

MEDALLION OF DISTINCTION AWARDS

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DR. JETSON S. LEE, a graduate of Lowell High School in his native San Francisco, received his undergraduate degree at the University of California, Berkeley in 1981 and his DDS from the University of the Pacific in 1984. He completed Pacific's orthodontic residency program in 1986, earning an MSD and certificate in orthodontics. In practice from 1986 to 2021, Dr. Lee also holds an appointment as associate clinical professor in the Dugoni School's Department of Orthodontics. He is a member of the San Francisco Dental Society; CDA and ADA; and the California, Pacific Coast, and American Associations of Orthodontics. He is board certified, a diplomate of the American Board of Orthodontics, and a fellow of the International College of Dentists. Dr. Lee has received many honors and awards and is a member of TKO and OKU dental honor societies. He has served on the boards of the Lowell Alumni Association and the California Association of Orthodontists. He has been a guiding member and president of the Orthodontic Alumni Association at the Dugoni School since its inception more than twenty-five years ago, and relaunched and produced its *Trident* newsletter. Dr. Lee and wife Lisa have two daughters, Samantha and Danielle.



DR. JACK M. SAROYAN received his DDS degree in 1962 from the P&S School, forerunner to the Dugoni School. After graduation, he served two years of active duty as a Navy Dental Corp Reservist, and then associated with Dr. T. Galt Atwood '28, in San Francisco. From 1964 to 1971, Dr. Saroyan volunteered as an adjunct clinical instructor and was a founding member of the P&S Club (now the Dugoni School Foundation). He was editor of the *CDA Journal and Nor Cal Newsletter* of AGD in the mid-1970s and served nine years on the California State Board of Dental Examiners, including as President in 1987. He currently serves as president of the California Dentist Guild. He founded the Armenian-American Dental Association and was a member of the Armenian Dental Society of California. He returned to the dental school in 2003 as adjunct assistant professor, a position he still holds. Dr. Saroyan has also been a member of the Dugoni School Mentor Program since 2013. He received the ADA Certificate of Recognition for Meritorious Service to the People of Armenia in 2004 after participating in five humanitarian dental missions. A long-distance runner, he has represented the Olympic Club in five marathons. He and his wife of 56 years, Marie, live in San Francisco and have three adult children and five grandchildren.



DR. ALLEN WONG earned his DDS degree at the Dugoni School of Dentistry in 1986 and his doctorate in professional education and leadership from the UOP Benerd School of Education in 2010. Post-dental school, while practicing dentistry in Roseville, California, he earned certificates in Advanced Clinical Dentistry and Advanced Education in General Dentistry at the Dugoni School. Dr. Wong joined the school's faculty as an instructor in Diagnostic Sciences in 1987 and earned full Professor status in 2012. He is currently Pacific's AEGD Program Director. He has practiced general dentistry in San Francisco since 2001, and hospital dentistry in the Bay Area since 1988. Dr. Wong is active with Special Olympics Special Smiles, serves as president of the American Academy of Developmental Medicine and Dentistry, and was instrumental in spearheading the administration of COVID-19 vaccination shots for several hundreds of developmentally and physically disabled people at the dental school in recent months. Among many honors, he received the CDA Foundation Dugoni Distinguished Faculty Award in 2014. He has lectured widely and has published more than 40 journal articles and five book chapters in special healthcare needs population. Dr. Wong is a fellow of the American College of Dentists, International College of Dentists, Pierre Fauchard Academy, Academy of Dentistry International, and American Association of Hospital Dentists. Dr. Wong is a diplomate of the American Board of Special Care Dentistry and has a limited private practice. He is Immediate Past President of the CAMBRA Coalition and the Delta Delta Chapter of the OKU national dental honor society. He and his wife Karen live in San Francisco and are the parents of Jonathan and Robert.

**Medallions and the Lifetime Achievement Award
will be presented at Friday's Recognition Luncheon.**