Dean’s Updates: May 2018

Monday, May 7
11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
room 1183; **Staff**

Tuesday, May 8
7:30 – 8:30 a.m.
room 1183; **Staff**
11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
room 1183; **Students**

Thursday, May 10
11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
room 1183; **Faculty**
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# Dental Class of 2022

## Demographic Overview:

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<th>Number of Students</th>
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# Dental Hygiene Class of 2020: Preliminary Data

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- Average age: 21
- Overall GPA: 3.42
- Science GPA: 3.21

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<td>1 out-of-state</td>
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<td>Minorities</td>
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<td>Caucasians</td>
<td>27 (87%)</td>
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Class of 2021 Veler Scholarship Recipient

Jessica Stanik, D1
- Full, renewable in-state tuition throughout DDS program
- Recognizes outstanding academic merit
- Exceptional character
- Interest in professional service
- Lifelong commitment to the college
Clinical Excellence Expo: March 30
DH Networking Night - Alumni Panel Discussion: April 16

[L-R] Rebecca Sexton, BSDH ‘99; Holly Zugaro, BSDH ‘92; Rebecca Henderson, BSDH ‘01, MS ‘05; Carolyn Gardner, BSDH ‘16; Anna Madden, BSDH ‘97
Annual Scholarship Dinner: April 19

- **Attendees:** 91 guests; 18 donors; 47 DDS students; 11 DH students;
- 62 DDS scholarships presented; 8 DH scholarships
- Dean Lloyd, college faculty and staff, and senior administrators
Convocation Ceremony: May 4, Mershon Auditorium

- 32 Dental Hygiene graduates
- 105 Doctor of Dental Surgery graduates
- More than 1,000 attendees
Ohio State’s 2018 graduating class - largest for the fourth consecutive year
11,907 students received diplomas
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Craig Ramsey, BS

- **Start date:** April 30
- Director of Building Services
- Formerly, Facilities Manager for Ohio State’s Office of Facilities Operation and Development

Staff Member Joins College
Faculty Member Joins College

Janice Townsend, DDS, MS
- **Start date:** July 1
- Chair, Division of Pediatric Dentistry; Chief, Pediatric Dentistry at Nationwide Children’s Hospital
- Currently serves as Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Pediatric Dentistry, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center School of Dentistry
Sasha Valentin Pierluissi, DMD

- **Start date:** February 26
- Assistant Professor-Clinical, Division of Restorative Science and Prosthodontics
- GPR: Montefiore Hospital, New York City
- Prosthodontics Certificate: University of California, San Francisco School of Dentistry
- Maxillofacial Prosthetics Fellowship: University of California, Los Angeles School of Dentistry
Staff Member Joins College

Patricia Pleasant, AB

- **Start date:** March 26
- Executive Assistant to Chair, Division of General Practice and Materials Science
- Formerly served as Administrative Assistant, State of Ohio
Faculty/Senior Staff Searches

- Pediatric Dentist, tenure track (2)
- Pediatric Dentistry Graduate Program Director (1)
- General Dentists (2)
- Prosthodontists (2)
- Endodontist (1)
- Dentist Anesthesiologist (1)
- Director, Dental Oncology Clinic (1)
The Goals of Faculty Recruitment

• Recruit world class faculty into our ranks
• Engage students, staff and faculty in the processes of the college
• Promote the college through professional advertisements and announcements
• Bring competitive applicants to campus to “check us out”
• Create goodwill ambassadors for the college
• Help make the next search a little easier
• An opportunity to learn from candidates being interviewed for positions in the college
University and College Update Strategic Plans

- 2011: 10-Year Strategic Plan
- College and Unit Plans
- 2020 Vision

- Vision and Mission
- Core Values
- Future Goals
- Objectives
Strategic Plan: Progress to Date

**Completed:**
- Vision statement completed, reviewed, and revised
- Mission statement completed, reviewed, and revised
- Core Values statements completed, reviewed, and revised
- Guiding Principles completed, reviewed, and revised

**In Process:**
- Goals for college – next five years
- Objectives that support achievement of “goals”
- Initiatives to support accomplishment of “objectives”
To reach our goals, Ohio State’s strategic plan sets forth five pillars of focus:

I  TEACHING AND LEARNING
Ohio State will be an exemplar of the best teaching, demonstrating leadership by adopting innovative, at-scale approaches to teaching and learning to improve student outcomes.

II  ACCESS, AFFORDABILITY AND EXCELLENCE
Ohio State will further our position as a leading public university offering an excellent, affordable education and promoting economic diversity.

III  RESEARCH AND CREATIVE EXPRESSION
Ohio State will enhance our position among the top national and international public universities in research and creative expression, both across the institution and in targeted fields — driving significant advances for critical societal challenges.

IV  ACADEMIC HEALTH CARE
The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center will continue our ascent as a leading academic medical center, pioneering breakthrough health care solutions and improving people’s lives.

V  OPERATIONAL EXCELLENCE AND RESOURCE STEWARDSHIP
Ohio State will be an exemplar of best practices in resource stewardship, operational effectiveness, and efficiency and innovation.
College of Dentistry Goals:

I  Academic Health Care
II  Teaching and Learning
III  Access, Affordability, and Excellence
IV  Research and Creative Expression
V  Operational Excellence and Resource Stewardship
VI  People, Culture, and Community
### Recent All-College Reviews

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<td>55 students = 91</td>
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<td>71 students = 119</td>
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<td>14 students = 42</td>
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Alumna Is Among ADA’s “10 Under 10” Award Winners

Katie Vincer Sears, DDS
Scarlet Dental; Clintonville, Ohio
• Class of 2008
• Award recognizes “ten new dentists who demonstrate excellence in their work, their community, and by inspiring others”
AADR Competition & Reception, Fort Lauderdale: March 22
Hinman Meeting, Atlanta: March 23
AAE Reception, Denver: April 26
Dental Alumni Society Board of Governors
Executive Committee

**President**
Urban Picard, ’83

**President-Elect**
Rebecca Henderson, ‘01, ‘06

**Vice President**
Cesar Augustin, ‘91

**Secretary-Treasurer**
Mark Morrison, ‘77

**Editor**
Kenneth M. Clemens, ‘54

**Alumni Council Rep:** Robert Haring, ’85, ‘87
**Faculty Rep:** Lisa Knobloch, ‘91, ‘94
**Dental Hygiene Rep:** Rebecca Sexton, ‘99
**Student Rep:** Jimmy Schooley, D4
Dental Alumni Society Board of Governors
Executive Committee

Front row (L-R): Cesar Augustin, DDS ’91; Rebecca Henderson, BSDH ’01, MS ’06; Urban Picard, DDS ’83; Larry Hutta, DDS ’83; Mark Morrison, DDS ’77; Kenneth Clemens, DDS ’54; Middle row (L-R): Tara Haid, DDS ’01; John Rhodes, DDS ’80; Thomas Buttler, DDS ’71; Rebecca Sexton, BSDH ’99; Karen Kramer, DDS ’77; Nick Dundee, DDS ’80; Back row (L-R): Stan Sharples, DDS ’83 (former member); Paul Loper, DDS ’80; Robert Haring DDS ’85, MS ’87; Heather Appel, DDS ’02
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$4.8 M funding
- NIH, NSF
- Industry
- Charitable foundations
- Organizational foundations

Research strengths:
- Biomaterials
- Bone biology
- Implant therapy
- Muscle biology
- Microbiome
- Neuroscience
- Psychoneuroimmunology
- Oral cancer treatment using natural agents
## Recent Grants Awarded

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<td><strong>Susan Mallery, DDS, MS, PHD</strong></td>
<td>National Cancer Institute $1,791,863</td>
<td>Secondary chemoprevention of oral cancer by locally delivered agents</td>
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<td><strong>Susan Travers, MS, PhD</strong></td>
<td>NIDCD - National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders $1,654,313</td>
<td>Inhibitory modulation and circuitry in the rostral solitary nucleus</td>
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## Grants Pending

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<td><strong>Purnima Kumar, BDS, PhD</strong></td>
<td>NIDCR - National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research $3,198,100</td>
<td>E-cigarettes and perturbations in the sub-gingival ecosystem</td>
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<td><strong>Maiko Suzuki, DDS, PhD</strong></td>
<td>NIDCR - National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research $1,963,098</td>
<td>Epigenetic and non-epigenetic role of SIRT1 in fluoride-induced cell stress</td>
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Steps involved in a partial replacement of Postle Hall

- Project identified as priority by University Senior Leadership
- State Capital Funding approved by governor
- OSU Board of Trustees approve advancing project
- Selection of architect and facility design (10 – 12 months)
- Temporary relocation of select operations (3 – 4 months)
- Construction of new facility (24 – 36 months)
- Select operations move into new space
- Repurpose vacated space for select operations

Student, staff, faculty, and consultant engagement in decision making

Capital Campaign – External and Internal
New Facility Update

- Classroom 1188
- Classroom 1180 and 1184
- Student Commons
- Miscellaneous
Enabling projects
Updates New Facility Update

- Classroom 1188
- **Classroom 1180 and 1184**
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Ground Floor Postle Hall

Student Canteen
Updates New Facility Update

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Office of Student Admissions 1st floor
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2018 Campus Campaign: March 1 – April 30

- Supports Ohio State’s programs, projects and endowments
- Since 1986, the university has raised more than $155M
- College ambassadors: Dr. Gabriela Weiss, Restorative Science and Prosthodontics; Ms. Michelle Thomas, Assistant Director, Alumni Affairs
- 2018 donations: $179,858
  - Amount given by dentistry’s faculty and staff to Campus Campaign funds
Resident Receives Pauline C. Wittwer Graduate Fellowship

Heidi Steinkamp, DDS, PhD
• Second-year resident, Division of Pediatric Dentistry
• Award for residents/students pursuing academic careers
• Provides $18K in support
Faculty Member Serves on University’s Council on Academic Affairs

Sara Fowler, DMD, MS
• Assistant Professor, Division of Endodontics
• Director of Predoctoral Endodontics and Emergency Dental Clinic
• Selected for three-year term as member of Council on Academic Affairs
## Research Day “Paper of the Year” Awards

| Clinical Science Research: | John Kalmar, DMD, PhD  
Professor-Clinical, Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and Radiology |
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<td>“Evidence-based clinical practice guideline for the evaluation of potentially malignant disorders in the oral cavity: a report of the American Dental Association”</td>
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<td><em>Journal of the American Dental Association</em></td>
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| Basic Science Research: | Brian Foster, PhD  
Assistant Professor, Division of Biosciences |
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## Research Day “Paper of the Year” Awards

| Social and Behavioral Sciences and Public Health Research: “Evaluation of objective structured clinical examination for advanced education 12 years after introduction” | Henry Fields, DDS, MS, MSD; Chair, Orthodontics  
Do-Gyoon Kim, PhD; Assoc. Prof., Orthodontics  
Allen Firestone, DDS, MS; Assoc. Prof., Orthodontics  
Zongyang Sun, DDS, MSD, PhD; Assoc. Prof., Orthodontics  
Ana Mercado, DMD, PhD; Associated Faculty, Orthodontics  
Toru Deguchi, DDS, MS, PhD; Assoc. Prof., Orthodontics |
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<td>American Journal of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics</td>
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![Images of five faculty members associated with the awards.]
DDS Class of 2018 Clinical: Shereen Azer, BDS, MSc, MS
DDS Class of 2018 Clinical: Edwin McGlumphy, DDS, MS
DDS Class of 2018 Clinical: Robert Uhlin, DDS
DDS Class of 2018 Clinical: John Walters, DDS, MMSc
DDS Class of 2018 Didactic: Susan Mallery, DDS, MS, PhD
DDS Class of 2018 Specialty: Sara Fowler, DMD, MS
DDS Class of 2018 Specialty: Erin Gross, DDS, MS, PhD
DDS Classes of 2018-19 Honorary Resident: Sukirth Ganesan, BDS
DDS Class of 2018-19 Honorary Resident: Ben Kushnir, DDS
DDS Class of 2018 Associated Clinical: William Helmkamp, DDS
DDS Class of 2018 Associated Clinical: Denise Hering, DDS
DH Class of 2018 Didactic: Joen Iannucci, DDS, MS
DH Class of 2018 Clinical: Heather Daugherty-Wood, BSDH, MDH
DH Class of 2019 Didactic: Denise Kissell, BSDH, MPH
DH Class of 2019 Clinical: Heather Daugherty-Wood, BSDH, MDH
DDS Class of 2019 Clinical: Mark Morrison, DDS
DDS Class of 2019 Clinical: James Stone, DDS
DDS Class of 2019 Didactic: Bryant Cornelius, DDS, MBA, MPH
DDS Class of 2020 Pre-Clinic Lab: Matthew Messina, DDS
DDS Class of 2020 Didactic: Mark Ziolo, PhD
DDS Class of 2021 Pre-Clinic Lab: Mark Morrison, DDS
DDS Class of 2021 Didactic: Eileen Kalmar, PhD
Faculty Member Receives University Award

Homa Amini, DDS, MS, MPH
- Professor-Clinical, Pediatric Dentistry
- Alumni Award for Distinguished Teaching
- 10 Ohio State faculty recognized annually for teaching excellence

Award presented by Provost Bruce McPherson and Dean Patrick Lloyd

Recognizing Excellence at Ohio State
Faculty Member Wins ADEA’s William J. Gies Award

Canise Bean, DMD, MPH
• Professor-Clinical, Division of General Practice and Materials Science
• Director, Office of Community Education
• Award recognizes “superior demonstration of outstanding vision as a dental educator”
University’s Office of Research Honors College Faculty

More than 140 researchers honored at faculty recognition program: April 3, 2018

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| Homa Amini, DDS, MS, MPH |                   | Lewis A. Kay Excellence in Education Award  
                       | American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry                                                |
| Shereen Azer, BDS, MSc, MS |               | Fellow, American College of Prosthodontists                                              |
| John Bartlett, MS, PhD |                   | Fellow, American Association for Dental Research                                        |
| Canise Bean, DMD, MPH  |                   | William J. Gies Award  
                       | American Dental Education Association                                                   |
| Paul Casamassimo, DDS, MS |             | Norton M. Ross Award for Excellence in Clinical Research  
                       | American Dental Association                                                             |
| Peter Larsen, DDS      |                   | Fellow, American College of Dentists                                                   |
Outstanding Instructor Awards Honor Faculty

Michele Carr, BSDH, MA; Dental Hygiene Class of 2018
Chadleo Webb, BSDH, MDH; Dental Hygiene Class of 2018
Shereen Azer, BDS, MSc, MS; Dental Class of 2018
Erin Gross, DDS, MS, PhD; Dental Class of 2018
Courtney Jatana, DDS, MS; Dental Class of 2018
Lisa Knobloch, DDS, MS; Dental Class of 2018
Purnima Kumar, BDS, MS, PhD; Dental Class of 2018
Edwin McGlumphy, DDS, MS; Dental Class of 2018
Sarah Mikhail, BDS, MS; Dental Class of 2018
Faculty Serve as Honored Hooders

**Medick Capirano, DMD;** Division of Restorative Science and Prosthodontics

**Sara Fowler, DMD, MS;** Division of Endodontics

**Susan Mallery, DDS, PhD;** Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and Radiology

**Mark Morrison, DDS;** Division of General Practice and Materials Science

Dr. Capirano  
Dr. Fowler  
Dr. Mallery  
Dr. Morrison
10 Years: Michael Strayer, DDS, MS; Alicia Thomas, DDS; 15 Years: Deani Deskins-Knebel, DDS; 20 Years: David Itkoff, DDS; Robert Stevenson, DDS, MS, MA; 25 Years: Cecilia Moy, DDS, MS; 30 Years: Kenneth Stovcik, DDS, MS; 35 Years: Kenneth Cunin, DDS, MS; 40 Years: Thomas Christ, DDS, MSD
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Dental Societies

- Women in Pediatric Dentistry Presentation: Cleveland
- Study Club - Capital Campaign Fund-Raising Presentation: Newark
- Study Club Presentation Columbus
- Ohio University Pre-Dent Club Presentation: Athens
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Inaugural issue - Volume 1, Issue 1, 2018: Columbus Dental Society’s *Voice* features College of Dentistry’s new facility

“The new Postle Hall truly will have a transformative impact on our entire college...”
“This February, the national kickoff for Give Kids a Smile is taking place at Ohio State’s College of Dentistry.”
“...finance committee approved $79.7 M for construction costs for Postle Hall renovations.”

“...$95 M project to renovate Postle Hall, which houses the College of Dentistry...”
“Purnima Kumar, a professor in the College of Dentistry, has been studying the effects of smoking on oral health for a good portion of her career.”
OSU adopts new policy on inventions

By Jennifer Smola
The Columbus Dispatch

Ohio State University’s Board of Trustees has approved a new Intellectual Property policy aimed at fostering innovation and promoting commercialization of ideas of its faculty, staff and students.

Funding for several major projects, including $18.6 million to update wireless service throughout campus and at Ohio Stadium and the Jerome Schottenstein Center; nearly $80 million for renovations and additions at Postle Hall, which houses the College of Dentistry; and $200,000 to design a new commercial airport hangar at the university’s Don Scott Field on the Northwest Side.
Congratulations
to the Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS) and Dental Hygiene Classes of 2018 — soon to be our newest alumni and colleagues in the dental profession.

We are grateful for your many contributions to the College of Dentistry, and we're better for having had the experience of working with you.

From the faculty and staff at The Ohio State University College of Dentistry.
“Dentistry students provide professional care for low-income patients” … [by participating] in “the OHIO Project – Oral Health Improvement through Outreach.”
Khaled Altabtbaei – Balint Orban Basic Science Winner, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH

Generalized Aggressive Periodontitis: A Periodontal Chimera

Yun Wang – Research Forum Clinical Science Winner, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH

Integrated miRNA and mRNA Expression Profiling to Identify Potential Therapeutic Targets for Gingival Wound Healing

Sukirth Ganesan – Research Forum Clinical Impact Winner, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH

Primed for Disease: Smoking and the Subgingival Microbiome
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Upcoming Dates

- **May 26**: Reception, AAPD; Honolulu, HI
- **June 15**: Buckeyes at the Cleveland Indians Game; Cleveland
- **June 21**: Reception, ADHA Annual Conference; Columbus
- **June 22**: Reception, Florida Dental Convention; Orlando
- **July 25-28**: IADR meeting; London, England
- **July 13**: Reception, National Dental Association; Orlando
- **August 12**: Donors’ reception; Columbus Zoo
- **August 20**: White Coat Ceremony
- **September 14**: Reception at ODA meeting; Columbus
Continuing Dental Education Courses: Spring-Summer 2018

- **June 1**: Artistic Anterior Restorations: Diastema Closures
- **June 1**: A New Approach to Bulk Fill Posterior Composite Restorations
- **June 2**: Tooth Anatomy for Dental Auxiliary - EFDA Prerequisite Course
- **June 9**: Nitrous Oxide Sedation for the Dental Hygienist and Dental Assistant
- **July 14**: Tooth Anatomy for Dental Auxiliary - EFDA Prerequisite Course
- **July 20-21**: Lasers in Dentistry: A Two-Day Certification Course
- **July 28-29**: Local Anesthesia for the Dental Hygienist
- **August 24**: Translational Head and Neck Anatomy
- **August 25**: Dental Sealants for the Certified Dental Assistant
- **February 23-March 2, 2019**: Caribbean Cruise and CE!

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