

Scrubs & Stiletos

Keynote Speaker



Nicole McGrath-Barnes, DDS, FACD

Dr. Nicole McGrath-Barnes has accumulated a lifetime of professional and community service achievements and awards since 1991. After leaving private practice, Dr. McGrath-Barnes started her own Foundation called Kindersmile Foundation in 2007 with values of Education, Intervention and Prevention as methods to combat oral health care inequity. The organization was built upon her desire to provide at-risk underserved children with access to comprehensive dental care and educate children and their families about the importance of dental hygiene.

Motivated by the racial and socioeconomic disparities in access to care that lie within the healthcare system, Dr. McGrath has made it a point to not only link these children to a permanent dental home, but also to actively raise awareness of these preventable inequalities. The establishment of KinderSmile Community Oral Health Centers in Bloomfield, Newark, and Trenton, enables the organization to improve oral health literacy and empower children and their families with the knowledge they need to achieve optimum oral health, thereby helping KinderSmile Foundation's mission of eliminating dental caries, the #1 epidemic of economically disadvantaged children. Her Foundation also provides leadership opportunities for high school students and perinatal wellness programs for expectant women.

Dr. McGrath-Barnes' path for advocacy has also taken her to the Island nation of Jamaica. Where, with her Husband, Juan Miguel Barnes, and her team, they have provided and sustained dental care for many.

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2022 Award Recipient



Reneida Elisa Reyes, DMD, MPH

Dr. Reneida Reyes has been a pioneer in the field of dentistry both as a female pediatric dentist and as a female educator. Her career started locally here, at The School of Dental Medicine at Stony Brook over 52 years ago! She went on to complete her post graduate education in Pediatric Dentistry AND her MPH degree both from Harvard University.

She has been active in every level of every dental organization and achieved notoriety as chair and president to many of them. For example, Dr. Reyes had been President of 2nd District Dental Society, as well as chair of their oral health committee. At the state level she had been the membership chair and chair of the National Children's Dental Health Month. At the ADA level she was on Council of Membership, Credentials, Rules and Order, Dental Education and Legislative Matters Reference Committee and a mega topic facilitator.

In addition, she spearheaded several positions at the American Dental Association Foundation including grants, audit, GKAS and ultimately President.

Dr. Reyes has also held many different positions at the GNYDM since 1994 and the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry. She also has been on staff at NY Methodist Hospital since 1999 all while maintaining a private practice.

Dr. Reyes has also been recognized and bestowed numerous Community Service Awards since 1990 and is very active in her local church as well.

It is this passion for the profession, community and commitment to teaching that we recognize Dr. Reneida Reyes as this year's recipient of the 2022 Scrubs and Stiletos Leadership and Service award.

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- 8:45 AM Keynote Address & Award Presentation
- 9:30 AM Round Table Session #1
- 10:30 AM Round Table Session #2
- 11:30 AM Round Table Session #3

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Julia Cheung, DMD

“Dental Trauma—Creating an Endodontic Plan” (Table 1) Creating a plan with the correct protocols is essential to ensuring the best overall outcome when managing dental trauma. In this lecture, we will discuss what the guidelines are and review a selection of clinical cases. Dr. Cheung received her dental degree from the University of Pennsylvania where she graduated with honors in community health and in dentistry for the medically complex. While in dental school, she was actively involved in ASDA, most notably serving as a District Trustee and as a predoctoral consultant for the ADA Council of Scientific Affairs. She is currently completing her Endodontics Residency at Columbia University.



Roseanne Santapaola

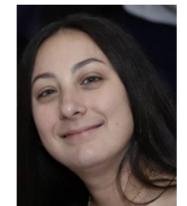
“A better way to a better you!” (Table 2) We get it. We’ve tried it all. And faltered too. Until we found a better way that is. Let us walk you through our 6 micro habits of health which create a healthy balanced life. If you are someone who wants to reclaim your health and change your lifestyle, you’ve come to the right place.

Tina and Rosanne are Certified Optavia Health Coaches and owners of One Healthy Direction, a health and wellness micro franchise, providing nutritional and emotional management for a lifelong healthy lifestyle.



Tina Roberts

“Legal Issues in Purchases, Sales and DSO Contracts” (Table 3) This presentation will address legal considerations in buying or selling a practice as well as DSO contracts. Ms. Kulb received her BA/JD from Tulane Univ. and is an Associate Attorney at Jacobson, Goldberg & Kulb LLP representing dentists in the above matters.



Jill Kulb, Esq.

“Immediate Tooth Replacement Therapy” (Table 4) Immediate implant placement and provisional restoration, for single teeth in the anterior (esthetic zone) and in the posterior zone have become the feasible treatment options since its introduction in the late 1990s. It allows for soft tissue stability and esthetics in a shorter period of time. We will discuss the proper treatment planning, surgical and prosthetic protocols to achieve the predictable outcomes. Dr. Valentina Lyssova received her Doctorate in Dental Surgery from New York University College of Dentistry in 2005. She completed her postgraduate prosthodontic training at New York University College of Dentistry. Dr. Lyssova earned a maxillo-facial prosthodontist degree at the Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center and completed high-intensity training in implant surgery at the Columbia University School of Medicine.



Valentina Lyssova, DDS



Parul Dua Makkar, DDS

“The Irreplaceable Loss—A Young Dentist Dies of Cancer” (Table 5) Setting a new gold standard for dental screenings by recognizing signs of oral cancer as well as knowing the risk factors and the role of HPV. We will discuss how to advocate for yourself and your patients, HPV vaccines, when to biopsy. We will also learn from the writings of the late Dr. Mano Dua. Dr. Makkar received her DDS from the University of Oklahoma, did a GPR at Staten Island University Hospital and is currently in private practice in Jericho, NY. She was a 2022 recipient of the Denobi Award, for outstanding contributions in the field of dentistry.



Rabia Yilan, DDS

“Root Canal Disinfection” (Table 6) This lecture is a review of the materials used in endodontic disinfection and an introduction to recent advances in techniques used in cleaning and disinfecting the root canal system. Dr. Yilan graduated from Stony Brook School of Dental Medicine in 2014. She did a one-year GPR at North Shore Hospital and then completed her advanced training in Endodontics at Stony Brook Endodontic Program in 2017. Dr. Yilan has a private practice limited to endodontics in Jericho.



Vera Tang, DDS, MS

“Robotic Assisted Implant Dentistry” (Table 7)

This course will outline robotic workflow related to single and multiple unit implant placement as well as explain the benefits of restorative vs. surgical driven implant placement. Vera W. L. Tang, D.D.S., M.S., F.I.C.D, F.A.C.D. is a clinical assistant professor, vice chair, and director of Predoctoral Periodontics in the department of Periodontics and Implant Dentistry at New York University College of Dentistry. Dr. Tang received her dental degree with honors from New York University College of Dentistry in New York. She earned her certificate in periodontics and master’s in dental science from the University of Florida College of Dentistry in Gainesville, Florida. Dr. Tang is a Diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology. Her private practice is limited to periodontics in New York City. In addition, Dr. Tang has been active in organized dentistry since 1998. She has served in a leadership capacity on numerous councils, committees, and organizations locally, regionally, and nationally. She is the past president of the Northeastern Society of Periodontists and the NYUCD Alumni. She is currently serving as the Secretary of the New York County Dental Society.



Mita A. Parikh, DMD

“Bits and Bytes - Orthodontics in the Digital Age” (Table 8) Technology has been integrated into the daily practice of dentistry. Find out how technology has really changed the orthodontic experience for your patient. Learn how it has improved orthodontic treatment planning, decreased treatment time, and increased cosmetic treatment options for all malocclusions. Dr. Parikh is the owner and founder of Hidden Smiles Orthodontics in Huntington, NY. She is a Board Certified Orthodontist who received her DDS at the University of Pennsylvania and her Certificate of Orthodontics at NYU.



Tracey Rosenberg, DDS, MD

“The Expanded Use of Botox for treating TMJ and Myofascial Pain Disorders” (Table 9) Botox administration is a minimally invasive technique used for facial rejuvenation. It works by inhibiting the contraction of muscles of the face that when continuously contracting lead to the formation of deep lines or wrinkles. An expanded use of Botox is injecting it into the muscles of mastication in TMJ patients whose problem is mostly myalgias and myositis. Excessive muscular activity of these muscles can lead to orofacial pain in people with bruxism. The utility of this neurotoxin has expanded to TMJ patients and has been successful at reducing facial pain in patients who have failed other conservative therapies. Dr. Tracey Rosenberg is a native of Winnipeg, Canada. In 2005 she joined the private practice, Plainview and Massapequa Oral Surgery, now called Leading Edge Oral Surgery. She is currently Chief of Oral Surgery at Northwell Health/Plainview Hospital, and was a former Assistant Professor at Columbia University Medical Center. She was recently appointed as a board examiner to the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery.



Jacqueline Abraham, DDS

“Full Arch Fixed Implant Restorations” (Table 10) An overview of treating patients requiring full arch rehabilitation that choose fixed restorations on implants. It can be overwhelming deciding how to start helping patients with a failed dentition. I will review the different materials that are available as well as different methods and workflows to aid in treating these patients. Dr. Abraham holds a BA in Economics from Stony Brook University where she graduated Summa Cum Laude. She received her DDS degree from SBU School of Dentistry, did a GPR and then completed her specialty training in Prosthodontics, also at Stony Brook.



Lisa Ritter-Kahn, DMD

“Knowing Your Value to Your Patients and Your Community” (Table 11) This lecture will discuss different practice models in our community, and compensation structures, and how to best build your value to your patients and community. Dr. Lisa Ritter-Kahn is an experienced Pedodontist located in Woodbury, NY. She transitioned her practice to Dental365 and now works as a Dentist-to-Dentist Officer, while maintaining her clinical practice. Ms. Kirschenbaum serves as General Counsel, and assists with acquisitions and general operational matters. She is an experienced Dental attorney and works with Nassau County and Queens County Dental Societies. They will be joined with other female leadership from Dental 365 .



Jennifer Kirschenbaum, JD

“Solea Laser Usage in Pediatric Dentistry” (Table 12) This presentation will explore the use of the Solea Laser for pediatric procedures and my experiences after three years of usage. Dr. Mentzelopoulou is in practice in Midtown Manhattan where she has been treating children, adolescents, and young adults for the past twenty years. She is also currently the President of the New York County Dental Society.



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