

**University of the Pacific Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry
Virtual 122nd Alumni Annual Meeting**

Subject Area: Implants

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1:00 – 4:15 pm – 3 units

Title:

“Implant Surgery & Restorations Digital vs. Traditional: It’s New, But Is It Better?”

Course Description:

We are practicing during an exciting time with a Technology and Digital Revolution. Advances in dental technology and bio-materials have improved the manner in which we practice; have decreased the learning curve for learning new procedures; have increased patient satisfaction and has enhanced our efficiency. During my twenty years in practice I have experienced several technology revolutions. Some of these products, techniques and procedures have stood the test of time, but many are no longer being used. When a new technology does not work as expected it can be frustrating and expensive for the practitioner, our patients and team.

This lecture will focus on the Surgical and Restorative Aspects of Implant Dentistry in regards to our Digital and conventional workflow. We will discuss our current Digital Dental implant technology and how it helps to facilitate optimal patient care as well as how valuable traditional techniques are for patient care and allow us to continue to grow and evolve.

Objectives:

- 1) Understand Traditional Impression Techniques vs Digital Impression Techniques for Implant Restorations on Single Unit, Multiple Unit and Full Mouth Prosthetics
- 2) Understand Traditional Dental Materials (PFM) vs CAD/CAM Digital Restorations
- 3) Digital 3D Planning and Guided Implant Surgery vs. Traditional and Free Handed Techniques
- 4) Digital Smile Design vs. Traditional Waxup Diagnosis

Short Bio:

Matthew Young, DDS earned his dental degree at the University of Buffalo, graduating with honors. He completed his General Practice Residency Program at the Albert Einstein Medical Center in Philadelphia, PA, where he also served as an attending clinician. Dr. Young has over fifteen years placing and restoring implants in private practice. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Oral Implantology. He is an Honored Fellow of the American Academy of Implant Dentistry and also served as its Western District President; Board of Trustees; Admissions and Credentials Board; Education Committee Board and Annual Meeting Program Chair. Dr. Young is the founder of the Bay Area Implant Synergy Study Group. He has also served as President of the San Francisco Dental Society. He lectures nationally and

internationally on implant dentistry and cosmetics and maintains a private practice in Downtown San Francisco.