VieSID Basic Curriculum





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Occlusion and Function

The functional role of dental occlusion is intensively debated within the field of dentistry and oral medicine. Is occlusion associated to oral dysfunctions? Is it an etiological factor to temporomandibular disorders? Should it be altered to solve dysfunctions of the stomatognathic system and how? To address these points, a deep knowledge of the masticatory organ and its functions is necessary. The masticatory organ should be regarded as a functional element integral to the human organism. Thus, understanding its kinematics and relationships to its surrounding structures is crucial.

Further factors challenge the modern dentist: contemporary humans live longer than archaic homo and their diet is based on soft and refined food, which alters the normal growth and development of the masticatory structures. Thus, chewing, once the primary function of the oral structures, seems to have lost its relevance. However, the effect of malocclusion and dysfunction on verbal expression, esthetics, posture and non-masticatory habits, such as clenching and bruxing, is matter of intense debate in modern dentistry and related disciplines.







INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACH TO DENTISTRY

Dental medicine is under continous development. Novel scientific findings, technical and mechanical advancement contribute to the improvement of diagnostic and treatment approaches for orofacial dysfunctions, with increased tendency towards complex 3D image-based techniques.

The complexity of the masticatory organ and the multifactorial nature of the disorders affecting it, call for an informed use of concepts and tools proper to interdisciplinary dentistry.

Deep knowledge of anatomy, physiology and biomechanics are crucial for the correct implementation of diagnostic and therapeutic tools available within the realm of dentistry and related disciplines and, thus, for the successful treatment of the patients and their safety. Hence, continuous education is significant for the dentist. The main goal of the Vienna School of Interdisciplinary Dentistry (VieSID) is to provide the dental clinicians and technicians a cross-curricula, up-to-date, comprehensive education through its highly educated and experienced instructors.



VIESID HOSTS AND LECTURERS

Prof. Dr. Rudolf Slavicek 1928 - 2022 † Mentor & Mastermind



Prof. Dr. Rudolf Slavicek was an internationally renowned authority in diagnosis, treatment planning and therapy based on the principles of Interdisciplinary Dentistry, for which he has contributed to set the standards. Beginning from the 1970s,

he worked and lectured in various Countries, including Universities in Austria and the rest of Europe, Asia and USA, inspiring generations of young Dentists. He was always a point of reference for the VieSID community and instructors.

Prof. DDr. Eva Piehslinger



Prof. Dr. Eva Piehslinger is the director of the Prosthetic Department of the Medical University of Vienna and is therefore responsible for the research, as well as educational and clinical activities of the department. She is also the director of the

postgraduate Master of Science in prosthetics and of the VieSID courses of the Medical University of Vienna. She is a close collaborator to VieSID as a member of its scientific board.

Dr. Kim Parlett, DDS, MSc



Dr. Kim Parlett has his private practice in Bracebridge, Ontario, Canada. His practice is dedicated to the treatment and rehabilitation of dysfunctional patients. For over 3 decades, he has practiced a variety of hard and soft tissue techniques

to provide predictable implant supported prosthodontic and orthodontic solutions centered around optimal function and esthetics. He received his doctorate of dentistry from the University of Toronto and obtained a Master of Science in advanced dentistry in 2004 through the Donau University, Austria under the guidance of Prof. Slavicek.

Andriy Klovanets, DMD, MSc



Dr. Andriy Klovanets is specialized in prosthodontics, oral surgery and implantology and in the diagnosis and treatment of TMD. He first graduated at Danylo Halytsky Lviv National Medical University, Ukraine. He graduated as Master of Science

in prosthodontics at the Medical University of Vienna and acquired further postgraduate education through the VieSID courses. He became a lecturer for VieSID in 2018.



VIESID HOSTS AND LECTURERS

Dr. Daniele Togni, MSc



Dr. Daniele Togni is specialized in dentistry and dental prosthetics which he practices based on the most modern gnathological principles. He obtained his medical degree from the University of Milan, Italy in 1988 and in 2011 concluded successfully the Master of Dental Sciences at Danube University Krems, under the supervision of Prof. Slavicek. He joined the VieSID team as an instructor in 2015. His points of strength are the deep knowledge of the dental literature combined with the use of interdisciplinary dentistry tools.

Dr. Ian Tester, DDS, MSc



Dr. Ian W. Tester is a fellow and past president of the Canadian Academy of Restorative Dentistry and Prosthodontics (CARDP) and a member of numerous dental organizations including the American Academy of Restorative Dentistry (AARD). He practices general den-

tistry in St. Catharines with a focus on complex dysfunctional patients, which he treats using interdisciplinary approaches. Under the guidance of Prof. Slavicek he obtained a master degree in dental sciences at Donau University in Krems Austria, in 2004. Since then, he has been lecturing internationally on complex treatment planning, including functional diagnostic and treatment of dysfunction based on occlusal reconstruction.

Dr. Miguel Assis, DDS, MSc



Dr. Miguel Assis is a highly specialized orthodontist practicing the concepts of interdisciplinary dentistry while educating himself through postgraduate courses on advanced orthodontic techniques and function and dysfunction of the masticatory organ at various

schools, including a Master of Science in prosthodontics at the Medical University of Vienna, the Kanagawa Dental University, Japan, and the Santiago de Compostela University. He also attended the VieSID courses before becoming a VieSID instructor himself. His expertise includes the use of condylography as monitoring tool supporting the diagnostic assessment.

Dr. Alejandra Londoño, DDS, MSc



Dr. Alejandra Londoño is an orthodontist specialized in the functional analysis of the masticatory system and condylography. Her experience in the topic derives from the advanced studies she conducted, her clinical practice and research activities. She first graduated and specialized in orthodontics in Colombia and then obtained a Master of Science in prosthodontics at the Medical University of Vienna. She successfully conducted further postgraduate studies at Danube University, Austria and Kanagawa Dental University, Japan. She attended the VieSID courses before joining the VieSID team of instructors.



VIESID HOSTS AND LECTURERS

DT Karin Graichen, MSc



DT Karin Graichen is a highly experienced teacher in dental techniques and joined the VieSID team in 2008. She begun to work as a dental technician in 1990, opening her own dental laboratory 10 years later. She now coordinates a large

team of collaborators in her laboratory. Her postgraduate education includes a Master of Science in dental science for dental laboratory at Danube University Krems, Austria.

DT Stefan Thunert, MSc



DT Stefan Thunert is a specialist for functional and esthetical dental technology following the VieSID concept in reconstructive dentistry. Since 2000 he owns a dental laboratory and achieved a Master of Science at the Danube University in Krems in 2011. He joined the VieSID lecturer team in 2014, giving lectures and teaching in workshops.

Dr. Anastasia Saltykova, MSc



Dr. Anastasia Saltykova is a teacher of VieSID specialized in the application of the clinical instrumental functional analysis. She graduated at Moscow University, Russia and got a Master in dental science at Danube University Krems, Austria.

She was a scientific assistant at Danube University Krems and has joined the VieSID team in 2008 and operates a private practice in Moscow.

Dr. Diana Badreddin, MSc



Dr. Diana Badreddin first graduated at the KS Medical University in Krasnodar, Russia, and studied further in Italy and Austria. Supervised by Prof. Slavicek, she obtained a Master of Science in dental sciences through the Donau Uni-

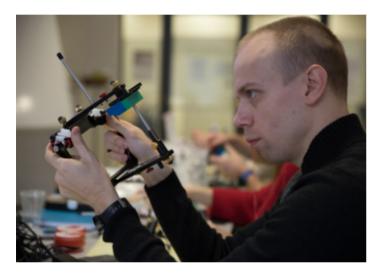
versity, Krems and specialized in functional orthodontics and occlusal medicine in a three-years course by Prof. Sato. She gained invaluable clinical experience while assisting Prof. Slavicek and joined the VieSID team of lecturers in 2014. Her range of expertise includes orthodontics, condylographic analysis, treatment of cranio-facial dysfunctions, as well as posture correction.



THE CURRICULUM

The Vienna School of Interdisciplinary Dentistry - VieSID Basic Curriculum is conceived as a comprehensive theoretical and hands-on course in functional dentistry and is based on Professor Rudolf Slavicek's concept. The teachings of the VieSID Curriculum can be effectively implemented in the daily practice by dentists, dental technicians and experts from related professions. It is split up into three 5-days-long modules. Each module

includes theoretical and practical lessons and requires active participation of the attendees. The theoretical classes are aimed to inform about cranio-mandibular function and dysfunction. The practical lessons are meant to train the participant in all the phases of the functional diagnostic, including the interpretation of the clinical evidence.





Supported by the VieSID instructors, every attendee carries out diagnostic work-up, documentation and case planning on their own patients. Their clinical work is assessed and discussed with the instructors so as to allow immediate application of the content of the course and thus ensure optimal fruition. The participants will acquire the ability to critically evaluate and consider important aspects of the best available practice in dentistry and the latest technological developments.



TOPICS

The cranio-mandibular system:

- Anatomy
- Neuro-muscular system
- Evolution
- Phylogeneses and ontogenesis

- Cybernetic concept
- Functions of the masticatory organ
- Occlusion
- Functional geometry

Reference position

Bite registration to define the position of upper jaw and lower jaw in relation to the TMJ Discussion of different methods including theoretical and practical lessons

Condylar registration

Registration based on anatomic and true hinge axis using the jaw tracking system Cadiax Compact 2 and Cadiax 4 systems. The following clinical procedures are practiced between the participants:

- Customization and mounting of the mandible clutch (tray and functional occlusal clutch)
- Mounting of the condylograph face-bow system
- Localization of the patient's individual true hinge axis

by using both, a mechanic (graphic) and an electronic method.

- Registration of the dynamic condylar tracings of the mandibular movements, including standard openclose, medio- and laterotrusive movements, as well as speech, chewing and bruxism.
- Orthopedic standard analysis of the TMJ
- ECPM position analysis of the mandible

The condylographic tracing

Standardized approach to the evaluation of the condylographic outcomes including differential diagnosis

Articulator programming

Patient-specific setting of the condylar housing at the sagittal and transversal plane, considering TMJ retral movement patterns

Articulator transfer

Mounting of the upper cast according to the true hinge axis and of the lower cast using the reference position record



TOPICS

Cephalometric

Analysis of the cephalometric data including:

- Identification of the landmark points and contours (including practice on the x-ray images using CADIAS software)
- Data transfer of the condylar tracings to ceph
- Skeletal types, individual norms, skeletal, dental and functional values
- Concept of relative condylar inclination (RCI)
- Importance of occlusal plane inclination
- Understanding of compensation mechanism
- Discussion of the skeletal configuration of the patient and its functional interpretation

Functional diagnostic of the anterior teeth

Including practical exercise

Condylar position measurement (CPM)

Correlations and differential diagnosis

Discussion on initial therapy

Principles of wax-up techniques

Discussion of dental class I, II, and III and cross bite Practical exercises on dental class I cases

Case documentation

Presentation and discussion of patient cases

Summary and examination



GENERAL INFORMATION

Operated by	VieSID® Vienna School of Interdisciplinary Dentistry in cooperation with the Medical University of Vienna
Lecturers	Dr. Kim Parlett, Dr. Daniele Togni, Dr. Ian Tester, Dr. Miguel Assis, Dr. Alejandra Londoño, Dr. Andriy Klovanets, DT Karin Graichen, DT Stefan Thunert, Dr. Anastasia Saltykova, Dr. Diana Badreddin, Dr. Diwakar Singh
Course language	International Course: English Courses in Italian, Russian, Spanish and Ukrainian Language available

Course Host | Medical University of Vienna & University Clinic of Dentistry Vienna

Target group Dentists, dental technicians and professionals of related disciplines

Certificate Issued by VieSID and the Medical University of Vienna, after successfully passing an exam and presenting a fully documented case

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