

# Cornhusker Impressions

for alumni and friends of the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Dentistry



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# First Impressions



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In the previous issue of Cornhusker Impressions, Dean John Reinhardt kindly welcomed me to the College of Dentistry in his column and turned to the Merriam-Webster dictionary to define the word "homestretch."

"That's where I am in my career right now," he said.

If I turned to the dictionary to define my feelings as I begin my tenure as Dean of the College of Dentistry, there would be many words I would want to include:

"Excited" - to be part of such a proud institution.

"Inspired" - to be working with such talented and committed faculty, staff, students, and alumni.

"Grateful" – for Dr. Reinhardt's ongoing support, as well as the support of the alumni and the college's faculty, staff, students, and partners, as we begin this journey together.

As the new academic year begins, I intend to spend a lot of time listening and learning - to all constituents - to familiarize myself with the college and to be in a position to help lead it forward. My leadership strategy includes an active partnership with, not only students, faculty, and staff, but also alumni and other friends of the college. Working together, we will establish the future vision and goals for the College of Dentistry in the areas of education, research, service, and outreach

I'm looking forward to these discussions becoming goals, to these goals becoming accomplishments, and to these partnerships becoming friendships. This is a community of talented, intelligent people, and I want to draw on your knowledge, your experience, your commitment, and your passion as together we chart a path forward for our college.

Part of that path will include partnering with our health professional colleagues across the UNMC campuses, as the College of Dentistry continues to expand and integrate into UNMC's vision of improving the health of Nebraskans throughout the state. With the college's many established outreach activities, such as Children's Dental Days in Lincoln and western Nebraska, the SHARING clinic, nursing home visits, and sealant programs, we are positioned to be an important part of this initiative. I look forward to exploring with you additional ways the College of Dentistry can positively impact the health of our fellow Nebraskans.

As I familiarize myself with the College of Dentistry, the city of Lincoln, and the state of Nebraska, I look forward to hearing from and meeting you. Please let us know when you are in Lincoln, and let me welcome you - as you have welcomed me - to the College of Dentistry.

Janet M. Guthmiller, DDS, PhD

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**Professor and Dean** 

# 2014-2015 Calendar

# September 19

Restoration of the Dental Wear Patient Using Modern Ceramic Materials Dr. Paul Hansen UNMC College of Dentistry 1:15-4:30 p.m.

# September 25

Dean's Club Dinner Embassy Suites

# September 26-27

College of Dentistry 2014 Homecoming Reunion The Fundamentals of Dental Implant Treatment Planning September 26, 8:30-11:45 a.m. Alumni Dinner and Awards September 26, 6 p.m. Embassy Suites

# October 10

American Dental Association Annual Session San Antonio, Texas College of Dentistry Alumni Reception Marriott River Center 5:30-7 p.m.

# October 21-23

Accreditation Site Visit UNMC College of Dentistry

# October 24

Pain Control and Analgesics Dr. Jack Gobetti, professor emeritus, University of Michigan School of Dentistry UNMC College of Dentistry 1:15-4:30 p.m.

# October 24

Opportunities Fair and Seminar UNMC College of Dentistry Dixon Lecture Hall and Dean's Conference Room 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

# October 31

Medical Emergencies in the Dental Office Part II: Hands on with Sim Man Dr. J. Bruce Bavitz and Dr. Darrell Ebke UNMC College of Dentistry 1:15-4:30 p.m.

# November 7-8

Nebraska Mission of Mercy Center for People in Need Lincoln

# November 14

Interprofessional Education Day East Campus Union 1-4 p.m.

# November 21

Caries Management for the Adult Restorative Patient Dr. Henry St. Germain UNMC College of Dentistry 1:15-4:30 p.m.

# December 4

Clinic Transition Ceremony UNMC College of Dentistry Dixon Lecture Hall 4 p.m.

# January 8, 2015

Weeth Lecture
Global Diagnosis
Dr. J. William Robbins, clinical
professor, University of Texas Health
Science Center, San Antonio Dental
School
Mary Riepma Ross Media Arts Center
UNL City Campus
8:15 a.m.-4 p.m.

# January 22-24, 2015

Rocky Mountain Dental Convention

# January 23, 2015

Alumni Reception Denver, Colo.

# February 6, 2015

Give Kids a Smile/Dental Day XXVII In conjunction with Interprofessional Education Day UNMC College of Dentistry

# February 13, 2015

What's New in Dentistry 2015?
Pharmacology for Oral Health Care
Providers
Dr. Wendy Hupp, associate professor,
University of Louisville School of
Dentistry
East Campus Union
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

# March 27, 2015

Professionals' Day Wentz Student Scientific Program Richard E. Bradley Memorial Lecture East Campus Union 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

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# Reaching out with new equipment, thanks to NU Foundation

Outreach events, including the annual Dental Day in the Nebraska Panhandle, got a boost this summer with the addition of new portable dental chairs and delivery units purchased with help from contributions to the University of Nebraska Foundation.

Shown here trying out the new chairs are fourth-year dental students and two of their teachers. Back row, from left, are Conner Christensen, Dr. Ernie Sigler, Dr. Jim Jenkins, and Cory Wilkinson. Front row, from left, are Renee Speidel and Whitney Carlson.

The chairs and equipment were used in Gordon, one of the sites visited during 2014 Panhandle Dental Day. Seventy students, faculty, and staff provided an estimated \$100,000 of free care June 6-7 to more than 230 children in Gordon, Chadron, Alliance, and Sidney.

"As I traveled from site to site, I was once again reminded of the magnitude of this program, the dedication of so many volunteers, and the positive impact this event has in advancing the College of Dentistry's statewide mission to improve health," said Dean John Reinhardt. "It should make all of us proud."



# A fireside chat with the ADA president

Students from Wyoming who are studying at the UNMC College of Dentistry traveled to the Wyoming Dental Association meeting June 19-22 in Jackson where they had an impromptu opportunity to talk with the president of the American Dental Association, Dr. Charles Norman III of Greensboro, N.C. Dr. Norman (third from the left in the back row) dropped by the UNMC College of Dentistry reception and spent 30 minutes talking with the students. Dr. Norman is a 1977 graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Dentistry and shares a dental practice with his son, Dr. Matt Norman in Greensboro. The UNMC College of Dentistry students said they enjoyed the conversation, and Dr. Norman said he did, too. Occasions like these are made possible by the University of Nebraska Foundation, which helps support a variety of alumni events and student leadership opportunities.

# Alumni Association ready to welcome guests to the 2014 dental reunion

The UNMC College of Dentistry Alumni Association will welcome alumni, family, and friends to the annual Dental Reunion, Sept. 26-27.

The Dental Museum exhibit will be open the week of the reunion: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sept. 22, Sept. 25, and Sept. 26; 8 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sept. 23 and Sept. 24; 8 a.m. to 12 noon, Sept. 27.

Other events during the reunion include the continuing education program on Sept. 26. The program, "The Fundamentals of Dental Implant Treatment Planning," will be presented by Dr. Monte Zysset, Dr. David Rallis, and Dr. Sreenivas Koka. The class begins at 8 a.m. at the Embassy Suites.

Greg Sharpe, "Voice of the Huskers," from Husker Sports Network will speak at the noon luncheon on Sept. 26. Tours of the college will be offered during the afternoon of Sept. 26.

Following are biographies of the continuing education speakers:

Dr. Zysset received his DDS in 1984 from the UNMC College of Dentistry and completed his residency in oral and maxillofacial surgery at the University of Oregon Health Sciences University in 1990. He is an adjunct clinical professor for the division of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at UNMC, Diplomate of the

American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, board examiner for the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, and maintains a private practice in Lincoln.

Dr. Rallis, DDS, MD, graduated from UNMC College of Dentistry in 2004 and earned his medical degree from the Mayo Clinic Medical School in 2008. He completed an internship in general surgery and a residency in oral and maxillofacial surgery, both at the Mayo Clinic. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, has lectured nationally and internationally, and has published numerous scientific articles. He now maintains a private practice in Lincoln and serves as volunteer faculty at the College of Dentistry.

Dr. Koka, DDS, MS, PhD, MBA, is former Merritt C. Pedersen Professor of Dentistry at UNMC College of Dentistry and the recipient of numerous Outstanding Teacher awards at UNMC and Mayo Clinic. He was a consultant in prosthodontics (2005), professor of dentistry (2007), and chairman of the Department of Dental Specialties at Mayo Clinic from 2007 to 2012. He is the current president of the Academy of Prosthodontics, a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics, a member of the Board of Directors of the International College of Prosthodontists, and has published more than 80 articles.

# Four distinguished dentists with College of Dentistry ties to be recognized

Four distinguished dentists with ties to the UNMC College of Dentistry will be honored at the banguet and awards presentation Sept. 26 as part of the annual College of Dentistry Homecoming Reunion.

All four 2014 honorees share the distinction of having served in the United States armed forces early in their long and productive careers in dentistry. Combined, the four honorees are being recognized for teaching, academic leadership, artistry and humanitarian service, professional achievements, and contributions to the field of dentistry.

Honor classes to be recognized at this year's banquet are 1944, 1949, 1954, 1959, 1964, 1974, 1984, 1989, 1994, 2004, and 2009. The reunion is sponsored by the UNMC College of Dentistry Alumni Association under the umbrella of the UNMC Alumni Association.

# **Distinguished Service Award** Richard J. Schilling, DDS



Dr. Richard Schilling is a dentist and artist who left a successful private practice in 1992 to follow a desire to be a missionary dentist. In 2005, he and two visionaries created Sonrisas Sin Fronteras Foundation (www.SmilesWithoutBorders. com) that establishes portable dental clinics in Latin American schools.

He has served in Kenya,

Honduras, Russia, Nicaragua, Bolivia and Mexico. In northern Colorado, Schilling organized a full denture clinic that provided free prosthetic services to needy individuals. He volunteered at two American Indian hospitals in South Dakota.

For ten years he was a part-time dental officer for an international cruise line. This assignment, as well as a passion for dentistry, provided many opportunities to write and paint his experiences on six continents. He was artist-in-residence at Isle Royale National Park in 1996 and Mesa Verde National Park in 2006. He wrote three books and contributed articles on art and dentistry for national magazines. He is a life member of the International College of Dentists, the American Dental Association, and the University of Nebraska Foundation.

Schilling credits his professional accomplishments to the excellent dental education he received at the University of Nebraska and the extraordinary mentoring, instruction and personal involvement of dedicated instructors. He wishes to accept this honor in remembrance of his outstanding educators.

Richard lives in Colorado with his two best fans, his loving wife, Marlene, and dog, Homer.

# **Outstanding Teaching Award** Myron L. Pudwill, DDS, MS



Following graduation from the NU College of Dentistry in 1964, Dr. Myron Pudwill completed a dental internship at the U.S. Navy Hospital in Philadelphia. He was assigned to the USS Howard W. Gilmore AS-16 Submarine Squadron 4, at Charleston, S.C. After his tour of duty, he remained in the Naval Reserve and retired in 1991 after 30 years as Captain.

In 1967, Pudwill joined the

College of Dentistry in the Department of Crown and Bridge. He received his MS in Fixed and Removable Prosthodontics as the first graduate of the program. He was a full-time faculty member until 2005. Now professor emeritus, he teaches part-time in fixed and removable prosthodontics and has his own part-time private practice in Lincoln.

Over the years of teaching, Pudwill was chair of restorative dentistry, assistant dean for student and alumni affairs, director of continuing education, and clinical director of a five-year grant from Robert Wood Johnson Foundation to train students to provide dental care to children and adults with special needs.

Pudwill is past president of the Lincoln District Dental Association and the Nebraska Dental Association, past member of the ADA Council on Dental Benefit Plans, a past 10th District ADA trustee, and served as an ADA delegate for many years. He also is a past member of the Nebraska Board of Dental Examiners, past president of the American Association of Dental Examiners and of CRDTS, and past chair of the CRDTS Exam Review Committee. He is a past councilor of the FDI and past chair of the FDI Dental Practice Commission.

Dr. Pudwill and his wife, Sue, have been married for 55 years and have two children and two grandchildren.

# Alumni Achievement Award Wayne W. Barkmeier, DDS, MS



Dr. Wayne Barkmeier, a native Nebraskan, graduated from Exeter High School in Exeter, Neb., in 1962. He attended the University of Nebraska in Lincoln and received his DDS degree from the University of Nebraska College of Dentistry in 1969. He married Carolyn Johnsen of Beaver Crossing, Neb.; the couple recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. They have three children.

After graduating from dental school, Barkmeier completed a Rotating Dental Internship in the U.S. Air Force. He also completed a two-year General Practice Residency and received his MS degree from the University of Texas School of Dentistry at Houston. He separated from active duty in 1978, joined the Air Force Reserve, and retired in 1994 as Brigadier General.

He joined the faculty at the Creighton University School of Dentistry in 1978. In 1982, he and his family moved to Delaware, where he worked in research and development for Dentsply Caulk. He returned to Creighton in 1985 as assistant dean for research and served as associate dean for research from 1991-94. He was appointed dean of Creighton's School of Dentistry in 1994 and served in that position for 13 years (1994-2005 and 2009-2011).

Barkmeier has been deeply involved in biomaterials research and has conducted laboratory and clinical studies on dental restorative materials and adhesive systems. He has published more than 160 journal articles and has lectured throughout the world. He has served on the editorial boards of *Operative Dentistry, Journal of Esthetic Dentistry, and Military Medicine.* He was a consultant to the Commission on Dental Accreditation and on the ADA Council on Dental Research. He also has enjoyed being active in the Omaha District Dental Society, serving a term as president, and also being a Trustee of the Nebraska Dental Association.

# Honorary Life Membership Award Dr. Henry A. St. Germain, Jr., DMD, MSD, MEd



Dr. Henry St. Germain received his DMD degree from Tufts University, an MSD in Operative Dentistry from Indiana University, and a MEd from George Washington University. He completed a 20-year career in the U.S. Navy Dental Corps in 1995. His last assignment was Chairman of Operative Dentistry and Specialty Advisor to the Surgeon General for

Operative Dentistry at the Naval Dental School in Bethesda, Md. St. Germain retired from active duty as Captain and became associate professor and director of operative dentistry at UNMC. He became chair of the Department of Adult Restorative Dentistry in 1997 and in 2002 received the UNMC Award for Distinguished Teaching. In 2005 he received the Dr. George W. and Jane Boos Ferguson Faculty Excellence Award. St. Germain retired as department chair and returned as a full-time faculty member in 2013.

St. Germain is past president of the Nebraska Dental Association, the Nebraska chapter of the International College of Dentists, the American Board of Operative Dentistry, the Nebraska chapter of the honorary society Omicron Kappa Upsilon, the Lincoln District Dental Association, and the American Academy of Gold Foil Operators. He is a fellow in the American College of Dentists and has served as the University of Nebraska representative on the Council of Faculties of the American Dental Education.

St. Germain enjoys travel, jewelry and watch repair, classic cars, and golf. He and his wife, Ellen, have been married 40 years and have four grown children and five (soon to be six) grandchildren. Their son Tom, a 2010 College of Dentistry graduate, practices in Omaha.

# New dean believes in the art of dentistry, practices the art of listening

A believer in the art of dentistry, Dr. Janet Guthmiller says she will begin her tenure as dean of the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Dentistry practicing another art form, the art of listening.

"I will be doing a lot of listening to all constituents - faculty, staff, students, alumni and friends -to learn more about the college and to be in a position to help lead it forward," Guthmiller said.

"I practice the art of listening by being aware there is more than one side to a story, by having an open door, and by being responsive so that people know I have heard them. I can't overstate how important it is for people to know they have been heard," she said.

Guthmiller is the ninth dean in the 115-year history of the UNMC College of Dentistry. She is the college's first female dean. Both she and her husband, Scott, are natives of Orange City, Iowa.

Before coming to UNMC, Guthmiller served on the faculty of the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, now the University of Maryland School of Dentistry, and the University of Iowa College of Dentistry. She most recently was associate dean of academic affairs and professor in the Department of Periodontology at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill School of Dentistry.

When asked to describe her leadership style, she used the words collaborative and transparent. She leads by building consensus, keeping communication open, and mentoring and empowering others.

"I am honored to be the next dean of the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Dentistry. I am looking forward to working alongside the college community in our new educational venture. I am very honored to be here," Guthmiller said in an interview with Cornhusker Impressions before she assumed the deanship on Sept. 1. Other comments from her interview with Cornhusker Impressions are featured here:

# What attracted you to the college, and what are your first impressions of the UNMC College of Dentistry?

My visits to the college and my conversations with many people-faculty, staff, students-reinforced my impressions of the college in terms of its very strong educational programs, its sustained research programs, and the significant service contributions both within the clinical enterprises at the college as well as externally. The college is very strong in the advancement of the tripartite mission of education, research,

and service, and I believed that the position presented a good fit for me, based on my experiences at my previous institutions in each of these collegiate missions.

# What priorities do you plan to share with the college?

Looking at the tripartite mission, I would like to see more educational activities occurring interprofessionally so that dental, dental hygiene, and advanced education and graduate students are working, collaborating, and learning with students from other health professions-medicine, nursing, pharmacy, public health, allied health, and others.

I also would like to see growth of the clinical component and research components on the UNMC campus in Omaha, as well as in extramural communities, including the underserved communities in Omaha and elsewhere in Nebraska.

In considering the future of health care, we must prepare our graduates to go into nontraditional health care and practice settings in which they are comfortable interacting with other professionals to provide collaborative, patient-centered care.

In terms of research, we will continue to look at ways to diversify our research portfolio. We will think creatively about research funding opportunities, as well as opportunities for additional collaborations with UNMC, UNL, and other schools.

Regarding our clinical enterprise, we must continue to strengthen our efforts toward patient-centered, collaborative care and integration of the dental hygiene and DDS programs. In addition, it would be wonderful to see the advanced educational program intertwined in that picture. We must continually question how we can create the best possible learning opportunities, while continuing to provide the best possible care for our patients.

I am extremely impressed with the college's outreach efforts. I would like to see us continue to look at other opportunities, whether they are right in our backyard, in Omaha, or throughout the state.

# What will be your first steps?

My first step will be listening. I will be doing a lot of listening to all constituents - faculty, staff, students, alumni, and friends of the college. Each institution's environment is unique. It is important to get an understanding of the environment as far as the culture, the collaborations, the transparency, and the communication.

For the last two years the college has been busily preparing for its reaccreditation site visit in October, and I will be supporting

the efforts that are ongoing in preparing for that visit. I have gone through the accreditation process at three other schools, and I led 12 programs through the reaccreditation process at the University of North Carolina. I see my role in helping people get comfortable with what will transpire during the visit, as well as the necessary preparation for the visitors. Part of this includes reinforcement about why this is important and how can we best prepare ourselves for the visit, what we can learn from the visit, and how can we position ourselves to best respond. We need to share the responsibility and work together to help each other through the process. It must be a unified effort.

# What ideas or programs from other institutions might you introduce at the UNMC College of Dentistry?

At UNC, I started a health affairs collaborative, bringing together the academic deans from the health professional schools, UNC hospitals and AHEC (NC Area Health Education Centers) to talk about educational issues, patient delivery, and care. The collaborative was important for a number of reasons. Accreditation standards require that our students are competent to work in an interprofessional environment. Health care reform also emphasizes the importance of thinking in a multi-disciplinary fashion about the whole patient and how our different areas can be impacted by each other. I learned a lot from this endeavor and enjoyed working with the other health professions.

I also would like to see us think about our clinic model and ways that we can best deliver patient-centered comprehensive care. As I mentioned earlier, dental, dental hygiene, and advanced education students would be integrated into this team approach. It is important for the college to explore the model that it sees as a best fit for students, faculty, staff and importantly patients in our educational environment.

# How noteworthy is the fact that you are first female dean at the UNMC College of Dentistry?

My appointment brings the number of women deans in dental schools to 13 out of 65 schools. So women still comprise only 20 percent of the dental school deans. Women dental faculty are also a minority. Therefore, my appointment is noteworthy, not only for the school, but also for the country. We don't have a lot of women in these positions. It is important for us to be role models, so women in the oral health profession can consider additional opportunities for growth and leadership.

# What are your interests outside of your professional life?

My husband and my girls. Katie is a sophomore at the University of lowa, studying health and human physiology. She played basketball and softball in high school and also enjoys singing. Emily just started seventh grade at Scott Middle School in Lincoln. She plays volleyball, enjoys music and dance, and plays the flute and the piano. My husband, Scott, helps manage the household. He has a business and marketing background.

I enjoy music and musical theater. I play the violin and the piano and also enjoy singing. I love sports, both as a competitor and a fan. I walk, run, swim, play tennis, and water ski. I also enjoy keeping my hands busy by knitting.



Dean Janet Guthmiller and Dean John Reinhardt

Photo by Margaret Cain

# HRSA Training Conference focuses on interprofessional education, practice

A 33-year-old healthy white male undergoes a tooth extraction and begins to show signs of an allergic reaction. The patient blames the dentist for the situation and for failing to take care of him.

A 32-year-old, stay-at-home mother of three—a native of San Salvador who has lived in the United States for 10 years—arrives at the dental office for a routine examination. The dentist notices bruises on the woman's right forearm and wrist.

These case studies were discussed June 13 at the College of Dentistry's annual training conference sponsored by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). Small groups of UNMC College of Dentistry students and faculty, nursing students, public health professionals, and practicing dentists and hygienists discussed the case studies, reflecting the conference theme, "Improving Health through Interprofessional Education and Practice."

Participants responded to a series of prompts about each case study: What questions do you ask a patient you think is being abused? If a patient discloses they are in an abusive relationship, what do you do? Describe the role that communication plays in this scenario. What would you have done differently?

Among the speakers at the conference were Richard Valachovic, DMD, MPH, president and CEO of the American Dental Education Association, and Paul Glassman, DDS, MA, MBA, professor and director of community oral health at the University of the Pacific School of Dentistry. Other speakers included College of Dentistry Dean John Reinhardt and Jana Pressler, PhD, Assistant Dean, Lincoln Division, UNMC College of Nursing.

A presentation on "Models for Interprofessional Education and Practice in the United States" was



One of the small discussion groups included, left to right, Erin Hartnett of the New York University College of Nursing; Tyler Sherman, nursing; and Paul Favela and Elizabeth Powers, dental.

presented by Dr. Kari Franson, associate dean for professional education at the University of Colorado School of Pharmacy; Dr. Paula Weistroffer of the University of Iowa School of Dentistry; and Dr. Patricia Underwood of Case Western Reserve University School of Nursing.

Speaking on "Interprofessional Collaboration and Nursing Practice of the Future" was Erin Hartnett, program director for Oral health Nursing Education and Practice and Teaching Oral Systemic Health at New York University College of Nursing.

# Emulating dentistry's example

As president and CEO of the American Dental Education Association, Dr. Richard Valachovic says he has found himself at meetings of health care providers, administrators, and Washington, D.C., law makers who have quizzical looks on their faces about why a dentist is at their table.

"So I have said, 'I can see that you are wondering why dentistry is represented here,' and out of my mouth came something that I have used since," Valachovic told students, faculty, dentists, and public health officials at the UNMC College of Dentistry's annual training conference sponsored by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA).

Valachovic, who spoke from Washington, D.C., through teleconferencing, said his message resonated with the others, and now "often we're used as an example of interprofessional education and collaborative care, with a prevention focus, that others are trying to emulate."

Here's what Valachovic told the other health care professionals about dentistry's impact on health care:

- Dentists account for 500 million patient encounters a year.
- Dentists generally see patients when they are well, not when they are sick.
- Prevention has always been a key component of dental practice and care.
- Fluoridation was one of the 10 public health successes in the 20th century as recognized by Centers for Disease Control. In addition, 40 million more people are now in community fluoridated water systems since 2000 just because of initiatives in California and the movement of people toward more populated areas.
- Dentists, for a long time, have worked in interprofessional teams made up of the dentist, the dental hygienist, the dental assistant, and the dental lab technologist.

Interprofessional education and collaborative practice are "game changers" that are being brought about very quickly and are impacting all of health care, including dentistry, Valachovic said. The transformation is being influenced strongly by market forces, including the federal Affordable Care Act, he said.

"You need to be part of this, and we need to take a leadership role," he told dental and dental hygiene students.

"Often you will hear that we have to do it within the entire academic health center involving all of the schools, but the



Dr. Richard Valachovic speaking by teleconference from Washington, D.C.

reality is that interprofessional education can occur when students from just two professions, such as nursing and dentistry, work together. It is not just putting students in the same classroom, taking the same course, and hearing the same lecture. It is meant to be interactive, on a continuing basis over the entire academic year. So it is not episodic."

Interprofessional education does not mean that dentists teach other health professionals how to do dentistry; nor are other professions expected to teach dentists how to do their procedures. "It is meant to bring about better understanding of collaboration and how health care can improve through the use of an interprofessional or teambased approach," he said.

Interdisciplinary teams working together to accelerate research is another aspect of this approach, Valachovic said. Such an approach can result in research that is transformational, synergistic, catalytic and unique, he said.

Just as interprofessional education and practice will be commonplace, the concept of moving from volume to value also will be part of dentistry's future, Valachovic said. Today, most reimbursement is based on volume of patients seen and volume of procedures performed. In the future, he said, rather than paying for procedures, large health systems will be reimbursed for the value of services provided.

# Rethinking the dental practice

Now is the time to rethink the dental office, said Dr. Paul Glassman, professor and director of community oral health at the University of the Pacific School of Dentistry.

"A dental practice no longer has to be confined to the four walls of a dental office," he told students, faculty, and dentists attending the UNMC College of Dentistry training conference sponsored by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA).

"You can think about a dental practice that is distributed across distances," he said. "Some members of the team are in the community, in a Head Start center or a school, collecting diagnostic records and providing preventive and early intervention services. Some members of the team are in a high-cost dental office where that is the best place, and the only place, to be."

This new dental practice takes advantage of telehealth services, electronic records, and true interprofessional teams, and it looks at dental conditions such as caries and periodontal disease, paying attention to the principles of chronic disease management. This new dental practice reaches out to the people who need the dental services.

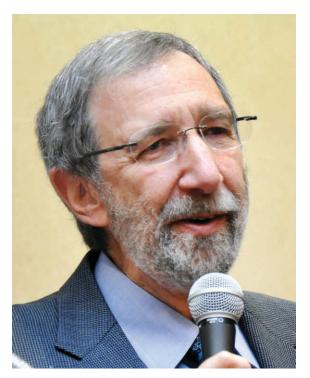
"Our payment system is moving from volume to value, and it has profound implications for our delivery system," he said. "If we were getting paid based on the health of the population that is eligible to see us and not just those who walk in the door, we would think very differently about the delivery system we are engaged in."

The era is coming quickly when health care providers are going to be paid based on the health of the population served and not on the number of procedures performed, Glassman

Tremendous changes are taking place in health care in terms of science, delivery systems, and financial systems, he said. These changes are being driven by skyrocketing, out-of-control health care costs, a fragmented system leading to profound disparities, and an increasing awareness of the issues by policy makers and health care leaders.

"It's not just that we spend a lot of money. We don't get very good results," he said.

In 1980, the United States spent about the same portion of its gross domestic product on health care as other developed countries in the world, he said. But since then, the United States has pulled way ahead and is now spending close to 20 percent of its GDP on health care when other developed countries are spending closer to 10 percent or less.



Dr. Paul Glassman

Since just 5 percent of the total health care expenditures in the United States goes toward dental care, dental care doesn't get much attention from policy makers. "But if you separate out by disease, (spending for) dental care would be No. 3 with heart disease No. 1," he said.

Glassman said the demand for dental care has been slowing, while the prices for dental services have been increasing faster than the rate of inflation. Dental services are more price sensitive than other types of health care, he added. While consumers generally don't elect whether to have surgery based on the cost, that's not true for dental services, he said.

"Dental service is the health care service that people are most likely to not do because of the cost," he said.

Glassman said that the majority of dental care in the United States is purchased by people in the highest income group. "The people who are purchasing dental care are the wealthiest people in the country and also the healthiest people in the country," he said. Yet, he said, the people with the most needs are not accessing the system.

"The majority of underserved people who are the people with the majority of dental disease are not taking advantage of the dental care system," he said. "If we were another industry, we would be falling all over ourselves to figure out...how do we alter the system in a way that we can get these people into our care because they need our service, and we have the services. We have not done a very good job. We have a system that works on the healthiest and wealthiest, and those who need services are not accessing the system."

# Kudos

**Dr. Tom Petro** has been re-elected as the UNMC College of Dentistry Faculty Senator, and **Dr. Peter Giannini** has been elected as the alternate Senator. Giannini is associate professor and director of clinical and translational research, and Petro is a professor and a mentor in the Nebraska Center for Cellular Signaling. Both are in the Department of Oral Biology.

Lisa Moravec, BSDH Class of '02, coordinator of the West Division Dental Hygiene program in Gering, has been elected to a two-year term on the Board of Directors of the American Dental Hygiene Association. She will be responsible for carrying out the positions, policies, and procedures of the national organization.

**Dr. Larry Haisch**, Class of '67, associate professor in the Department of Adult Restorative Dentistry, retired in July after 35 years of service to the UNMC College of Dentistry. The ARD Department hosted a retirement reception honoring Haisch, who served as the college's construction coordinator. In that position, he oversaw eight construction projects, including the \$8.9 million construction and renovation project authorized by the Legislature and completed in 2010.

**Dr. Chad Carpenter**, Class of '05, who practices in Rapid City, S.D., was named the South Dakota Young Dentist of the Year at the South Dakota Dental

Association Annual Session May 17 in Sioux Falls. The award was given for exceptional service to the dental profession. Carpenter, a native of Fairbury, Neb., is a past president of the Black Hills District, a member of the South Dakota Dental Association Legislative Committee and Annual Session Planning Committee, and a delegate at state meetings. He started an outreach dental clinic for homeless people and has been an elementary school dental screener. "I was both honored and humbled to receive the award," he said. "I have found the phrase, 'The more we give back, the more we receive,' to be true."

**Dean John Reinhardt** was recognized for his role in establishing the SHARING Clinics at the UNMC College of Dentistry. Dr. Roger Fisher, Class of '88, president and dental director of Clinic with a Heart, recognized Dean Reinhardt at the 2014 Clinic with a Heart banquet for his commitment to the SHARING Clinics, for introducing more than 800 future dentists to volunteerism, and for providing care to more than 1,600 patients over the past seven years. Also recognized were Executive Associate Dean David Brown and Dr. Stan Harn, professor in the Department of Oral Biology. "Truly, the COD SHARING Clinics have been a godsend to thousands of needy dental patients," Fisher said.

Katie Asbjörnson, a fourth-year dental student, is one of the 2014 winners of an award named in honor of her grandfather, the late Dr. Donald Asbjörnson. Katie is a winner in the 2014 Dr. Donald C. "Ozzie" Asbjörnson Scholarship competition sponsored by the L.D. Pankey Foundation. Dr. Asbjörnson, a College of Dentistry alumnus, was a teacher, mentor, friend, and beloved member of the Pankey Foundation family. "It is truly fitting to have a student scholarship named after him as he was very influential in shaping many young dentist's minds," the foundation said in announcing the awards. Katie is the daughter of Dr. Jon Asbjörnson of Lincoln, also a College of Dentistry alumnus. A video about Katie's philosophy of dentistry can be viewed at https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=r5IC5E2cDpk.

Congratulations and many thanks to Jana Miller (Langemach), who has served as writer for Cornhusker Impressions for 23 years. Over those years she has attended many COD events and meetings, contributed photography, and interviewed countless alumni, faculty, students, staff, and friends of the college. Cornhusker Impressions has seen many changes over the years, and it could not have evolved into the quality publication that it is today without the dedicated contributions of Jana.



Brandon Chapek (left) and Jake Long received blazers with a Nebraska seal and block N.

# Generous scholarships for NU Husker walk-ons to be used at UNMC

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Two senior walk-on football players headed to postgraduate study at the University of Nebraska Medical Center received more than lunch at the Lincoln Country Club earlier this year.

Jake Long, an Elkhorn, Neb., native who has been accepted to the UNMC College of Medicine, and Brandon Chapek, a Wahoo, Neb., native who has been accepted to the UNMC College of Dentistry, each received a check for \$15,000 as 2014 winners of the Solich Award.

The scholarship, originated in 2001, was presented in honor of former NU fullback Frank Solich, who became Nebraska's head coach for six years after 19 years as an assistant coach under Tom Osborne.

A five-year contributor in the offensive line, Chapek received the Cletus Fischer Scholarship at the 2014 Spring Game. He also won the 2014 Husker Heart Award in a vote of

Nebraska coaches and staff and added a Husker Hero Award from Life Skills.

"I never achieved the level of accomplishment that I desired so badly, but I poured myself into my academics, community involvement and personal development," Chapek said. "This, in turn, allowed me to reach never-before-seen levels of success as an individual, even if they were not in my originally sought-after realm."

Chapek said he is "extremely blessed" to be able to apply the scholarship money towards his postgraduate education in dental school at UNMC. Coming into the football program as a walk-on meant that Chapek had to endure the struggles and challenges of putting himself through school financially.

"Having this award helps lessen the load that I need to carry in my continued academic pursuit," he said. "I'm extremely honored to receive this prestigious award, and I'm excited to use it fully to enjoy the opportunities that it provides."

College of Dentistry alum, Dr. Will Dabbert, received the Solich Award in 2004.

# Meet the Dental Class of 2018

A musician. A nurse. A Mortar Board president. A Fulbright Scholar. And a Disney cast member. Mix in a few college athletes –football, tennis, and soccer – and a profile of the students beginning dental school at the UNMC College of Dentistry in August 2014 comes into focus.

Dr. Merlyn Vogt, assistant dean for student affairs and director of admissions at the college, put together a profile of the first-year dental class, the College of Dentistry's Class of 2018.

Here's a look at the newest group of future dentists:

**Women** - 17

**Men** - 31

Age range - 21-28

Average age -23

**Home states** - Nebraska, Arizona, Colorado, Iowa, Kansas, South Dakota, and Wyoming

Home country outside the U.S. - China

Rural backgrounds - 23

Rural Health Opportunities Program (RHOP)
participants – 4 (Wayne State College) and 2 (Chadron State College)

NU Paths program participants - 2

Most popular undergraduate major - Biology (23)

Other undergraduate majors – Animal science, biochemistry, biomedical engineering, business administration, chemistry, classical studies, dental hygiene, exercise science, life science, mechanical engineering, music, nursing, nutrition, physiology, psychology.

Institutions where students received undergraduate degrees – UNL, UNK, UNMC, UNO, Nebraska Wesleyan, Creighton, Doane, Drake, Morningside, Rockhurst University, University of South Dakota, University of Wyoming, University of Kansas, University of Arizona, Chadron State, Colorado State, Idaho State, Kansas State, South Dakota State, Truman State, Wayne State, College of Saint Mary, Hastings College, and Shandong University School of Stomatology



First-year dental student Abigail Fischer of Rapid City, S.D., receives her white coat from President of the Alumni Association Dr. Todd Hohlen with Director of Admissions Dr. Merlyn Vogt presiding.

# Meet the Hygiene Class of 2016

All 24 women

Age range - 20-27

Average age - 22

Married - 2

Home states - Nebraska, Iowa, South Dakota

**Nebraska hometowns** - Lincoln, Grand Island, Ainsworth, Alliance, Central City, Crete, Dorchester, Hoskins, Norfolk, Papillion, Seward, South Sioux City, Tilden, Walton.

RHOP - 2 (Wayne State College)

**Baccalaureate degrees** - 5 (UNL, Doane, Western Washington)

# Pillars of Philanthropy: New digital display recognizes leaders in charitable giving for UNMC College of Dentistry

Over the years, many alumni and friends of the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Dentistry have made generous charitable gifts to strengthen, support, and uphold the high standard of excellence that makes our college one of the best in the nation.

People have given generously to our dental college for many reasons: because, as alumni, they are grateful for the education they received at our school and the career and life opportunities that education afforded them; or, they see the direct link between a great dental college that trains and educates successive generations of oral health professionals and the quality of oral health care services available to patients wherever our alumni practice and serve their communities all across Nebraska and, indeed, all across the country.

Donors give to scholarships to help students offset their burden of tuition and student loan debt; donors give to help support faculty improve their teaching and research skills; and also donors give to help the college acquire state-of-the-art technology that advances clinical instruction and patient care.

Now, the dental college is deploying stateof-the art technology by creating a new digital display in the main lobby entryway to prominently recognize benefactors whose leadership in charitable support has had a transformational impact at the UNMC College of Dentistry. The new Wall of Honor greets visitors to the college upon their arrival and approach to the front desk. The display includes two lateral sections: one, recognizing those donors whose cumulative giving for the dental college exceeds \$100,000 and on the opposing lateral section, plaques

recognize the various Class Gift campaigns.

In the center between those two sections is the new display titled Pillars of Philanthropy, conferring recognition to those whose cumulative giving for the dental college exceeds \$500,000. Thus far, the qualifying donors for this display are

- Dr. Winston V. Cruzan (Class of 1938) and Mrs. Mary Cruzan
- Dr. F. Gene Dixon (Class of 1947) and Mrs. Rosemary Dixon
- Dr. Byron H. Weeth (Class of 1928) and Mrs. Mary Virginia Weeth
- Dr. Henry O. Weeth (Class of 1938) and Mrs. June C. Weeth
- Mr. Kenneth Morrison
- Ameritas

Beneath the polished brass header for the Pillars of Philanthropy display, a large touchscreen digital monitor invites visitors to literally - at the touch of a finger - find detailed information about these generous donors, about their connection to our dental college, and about the designation each donor chose for his or her gifts. This new digital display helps put these Pillars of Philanthropy into context - they are wonderful people who cared deeply about the dental college and its future, and who chose to make generous gifts to support the college - just as an architectural pillar supports a building, philanthropic pillars support our College of Dentistry.

In the new Pillars of Philanthropy digital display, visitors can scroll through photographs of the Cruzans on ocean liners sailing across the world, where Dr. Cruzan's dental career led him. Visitors can learn about Dr. Gene Dixon's

distinguished career by reading a transcript of a speech he gave at Dental Homecoming many years ago, describing how his roots in Nebraska and his education at our college led him to become the founding CEO and director of our country's first pre-paid dental insurance company, Delta Dental. Viewers can watch a brief video about Ameritas's generous support for and corporate commitment to our college's Dental Days patient care program. Also embedded in the new digital Pillars of Philanthropy display are interviews with university staff who personally knew and worked with these donors.

Earlier this summer, the new Chancellor of the University of Nebraska Medical Center, Jeffrey Gold, MD, visited our College of Dentistry and explored the new *Pillars of Philanthropy* digital display; Chancellor Gold told Dean John Reinhardt that this kind of state-of-the-art donor recognition is exemplary and he hopes that other colleges with the UNMC family will replicate what the dental college has done to honor its leaders in philanthropy.

The next time you visit Lincoln and the UNMC College of Dentistry, please take a few moments to explore the new *Pillars of Philanthropy* digital display and learn about who some of the college's leaders in philanthropy were – and are... and also, please continue generously supporting your dental alma mater because every single donation of every amount is helpful, needed and put to excellent use, and it's all appreciated!

If you have questions about charitable giving to advance the UNMC College of Dentistry, please contact me:

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Dean John Reinhardt and Susan Norby, senior director of development at the University of Nebraska Foundation, with the new *Pillars of Philanthropy* digital display in the College of Dentistry lobby.

# Longer extramural rotations provide more time in the community, more time with patients

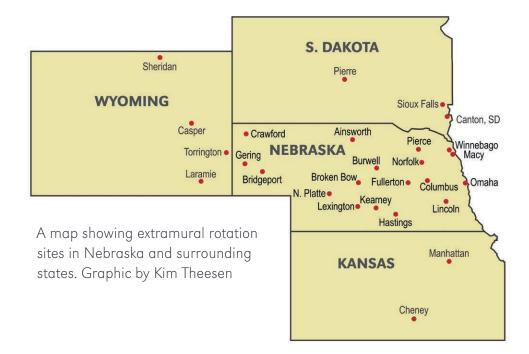
The extra two weeks spent in extramural rotations is giving fourth-year dental students more exposure to private practice and more time in small and mid-size communities, says Brian Lange, PhD, extramural course director for the UNMC College of Dentistry.

Last summer the College of Dentistry lengthened the extramural experience from four weeks to six weeks, thanks, in part, to a grant from the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). During their rotations, students provide patient care, learn about dental business practices, and get involved in community life.

Lange, a professor in the Department of Oral Biology, said the longer rotations give students more exposure to patients and to private dental practice and also give them "a better feel for the communities" where they serve their rotations.

In the 2013-2014 academic year, dental students on extramural rotations treated a total of 2,559 patients at 35 extramural rotation sites in Nebraska and 12 sites in the neighboring states of Kansas, South Dakota, and Wyoming. In addition, dental students assisted in treating 4,812 patients at those sites. Rotation sites are mostly in general practice dental offices and public health clinics.

Lange said the college is grateful for the dentists, called preceptors, who oversee the students on rotation and who have long been supportive of the program.



"We can't thank them enough for all the time and energy they put into it," he said. "And they do it for nothing. We are truly grateful for what they do."

Lange said the number of preceptors is growing, with new ones starting each year and long-standing preceptor sites continuing for many years. Dr. Sam Jacoby of Bridgeport has been volunteering since 1991 and is one of the longest serving preceptors.

To accommodate all fourth-year students, the college provides extramural rotation opportunities in the summer as well as during the second semester from mid-March to late-April.

Dentists interested in learning more about becoming preceptors should contact Brian Lange, PhD, at 402-472-1274 or at blange@unmc.edu.

# College of Dentistry Honor Roll

**Thank you** to all our alumni and friends who generously support the UNMC College of Dentistry. Private gifts allow our dental college to build upon its tradition of excellence and provide the very best in oral health clinical education, research, and patient care.

The College of Dentistry is pleased to offer this Honor Roll in grateful recognition of its loyal alumni, faculty, and friends who have generously supported the college through gifts, pledges, and bequests to the University of Nebraska Foundation.

The lists below were provided by the University of Nebraska Foundation. Every effort has been made to insure that the names and categories are correct. Please direct your questions and/or changes to the University Foundation Office, tel. 800-432-3216. Thank you.

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# 2002 Hukmani, Navin

Gibson, Colin S. Hohl, Rebecca L.

George, Mark D.

### PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY

1958

Lynch, William R.

1969

Davis, William K.

1970

Myers, David R.

1971

Shelton, Preston G.

1973

Uchida, Clyde Y.

1977

Boyd, David W. Kuster, Curtis G. Moyer, Ira N. Taylor, Mark H.

1983

Moyer, Barbara A.

1986

Sveen, Melissa J.

199

Olsen, Joey S. Wilgus, Mark A.

1996

Thomason, Jane M.

1997

Dana, Carmen L.

1998

Swanson, Randel P.

2005

Bennett, Jane L. Fought, Gregory A. 2006

Killeen, Martin D.

2008

Rothe, Vincent V.

2010

Uchida, Cherie C.

2011

Hoge, Mikala A. Johnson, Elizabeth A. Skar, Bryan J.

2012

Lehn, Gary M.

2014

Hajek, Ryan T.

# PERIODONTICS

1972

Brazil, Robert W. Klemme, Louis W. Malena, Daryl E.

1973

Amerman, Gary W. Kalkwarf, Kenneth L. 1981

Kassube, Thomas L. Reinhardt, Richard A.

1983

Harris, Arthur W.

1984

Kull, Stanley L.

1985

Okano, David K.

### 1986

Harmeson, Raynor L.

Eckles, Terry A.

1989

Schoenenberger, Edwin R. Sibraa, Paul D.

1991

Alley, Catherine D. Dowling, Embree A.

1992

Echols, Donald G. Feldner, Barry D.

1994

Moffenbier, Stacy L.

2001

Couri, Christopher J. Wilson, Angela N.

2010

Killeen, Amy C.

# **PROSTHODONTICS**

1973

Pudwill, Myron L.

1995

Marshall, Julie A.

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When: Friday, Oct. 24

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