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Friday, October 29, 2010
8:30am - 4:30pm
Pasadena, CA

“Finishing Sooner with Better Results”

Featured Speaker:

Dr. Earl Johnson
Health Services Clinic Professor
UCSF Department of Orthodontics



Registration Closes Friday, October 22nd.

Advance Registration \$250

Onsite Registration \$265

Register Online at www.DTOFoundation.org
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We've Moved!!

Our headquarters offices have moved to a new location.
Please update your records.

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E-mail and phone have remained unchanged.

Tribute to our Donors

We thank all of our loyal and faithful donors for their support of DTOF. In this issue we pay tribute to those donors who have donated since January 1, 2007 through September 17, 2010.

Platinum (\$50,000+)

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In Memory of _____ From _____

Doreen Hambleton Dr. Richard Mays

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If you have someone that you want to honor or remember, please make a note of that on your next donation.

Welcome Class of 2013



(Left to Right) Nathan Coughlin (USC), Thao Nguyen (UCLA), Bitia Moalej (USC), Scott Morita (USC), Ryan Hecht (UNLV), Virginia Pham (UCSF)



Photo's courtesy of John R. Jerome D.D.S.

President's Message

by Dr. Jim Loos

Dear DTOF Friends and Members,
Paperless or digital records are rapidly integrating our profession. A great number of orthodontic graduates in the last three years have not used film x-rays, plaster models or paper charts in their training programs at all. Entering and staying up with the digital world is very expensive for a teaching institution, and DTOF is making significant contributions to keep USC on top.

The laser scanner we purchased for the department has been installed and is now in use. This scanner is able to scan impressions as well as plaster models. For any of you who are interested in the scanner which we purchased for the department, see the back page of this newsletter. Ellen Grady reports that Loma Linda has had one of these scanners for a few months and is very impressed with it.

Universities can purchase from this company at an excellent discount. I am also working with the company owners to give DTOF members a sizable break if we can place orders in groups of ten. Let me know if any of you are interested. For an average practice the "payback" savings compared to plaster models is in months not years.

Our next project is to finance a "picture wall" honoring the instructors past and present including pictures of all of the past classes. Our department has a rich history of quality instructors and graduates and we intend to show off a little.

Note: The official communication tool for our grad students is Facebook, so like it or not, if we are to keep up, we better have our Grandchildren teach us how to use it. Yes, you too Ralph.

The dentist who donated \$35 million to the dental school was motivated by his fiance who said: "Wouldn't it be wonderful if you could use some of your money to make a real difference in the quality of dental education and the future of dental care." (Possibly some poetic license used here). Dr. Ostrow really made a difference and as a group we intend to do the same.

Thank you for your continued support and we will see you at the next CE meeting in October. Invite a friend, It will be a great program.

DFOB Gifts Department 3D Scanner

In June the DFOB Board of Directors approved monies to purchase a 3D Scanner for the USC Orthodontic Department. The scanner chosen was the Ortho Insight 3D by Motion Software.

This scanner allows the doctor to use impressions OR baseless models OR already trimmed study models and get very professional results. It will put bases on scanned models with just a very few mouse clicks

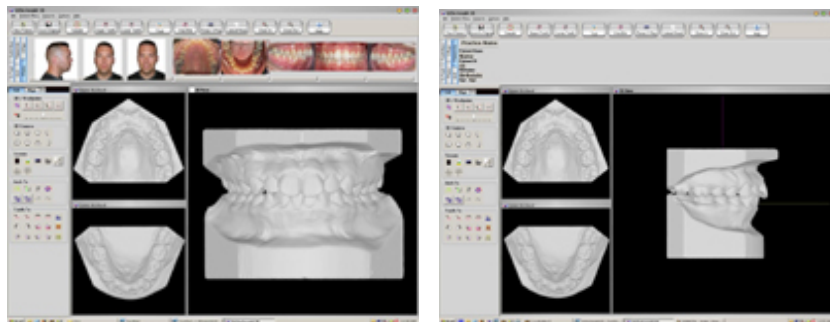
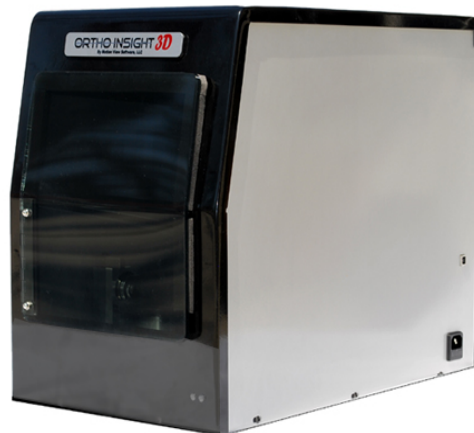
The Doctor will be able to display 3D models and use for diagnosis and treatment planning and for plasterless storage for archival purposes.

Included with this gift by DFOB was additional money to update the software needed to run the new scanner.

DFOB is very pleased to be able to provide this gift to the USC Orthodontic Department to advance clinical learning.

For more information visit:

<http://motionview3d.com/#extraSection> and Click on "Products".



Department Update

by Dr. Glenn Sameshima

Summertime brings us a new class of residents (the Class of 2013) and we welcomed another great group of young men and women to our program. In May, we bade farewell to the graduating Class of 2011, after a rigorous evaluation of their cases and research by this year's external examiner, Dr. Thomas Cangialosi, the chair at Columbia, and former ABO president. Our graduates are now well prepared to take the ABO clinical exam next year. The orthodontic alumni association sponsored a wonderful graduation weekend as we returned to Palm Springs. Fellow alumnus Chris Roncone gave the most excellent morning lecture on the perils of TADs. A great time was had by all.

The department continues to benefit from the Dougherty & Tanaka Orthodontic Foundation. The audiovisual system purchased by the foundation and installed last year in the Singer room worked so well, we installed a similar system in our other seminar room (funded mostly by private industry). We have now begun to work with the most recent gift from the foundation, a three dimensional digital scanner for models. We are optimistic that this technology will help all of us (students as well as faculty) make the long transition to digital models while maintaining our primary goal of achieving ABO standards in our finished cases.