



# Angle Newsletter

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## Thank you, Angle Southwest!

A tremendous thank you and congratulations to Dr. Daniel Percy and Angle Southwest for their highly successful 2023 biennial meeting. The location was spectacular with the combination of beautiful weather, Fall foliage change and Santa Fe's artistic and cultural flavors. For those of who were fortunate enough to attend, we were all offered the opportunity to experience two rare events in the same morning, the optional activity to view the mass ascension of hot air balloons at the Albuquerque Balloon Festival, and just an hour later, an annular (ring of fire) eclipse from the hotel's restaurant terrace.

In addition to the social activities, the scientific program featured the top two papers from each component and two honorary lectures by Dr. James Vaden and Dr. Patrick Turley. Dr. Vaden's talk provided a wonderful and unique perspective from one of a select few with the experience and expertise to be able to present the topic. His diligence and care for his patients enabled him to show generations of success, and 40-year stability. Thank you, Dr. Vaden, for all that you continue to do for our profession. Dr. Turley gave his second Angle Memorial Lecture comprising both historical and current treatment strategies. He concluded his talk sharing details regarding Dr. Anna Hopkins Angle's unmarked grave. Through his investigative work, and communication with her descendants he was able to obtain permission to have a headstone placed where she is buried (right next to Dr. Edward Angle). I am pleased to share that the EHASO Board unanimously approved the funds to right this wrong and give her the recognition she richly deserves so that those who wish to pay their respects to her and her legacy can do so.

### A Look Back; a look Forward: Identifying our Future Giants

The 45<sup>th</sup> Biennial meeting gave us the opportunity to remember those members who passed away during the bi-

ennium and celebrate their accomplishments. While doing so, we should each pause and reflect on the honor that has been bestowed upon each of us as members. The Angle Society is special; every member must first be identified and nominated by an existing member. After attending as a sponsored component guest, each of us then must navigate the rigorous process of presenting our cases and our research recognizing that both would be critiqued by "giants" in our profession.



Every component has its historical and current giants each of whom received guidance, instruction, at times encouragement, and at other times critique from their **sponsors**. It is clear from our rich history that **sponsors** were far more; they were (and are) our professional **mentors**. The nature of our membership recruitment process, enables each of us to ultimately trace our membership back to one of Angles classes. Edward Hartley Angle's legacy, with all its faults, but more notably all its strengths remains alive and well today and must continue tomorrow, next year, next decade, and beyond!

To assure the continuation of Angle's vision, we must each **actively** reach out and tap new and younger members of our professional community to identify our **future giants**. For those of us in academics, we need to check in with our talented alumni. For those in practice, we need to reach out to our outstanding colleagues in our respective communities. Our profession is "threatened" by direct-to-consumer advertising, do it yourself orthodontics, and treatment outside the boundaries of what we know is stable and esthetic. Angle Society members hold themselves to rigorous scientific and clinical standards and will be the ones best equipped to combat and overcome these challenges by triumphing in both the arena of ideas and the marketplace. In upcoming newsletters, my goal

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*Edward H. Angle*

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| MIDWEST - A. Puntillo  | \$113,230.00          | \$112,430.00   | 54/52/2                           | 99.3%             |
| NO. Atlantic - B. Haskell  | \$228,297.29          | \$217,857.29   | 85/77/8                           | 95.4%             |
| NO. Calif - R. Champion  | \$195,072.00          | \$160,772.00   | 41/36/5                           | 79.8%             |
| NO. West - M. Wainwright, C. Matthews,<br>J. Moore                           | \$171,756.56          | \$162,001.56   | 47/42/5                           | 94.3%             |
| SO. Calif - H. Dougherty, N. Sorenson  | \$379,937.56          | \$313,057.56   | 52/40/12                          | 87.4%             |
| SO. West - R. Orr, C. Alexander  | \$158,051.00          | \$143,151.00   | 40/34/6                           | 91.1%             |
| EHASO Support  | \$50,000.00           | \$50,000.00    | 1/1/00                            | 100.0%            |
| <b>SUPPORTER TOTAL:</b>  | \$204,942.00          | \$203,942.00   | 135/129/1                         | 99.5%             |
| <b>CORPORATE TOTAL:</b>  | \$7,100.00            | \$7,100.00     | 4/4/0                             | 100.0%            |
| <b>TOTALS:</b>   | \$1,899,159.81        | \$1,737,408.07 | 528/479/49                        | 91.9%             |
| <b>Account Balance: (Includes accrued<br/>interest and investment gains)</b> | <b>\$2,262,181.00</b> |                |                                   |                   |

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Angle Society dues are billed separately for your EHASO and Component memberships.

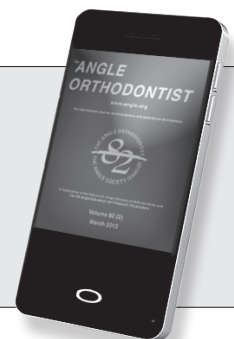
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will be to share more of our rich legacy by highlighting one more of our giants and ideally tracing their professional roots back to our founder Dr. Angle.

### Angle Net V

Thank you to Drs. Ute Schneider-Moser, Jae Park, Sercan Akyalcin, Renato Coccini for assembling another talented and experienced group for the fifth season. This year's theme will focus on orthodontic biomechanics. Each seminar will occur at 6pm European Time, 12 Noon Eastern, and 9 am Pacific. If you cannot log in live, each of the sessions will be recorded allowing you to watch at your convenience anytime for the next 2-3 weeks. Experts will share their perspective and mechanical approaches to such clinical challenges as tooth transplantation, surgical orthodontics, distalization, mechanics of clear aligners, Class II, Class III, TADs, and our traditional fixed orthodontic appliances. Each seminar should be considered "must see" or "can't miss."

### 46<sup>th</sup> Biennial: September 6-11, 2025 SAVE THE DATE

Angle North Atlantic is looking forward to hosting the 2025 biennial meeting in Nashville, TN September 6-11 2025. If you love any genre of music, Nashville is the place to visit. With a wide array of live music, if you have heard it recorded, you can hear it live in Nashville. The city is also home to art museums, parks, and other cul-

tural attractions. Our local arrangements team has been able to negotiate an attractive room rate of \$299 which is a significant accomplishment given Nashville is in the top 5 for both hotel occupancy and hotel room cost due to its popularity for tourism and conventions. The hotel is conveniently located in the heart of downtown near the Ryman Auditorium, Bridgestone Entertainment Center, Country Music Hall of Fame, and the "Honky Tonk Highway." It is highly likely that a big-name concert A big thank you to our local arrangements chair Dr. Harry Legan, a long-time Angle member who has lectured nationally and internationally in orthognathic surgery, distraction osteogenesis, and obstructive sleep apnea. Many more details will follow in subsequent meeting announcements, this newsletter, and at your component meetings so please stay tuned and save the date.

In closing, I would like to again thank not only Dr. Daniel Pearcy who served as our President during the 2021-2023 biennium, but all those who served before him. I also must thank the North Atlantic component for nominating me to serve in this role so many years ago following our biennial meeting in 2011. I look forward to serving the society and hope that I will be able to live up to the lofty standards set by those who served before me. The society has a conscientious board of servant leaders and I look forward to serving alongside them during the upcoming biennium. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me (scotconl@iu.edu). ■

## Angle Heritage Campaign (Endowment)

In 2005, the EHASO Board, in conjunction with Dr. Robert Isaacson, Editor, challenged the membership by seeking to raise \$2,000,000 to facilitate world wide open access to the Angle Orthodontist, our society's journal. The journal is a tangible manifestation of our society's mission to advance the science and practice of orthodontics. This goal was reached in 2021 through both contributions and the careful stewardship and investment of these funds. Based on the most recent impact factor, *The Angle Orthodontist* now ranks as the highest rated orthodontic journal in the world. While we celebrate this now, we must also look to the day when it will transition to be online only as several other orthodontic publications are doing. Just as practice costs have increased, so too have printing and publication costs. Our goal is to continue to grow the endowment through actively soliciting pledges from members who have not yet had the opportunity to give,

from members who have been blessed to be able to give more, and from continued prudent investments. Like the Society, our journal must continue to grow and thrive.

If you have not already given, please consider donating the gift of a case. This can be a great option when you treat a referring dentist's child by asking them to donate to the endowment campaign in exchange for the treatment you provide. If you have already given, please consider increasing your pledge. For those approaching or in retirement, please consider donation through your IRA's required RMD to reduce your tax burden. Finally, for those who are developing your estate plans, please consider a gift in remembrance of the Angle Society in your will.

**Please make out checks to the E. H. Angle Education and Research Foundation, Inc.** If a grateful patient or

referring dentist is making the donation, please be sure they list your name in the memo line to that credit can be given to you. If you have any questions, please con-

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tact the Edward H. Angle Foundation Treasurer Dr. Ron Champion, or me the Campaign Chair and we will be happy to assist you. ■

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## Component News

### Angle Midwest 2023

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Thank you again for our 2023 Kohler, Wisconsin meeting: Midwest president **Dr. Marissa Keesler**, husband **Dr. Jeff Keesler**, their children, and their employees along with the assistance of “Accent on Management” hosted another Angle Midwest annual meeting packed with activities in a winter wonderland. We are most grateful for the leadership of **Dr. Keesler**, in general, and for securing **American Orthodontics** as our exclusive meeting sponsor, in particular.

Under the steady hand of our 2023-2024 president, **Dr. Tony Puntillo**, Angle Midwest is returning to Southwest Florida for our **2024 annual meeting** – the 94<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Midwest Component of the Edward H. Angle Society of Orthodontics. Our robust component will meet at the Naples Grande Hotel February 2 – 7, 2024. The spectacular resort includes a state-of-the-art spa, three pools, three miles of white Gulf of Mexico beach, an open-air tram through a 200-acre Mangrove Estuary, a private beach including a ½ mile boardwalk to take in the sights and sounds of the estuary, an 18-hole championship golf course and 15 championship clay tennis courts. Our meeting sponsors arranged by president

**Dr. Puntillo** are **Align Technologies, American Orthodontics** and **Dynaflex**. Thank you for your contributions to assist us in offering another magnificent meeting permitting **Dr. Puntillo** and his wife **Mary Carol** to offer two breath-taking tours: 1) a sun-drenched, narrated excursion of the sites of Naples Bay on custom 48’ catamarans where our members, spouses, friends, and children will get an up-close view of dolphins, manatees, sea turtles and local eagles, 2) a guided backwater fishing excursion to not only catch Florida’s prized game fish but also experience the serenity of the backcountry’s abundance of birds and other wildlife. Other activities offered include 1) a golf outing sponsored by **American Orthodontics** at the lush Naples Grande Golf Club, 2) a Pickleball tournament, 3) a hands-on gourmet Italian pasta cooking class offered by the Naples Grande Executive Chef, Jim O’Connor and, 4) a Key Lime Tarts desert making experience taught again by Naples Grande Executive Chef, Jim O’Connor.

Our awards banquet, sponsored by **Align**, (will include music by **Carl of Naples** a local vocalist and tenor saxophone virtuoso) will welcome new members: **Dr. Saud Alhasawi**, **Dr. Cristiana Araújo**, **Dr. Benjamin Belavsky**, **Dr. Richard Ng**, **Dr. Brunilda Ortiz-Giuliani**, **Dr. Mark Rosenthal**, **Dr. Lina Sharab**, **Dr. Kyungsup Shin**, and **Dr. Naoto Suda**. Congratulations all of you who will lead us into our bright future. Congratulations also to **Drs. Andrea Font Rytzner** and **Dr. Richard Ng** whose papers, presented as a partial fulfillment of their membership, were selected, and successfully delivered at the **45<sup>th</sup> EHASO Biennial** in Santa Fe, New Mexico on Thursday, October 12 by **Dr. Font** (Volumetric, Skeletal and Soft Tissue Changes in the Naso-maxillary Complex Comparing Two Types of Maxillary Expanders using CBCT) and Friday, October 13 by **Dr. Ng** (Insertion Torque and Success of Extra-alveolar Mandibular Buccal Shelf Mini-screws).



*Angle Midwest 2023, Kohler, Wisconsin.*



*Longtime Midwest members Drs. Greer, Sarver, Long, McNamara & their better halves! Regent Cruise to Italy, Greece, Montenegro & Croatia.*

Our 2024 scientific program chair, **Dr. Bridget Miller** is presently assembling another significant scientific program. Admission chair, **Dr. Lew Sample**, his secretary, **Dr. Spencer Pope**, and his tireless committee will once again be quite busy for our 2024 meeting as they interview guests **Dr. Christopher Crane** (Indiana) sponsored by



*This summer Dr. Jing Zhou and her family (husband Joe, daughter Zoey, and son Michael) climb the Dolomites of northern Italy.*



Springtime Angle fun in Holland as **Dr. Ron Snyder** visits affiliate **Dr. Ursula Puetter** (with husband **Guilherme Romano Teixeira**) and member **Dr. Fernanda Sanders-Mello**.



Angle Midwest members in Santa Fe, New Mexico at the 2023 Biennial (left to right): **Drs. Ron Jacobson, Andrea Font Rytzner, Tony Puntillo, Steve Marshall, Jing Zhou, Greg Oppenhuizen, Jim Vaden, and Ron Snyder**.

**Dr. Puntillo, Dr. Daniel Rejman** (Castle Rock, CO) sponsored by **Drs. Roberto Hernandez-Orsini and Tim Trulove, Dr. Michael Lee** (St. Louis, MO) sponsored by **Dr. Ki Beom Kim, Dr. Sudha Gudhimella**, (Louisville, KY) sponsored by **Drs. Toru Deguchi and Saran Huja** and finally guests at-large **Dr. Zouhair Abidine** (Casablanca, Morocco), **Dr. Zakaria Bentahar**, (Casablanca, Morocco) both sponsored by **Drs. Flavia Artese and Jose Miguel**, and **Dr. Claudia Pinter** (Vienna, Austria) sponsored by **Dr. Ki Beom Kim**.

**Dr. Sample** and his committee will continue to review cases of our bounty of affiliates including first year affiliate **Dr. Ahmed Ghomeina** who returns to us from Dubai. They will also get an initial look at the work of candidates; **Dr. Minnie Vishwanath, Dr. Chris DeLeon, Dr. Marcel Farret, Dr. Padma Mukherjee, Dr. Nelson Ruiz-Febo, Dr. Nellie Kim-Weroha and Dr. Dori Freeland**.



Angle Midwest is proud of **Drs. Andrea Font Rytzner and Richard Ng** - our presenters at the 2023 Biennial. Thank you both for marvelously representing our component.



Angle Midwest members at the 2023 Biennial on the steps of The Cathedral Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi in Santa Fe, New Mexico – left to right: **Drs. Ron Jacobson, Mark Rosenthal, Ray Tsou, Greg Oppenhuizen, Ron Snyder, Andrea Font Rytzner, Richard Ng, and Jing Zhou**.

Study committee chair, **Dr. Toru Deguchi**, his secretary **Dr. Flavia Artese** and his committee will meet with all affiliates assisting them in their progress towards their membership scientific presentations while reviewing membership required cases of **Drs. Falvia Artese, Sergio Cardiel-Rios, Chris Chang, Tim Trulove, Barry Whately, Jay Whitley, Myung-Rip Kim, Jim McNamara, Steve Sherman, Randy Wright, Kim Boem Kim, Jing Zhou, Nicole Eberle and Ahmed Masoud.**

Midwest membership continues to have an important presence in the leadership of **The American Board of Orthodontics** with members **Dr. Tim Trulove** as ABO President for 2023-24, **Roberto Hernandez-Orsini** as the new MASO ABO Director and **Dr. Tony Puntillo** as GLAO ABO Director. Additionally, we have two ABO directors attending our 2024 meeting as a guest and candidate respectfully: **Dr. Daniel Rejman** and **Dr. Minnie Vishwanath**. Thank you for your persistent commitment to the future of our specialty. Speaking of commitment and the ABO, our own

**Dr. Allen Moffitt** is in the news as the well-deserved 2024 Dale B. Wade Award of Excellence in Orthodontics recipient which will be awarded at the 2024 AAO in New Orleans.

Also in the Angle Midwest news is **Dr. David Sarver** as the 2024 recipient of the SAO Orthodontic Legend Award which originated in 2008. **Dr. Sarver** follows past admired and esteemed educators, leaders, and mentors; **Dr. William Proffit** (2008), **Dr. John Casko** (2009), **Dr. Henry Field** (2015), **Dr. James Vaden** (2016) and **Dr. Eladio DeLeon** (2023). **Dr. Andrea Font Rytzer** is presently the president of the Texas Association of Orthodontists.

Since our last newsletter it is with a heavy heart to share the news that **Dr. Jeffrey Harvey** (Morehead, Minnesota) passed away on July 22, 2023, after a long struggle with illness. Although **Dr. Harvey** he did not complete his admissions requirements we all recall is sharp mind, curiosity, and wry humor. ■

## Angle North Atlantic

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### Meeting News

Angle North Atlantic 2024 Meeting: April 3-6, 2024, Quebec Canada. We expect to have another excellent scientific session. Fourteen prospective members have submitted applications for membership.

### Member News

**Dr. Katherine Vig** has transitioned to full retirement from her P/T faculty position at Harvard. Her last presentation was at the 2022 AAO meeting in Miami where she was the recipient of the 2022 Lifetime Achievement Award. Although she no longer attends meetings, she will only write occasional review articles. After a long delay because of COVID, she co-author with Graber, Huang, Fleming the 7th edition of *Orthodontics-Current Principles and*



*Techniques*. A copy of each book was sent to all orthodontic department- what a wonderful gesture!

**Dr. Marcio Almeida** was appointed as the next President of the upcoming Orthodontic Brazilian Congress called OrtoSPO held by the Sociedade Paulista de Ortodontia (SPO). This is their main congress and one of the largest in Brazil. The biggest congress of the Latino America that will be held in October 2-4, 2024 in São Paulo.

**Dr. Neil Kravitz** is the Editor-in-Chief of the *Journal of Clinical Orthodontics*, recently became an Assistant Clinical Faculty at Harvard's orthodontic program. He completed my term on the AAO CTech (Committee on Technology), where he was chair for the past two years. He will also be giving the John Valentine Mershon lecture at this year's





*Dr. Kazuo Yamaguchi, recipient of the first Angle Prize is holding the plaque at the 2023 Biennial Meeting in Santa Fe.*

AAO Annual Session meeting in New Orleans.

**Dr. Davakar Karanth** was awarded a \$30,000 James A. McNamara Orthodontic Faculty Fellowship Award from the American Association of Orthodontists Foundation, for his research project, “Machine Learning Model to Assess the External Apical Root Resorption from the CBCT Image.” Dr. Karanth will utilize the AAOF fellowship award to implement artificial intelligence in orthodontics to provide better care for patients, particularly when it

comes to undetected root resorption, the process in which inflammation results in the body progressively breaking down and resorbing the roots.



**Dr. Sumit Yadav** received the Fred F. Schudy Memorial Biomedical Research Award for \$40,000 from the American Association of Orthodontists Foundation, for his research project.

**Dr. Grant G. Coleman**, had an article published in the April 2022 issue of the Journal of Clinical Orthodontics: “A New Device For Erupting Impacted Canines”, JCO, Vol 56, Issue #4. The members look forward to seeing the data on this new device and how it will impact the rate of tooth movement.

**Dr. Ming-Yu Chen** has published several articles ranging from pain control to wire properties.

**Dr. Ravi Nanda** is circling the world giving lectures.

Angle North Atlantic members at the Australian Society of Orthodontists Foundation for Research and Education (ASOFRE) meeting (May 19-20, 2023), Sydney, Australia. ■



*L to R: Steven Naoum, Hilton Wasilewsky, Michael Woods, Steven Lindauer, Mithran Goonewardene, Mike Razza.*

## Angle East

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Angle-East members met in June 2023 in Strasbourg France. Angle East member and 2023 president Dr. Yves Bolender (Head of Orthodontics at the Faculté de chirurgie dentaire de Strasbourg) provided a great meeting environment utilizing the auditorium of the Strasbourg School of Dentistry and Hôtel Les Haras for accommodation and social functions.

Congratulations to Dr. Ute Schneider-Moser for winning the “Best Paper” award at the meeting in Strasbourg and for receiving the most distinguished award of Angle-East: “The Harvey Peck Memorial Award.” Ute has been an

inspirational Angle-East member who has served our profession relentlessly during the COVID-19 pandemic and after establishing solid ties with Angle-Europe and the AngleNET webinar platform in conjunction with Dr. Renato Cocconi and others. AngleNET platform and the hosted lectures from the Angle Society members provided an excellent knowledge resource to our colleagues and thousands of residents around the globe. In addition to her many great accomplishments within the Angle Society, Dr. Schneider-Moser is getting ready to serve as the President of the Italian Orthodontic Society/Società Italiana di Ortodonzia (SIDO) in 2024.



*Angle-East members, guests and affiliates at the Faculté de chirurgie dentaire de Strasbourg.*



*Angle-East members, guests, affiliates and their families at Hôtel Les Haras.*



*Dr. Ute Schneider-Moser with the Angle-East 2023 president Dr. Yves Bolender.*

Angle-East honored Dr. Anne Todd with the “Distinguished Service Award” for her years of dedication to Angle-East in many different roles and particularly, excellent leadership and service as secretary during the COVID-19 pandemic. Anne has always been the most organized and diligent and has served as a role model for our younger members



*Drs. Yves Bolender, Anne Todd and David De Franco.*

Congratulations to our member, Dr. Georgios Kanavakis for his new full-time appointment as Assistant Professor of Orthodontics at National Kapodistrian University of Athens in Greece. Georgios was formerly teaching at the University of Basel in Switzerland as Senior Lecturer and Deputy Clinic Director.



*Dr. Georgios Kanavakis.*

Many of our Angle-East members recently attended and gave many interesting presentations at the 54th International Congress of SIDO Meeting in Rome between October 12 and 14, 2023. The theme of the meeting was “Efficiency in Orthodontics: Excellence Made Essential.” The meeting was held in conjunction with Biomed – 2<sup>nd</sup> Orthodontic Biomechanics and 14<sup>th</sup> World Implant Orthodontic Conference. ■



*Angle-East members at the 54<sup>th</sup> International Meeting of SIDO: Drs. Birte Melsen, Sylvain Chamberland, Benedict Wilmes, Sercan Akyalcin, Ute Schneider-Moser, Sercan Akyalcin and Ambra Michelotti.*

# Angle Northwest

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## VANCOUVER, BC 2023

The Northwest component of the Edward H. Angle Society held our winter meeting at the Pan Pacific Hotel, Vancouver, BC, Canada, February 2-5, 2023. We once again had an excellent winter meeting due to the endless planning and hard work of our President-Elect Brian Hartman. We were fortunate enough to have 12 residents from the University of British Columbia graduate orthodontic program at the meeting in hopes of encouraging the future of our profession to explore a higher commitment to our specialty. We had several NW component members and several



*Our Friday night social event included a dinner at the Bill Reid Gallery displaying First Nation art work.*

prospective members present informative lectures on varying subjects. Our model case display room was a success stimulating great conversations on treatment protocol between members. Congratulations to one of our previous affiliate members, Dr. Chris Riolo who successfully completed his case and presentation requirements to become a regular member.

## ADMISSIONS COMMITTEE

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| BC:    | Sandy Maduke/Todd Moore         |
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| OR:    | Daniel Phillips/Howard Freedman |

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

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*Reuniting of colleagues from time spent together at OHSU: Dr. Larry Doyle, Dr. Brian Hartman, and Dr. Tung Nguyen.*



(Left to right) Drs. Mike Chaffee, Brian Hartman, Joe Safirstein, Peter Shapiro, and Hugh Lamont giving feedback to our Affiliates in our model display room.



Dr. Chris Riolo (left, with President Dr. Diane Doppel on the right) completed his requirements for Angle membership with his lecture on "Esthetic Adult Orthodontic Treatment."

Dr. Samson Ng gave an excellent presentation titled, "Lumps, Bumps, and Beyond: Mastering the Fundamentals" in his role as our guest lecturer. Dr. Ng joined us from Vancouver, BC, where he is a Canadian and American board-certified oral medicine specialist and oral & maxillofacial pathologist. He is currently appointed as a clinical associate profes-



sor at the University of British Columbia. In addition, he is a research clinician at the Department of Otolaryngology at the Vancouver General Hospital. Dr. Ng also operates a private practice which provides comprehensive oral medicine and pathology consultations, with a special interest in oral mucosal and temporomandibular joint disease.

Dr. Tung Nguyen gave our second guest lecture, an excellent presentation titled, "Skeletal Anchorage and Dentofacial Orthopedics: Endless Possibilities or Hidden Dangers?" Dr. Tung Nguyen completed his dental training at Tufts University, and received his Master's degree/Certificate in Orthodontics at the University of North Carolina. He completed the William R. Profit Teaching Fellowship before joining the faculty at the University of North Carolina. He is the Zaytoun Endowed Professor and Program Director at UNC, a Diplomate of the American Board of Orthodontics, and a member of the Angle Society of Orthodontists. He received the B. F. and Helen E. Dewel Award for best clinical research from the American Journal of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics for his work with Class III bone anchors. Dr. Nguyen has over 100 publications and book chapters, and has lectured nationally and internationally.



Svein Tufts shared his inspirational story with members and their guests during our Friday morning program. He is a legendary cyclist from Canada who has competed in everything from the Tour De France to multi-day endurance back country adventure races. His cycling accomplishments are world renown and his back country adventures are inspiring. Mr. Tufts lecture was titled: "From Train Hopping HoBo to Racing the Tour De France."



We had a talented group of residents attend from the University of British Columbia.



*We had a diverse group of affiliate candidates and other guests in attendance seeking membership through a clinical or academic pathway.*

Angle Northwest member Dr. Dan Phillips gave a presentation Friday afternoon titled, "Practice Transitions: Possibilities, Practicalities, and Pitfalls." Dr. Phillips gave us a lot to think about when considering any type of practice transition.



Dr. Johnny Liaw was unable to attend our meeting last year in person due to travel restrictions. He was able to fulfill his requirements for Angle membership with a remote lecture, and fortunately was able to join us this year and receive his certificate.



Dr. Bernardo Peres started our Saturday morning program with a guest lecture titled, "Precision Medicine in Sleep Apnea: Are We There Yet?" Dr. Peres has an impressive resume which includes a DDS degree from Federal University of Santa Maria, a MSc, and a PhD in Craniofacial Sciences from the University of British Columbia. He also has several publications regarding sleep science and dental materials.



Dr. Bing Zhou Started our Sunday morning lectures with an initial presentation for membership via the academic pathway titled, "Clear Aligner Therapy: Where are We Now?" It was an insightful lecture on efficacy of clear aligner therapy. She currently is on faculty at University of British Columbia.



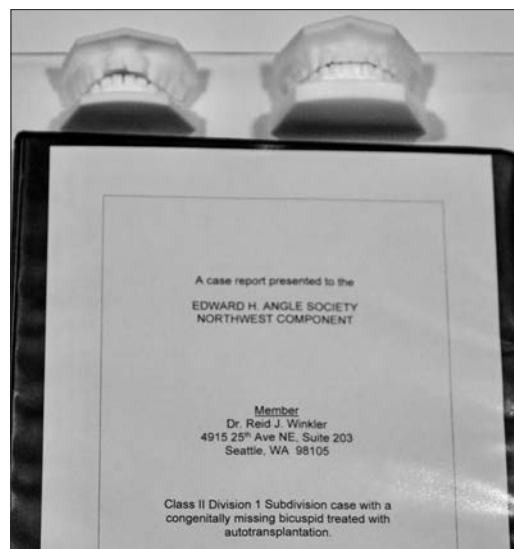
Angle Northwest regular member Dr. Dorothy Sonya gave a presentation titled, "Radiographic Examination of Alveolar Graft Sites." Her enthusiasm for working with cleft patients is inspiring.



Regular member Tae Woo Kim ended our meeting with an excellent presentation titled, "Aligning the Ankylosed Tooth with Distraction Osteogenesis."



Regular member Reid Winkler won our annual best treated case as voted by the general membership. Congratulations Reid! ■



## Angle Northern California

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### Future Meetings

January 26, 2024  
Zoom Meeting

March 23-28, 2024  
First International Away Meeting-Tokyo, Japan

November 1-3, 2024  
Away Meeting-Carmel-by-the-Sea, CA

### Meeting News

Angle Northern California attendees joined our Angle colleagues at the biennial meeting. Angle Southwest hosted an excellent meeting with a robust scientific session. Thursday morning Northern California's James Chen presented "Predicting orthognathic surgical need and orthodontic treatment success for class III malocclusions" and Dr. Jeff Nickel (Angle Northwest) served as his discussor. Friday morning Dr. Seung-Hak Baek presented "Clinical Implication of Spheno-Occipital Synchondrosis Fusion" Dr. Laura Iwasaki (Angle Northwest) served as his discussor. Drs. Straty Ryghellis and Jae Park also offered their expertise as discussors during the scientific program. Members enjoyed the mass ascension at the Albuquerque balloon festival and Angle



*Cherry Blossom Season Japan.*



*Dr. Paul Kasrovi, Karen Champion, and Dr. Ron Champion.*

Southwest even provided our members with a solar eclipse....

Our first NCASO international meeting will be a six-day venue in Japan from March 24 - March 29, 2024. The meeting will take place during the magical cherry blossom season, and will be held in Tokyo as well as Lake Kawaguchi, one of the five lakes near Mount Fuji. There will be three scientific meetings during our six-day venue which will include highly esteem speakers as



*Front Row: Drs. Tatsuo Ryu, Bella Shen, Tom Marcel, Seung-Hak Baek, Heesoo Oh. Middle Row: Drs. Ann Marie Gorczyca, Jae Park, Ron Champion, Sneha Oberoi. Back Row: Drs. Frederick Berardinelli, Straty Righellis, Gary Baughmen, and Paul Kasrovi.*



*Dr. Straty Righellis, Dr. Sunil Kapila, Yavonne Kapila, Dr. Sneha Oberoi, Dr. Paul Kasrovi, and Dr. Tom Marcel.*



*Drs. Tom Marcel, Sunil Kapila, and Sneha Oberoi.*



*Thank you Angle Southwest for a wonderful experience.*

Dr. Takayuki Kuroda, past president of IADR and honorary professor of Tokyo Medical and Dental University, and our own Northern California component member Dr. Heon Jae Cho, past program director of Dept of Orthodontics at UOP Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry. Lecture topics will include digital orthodontics and clinical case presentations. A welcome dinner will be hosted by

ASO International Lab which is a leading orthodontic lab in Japan. Dispersed between our scientific meetings, our attendees will have the opportunity to visit the exciting Ginza shopping and dining district and visit historical sites such as the Imperial Palace in Tokyo. Attendees will also experience the hot springs & modern tatami lodgings in Lake Kawaguchi and explore ice/wind caves





*Dr. Paul Kasrovi and Dr. Howard Freedman (Angle Northwest).*



*Dr. Paul Kasrovi and Dr. David Briss (Angle East).*



*Dr. Straty Righellis and Dr. Enrique Grageda (Southern California).*

in the Mount Fuji region. We want to give a big shout out to our Japanese Meeting Planning team who created this amazing itinerary. The planning team consists of

NCASO active and affiliate members Drs. Kiyoshi Tai, Isao Matsuno, Tatsuo Ryo, and Akiko Natori (all who reside in Japan). ■

## Angle Southern California

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### Spring 3-Day Scientific Meeting March 10-12, 2023

Angle Southern California is blessed to be in proximity to where some of the historical and geographical heritage of our founder, Dr. Edward H. Angle and his School of Orthodontia occurred in nearby Pasadena, California. In 1922, it was Dr. Angle's students that formed the Edward H. Angle Society of Orthodontists. These people along with Dr. Angle, formulated a 'study club' method, in an effort to promote thorough and comprehensive diagno-

sis and treatment planning of their orthodontic cases. The study club modus operandi continues to this day with Angle Southern California!

Angle Southern California's Spring 3-Day Scientific Meeting sets aside the first day of the meeting (Friday) as a 'study club' event, at which time the Affiliate and Regular Members are required to present the records of two recently completed cases. This is in harmony with Dr. Edward H. Angle's concept of sharing, learning, and discussing many types of malocclusions. The orthodontic residents from nearby USC, UCLA and LLU certainly enjoy looking at the many cases on display and being given the opportunity to speak with the clinicians about their case presentations.





The Saturday and Sunday portions of the 3-Day Scientific Meeting are usually set aside for lecture presentations by renowned orthodontic clinicians and speakers. This year we had **Dr. S. Jay Bowman** and **Dr. Dan Grauer** as our featured speakers.

**Saturday:**

**Dr. S. Jay Bowman, DMD, MSD** spoke on **Everything Except the Kitchen Sink ... But on Second Thought.**

**Course Description**

This far-reaching analysis will encompass facial esthetics, Class II combination therapy, the Butterfly System, crossbite correction, Monkey Hooks, Kilroy Springs, Class II mechanics, Distal Jet, Invisalign, miniscrews, as well as demineralization stains. These topics and more will be covered in vignettes spread throughout the morning and afternoon. Dr. Bowman will impart details from his experiences to help you determine type from functionality.



- **Much ado about Facial Esthetics:** Extraction, Expansion and Early Treatment
- **A Spike in the Ice:** Miniscrew Anchorage Applications
- **All Roads Lead to Rome for Class II**
- **Distalization:** Bad English, Good Practice
- **Uno, Dos, Tres:** All Miniscrews in the Same Place for all Angle Classes
- **Drastic Plastic:** Improving the Predictability of Clear Aligners

**Sunday:**

**Dr. Dan Grauer, DDS, BDS, MS, MOrth, PhD** spoke on **Reflections From a Non-Conformist Orthodontist: Digital-Orthodontic-Design**

**Course Description**

Adult interdisciplinary orthodontics require special attention to details that involve the interaction with restorative dentists and specialists. The orthodontic options are expanded by using customized orthodontics, an



interdisciplinary approach and three-dimensional imaging. Today, it is not enough to do things 'the way we have always done it.' Rational use of technology will improve communication and treatment outcomes. In this presentation we will expose the audience to three-dimensional imaging in diagnosis and treatment planning: customized appliances based on smile design and special considerations including orthodontic surgery and cosmetic dentistry.

### Objectives

1. Learn the advantages of custom designed and manufactured appliances.
2. Incorporate 3D imaging into diagnosis and treatment planning.
3. Expand thresholds of treatment by incorporating orthognathic surgery and restorative dentistry.

### Schedule

- a. Part I: Records, positioning of incisors and flowchart.
- b. Part II: Orthodontic-restorative dentistry connection.
- c. Part III: Orthodontic-orthognathic connection.

(The material on this page in regards to Upcoming Meetings should go on Page 6 of the Newsletter.)

### Upcoming Meetings

- EHASO Biennial Meeting – October 11-14 – Santa Fe, NM
- Angle Southern California Spring 3-Day Meeting – March 8-10, 2024 - Hawaii

*Dave Ryneason – Editor, Angle Southern California*

Editor's Comment: As I think about the wonderful world of orthodontics, I know that I have benefitted by the *Angle Orthodontist* journal in practicing and teaching orthodontics. For me, the Angle Society has been an energizing and inspirational group of orthodontists that also love orthodontics, student education and patient benefit. I believe that 'Open Access' to our *Angle Orthodontist* journal promotes our profession, student education and a quality patient benefit supported by accessible *Angle Orthodontist* literature. Therefore, I am reprinting a 2008 article by Dr. Robert Isaacson and a 2013 article by Dr. Steven Lindauer. – *Dave Ryneason*

## Are You One of These People?

### Robert J. Isaacson

*Angle Orthod* (2008) 78 (5): 961–962.

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Are you one of the people who made some of the over 6,000,000 hits on [www.angle.org](http://www.angle.org) in the past two years? If you did, chances are you found information that was useful and interesting. Did you feel good realizing that your profession was supplying high-quality orthodontic science to everyone on the globe irrespective of everything else? Did you feel a bit of pride that your profession was doing that which defines a profession—putting the patients' best interest ahead of its own interest? In this day of entrepreneurship, we are besieged by heavy duty marketing, and the service concept is under assault. Does everything that succeeds have to have a profit immutably built into it?



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It does not take an MBA to understand that there is no free lunch. However, the important question here is whether the Angle Foundation and its policy of open access is a harbinger of things to come or is it hopelessly naive? Certainly there are costs associated with making this service available free to the world, and why would leaders in orthodontics wish to use their own hard-earned money to make others (even potential competitors) become better at their shared profession?

What is this almost unknown Angle Foundation? It could well be that even its members are only marginally aware of their membership. The Foundation, an offspring of the better known Angle Society, was created to focus on publishing *The Angle Orthodontist* and was a primary mission of the Society when it was originally organized in 1931. Most Foundation business is conducted by its Board of Directors at its biennial meeting, and the Directors are responsible for the journal's current success. The Foundation is unique in serving as its own publisher so no commercial firm can influence the operations. The Board believes it is on the right side of this issue, and the Directors believe that time will prove this position is the correct posture. They are not alone on this since NIH officials and other leaders in medical research and

information dissemination have long supported the Open Access movement.

But I digress. No one will disagree on the merits of sharing science. The economic question is the overriding issue. Someone must pay the bills no matter the merits of the issue. In orthodontics most journals have followed the fee-for-service and profit model. The hits on our Web site and the hits on their Web sites, if known, would speak volumes of the usage. Moreover, how much revenue can a major publisher derive from a \$25–\$35 charge to you every time you want to read a single article? Lacking objective data and based only on hearsay, I'm willing to hypothesize that it's a very nominal amount. If there are data otherwise, it would be a good argument for rethinking our posture, but I doubt such evidence will come. If this hypothesis is true, there is only a relatively trivial piece of a publisher's revenue standing between orthodontics and a leadership role in the communication of scientific evidence between journals in our profession.

Given that the goal of science for all is laudable and economics is the issue, how does the Foundation propose addressing this? Thus far the Foundation has been able to cover expenses with revenue derived from sales of the printed *Angle Orthodontist*. However, the future of newspapers and journals is fairly clear. The digital media is clearly supplanting the printed page, and advertising dollars are following. You might think that we are competing with ourselves, but the consistent erosion of paper subscriptions is universal across almost all disciplines and fields.

The Foundation became aware of this direction some time ago and began a program to lead our change. Their

uncommon foresight was mandatory in order to lead and continue our mission. We now have a limited amount of advertising both on our Web site and in the printed journal. Most importantly, the Heritage Campaign is dedicated to developing an endowment fund where only the interest is available for support of the Web site. This drive, led by Rick McLaughlin, has primarily focused on the Angle Society members and to date has raised over \$1,000,000. It is estimated that we will need another million to provide adequate funds to ensure that our Open Access Web site continues to bring all the latest orthodontic scientific evidence to the world for the indefinite future.

My personal contribution to the Heritage Campaign has given me far greater satisfaction and more pleasure than any other cause I have ever supported. Orthodontics has given me a career that would be the goal of everyone if they knew what I have experienced. I have met more outstanding persons, achieved more pleasure, and lived better than I would have ever imagined possible. Where else could your donation do more good for more people? All of your contributions go to the stated goals (no overhead). This is what a Foundation is supposed to do!

The Angle Web site is free to everyone, but it is not without expenses. We are leaders now and we want to continue to show the way. While donations have thus far been primarily from Angle Society members, we welcome all who want to help. We need your help to continue to make this service available. You can be one of those who helped to keep orthodontics in a leadership role. Information is to help orthodontics and orthodontic patients—it's not a business commodity. Please give generously.

## Supporting Open Access and the AAOF

**Steven J. Lindauer**  
*Angle Orthod* (2013) 83 (3): 553.  
<https://doi.org/10.2319/0003-3219-83.3.553>

I am excited to report that the Board of Directors of the American Association of Orthodontists Foundation (AAOF) recently approved funding that will result in significant support for continuing open access to *The Angle Orthodontist* online. The AAOF will provide \$25,000 per year for the next 3 years to help preserve the Angle archives and disseminate its orthodontic scientific information throughout the world without charge to all who seek its rich assets. This marks an important step forward in ensuring that the Angle Heritage Campaign, whose purpose

is to support the online *Angle Orthodontist* in perpetuity, will be successful in reaching its \$2 million goal. I am proud to be able to count the AAOF among the many distinguished contributors to this scholarly and worthy cause.

*The Angle Orthodontist* is the only major scientific orthodontic journal with an open access policy to allow free, convenient, and unencumbered use of its



current and historical archives for readers throughout the world. During the time that the open access policy has been in place, submission of new manuscripts for publication has increased exponentially (from 120 in 2001 to nearly 1000 in 2012) and the journal's impact factor has nearly doubled (from 0.70 in 2000 to 1.21 in 2011). The website housing the journal's pages is visited >40,000 times by >25,000 unique visitors each month by users in 145 countries worldwide (Google Analytics, Nov 8–Dec 8, 2012 data).

In 2005, The Angle Heritage Campaign fund was created to keep *The Angle Orthodontist* as a free, open access journal forever. Over \$1 million has been collected toward the \$2 million goal. The recently approved additional support from the AAOF is greatly appreciated and will significantly boost efforts to fulfill the journal's mission. This means that all those who have donated to the AAOF in the past now hold a share of the credit for *The Angle Orthodontist's* future success.

The goal of the AAOF is to ensure the future viability of the orthodontic specialty by investing in the next generation of educators and researchers. Since 1994, the AAOF has provided nearly \$10 million in funding primarily in support of junior faculty members. Their campaign has been extraordinarily successful not only in terms of obtaining monetary backing but also, most significantly, in focusing the specialty's attention on the importance of preserving and strengthening its scientific and educational base. I am pleased to say that I was a recipient of 3 AAOF biomedical research awards when I was a junior faculty member. Later, I spent 6 years serving on its Planning and Awards Review Committee (PARC). These experiences have helped to make me aware of the substantial

positive impact that the AAOF has had and continues to have on the orthodontic specialty.

The Edward H. Angle Society of Orthodontists shares several goals with the AAOF. Among its purposes are:

1. To foster, support, encourage and advance the dental profession and the specialty of Orthodontics.
2. To promote excellence in Orthodontics.
3. To promote and encourage high educational standards for the education and motivation of Orthodontists.

*The Angle Orthodontist* of today plays a key role in achieving these goals. It provides the information required by orthodontists to improve their evidence-based practices as well as the vehicle by which researchers can disseminate their findings. I am honored to have been able to play a part in both of these supportive organizations, the AAOF and the Angle Society.

If you would like to donate to the AAOF, you can find information at their website: [www.aaofoundation.net](http://www.aaofoundation.net).

To contribute to the Angle Heritage Campaign to preserve free and open access to *The Angle Orthodontist* online, please go to [www.angle.org](http://www.angle.org). The procedure for making online donations has been recently updated and simplified.

**To update this, the current submissions continue at about 1000 every year (the only year over 1000 was 2020 during the pandemic!). Impact factor in 2022 had risen to 2.684. And the Heritage Campaign is now over \$2 million. ■**

# Angle Southwest

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Our new slate of officers from Left to Right, Matthew Ng- Board Member, Hiro Arimoto- Board Member at Large, Rogelio J Scougall-Vilchis- Secretary, Bradford Edgen - President, Darren Haltom- Vice President, Shannon Owens- Treasurer, and Dani Phillis- Director to National.



Dr. Kim Batterson presented her membership paper. Dr. Brad Edgren, our new president was her discussor.



Our new Affiliates Darshit Shah, and Soumya Thirumorthy with President Bradford Edgren.



Southwest Members Shannon Owens, Tucker Haltom, Mittida Raksanaves, Donna Haltom and Darren Haltom.



Rogelio J Scougall-Vilchis presented his 5 year paper, with Darren Haltom.



Shannon Owens and Keynote Speaker James Vaden.



*45th Biennial Group Photo.*



*SW Biennial Presenter Roberto Carrillo.*



*Southwest Presenter Elie Amm and Shannon Owens.*



*Scott Conley accepting the Presidency.*



*Beautiful Day in Santa Fe with our faithful At Large members.*



*Celebrating at the Gala Dinner.*

The Edward H. Angle Society

46th Biennial Meeting

# Nashville



Hilton Nashville Downtown

September 6-11, 2025

*Come join*

*Angle North*

*Atlantic for a Grand Ole Time!*