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# NODA News

## MISSION STATEMENT

*To maintain a cohesive organization that serves its membership by promoting the art, science and professionalism of dentistry, and by communicating the value of optimal oral health to the community.*

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## President's Message

*by Darrell P. Bourg, Jr., D.D.S. – NODA President*



An estimated 30,000 attendees will be flocking to the New Orleans **M o r i a l C o n v e n t i o n**

Center in less than two months for the ADA Annual Session. We are excited to be host city for dentistry's biggest event of the year, October 31<sup>st</sup> - November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

If you haven't registered yet, don't put it off any longer. Register online at [ADA.org](http://ADA.org) or call Normalee at the NODA office for more information.

While in attendance, help us confirm to the rest of the world why New Orleans is known for its great southern hospitality. Volunteer to host a speaker or participate in numerous other ways to ensure we host a successful conference. Call Normalee today to see how you can best help.

In conjunction with the Annual Session, the ADA will host a free dental clinic on Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>. This will be the first Mission of Mercy program to be held in Louisiana. The ADA is hoping to provide free oral healthcare to approximately 1,000 local residents at [ADA.org](http://ADA.org) or by calling Dr. Maria Burmaster at 504/341-3120.

Dentists, hygienists, assistants, lab techs, and

non-dental volunteers are still needed.

The NODA office has been in its same location at 2121 North Causeway Boulevard for over 22 years. Until recently, its décor had not changed much. I am proud to announce we are finishing up with the first phase of renovations to modernize workspace for our dedicated employees. Drop by any time during office hours to see the changes being made. This renovation was made possible by funding from NODE (New Orleans Dental Enterprises, LLC), chaired by Dr. Kevin Collins. Thank you to all members that participate in NODE's preferred provider program. Through your participation, you have made a difference in our organization's success. For more information on our preferred providers, contact Mr. Andrew Hale at the NODA office.

Want to get more active in NODA, but don't know how to ask? We have a number of committees that are looking for members to join. Simply ask myself, Mr. Andrew Hale, or any other member of the board for more details. We would all be excited to get you more involved in organized dentistry.

With the end of the summer, comes the beginning of our fall general membership meeting

schedule. Join us on Wednesday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, as we visit an old favorite, Jack Dempsey's restaurant on Poland Avenue.

Dr. Luis Infante will be speaking on CAD/CAM Dentures and is sponsored by Global Dental Science. Check in time is 6:30pm. Be sure to RSVP to the NODA office 48 hours in advance to ensure your free meal. All members in attendance will also be eligible for a \$500 VISA gift card to be drawn at the December general membership meeting. See ya there!

## SAVE THE DATE!

**NOVEMBER 13, 2013**

General Membership Meeting  
*Courtyard on the Ridge*

**DECEMBER 18, 2013**

General Membership Meeting  
*Chateau Golf & Country Club*

**JANUARY 15, 2014**

General Membership Meeting  
*Messina's*

**FEBRUARY 19, 2014**

General Membership Meeting  
*The Rose Garden*


**MARCH 19, 2014**

General Membership Meeting  
*Five Happiness*

## Upcoming Scientific Programs

by Raymond J. Unland, Jr., D.D.S. - NODA Scientific Program Committee Chair

DATE   LOCATION   TIME	SPEAKERS   TOPICS   OBJECTIVES	SPONSORS
<p><b>September 18, 2013</b></p> <p><b>Jack Dempsey's</b> 738 Poland Avenue New Orleans, LA 70117 504/943-3314 www.jackdempseysllc.com</p> <p>Check in: 6:30 pm Start time: 7:00 pm</p> <p>CE: 1 clinical hour</p>	<p><b>Speaker – Luis Infante, D.D.S.</b></p> <p>Dr. Luis Infante is an Assistant Professor at the Louisiana State University School of Dentistry. Dr. Infante was born in Caracas, Venezuela. He received his Associate Degree in Dental Laboratory Technology in 1998 at Bates Technical College in Tacoma, Washington.</p> <p>Dental degree: Universidad Americana (UAM) in Managua, Nicaragua. 2002 Certificate in AEGD: LSU School of Dentistry. 2004 Certificate in Special Care Dentistry: LSU School of Dentistry. 2005 Certificate in Prosthodontics: LSU School of Dentistry. 2008</p> <p><b>Topic – “CAD/CAM Dentures”</b></p> <p>The fabrication process of complete dentures utilizing CAD/CAM technology will be discussed and compared to conventional method. Clinical cases will be presented discussing different denture alternatives fabricated with this technology.</p> <p><b>Course Objectives:</b> Upon completion of this course, attendees should have a better understanding of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learning different options available for CAD/CAM dentures.</li> <li>• Learning the components of a CAD/CAM denture system.</li> <li>• Understanding the process of CAD/CAM denture fabrication.</li> <li>• Benefits of implementing CAD/CAM denture modality in private practice.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Global Dental Science</b> 15730 North 83<sup>rd</sup> Way, Suite 101 Scottsdale, Arizona 85260 Joy Xiao Technical Sales Consultant - Central Region 214/422-0461 lei.xiao@globaldentalscience.com www.avadent.com</p>



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# LAMMICO AWARDS SCHOLARSHIP TO LSU DENTAL SCHOOL STUDENT

*Funds used by Louisiana students entering medical school across state*

For the 9<sup>th</sup> consecutive year, Louisiana Medical Mutual Insurance Company (LAMMICO) has awarded a scholarship to a first-year student from Louisiana to begin studies at the LSU Dental School in New Orleans. "This scholarship rewards recent college undergraduates who have attained academic excellence," said Thomas H. Grimstad, M.D., LAMMICO's President/Chief Executive Officer.



*Dr. Henry A. Gremillion, Dean of the LSU Dental School, presents the 2013 LAMMICO Scholarship to Blake W. Richard during freshman orientation on the school's campus in New Orleans.*

## **LSU School of Dentistry - New Orleans:**

Blake W. Richard A native of Monroe, LA, Blake graduated summa cum laude from Louisiana State University with a degree in biology. Before attending LSU, he graduated valedictorian from Ouachita Parish High School in 2009. While there, Blake participated in the Howard Hughes Medical Institute research program for high school students at the University of Louisiana – Monroe where he first showed an interest in medicine and dentistry.

The LSU School of Dentistry is the only dental school in the state and educates nearly 75 percent of all practicing dentists in Louisiana. LAMMICO has awarded a scholarship to a student at LSU Dental School since 2005.

This recent merit award is part of a larger program sponsored by LAMMICO to assist students entering all of the state's medical schools. For the last 13 years (since the 2000-2001 academic year), LAMMICO has awarded merit scholarships to medical students for

their first year enrollment at LSU-New Orleans, LSU-Shreveport and the Tulane University School of Medicine. Including this year's class, a total of 52 incoming freshmen medical students have used the funds to help defray tuition and other expenses. Eligible students for a LAMMICO merit scholarship are incoming freshmen from Louisiana. Students who receive the award do so for one year.

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*Funds used by Louisiana students  
entering medical school across state*

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## Save The Date!

*by Donald P. Bennett, D.D.S. – 2014 NODC/LDA Annual Session  
Committee Chair*

Save the date! The New Orleans Dental Conference/Louisiana Dental Association's Annual Session is Back! After taking a year off due to the ADA coming here to New Orleans in October, the conference will be back on April 3-5, 2014 at the New Orleans Convention Center. It promises to be an exciting conference with quality speakers including Drs. Harold Crossley, Stanley Malamed, Buddy Mopper and John Cranham.

I hope that all of you and your staff will take advantage of the great program we have put together. I also hope that many of you will help us out by volunteering to be a speaker host or room monitor. With our conference scheduled within six months of the ADA Annual Session, we may experience a little volunteer burnout, but we hope that you will continue to support us, as you have in the past.

We will kick things off with our NODC Welcome Reception/LDA President's Party at Mardi Gras World near the convention center with food, drink, and live music. Look for online registration ([www.nodc.org](http://www.nodc.org)) to begin around the first of the year. So mark your calendars, register early, reserve your hotels early, and join us in April. See you there!

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**Dr. Harry F.  
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## “What Now?” The NODA Platinum Card

*From Whitney Bank - Preferred Provider of NODA*

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Another “what” are the charges you put on your old credit card for holiday gifts or for “end of the year specials” The “now” is your need to pay off the balance before the high interest rate kicks in.

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## New Member Spotlight

*Dr. Caesar Sweidan*



*Dr. Britney Beard Sweidan & Dr. Caesar Sweidan on a snorkeling trip in the Red Sea.*

Dr. Caesar Sweidan is from Amman, Jordan. He graduated valedictorian from the Bishop's School of Amman. During his years in school, he received an annual

Academic Excellence scholarship, he received many awards and was class representative for many years. Soccer was his passion and he used to play for hours everyday.

After graduating high school, he received four academic scholarships to complete his dental school education. He maintained an excellent academic record and graduated with honors.

Following graduation he completed a General Practice Residency at the University of Jordan Hospital. He then completed two years of Advanced Education in General Dentistry at the University of Connecticut Health Center, where he was elected Chief Resident his second year.

He then enrolled at the periodontics program at LSU. In 2013, he passed his boards and became a diplomate of the American Academy of Periodontists. He opened his private practice office on the Northshore in 2012.

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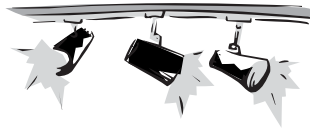


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## New Member Spotlight

*Dr. Leeann Sandlin Evans*



Dr. Leeann Sandlin Evans is originally from Southwest Louisiana. She attended Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge where she majored in biological sciences. While she attended LSU, Dr. Evans had braces, and began working part-time for an orthodontist. It was working at this office that piqued her interest in dentistry. After graduating magna cum laude, she then entered LSU School of Dentistry here in New Orleans. After Katrina hit during her senior year, Dr. Evans and her husband moved from Lakeview to Houston, Texas where she completed a post-graduate orthodontic program at the University of Texas Health Sciences Center. She also completed her boards, becoming a diplomate of the American Board



*Sandlin, Chad, Dr. Leann & Marie Evans*

of Orthodontics. After completing her residency, she practiced in Houston for over two years, but once she and her husband started a family, it was time to come home to New Orleans.

Dr. Evans worked as a part-time associate for the Louisiana Dental Center in Gonzales, Bogalusa, and Covington while she planned and built out an office. In January of 2011, Dr. Evans opened an orthodontic practice in Harahan. Just this August, Dr. Evans purchased the orthodontic practice of Dr. Glenn Dubroc, Jr. in Lakeview. Dr. Dubroc will practice with Dr. Evans through the end of the year, at which time he and his wife Bobbi, will be retiring. Dr. Evans will be dividing her time between her Harahan and Lakeview practices.

Dr. Evans lives in Lakeview with her husband, Chad, and their two daughters. She is a parishioner at St. Dominic Church and a member of the New Orleans Junior League. She enjoys spending time with her family, reading, and eating all of New Orleans' delicious food.

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## New Member Spotlight - Con't.

*Dr. Caesar Sweidan*

During his first year of Residency, he met his wife, Dr. Britney Beard Sweidan who's a Baton Rouge native. The two got married after he graduated from the program. The couple visited Jordan this past summer. They live on the Northshore and enjoy outdoor activities, kayaking, fishing, and some soccer from time to time. He also likes to watch more basketball games than his wife would want him to.

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## MS Bike 2013: Louisiana Dental Riders



It's that time of year again. Time to get on that bike for some exercise before church and the Saints game. Louisiana Dental Riders will be riding in the MS Bike on October 5 & 6. The team consists of dentists, LSUSD students & staff. We are riding to support the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. MS is a crippling disease that comes in many forms.

We want you! Join our team as a cyclist or volunteer. Make a donation to support our riders. Talk to employers about becoming a sponsor. There are so many ways to make a difference in the fight against MS, and it begins right here.

Follow this link for details:  
[http://main.nationalmssociety.org/site/TR/Bike/LAMBikeEvents?pg=entry&fr\\_id=16602](http://main.nationalmssociety.org/site/TR/Bike/LAMBikeEvents?pg=entry&fr_id=16602)

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## Volunteer for the New Orleans Mission of Mercy - Big Easy Smiles Dr. Maria Burmaster Takes Charge!

by Maria R. Burmaster, D.D.S. – Local Chair of Big Easy Smiles



**What:** Free Dental Care for 1000 patients in need.

**Where:** Blaine Kern's Mardi Gras World, East Bank.

**When:** Sunday, November 3, 2013. 5:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Clinic Saturday, November 2, 2013 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Set Up

**Who:** Dentists, Hygienists, Assistants, Office Staff, Nurses, Doctors, Lab Techs, Computer Staff, Food Servers, Parking Attendants, Laborer, Electricians, Plumbers, Dental Equipment Techs, and more.

**How:** All volunteers, regardless of category, must register online at [www.ada.org/mom](http://www.ada.org/mom).

We are actively seeking volunteers at this time for the first ever New Orleans Mission of Mercy. Other similar events have been held here, but this is the first time the ADA, LDA and NODA

will combine to provide dental care to patients on a first come, first served basis. Services to be offered are cleanings, fillings, extractions, limited anterior endodontics, limited anterior partials, pediatric care, patient education and referrals for off-site care to those who do not fit our clinic parameters for the day.

Please sign up today! And encourage your family and your staff to do so as well. You will be amazed at how great it feels to give back! Let's show New Orleans how much we care.

We are still in need of monetary donations to purchase dental materials, gloves, masks, signs, hand-outs, educational materials for patients and much more. All donations are tax deductible as the America's Dentists Care Foundation is a 501 C(3) corporation.

For information or to make a donation, contact Local Chair of Big Easy Smiles, Dr. Maria Burmaster at [mrbbds@aol.com](mailto:mrbbds@aol.com).



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Sunday, November 3  
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Mardi Gras World

## Can't Get Enough of *MOM*?

Join the ADA in New Orleans at the first-ever Mission of Mercy held in conjunction with the Annual Session. With your help, we hope to treat 1,000 local residents without access to care in a special one-day clinic.

We need you to contribute your talents and experience to make this program a success.

Come for Annual Session, *Stay for Mission of Mercy*

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Temp. Regulation  
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### What is Allowed?

- Write-down of a percentage of previously disposed of building elements resulting from demolition, restoration and improvements
- "Audit Protection" for 2012 & 2013 as related to tangible assets only
- Multiple changes in accounting (form 3115) for the same property/entity in tax years 2012 & 2013, related to tangible assets only
- Retroactive inclusion of renovations and improvements since the time of building acquisition
- An IRS approved Cost Segregation Study may be done concurrently to gain **even more tax savings** from accelerated depreciation... for example:
  - ❑ **\$250,000 building - Doctor saved \$32k (with a 21:1 ROI),** on taxes without amending and applied to next quarter

**Note:** We have completed well over 8k studies in 12 years nationwide and have the technology and degreed engineering staff to work with you and your CPA to get the numbers for 2013. "You can't write down what you can't value." In the absence of real cost data, the IRS's only suggestion is that an Engineering-Based Cost Segregation Study is acceptable.

### What are the Benefits?

- Reduce the net building cost with write-offs on assessed value of disposed components.
  - ❑ Write-off remaining depreciable basis of disposed of assets.
  - ❑ Now the building can be broken out into specific components or units of property for additional potential write-offs
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Date, City	Course Name, Location & AGD Subject Code	For...	Fees	Credit Hours
Sept 20-21 Fri-Sat New Orleans	<b>The Clifton O. Dummett, Jr. Memorial Lecture on Dentistry for the Pediatric Patient – Lecture &amp; Hands-On</b> w/Dr. Joel Berg at LSU Health New Orleans School of Dentistry <b>AGD #430</b>	DDS - 2 day DDS - Fri only Staff - Fri only	\$775 \$389 \$135	14 L/P, C 7 L, C
Sept 20 New Orleans	<b>The Clifton O. Dummett, Jr. Memorial Lecture on Dentistry for the Pediatric Patient – Lecture ONLY</b> w/Dr. Joel Berg <b>AGD #430</b>	Dentist All other staff	\$389 \$135	7 L, C
Sept 22-29 New Orleans	<b>LSU's 40<sup>th</sup> OMS Review Course and 23<sup>rd</sup> Advanced Cosmetic Maxillofacial Surgery Course (Lecture and Cadaver Practicum Labs)</b>	OMS Resident or Practitioner	Call us	for details
Oct 18-20 Gonzales	<b>Expanded Duty Dental Assistant (EDDA)</b> w/E Schmidt, CDPMA, CDA, EDDA, D Williams, CDA, EDDA, L Hernandez, CDA, EDDA – <b>at Cabela's</b>	Assistant	\$540 ★	24 L/P, C
Nov 15-17 Lafayette	<b>Expanded Duty Dental Assistant (EDDA)</b> – Faculty TBA -- at Lafayette General Hospital	Assistant	\$540 ★	24 L/P, C
Nov 15 New Orleans	<b>Nitrous Oxide Certification Course for Hygienists</b> w/Drs. O'Brien & Hygiene Faculty – at LSUSD	Hygienist	\$595	8 L/P, C
Nov 15-16 New Orleans	<b>Nitrous Oxide Certification Course for Dentists</b> w/Drs. O'Brien, Drongowski, & Hygiene Faculty - at LSUSD <b>AGD #739</b>	Dentist	\$1,695	18 L/P, C
Nov 22 New Orleans	<b>Local Anesthesia Update for Dentists and Hygienists</b> w/Drs. O'Brien & Drongowski (lecture only) at LSU Health New Orleans School of Dentistry <b>AGD #132</b>	Dentist Hygienist	\$295 \$195	7 L, C
Nov 22 New Orleans	<b>Local Anesthesia Update for Dentists and Hygienists – Lecture plus one hour participation</b> w/Drs. O'Brien & Drongowski <b>AGD #132</b>	Dentist Hygienist	\$345 \$245	7 L, 1 P, C
Dec 6 New Orleans	<b>LAST CHANCE COURSE: Practice Productivity &amp; Profit</b> w/S. Pardue of Classic Practice Resources & D. DeMonte and J. Falgoust of DeMonte & Falgoust, LLC, CPAs - at LSU Health New Orleans School of Dentistry <b>AGD #550</b>	Dentist RDH or DLT Ass't/Other	\$295 ■ \$175 ■ \$95 ■	7L, NC

★Eligible for tuition reimbursement through LA SBET program – call Jocelyn Wagner, EDDA/Rad coordinator, 504-941-8198 to see if your practice qualifies  
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