) Schererville

Neal Richter (DDS'81) Merrillville

The AGD is an international organization with 32,000 general dentists. Members are dedicated to the pursuit of continuing dental education. Attaining fellowship status requires passing an examination and completing 500 continuing education course hours within 10 years. Those attaining mastership status must complete 600 additional hours, two-thirds of which must be fulfilled through hands-on courses.

FACTS FROM THE FIELD

1932 • An update has arrived from Harry Glass (DDS), 8728 N-Ridgeway Ave., Skokie, IL 60076: Of

our class of 37 graduates only five remain: Robert Durham, Sun City, Ariz.; Ralph Kroot, Naples, Fla.; Evan Steele, Franklin, Ind.; Meredith Tom, LaPorte, Ind.; and myself. The youngest of our group is 86 years of age. Evan Steele and his wife have moved into the main lodge of their retirement complex, where they are served their meals. Evan still drives his own car-he's 87. Meredith and his wife, Helen, have moved into a condominium because the yard was getting to be too much. My wife, Iva, and I are going along, trying to get as much pleasure of living as we can. No complaints.

1946/1976 • Robert Rufus Allen (DDS'46) has retired from his oral surgery practice at 926 E. LaSalle, South Bend, IN 46617. The practice has been purchased by William Paul (DDS'76).

1947 • Bill Lawrance (DDS) has announced his retirement. His home address is 5211 Windridge Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46226-1447.

1950 • The Alumni Association has passed along news of Ralph Laybold (DDS), 2117 Hereford Dr., Sun City Center, FL 33573. Formerly of Spencer, Ind., Dr. Laybold moved to Florida because of his health. He and his wife used their degrees from the Indiana State Teachers College to teach in Florida. He taught science and Mrs. Laybold was a guidance counselor in Hillsborough County. They retired after 30 years in that school system and now live in a retirement community south of Tampa.

1954 • Lloyd Phillips (DDS), 9540 Kenwood Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46260, was elected vice-president of the International College of Dentists in October at the annual meeting in Las Vegas. The College represents 8,000 dentists in 75 countries throughout the world.

1960 • After retiring from the IU faculty, Ray Maesaka (DDS) hit the road instead of a rocking chair. In a postcard to Dean Emeritus Maynard Hine last summer, Dr. Maesaka said that he attended the John F. Johnston Society's conference in Singapore. "It's a beautiful and exciting city. And what a wonderful reception!" He then moved on to Thailand, where he gave a two-day lectureclinic course at the Prince of Songkla University dental school and a lecture at Chulalongkorn University dental school in Bangkok. Both schools have friendship agreements with IUSD. From there he was heading to Japan.

1961 • Donald Tyler (DDS) has announced his retirement from his orthodontic practice in Clearwater, Fla. He has moved to Germany to pursue government service as a dentist/orthodontist with the U.S. Army. Dr. Tyler's wife, Michaelene, is a practicing dental hygienist at Baumholder dental clinic in Germany. The new address is c/o M. Tyler, CMR 405 Unit 23846, Box 1586, APOAE 09034.

1966 • A few computer keystrokes from Robert Edesess (DDS), Indianapolis: Nice job on the *Alumni Bulletin*. Don't often get a chance to write. This is a good opportunity. Thanks for the encouragement. My wife, Poolie, and I have two sons in college—Rob is at Tufts University School of Engineering in Boston, and Jeremy is at Denison in Ohio. Poolie and I are just back to the empty nest and still have not seen the beauty in it yet. We are hoping that will come.

1967 • Last fall **Len Traubman** (MSD/pediatric dentistry) and his

wife, Libby, of San Mateo, Calif., helped host the Gorbachev Foundation's State of the World Forum in San Francisco. The meeting brought together 500 international leaders and opinion formers from science, industry, education, government, and religion. "It included youth and indigenous people," reports Dr. Traubman. "A portion was broadcast live worldwide by CNN. With emphasis on listening and dialogue rather than speeches, participants searched for new ways of multidisciplinary, worldwide, cross-generational cooperation to build a sustainable way of living in the 21st century. It was hopeful!"

1970 • Professor Diarmuid Shanley (MSD/periodontics), dean of dental affairs at the School of Dental Science & Dublin Dental Hospital, The University of Dublin's Trinity College, recently wrote to Dr. Maynard Hine. He said in part:

I met Lloyd Phillips (DDS'54), of Indianapolis, at a recent meeting in England, and he kindly sent me your address. Orna and I still speak very lovingly and very appreciatively of what you did for us in the late '60s when we were in Indiana, and for the great opportunity you gave to me to finish my degree there. I'm sure it was a very small part of your very full career in which you helped so many people. Our daughter was born in Indiana 26 years ago. I recall that you and your wife kindly came to see her in our apartment. She still maintains her American citizenship, although it is very unlikely that she will live her life in America.

...I have really enjoyed being dean. We have extremely bright students who succeed despite whatever educational programme we subject them to. We have introduced problem-based learning in the second and third years and hope that we can introduce it across the board as we evolve....

1973 • An electronic note from M. Kevin O Carroll (MSD/radiology), who continues to serve as a professor in the Department of Diagnostic Sciences at the University of Mississippi in Jackson. He currently is executive secretary of the American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology.

1975 • Merry Johns (DDS) recently finished an endodontic residency in California and passed the California boards. She plans to practice endodontics with her brother (and

classmate) Larry Johns in Phoenix, Ariz. "I'm the first female pedo/endo dual-mixed specialist," she reports. "I join Joe Camp (MSD/pediatric dentistry '68) in the mini pedo/endo group." Her new address is 19196 N. 78th Ave., Glendale, AZ 85308.

1978 • We spotted a nice article about Tom Kapczynski (DDS), a practitioner in Ellettsville, in Martinsville's Daily Reporter. Dr. "Kap" recently joined the 149th Mobile Army Surgical Hospital, based at Camp Atterbury, for a two-week annual training session in Panama. He's been a member of the Indiana National Guard since 1973, and has served with the medical unit since graduating from the dental school. He and two Panamanian dentists treated patients for 12 days in temperatures approaching 100 degrees. In their "office," a concrete block school, they saw up to 80 patients daily, with many of them in need of tooth extractions. To put the child patients at ease, Lt. Col. Kapczynski wore a dental face mask adorned with a clown's mouth and

Lt. Col. Kapczynski said he went to Panama out of an "obligation to serve my country." He has found much satisfaction in his longtime service with the Guard. "It's not the money, and it's not the retirement points," he said. "I enjoy doing it because of the relationships with other National Guard people."

Back on the home front, "Kap" has a practice for which Jeana, his wife of 27 years, serves as office manager. She's also a real estate agent. They have two children, Heidi and Eric.

1979 • Jim Lindsey (DDS) has sent us an electronic update: I'm still in Kokomo and enjoying myself very much. My son, Grant, started Purdue this year, majoring in computer science—how do you think I learned about e-mail? My daughter, Laine, started first grade this year. Quite a spread, don't you think? Please tell (IU faculty members) George Willis (DDS'79) and Philip Rake (DDS'71) I said "hi."

1979 • News from the 'Net: Radamee Orlandi-Alvarez (DDS), 1621 S.E. Goucho Ave., Port Saint Lucie, FL 34952, reports: All's well in South Florida despite the recent run of hurricanes, tropical storms, and other fun weather disturbances. My wife, Pat (DeBoni, ASDH'78) still puts up with me in the office, which is quite busy. Our two boys, David,

13, and Daniel, 11, are growing fast and enjoying school. Last summer we were in Indianapolis for the Academy of General Dentistry's annual session and had the opportunity to go through the dental school and see some faculty friends. Lots of changes in the school! It's exciting to see the place adapting and moving forward. Best regards to all in the IUSD community.

1979 • In November David Radovich (DDS), Schererville, received the Outstanding Alumnus Award from Purdue University Calumet, where he earned his



Dr. Radovich

bachelor's degree in biology in 1975. Dr. Radovich has dental offices in Munster and East Chicago.

1980 • Jeff Dalin (DDS), recently dropped us an e-mail update: Things have been going great here in St. Louis. I have been in practice with my father, and the practice has grown very nicely. I do a lot of work for organized dentistry. I am currently editor of the *Bulletin*, a 60-page magazine put out every other month for our members. I have been doing this for around five or six years, and it's a lot of fun. Thank goodness for desktop publishing.

For the past few years I also have been the spokesperson for the St. Louis and Missouri Dental Associations. It is tough sometimes but has turned out to be a good thing as well. I received a fellowship in the American College of Dentists last year and a fellowship in the Academy of General Dentistry this year.

It has been rewarding doing all the work I have done over the last 15 years. I am very proud of the fact that I am an IU graduate. You really appreciate the great education IU gives you once you are out working in the real world. I keep up with IU a lot. I have stayed very close friends with **Larry Fortress** (DDS'80), who lives in south Indy. We try to come up to Indy to visit every year.

1981 • In recognition of his many hours of volunteerism, **Michael Kastner** (DDS) has received a 1995 Humanitarian Award from the Ohio

Dental
Association.
A general
dentist in
Toledo since
1982, Dr.
Kastner has
been volunteering for
mission work
since his
undergraduate days at
Manchester
College.



Michael Kastner

Mission trips have taken Dr. Kastner to shanty towns in Guatemala, to desolate mountain villages in the Dominican Republic, and to jungle sites in Costa Rica. With a team of premedical and predental students, Dr. Kastner trains local healthcare workers to provide routine care after his teams have left. This past year, Dr. Kastner took part in a medicaldental team that climbed into the Himalayan Mountains to set up a base clinic in the Ganesh Himalayas in Nepal, establishing the first government independent clinic in those mountains. Dr. Kastner wrote a story about this experience for the Alumni Bulletin (Vol 9, No 2, 1995). He and his wife, **Kimberly** (**Ricke**) Kastner (ASDH'83), have three sons.

1982 • John Ianzano (MSD/prosthodontics) sends greetings from cyberspace. He is now the father of two boys, ages 2 and 5. He splits his professional time between two practice locations—one on Long Island and the other in the Catskills.

1983 • David Cleppe (DDS), has assumed a general dental practice in Niles, Mich., having relocated from Mt. Prospect, Ill. He and his wife, Donna, will be at home in Granger, Ind. His office address is 16 South St. Joseph Ave., Niles, MI 49120.

1984 • Sheila Barton (DDS), Indianapolis, received board-eligible recognition from the International Association for Orthodontics at the annual meeting in San Francisco last September. The association has members in 26 countries and is composed chiefly of general and pediatric dentists who also provide orthodontic treatment in their practices. It is not a specialty society. Dr. Barton is a certified associate instructor for the group. She also holds fellowship in the Academy of General Dentistry and has been an examiner for the Indiana State Dental Board. Dr. Barton and her husband, Dr. William Bosron, a

professor of biochemistry at the IU medical school, are avid supporters of music and the arts in Indianapolis.

1984 • Periodontist Warren Blair (DDS) reports by way of e-mail that he is working in a group practice with three general dentists in Germany, where he's been living for the past six years. He usually visits the U.S. once a year to visit family in California and New Jersey. His address is Wiesbadenerstr. 4, 70372 Stuttgart, Germany.

1985 • D. Douglas Miley (MSD/periodontics), St. Louis, Mo., was inducted as a fellow of the International College of Dentists during the convocation in Las Vegas, Nev.

1987 • Kerry Goodin (DDS), P.O. Box 301, Austin, IN 47102-0301, and his wife are pleased to share the news that they have a new member of the family: Dylan Andrew, born May 26, 1995. He is their second son.

1987 • Tom Ringenberg (DDS), Richmond, reports in from cyberspace: Great to see IU on the 'Net—it is a great place to be. I spend much of my time working with software developers. I chair Working Group I (Dental Software) of the American Dental Association's Ansi Accredited Standard Committee MD 156-Dental Informatics. I am looking for volunteers to review preliminary standards documents before publication. Let your 'Net contacts know.

1989 • Jeff VanDeventer (DDS) has purchased a general dentistry private practice and relocated to Arizona. His new address is 404 N. Alvernon, Suite C, Tucson, AZ 85711, phone (520) 326-5802.

1992 • Last summer Myriam (Hudicourt) Raber (DDS), most recently of Huntington, W. Va., returned to her homeland of Haiti to set up a dental program at the Christianville Mission, in Gressier. Joining her is her husband, Dr. Philip Raber, an optometrist who set up an eye clinic at the mission. The couple has two young daughters, Emilie and Chloé. Myriam has recently been in touch with IU faculty member Dr. Hala Henderson. Portions of her letters from Haiti follow:

"We are happy to report that we are doing well in our new home in Haiti, and indeed we have been blessed in many ways. We arrived safely on July 27 and began cleaning and organizing the eye and dental clinics at the Christianville Mission. Within

a few weeks our two shipping containers delivered our household goods and more than 200 boxes of supplies and other large equipment for the clinics. The first month was a very busy one but by the end of August we felt settled in and had accomplished many tasks.

"The eye clinic was deluged with people needing exams.... The dental clinic has been very busy too. We are proud to have a clinic where the standard of care and the level of infection control are as high as that of any found in an American dental office. This was made possible by donations of \$40,000 worth of dental supplies and equipment by dental suppliers, manufacturers, and professionals. Over the summer we saw community people for a minimal fee. Now that school has started, care will be provided only to the mission's 1,400 school kids except for Wednesday, which will be community day. The school receives free care. We are also setting in place a strong prevention program that will include brushing and fluoride rinsing in the classroom.

"Three-quarters of the school children have been screened at two schools and are being seen in priority order. We still need to perform screenings at two remote schools. We are fortunate to have an orthodontist from Florida who flies in to offer his service every six weeks. Many of the children will receive orthodontic care from him.

"Our regular staff consists of myself, a Haitian dentist, three assistants, one receptionist, and a hygienist in training. We have two operatories but the clinic is built to accommodate four. Our units are old and are having more and more problems. We are looking into obtaining two more donated units. This would allow us to run a more complete program as well as to work around breakdowns. As you may have read in the Nov. 6, 1995 ADA News (Dental Clinics Abroad Seek Volunteers and Donated Equipment, p. 23) we are also recruiting dentists of all specialties to come and work with us on short-term mission trips."

Dr. Raber says that the items they are in greatest need of are a slow-speed motor with nose cone and latch contra angles, an electrosurgery unit, an ultrasonic bath, delivery units, and a variety of lab equipment. Packages can be sent to The Fellowship of Christian Optometrists, FCO International, Inc., P.O. Box 1361,





Dr. Myriam Raber practicing in her newly set up dental clinic at a mission in Haiti. Treatment is free to the mission's 1,400 school children.

Bloomington, IN 47402-1361 (tax exempt #35-1691307). Personal correspondence should be directed to Dr. Raber c/o Lynx Air, P.O. Box 407139, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33340.

1992 • David Warzyniak (DDS) has assumed the family practice of the late Dr. **David Huff** (DDS'76) at 602 N. College, Bloomington, IN 47404.

1993 • Last summer Richard Jones II (DDS) completed an orthodontic residency program at the University of Minnesota. He has opened a practice at the following address: Geist Orthodontics, 7962 Oaklandon Rd., Suite 111, Indianapolis, IN 46236.

1994 • After completing a dental residency program at St. Elizabeth Hospital Medical Center in Youngstown, Ohio, last June, Albert Miller III (DDS) was making plans to practice in Muncie with William Current (DDS'63) and Karen HaysOgle (DDS'84). His new address is 8409 S. Center Rd., Muncie, IN 47302.

1995 • Michael Danner (DDS) recently completed Officer Indoctrination School at the Naval Education and Training Center in Newport, R.I.

NEW ADDRESSES

1944 • Paul Worster (DDS), 4007 Creedmoor Pl., Anderson, IN 46011-1680

1952 • E. William Hicks (DDS), 6708 Newburgh Rd., Evansville, IN 47715-4469

1955 • Jackson Todd (DDS), 602 Berkley Dr., Marion, IN 46952-2640

1960 • Wilhelmina Gelston (ASDH-IN), 9811 Marine View Dr., Mukilteo, WA 98275

1961 • James Vaught (DDS), 2734 East Oakland Ave., D-40, Johnson City, TN 37601

1961 • James Hornberger (DDS), 101 Rainbow Dr., #5726, Livingston, TX 77351-9300

1962 • Peter Shideler (DDS), 3035 W. State Rd. 10, North Judson, IN 46366

1963 • Ellen Jones Morell (ASDH-IN, BS'64), 10156 North Park Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46280-1645

1965 • Karin Warriner Cobb (ASDH-IN), 5745 Sweetbriar Tr., Macon, GA 31210

1967 • Sharon Griffith Warmoth (ASDH-IN), 4010 Grand Ave., Middletown, OH 45044

1968 • George Schad (DDS), HQUSAFE/SGD, PSC#2, Box 7831, APO AE 09012

1969 • Melvin Jones (MSD/prosthodontics), 3630-2nd St., S.W., Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2S 1T8

1970 • Richard Kitchell (DDS), P.O. Box 469, Blowing Rock, NC 28605

1971 • Jerome Holman III (DDS), 7861 Clearwater Cove Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46240-4909

1971 • Don Wilkins (DDS), 105 N. Grove St., Merritt Island, FL 32953-3441

1973 • Robert Achterberg (DDS), 101 Texas St., Travis AFB, CA 94535-1229

1975 • Katherine Ballard (DDS'85), P.O. Box 551072, Indianapolis, IN 46205

1975 • James Snyder (DDS), 290 Rimview Dr., Apt. K, Colorado Springs, CO 80919

1976 • Gregory Johnson (DDS), 12519 Timber Creek Dr. #4, Carmel, IN 46032 **1978 • John Pfefferle** (DDS), 724-302 Royal Anne Lane, Raleigh, NC 27615

1979 • Natalie (Hatton) Kain (ASDH-IN), 10122 Facet Ct., Orlando, FL 32836

1979 • Debra Burgess Ruebel (ASDH-IN), 1648 Gardenstone Dr., West Worthington, OH 43235

1981 • Gloria Williams (DDS), Regis College, Box 902, 235 Wellesley St., Weston, MA 02193

1984 • Karol (Weist) Friedman (ASDH-SB), 3605 Lakeshore Dr., Michigan City, IN 46360

1984 • Monica King (ASDH-IN), 5718 Ryewyck Dr., #2, Toledo, OH 43614

1984 • Kevin Klinedinst (DDS), 209 Westwood Ln., Madison, IN 47250-2972

1984 • Janice Wenger (DDS), 213 Island View Dr., Goshen, IN 46526

1985 • Carol Paik Jones (DDS), 1150 W. 116th St., Carmel, IN 46032

1985 • Warren Ohira (DDS), 1066 Hoa St., Honolulu, HI 96825

1985 • Kurt Rupenthal (DDS), 14080 Allisonville Rd., Fishers, IN 46038

1986 • James Strother (DDS), 421 Spruce #2, Lake Forest, IL 60045

1990 • Denise (Will) Diersing (ASDH-IN), 100 Charissa Dr., Clemson, SC 29631

1990 • Katie Lazard (ASDH-IN), 9421 Bridgewater Circle, Indianapolis, IN 46250

1991 • Cathy Deck (ASDH-IN), 174 Country Aire Ln., Greenwood, IN 46143

1991 • Evelyn (McCourt) Stout (Certificate/dental assisting-SB), 57933 C.R. 131, Elkhart, IN 46516

1992 • Lt. Rod Gunning, DC, USN (DDS), 4312 Cassanna Way 216, Oceanside, CA 92057

1992/1993 • Stephen Cottrell (MSD'92/periodontics) and Jenifer Chlebek (DDS'93), 6 Barnsbury Rd., South Yarra 3141, Melbourne, Australia

1993 • Carissa (Hook) Ivey (ASDH-IN), 4734 Sandpebble Ct., Indianapolis, IN 46221

1994 • Michelle Tompkins (DDS), 7677 Bayhill Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46236

1995 • Tom Gilbert (DDS), 4606 B-East State Blvd., Fort Wayne, IN 46815

1995 • Michele Heck (ASDH-IN), 8091 Creek Way, Plainfield, IN 46168

OBITUARIES

IUSD Employee

Linda Lou Urban, administrative secretary in the Department of Restorative Dentistry, died November 3, 1995. Linda had worked in the prosthodontics division for six years. Previously, she was an administrative secretary for the Indiana State Department of Health for more than nine years, and for Carpenter Steel, Indianapolis, for 10 years. She is survived by her companion, Bill Stevens.

IUSD Alumni

1926 • Charles Newman (DDS, MSD'55), Memphis, Tenn., formerly of Danville, Ind., died September 2, 1995. He is survived by his wife, Marjorie, and a son, Charles.

1927 • Delmar Faun (DDS), Colfax, died November 2, 1995. He had practiced in Indianapolis for 55 years before moving to Colfax, where he practiced seven years. He retired in 1982. He was an Army Medical Corps veteran of World War I. Dr. Faun was a past president of the Indiana Astronomical Society. He is survived by his wife, Karolyn; a daughter, Karen Coffman; two grandchildren; and two greatgrandchildren.

1928 • Richard Wade (DDS), Terre Haute, died August 24, 1995.

1929 • A belated report of the death of Paul Sheets (DDS), Kendallville, on January 11, 1994. His daughter, Mary Sheets Zerkle (ASDH-IN'55), also of Kendallville, recently notified the school. "Dad loved his profession and saved much of his equipment when he retired," she wrote.

"Upon his death, I salvaged what I felt might still be usable someplace, and it went to Matthew 25 dental clinic in Fort Wayne. Also, his vintage 1929 dental cabinet graces my den!"

1932 • Donald Lee (DDS), Boca Raton, Fla., died July 9, 1995. "He practiced in North Judson for 40 years," reports his wife, Tuberia. "He retired to Boca Raton in 1969." In addition to his wife, Dr. Lee is survived by a son, Denis, who is a professor and director of medical and biological illustrations at the University of Michigan.

1933 • Sidney Silbert (DDS), Pompton Lakes, N.J., died April 8, 1995.

1940 • Martin Barco Sr. (DDS), a longtime dentist and civic leader in the Winamac area, died November 6, 1995. Dr. Barco had resided in Winamac since 1945. He was an Army veteran of World War II. In addition to his career in dentistry he had owned Barco Apple Orchard in Star City.

Dr. Barco was a recipient of the Winamac Chamber of Commerce Harold J. Halleck Community Service Award for serving as chair of the Pulaski County Board of Health. He also received the Silver Beaver Award from the Boy Scouts of America. He was a past president of the Winamac Kiwanis Club, the Wabash Dental Society, and the Three Rivers Council of Boy Scouts of America; a former board member of the Pulaski County chapter of the American Cancer Society; and an active participant on the local, state, and national boards of the American Heart Association.

Dr. Barco is survived by his wife, Helen, whom he married in 1941; sons Martin Thomas Jr. (DDS'69) of Bloomington, and Clark Tobias (DDS'75) of Portsmouth, Va.; and six grandchildren. His son Martin Thomas recently joined the IU faculty as a part-time associate professor of prosthodontics.

1943 • Rafael Garcia-Fortuno (DDS), San Juan, P.R., died January 10, 1995.

1944-D • Charles Redding (DDS), a lifelong practitioner in Evansville, died October 31, 1995. He had retired in 1984. He was a World War II Army Air Corps veteran. Dr. Redding was a member of Evansville's ham operator club Power Squadron, the Bonsai Society of Greater Evansville, Sigma Chi fraternity, and Delta Sigma Delta dental fraternity. He is survived by his wife, Johnnie; a daughter, Christine Frank, Cincinnati; sons Chuck and Paul, both of Evansville, and Kent, of Princeton, West Va.; and nine grandchildren.

1944-A • Jack Wilkins (DDS), Winter Park, Fla., died August 8, 1995.

1945 • William Glazer (DDS), Stuart, Fla., died January 4, 1995.

1947 • Robert Denny (DDS), Mesa, Ariz., died February 6, 1995.

1953 • James Vorwald (DDS), Merrillville, died April 7, 1995.

1955 • Doris Anderson has notified the school that her husband, Donald Anderson (DDS), died October 1, 1995. He had been a dentist on the west side of Indianapolis for 24 years, having retired in 1976. Dr. Anderson served in the Army and was discharged with the rank of captain. He was a member of Xi Psi Phi dental fraternity. In addition to his wife, Dr. Anderson is survived by a son, John; a daughter, Jane; and one grandchild.

1956 • Jon Herrold (DDS), LaPorte, died September 23, 1995. He had practiced from 1968 to 1992. During his career he had also contributed to the teaching efforts at the IU School of Dentistry and IU-Northwest. He held a master's degree in anatomy from IU. Dr. Herrold was a former U.S. Army Reserve commander of U.S. Army Reserve Medical Unit 308, Fort Sheridan, Ill. He retired in 1992 as a colonel. Dr. Herrold is survived by his wife, Barbara; a daughter, Sheri Potts, South Bend; sons Michael, of Brownsburg, and Jeffery, of Findlay, Ohio; and five grandchildren.

1956 • Jack Leer (DDS), a prominent Indianapolis resident who pursued three diverse careers in his lifetime, died November 6, 1995.

First a dentist, then an amateur golf champion and creator of Wolf Run Golf Course north of Zionsville, Dr. Leer devoted the last years of his life to the welfare of the North American gray wolf.

"He had this dream of building a golf course and got batted down three or four times before he finally built one of the finest golf courses in this country," Indiana author Mark Shaw told the *Indianapolis News*. He delivered Dr. Leer's eulogy. "But that wasn't enough. He got involved with wolves and wanted to do what he could to educate people about these wonderful animals."

Dr. Leer owned 22 wolves and had recently established the Timber Memorial fund to raise money for an educational building at the Wildlife Service Center at Forest Lake, Minn.

One of Dr. Leer's longtime golfing buddies was singer John Raitt, who starred in *Carousel* when it opened on Broadway in 1945. Mr. Raitt came from his home in Los Angeles to sing at Dr. Leer's services.

During his undergraduate days at IU Bloomington, Jack played football and golf for IU. He was Big Ten runner-up in golf in 1952 and was the captain of IU's golf team in 1952 and 1953.

Dr. Leer had served on the board of directors of the Indiana Golf Association and belonged to the Indiana Golf Hall of Fame.

Dr. Leer was an Army veteran of the Korean War. He is survived by his wife, Marylee; a son, Bruce; a daughter, Avery Gold; his mother, Mary Reynolds Leer; a brother, Jerry Leer (DDS'58, Indianapolis); and three grandchildren.

1957 • David Cook (DDS), Indianapolis, died July 27, 1995. Dr. Cook was retired from his dental practice in Mentone and Indianapolis and had been working as a laboratory technician for Ito & Koby Dental Studio. He is survived by his wife, Barbara "Jodie"; sons James, Dana, David, and Christopher; daughters April Menzie and Laura Ono; and 10 grandchildren.

1959 • David Eberly Sr. (DDS), Tallahassee, Fla., formerly of South Bend, died October 15, 1995. He was a retired Air Force dentist. He is survived by his wife, Lillian; daughters Mary Eberly of Tallahassee and Ann Hennessy of Orlando, Fla; a son, David Jr., West Palm Beach, Fla.; and two grandchildren.

1959 • Robert Gordon (DDS), Salem, Ill., died May 4, 1995.

1967 • Thomas McClure (DDS), Englewood, Colo., died May 4, 1995.

1976 • David Huff (DDS), Bloomington, died May 1, 1995.

1977 • Bradford Bingham (DDS), Bloomfield, died September 25, 1995.

1987 • Diana Lunn Sevier (DDS), Muncie, formerly of Indianapolis, died October 10, 1995. She had been a member of the Delaware/ Blackford County Medical Alliance. She is survived by her husband, Dr. Thomas Sevier.

More Nothin' But 'Net: Getting Reacquainted by E-Mail

"Thanks for providing the e-mail address of **Stan Herman** (DDS'59)," says **Robert Musselman** (DDS'64), of Metairie, La. "He was a teacher of mine, and I am glad to be able to get in touch with him."

"Thank you for publishing the e-mail addresses," says **Leslie Smith Ullstrup** (ASDH'64), of Phoenix, Ariz. "I found the address of an old friend, and we have corresponded several times."

We are delighted that IUSD friends and colleagues are reestablishing ties with one another through the Internet. If you have an electronic address, please share it with the dental school's alumni by sending an e-mail note to me. Whenever room provides, e-mail addresses will be printed in the class notes section of the *Alumni Bulletin*. And, as always, feel free to include some news about yourself too.

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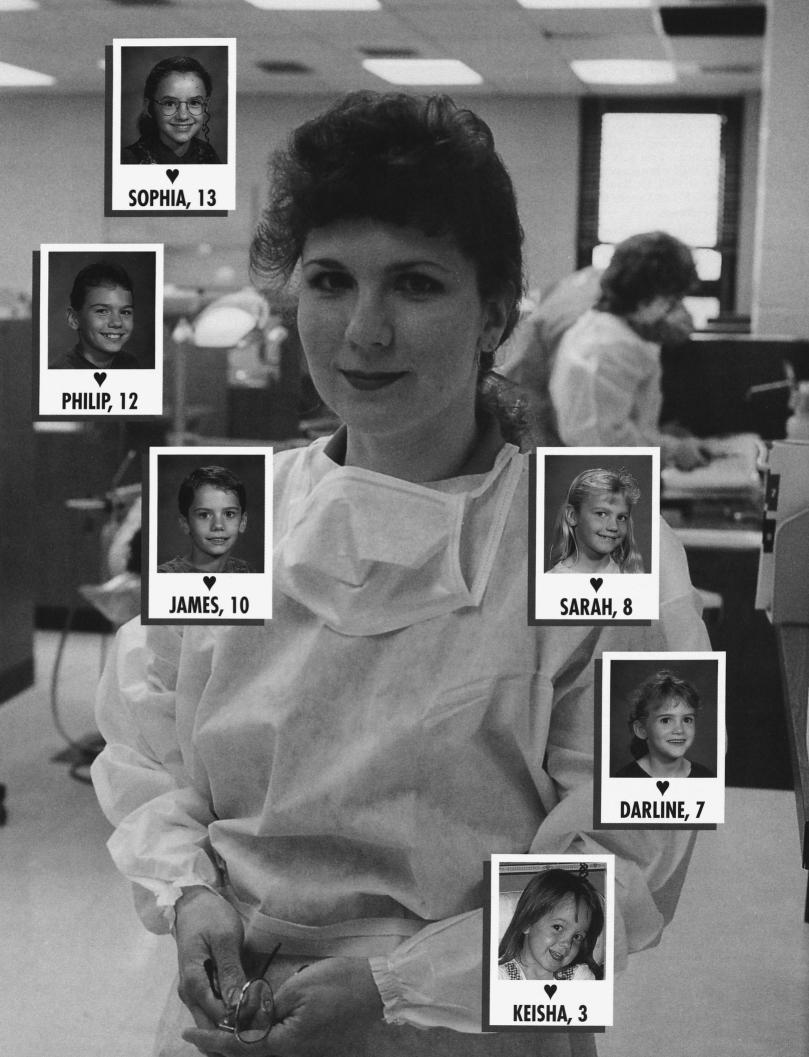
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In the dental school's recently published Annual Report, the name of Dr. John Hiester (DDS'90) was inadvertently left off the list of students who graduated during the 1994-95 fiscal year. Dr. Hiester, of Columbus, received a master's degree in IU's combined-specialty program (orthodontics and pediatric dentistry) in September 1994. The title of his thesis is "Craniofacial Pattern Profile Analysis of Individuals with Frontonasal Malformation."



Family Matters by Mary Leesa Rehmel

Katherine Carr-Medley's road to higher education was more like an obstacle course. But determination helped her stick to the path, which led to a once-in-a-lifetime surprise from the Soroptimists.

y column for the *Alumni Bulletin* is usually reserved
for stories about IU's dental
hygiene graduates. But this time
I'd like to introduce you to a
current dental hygiene student:
Katherine Carr-Medley, a member
of the second-year class from
Linton, Ind.

As IU's dental hygiene classes have increased in size, so has the diversity in the backgrounds of our students. Like many of our older students, Kathy brought to her dental hygiene education a unique collection of life experiences that bear little resemblance to the experiences of students who embark on their studies immediately after high school.

Kathy quit high school at age 16 to marry. A decade later, she had five beautiful children—and a deeply troubled marriage.

Early in her married life Kathy struggled to make improvements. She took jobs pumping gas, washing cars, cleaning dog kennels—anything that would help a large household that suffered from periods when there was no other income to count on. She also managed to obtain her GED, earning a near-perfect score. But when she attempted to seek a certificate as a nursing assistant,

Kathy Carr-Medley in the dental hygiene clinic

she was unable to complete the course because of family obligations. Even worse, she was forced to default on a student loan—an event that was to have consequences later on.

Taking stock of her life at age 26, Kathy tried again to gain some control over it. She vowed that by the age of 30, she would establish a better life for herself and her kids.

During a trip to a dentist's office, she was told of a family counselor who could help her learn to deal with her problems. Deciding to seek counseling and follow through with it changed Kathy's life. To this day she is grateful to the members of the staff in that dental office for steering her in a wise direction. "They treated me as more than a dental patient," Kathy remembers. "They saw me as an entire person who had other needs."

In June of 1992, Kathy separated from her husband, moving out of the house with her children. She hoped to re-enroll in school, but the black mark on her record from the defaulted loan made any attempt at securing another school loan futile.

Time passed. By August of 1993 Kathy was divorced, but she had managed to scrape enough money together to enroll in a semester of classes at Indiana State University. She had made up her mind to become a dental hygienist.

"I had always been frightened of the dentist's office," admits Kathy, who was a patient at the dental school during the years she was growing up in Indianapolis. "My father lost his teeth at an early age, and I remember one of my dental students warning me that if I didn't take better care of my teeth I too would lose them early. I met other dental professionals along the way who spoke of the important role teeth play in our overall health. I decided I didn't want to lose my teeth. And gradually I began to feel that I wanted a career in which I could share with others the importance of maintaining good oral health."

But there were to be more bumps in the road for Kathy as she pursued her educational goal. Her family was once again plunged into chaos when, just three days into her first semester at ISU where she was taking prerequisites for dental hygiene, her ex-husband suddenly died. Kathy faced the reality that it was now totally up to her to fend for the family.

Repeatedly turned down for financial aid, Kathy saw a bleak future unfolding. With no where else to turn, she sought help from the dental profession itself. Looking for financial assistance, Kathy wound up receiving something she ultimately found more important to her survival: a reminder that her faith in God would help her help herself. The first dentist she approached in her community counseled her—they discussed religion and the importance of having faith in difficult times. And they prayed.

A few days after these meetings, things began to fall into place for Kathy. Encouraged to apply for financial aid once again, she did. This time, it came through! Kathy was cognizant of the fact that another monumental change had occurred in her life that was connected to the guidance she received from a dental professional.

Kathy did very well in her studies at ISU, making the dean's list and getting accepted into Alpha Lambda Delta, a national honor society for freshmen. She also earned \$5 an hour in the Department of Life Sciences as a teaching assistant, a job usually reserved for graduate students.

After applying to IU's dental hygiene program, Kathy was accepted for fall semester 1994 on the Indianapolis campus. De-

She took jobs pumping gas, washing cars, cleaning dog kennels—anything that would help a large household that suffered from periods when there was no other income to count on.

lighted to have accomplished a goal she had worked so hard for, Kathy geared up for the challenges ahead.

For one, there was the commute: almost 1,000 miles per week back and forth daily from Linton. Still, commuting seemed the most logical choice because at home she



Kathy hopes to pursue a career in private practice and eventually in teaching.

had the support of her mother and others for the care of her children, ranging from 5 to 11 years old back then. Baby sitters helped out in "shifts." Kathy developed incredible organizational skills to keep everybody on track. Financially, life remained as rough as ever.

It was during Kathy's first semester at IU that she saw a notice about a scholarship program funded by Soroptimist International of the Americas, a service organization for executive and professional women. Called TAP awards (Training Awards Program), the aid is targeted toward mature women who must enter or return to the job market, and who need additional skills, training, and education to upgrade their employment status.

Kathy quickly applied, submitting an essay that described her circumstances and explained her desire to create a better life for herself and her children. She was selected as the local winner in February 1995, receiving a prize of \$500. For Kathy, it was a windfall! Five hundred dollars would go a long way to help her with her financial burdens.

What Kathy did not realize was that, as the local winner, her application was automatically placed in the running for a regional contest.

Later that spring, Kathy received some extraordinary news: She had captured the TAP regional award—this time, a prize of \$3,000. "That was more than some of my yearly incomes in the past," Kathy remarks. "I was thrilled." The regional contest included a trip to Detroit, where the check was presented. Kathy not only received more money than she had ever hoped for, she also took her first ride in an airplane.

After the excitement died down, Kathy re-immersed herself in her life and studies and soon forgot that there was one final TAP award competition, a prize given at the international level. Only one person would be selected from competitors in more than 20 countries and territories.

The startling news came in a phone call to Kathy's home in June 1995. "Are you sitting down?" asked Cherryl Liddle, president of The Soroptimist Foundations.

"I still feel shook-up," Kathy says as she recalls being told she was the TAP award's international recipient. The \$10,000 prize was presented to her during ceremonies held in Philadelphia.

Looking back, Kathy says she doesn't know how she would have made it to where she is today without the award money. It relieved much of the pressure she was under to take care of her family while working toward a career. Sometimes, she still can't believe what happened to her is real.

Now finishing the final semester of classes for her associate's degree, life is definitely looking brighter. She's enjoying the time she spends with her patients in the dental hygiene clinic. "I repeat to them the same advice that the dental student gave me when I was a teenager," she says.

There's been another change, this one related to affairs of the heart: A few months ago Kathy married Tim Medley, of Carlisle. The couple has refurbished an old home near Carlisle to make room for their merging families, including Kathy's brood and her husband's 3-year-old daughter.

The Soroptimists have helped to keep Kathy on the road—quite literally. For Kathy's long commute, which is 223 miles each day now that she has moved, gas costs \$75 a week. She has worn out three cars in two years (although she reminds us that each of those vehicles had logged 150,000 miles before she ever started driving it). Few mysteries lurk beneath the hoods of Kathy's automobiles; she's adept at changing oil, spark plugs, distributors, and alternators, and has learned to take care of just about anything else that needs attention.

With a household complicated by varied personal schedules, Kathy is determined to reserve Saturdays for family time. She is very proud of her children and is instilling in them the importance of a good education, although she believes they already have a pretty good head start in understanding this, given the dramatic changes their own lives have taken.

If you're already at the bottom, then where can you go but up? You need to ask yourself if you still want to be making a minimum wage by the time you are 30. That was the question that inspired me to get started."

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Being able to spend more time closer to home is one "pearl" that Kathy is looking forward to after she completes school. The children are active in basketball, cheerleading, and choir, and all but the youngest play baseball. Kathy expects to be spending more time in the grandstands cheering them on next season.

And when IUPUI's commencement ceremonies come around in May, Kathy will have a huge cheering section of her own. She believes that her family and other supporters all deserve honors. "I'm not sure that I could have or would have gotten this education without their help and influence," she says.

Kathy's career plan is twopronged: She wants to practice full time for the next few years, and when her children are grown she'd like to earn a master's degree and then find a dental hygiene teaching position at a university. When asked if she has any advice for young people who may feel they are facing insurmountable problems and are on the verge of throwing in the towel in terms of acquiring an education, Kathy says: "I learned that the world isn't going to stop for me—I have to be the one to make the move. You should think about where you will be if you don't try.

When Kathy decided she wanted to go to school several years ago, she pursued her goal with absolutely no idea of how she would actually achieve it. "I decided to worry about the big things and let the little ones work themselves out," she says.

Resolve, conviction, and faith. These are the kinds of feelings that help people learn to help themselves, and Katherine Carr-Medley possesses them in abundance.

Postdoc Profiles

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David A. Eichel

DAVID A. EICHEL

Hometown: Atlanta, Ga.; **Dental education:** DMD, Medical College of Georgia, 1991, and certificate in pediatric dentistry, University of Connecticut, 1993; **IU Graduate program:** orthodontics (major), oral pathology (minor); **Thesis:** *Occlusal displacement of teeth due to flexure of the mandible;* **Degree:** MSD, August 1995; **Plans:** To pursue an orthodontic and pediatric dentistry private practice in Cincinnati, Ohio, and to finally have time to play golf and reach my goal of breaking an "80."

VANCHIT JOHN

Hometown: Madras, India; **Dental education:** BDS 1987 and MSD/periodontics 1990, Madras University; **IU Graduate program:** periodontics (major), oral pathology (minor); **Thesis:** *Regulation of osteoclast differentiation by T-lymphocytes in vitro*; **Degree:** MSD, December 1995; **Plans:** To pursue a career in academics after completing a one-year combined fellowship in skeletal diseases research at IU School of Dentistry and Lilly Research Laboratories of Eli Lilly and Co.



Vanchit John



Penny Lynn Lampros

PENNY LYNN LAMPROS

Hometown: Roanoke, Va.; **Dental education:** DDS, Medical College of Virginia, 1991; **IU Graduate program:** orthodontics (major), oral pathology (minor); **Thesis:** *Fluoridated orthodontic adhesives' effect on enamel fluoride content and demineralization;* **Degree:** MSD, July 1995; **Plans:** To return home to practice orthodontics with my father, Leo N. Lampros, a 1964 graduate of IU's orthodontic program.

MARISA ANNE LEY

Hometown: Huntington, Ind.; Dental education: DDS, Indiana University, 1993; IU Graduate program: orthodontics (major), oral pathology (minor); Thesis: Torsional bond strengths of metal brackets using a glass ionomer cement, light-activated resin, and chemically cured composite resin; Degree: MSD, July 1995; Plans: To associate in an orthodontic practice with George Vail (DDS'69, MSD/orthodontics '71) at 7205 N. Shadeland Avenue, Indianapolis, IN 46250.



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Hometown: Tou-Nan, Taiwan, Republic of China; Dental education: DDS, Chung Shan Medical and Dental College (Taichung, Taiwan), 1986; IU Graduate program: prosthodontics (major), dental materials (minor); Thesis: *An evaluation of tooth preparation forms on the fit of Procera copings;* Degree: MSD, July 1995; Plans: To enter private practice in Taiwan with my wife, Dr. Hwey-Chin Yeh, a 1993 grad of Northwestern University's periodontics program.

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IU Continues Search for New Dean of Dentistry Search and Screen Committee welcomes input from the dental alumni

The Search and Screen Committee assembled by IUPUI Chancellor Gerald L. Bepko continues its recruitment of highly qualified candidates for the deanship. Chancellor Bepko has asked the committee for a list of candidates to be submitted by May 1, 1996.

Members of the Search and Screen Committee are eager to hear your opinions, suggestions, and recommendations in regard to the selection of a new dean. Persons who are interested in applying for the position should submit their applications to committee chair Dr. Angela McBride, who is dean of the IU School of Nursing (address below).

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