Special Speakers Schedule for Fall Quarter 2014 (Updated 11/17/14)
Presented to you by the UCSD Pre-Dental Society and UCSD Student-Run Free Dental Clinic Project

1. Sept 29 (Mon) – Fall Quarter Instruction Begins
2. Oct 2 – New Members Meeting and Potluck with Dr. Jack Dillenberg, DDS, MPH, Dean, Arizona School of Dentistry & Oral Health
   Topics: One of our most charismatic speakers, Dr. Dillenberg’s career spans public health, organized dentistry, and academia. He will discuss plans for a new dental school in San Diego along with current public health topics.
   Where/When: UCSD Medical School, Telemedicine Building, 6:30pm
3. Oct 9 – Dr. Stacey Moon DDS, Nina Hashemi, 4th Year Dental Student at ASDOH, & Mr. Mark Hunt, Vinmar Solutions
   Topics: Dr. Moon, a recent graduate from the UCSF School of Dentistry, and Nina Hashemi, a 4th-year ASDOH student, will be speaking of their experiences in dental school and in the UCSD free clinics. Mr. Mark Hunt from Vinmar Solutions will talk briefly about his dental courses.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3, 6:30pm
4. Oct 9 – Oct 12 (Thu-Sun) – American Dental Association Annual Session: San Antonio, TX
   Details: The largest dental conference and exhibition in the US. Representatives from all dental schools and dentists from around the world will attend. Come see hundreds of exhibits, attend classes and receptions where we meet alumni and faculty from multiple dental schools. On Thursday morning, Former President George W. Bush will give the keynote address. Contact Philip Yoong at yoong.philip@gmail.com.
5. Oct 13-17 (Mon-Fri) – Lemon Grove Oral Health Week
   Topics: Volunteer as our Dental Health Ambassadors teach the students at Lemon Grove Academy about oral healthcare with a variety of activities. Contact Nicole Chhea for more information at tchhea21@gmail.com. Where/When: Lemon Grove Academy
6. Oct 16 – General Body Meeting – Dr. Jeffrey Turchi DDS and Dr. Lawrence Garetto MS, PhD
   Topics: Dr. Jeffrey Turchi, Director of Admissions and Assistant Professor for Western University of Health Sciences, will be speaking about admissions and what dental school is like at Western. Additionally, Dr. Lawrence Garetto, Professor and Former Dean of Student Affairs from the Indiana School of Dentistry will present an ethical dilemma case study and invite our members to the American Society for Bioethics and Humanities Convention (Dental Division) held in San Diego the following day at 5pm.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3, 6:30pm, TGIF to follow
7. Oct 17 (Fri) – American Society for Bioethics and Humanities (ASBH)
   Details: Join the ASBH’s 16th Annual Meeting at the Hilton Bayfront Hotel (San Diego). ASBH promotes multidisciplinary, scholarship, research, teaching, and policy development among people engaged in clinical and academic bioethics. Contact Philip Yoong at yoong.philip@gmail.com.
8. Oct 23 – Dr. Erick Sato DDS - Endodontics 101 & General Body Meeting
   Topics: Dr. Sato, an Endodontist and former UCSD Pre-Dental Society member, is currently a volunteer in our Free Dental Clinics. He will talk about his journey through dental school, a GPR, and an Endo Residency. He will also discuss the science and technique behind endodontics.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3, 6:30pm, Tapioca Express to follow!
   Topics: Learn basics of tooth anatomy, gain experience in manual dexterity, dental hand instruments and waxing techniques. Contact Aneesha Amarnath for more information aamarnat@ucsd.edu.
10. Oct 30 – Dr. Sussi Yamaguchi and Dr. Stacey Moon – Dentistry 101 & General Body Meeting (Halloween Theme)
    Topics: Dentistry 101. Learn general topics in dentistry and how to apply them in our clinics and in dental school in the future. Dr. Sussi Yamaguchi and Dr. Stacey Moon will facilitate the lecture. Dress up! Halloween-themed!!!
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3, 6:30pm
11. Nov 1 (Sat) – PDS Halloween Party at the Rupp Residence
12. Nov 5 (Wed) – One on One Personal Statement Workshop
    Details: Workshop covering the necessary tools to write a personal statement for any graduate program given by Dr. Philip Aftoora, Director of Student Services, Case Western Reserve University. Sign up with Nicole Chhea at tchhea21@gmail.com.
13. Nov 6 – Philip Aftoora, Director of Student Services, Case Western Reserve University & General Body Meeting
    Topics: Mr. Aftoora will present on Case Western dental school as well as interview tips and advice to achieve success in the dental school application process (not just for Case Western). Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Rooms 2 & 3, 6:30pm, TGIF to follow.
14. Nov 7-8 (Fri-Sat) – Continuing Education Adventures: Dental Road Show
    Details: To sign up to volunteer and attend CE courses, please email ucsdoso.specialevents@gmail.com
15. Nov 7-8 (Fri-Sat) – Thousand Smiles Foundation Outreach in Mexico
    Details: Thousand Smiles is a non-profit organization that travels four times a year to Ensenada, Mexico to provide medical and dental care for children afflicted with cleft lip and palate. Contact Jorge Espinoloda at jae1198@gmail.com.
16. Nov 11 (Tue) – Veterans Day Holiday
17. Nov 13 – Kip Nielson (D4 Student, Roseman) and Dr. Melanie Parker DDS (Orthodontist)
    Topics: Kip Nielson discusses on being a dental student. Dr. Parker will speak about orthodontics and zoo dentistry.
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Rooms 2 & 3, 6:30pm, TGIF to follow.
18. Nov 14 (Fri) – Dr. Leo Rouse DDS, Dean of Howard University, Former ADEA President, Former Head of US Army Dental Corp
    Topics: Dr. Rouse has had a phenomenal career and is a great motivational speaker. You will learn a lot about our profession and future, which will help you in your own career in dentistry. Don’t miss this wonderful opportunity.
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Rooms 2 & 3, 6pm
19. Nov 20 – Dr. Terry Tanaka DDS – Head & Neck Dissections with Temporomandibular Joint (TMJ) Discussions, Founder of Thousand Smiles
    Topics: Dr. Tanaka’s educational videotapes in TM Dysfunction, Implants, and Anatomy have been used in over 80 medical and dental schools, as well as surgery programs throughout the world. He is one of the finest head and neck dissectors in the world and will be giving our group his two-session course including a live demonstration with a cadaver head. Where: UCSD Medical School Liebow Auditorium, 6:30pm, TGIF to follow.
20. Nov 27-28 (Thur-Fri) – Thanksgiving Day Holiday
21. Dec 4 – Hemophilia and its Importance to Dentistry & Price Is Right: Dental Game
    Topics: The Pacific Beach Tuesday managers will be presenting on hemophilia and its relation to dentistry. Also, members will play The Price Is Right regarding clinic supplies. Where/When: UCSD Medical School Liebow Auditorium, 6:30pm
22. Dec 11 – Navy Hospital Ships Humanitarian Mission Interest Forum & White Elephant Gift Exchange
    Topics: Open forum on upcoming humanitarian missions with the Navy. Learn more about the trips and the application. White Elephant gift exchange, food, and fun! Celebrate the holidays with us! Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Rooms 2 & 3, 6:30pm

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Special Speakers Schedule for Winter Quarter 2015 (Updated 2/25/15)
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1. Jan 5 (Mon) – Winter Quarter Instruction Begins
2. Jan 8 – Craig Varborough, DDS, Executive Dean, University of the Pacific Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry
   Topics: Dr. Varborough will discuss UOP’s Humanistic Model and educational programs, as well as his personal experiences in private practice and academia. TGIF to follow!
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
3. Jan 15 – Dr. John Featherstone, MSe, PhD, Dean of University of California, San Francisco School of Dentistry
   Topics: Although not a dentist, Dr. Featherstone’s research over the past 35 years spans all aspects of dentistry and oral health, including caries assessment and management. Hailing from New Zealand, Dr. Featherstone describes his journey to one of the top research institutions in the United States and his work on caries risk assessment. TGIF to follow!
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
4. Jan 22 – Amy Truong (D4 Student, ASDOH), and The Relationship Between Dentistry and Medicine
   Topics: Amy Truong discusses being a dental student. Dr. Susi Yamaguchi will talk about dentistry’s relationship to medicine.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
5. Jan 24 (Sat) – OSHA and California Law Training (Mandatory for Current Managers, Department Heads, and Clinic Volunteers)
   Food will be provided for breakfast and lunch
   Details: Do not miss this presentation! We will discuss how to work in a safe and efficient healthcare environment. Normally a lecture costing hundreds of dollars, this presentation will give you essential information to protect the health of you and everyone around you. Cost is $25 before and on Jan 15th, and $50 after the 15th.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
6. Jan 29 – Mert Aksu, DDS, JD, MHSA, Dean of University of Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry
   Topics: Dr. Aksu will present on his career throughout the years including his foray into dentistry, academics, and law. He will also discuss the structure of UDM and what he sees as the future of dentistry. He has created and sponsored a program for our students to spend a week at his dental school. TGIF to follow!
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
7. Feb 5 – Kaplan Personal Statement Workshop and GBM
   Topics: Representatives from Kaplan will speak about effectively writing a personal statement for dental school applications. Pizza and drinks will be provided.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
8. Feb 6 – Thousand Smiles Foundation Outreach in Mexico
   Details: Thousand Smiles is a non-profit organization that travels four times per year to Ensenada, Mexico to provide medical and dental care for children afflicted with cleft lip and palate. Contact Allende Ezquivel at a4esquiv@ucsd.edu.
9. Feb 12 – Ethics & Professionalism Part I by Dr. Stacey Moon, DDS & GBM
   Topics: Dr. Moon’s lecture series will detail the importance of ethics and professionalism in healthcare. This is an important topic for professionals as well as student volunteers.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
10. Feb 19 – Anthony Cardoza, DDS San Diego County Office of Medical Coroner & GBM
    Topics: Dr. Cardoza will be speaking about bite mark analysis, identifications, mass disasters, homicide cases, and the basics of forensic dentistry. We will also have the opportunity to go to the coroner’s office to observe autopsies and help identify missing people from their dental records. TGIF to follow!
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
11. Feb 26 – General Body Meeting & Application Tips with Dr. Irvin Silverstein; Humanitarian Missions Meeting
    Topics: Dr. Silverstein will speak about application and interview tips for students applying this upcoming cycle. Afterwards, there will be a mandatory Humanitarian Missions meeting for those going on the Continuing Promise 2015 missions.
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
12. Mar 5 – Timothy Smith, DDS, Specialty in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
    Topics: Dr. Smith will discuss procedures in oral surgery, orthognathic cases, implant replacements, and more. TGIF to follow!
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
13. Mar 12 – William Harman, BMusEd, MA, PhD (Executive Dean, Dean of Admissions and Student Services) and William Carroll, DDS (Dean of Academic Affairs), Roseman University College of Dental Medicine
    Topics: Both Dr. Harman and Dr. Carroll will discuss their experiences within the dental field, the unique model at Roseman, and their personal experiences in dentistry, making this a meeting not to be missed! TGIF to follow!
    Where/When: TBA at 6:30pm
14. Mar 18 (Wed) – Maxine Feinberg, DDS (Periodontist), President of the American Dental Association
    Topics: Dr. Feinberg will speak about her journey into the field of dentistry, as well as her endeavors within organized dentistry and what it means to be a dental professional. Additionally, she will be viewing our clinics on Wednesday and Thursday.
    Where/When: TBA at 8:30pm with reception to follow.
15. Mar 27 (Fri) – PDS Spring Break Bonfire
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Special Speakers Schedule for Spring Quarter 2015 (Updated 5/12/15)

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1. Mar 30 (Mon) – Spring Quarter Instruction Begins
2. Apr 2 – VA Practice Acquisition and Management Lecture Series #1; For more details email yoong.philip@gmail.com
3. Apr 2 – Kenneth Chance, DDS, Dean of Case Western Reserve University School of Dental Medicine
   Topics: Dr. Chance will present about Case Western and his career in endodontics, academics, his interests in access to oral healthcare, and his positions within ADEA and other organizations. His first time joining us here in San Diego, Dr. Chance will also tour our clinics on Wednesday and Thursday.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm, TGIF to follow!
4. Apr 9 – Ethics & Professionalism Part II by Dr. Stacey Moon, DDS
   Topics: Dr. Moon’s lecture will detail the importance of ethics and professionalism in healthcare. Continuing from her previous lecture, this is an important topic for professionals as well as student volunteers.
   Where/When: UCSD School of Medicine Liebow Auditorium at 6:30pm
5. Apr 16 – VA Practice Acquisition and Management Lecture Series #2; For more details email yoong.philip@gmail.com
6. Apr 16 – Todd Ester, DDS, MS, Director of Diversity and Inclusion at University of Michigan School of Dentistry
   Topics: Dr. Ester will be speaking about the University of Michigan and his experiences in endodontics and academia. An active board member of ADEA and an educator, Dr. Ester’s lecture is one not to be missed! He will also be touring our clinics.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm, TGIF to follow!
7. Apr 18 (Sat) – Annual UCSD Pre-Dental Society Banquet
   Location: 94th Aero Squadron Restaurant, 8885 Balboa Ave, San Diego, CA 92123; 12pm-4pm
8. Apr 23 – Ronald Dailey, PhD, Dean of Loma Linda University School of Dentistry
   Topics: Although not a dentist, Dr. Dailey’s participation in preventive and community dentistry goes back to the early days of his career. He will tour our clinics and then present his research and Loma Linda’s curriculum and philosophy.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm, TGIF to follow!
9. Apr 30 – Stanley Malamed, DDS, Former Professor, USC Hermann Ostrow School of Dentistry, & Jason Brady, DDS, Dental Anesthesiologist
   Topics: A world-renowned expert in dental anesthesia, sedation, and medical emergencies, Dr. Malamed will discuss pain management and dental emergencies. He has also written books that are widely used in both dental and medical schools worldwide. Joining him is Dr. Brady, a former UCSD PDS member, who will discuss his ventures in dental anesthesia.
   Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm, TGIF to follow!
10. April 30 – May 2 (Thur-Sat) – CDA Presents: CDA Convention 2015 Anaheim
    Details: The California Dental Association will host their annual Anaheim dental convention. Network, promote our student-run free clinics, seek clinic donors, and get cool free dental stuff! Contact Raime Shah at raimeshah@gmail.com for details.
11. May 7 – Dental School Panel & GBM
    Topics: Join the PDS students who have gotten into dental school this year for a Q&A session!
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
12. May 11-15 (Mon-Fri) – Lemon Grove Oral Health Week
13. May 14 – Special Tour of the USNS Mercy Hospital Ship & GBM
    Topics: We have been invited to tour the USNS Mercy Hospital Ship with Lieutenants Joseph Lai and William Arden. This extremely unique experience will be accompanied with pizza and drinks, as well as a short meeting to follow. The personnel in charge of the Navy Scholarships will also be in attendance and speak to us all. Carpools provided!
    Where/When: Naval Base San Diego at 7pm
14. May 19 – UCSD Free-Dental Clinic Faculty Development Mixer (Invitation Only)
15. May 21 – VA Practice Acquisition and Management Lecture Series #3; For more details email yoong.philip@gmail.com
16. May 21 – Kaplan’s DAT Workshop
    Topics: Kaplan will explain the PAT section of the DAT and give you tips and tricks to perform well! Kaplan will also be providing pizza and drinks for those who attend!
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm
17. May 21 – UCSD Student-Run Free Clinics Gala (Invitation Only)
18. May 25 (Mon) – Memorial Day
19. May 28 – An Evening with Christine Forester
    Topics: Christine Forester was the first woman architect in Switzerland who, upon arriving in the US, helped design hospitals to be more humanistic. Additionally, she met a young man by the name of Barrack Obama and eventually helped him to become the President of the United States. You do not want to miss out on this amazing woman’s presentation!
    Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy HSEC Auditorium at 6:30pm, reception to follow!
20. June 4 – GBM
    Topics: TBA
    Where/When: TBA, TGIF to follow!
21. June 6 – 12 (Sat-Fri) – Spring Final Exams
22. June 13 – 14 (Sat-Sun) – UCSD Commencement

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Where/When: PSB Rooms 2 and 3 ; 6:30pm, reception to follow!

June 4 – Ashley Goodman, DDS, DABFD, DABHD, Dental hypnotist
Topics: Utilizing hypnosis to anesthetize his patients, Dr. Ashley Goodman is truly an unconventional dentist. Dr. Goodman will talk to us about the use of hypnosis in dentistry. A live demonstration aimed to relax students to help them focus for finals will be performed as well. Don’t miss this truly unique opportunity and join us for an amazing evening!
Where/When: UCSD Skaggs School of Pharmacy, PSB Education Rooms 2 & 3 at 6:30pm, TGIF to follow!

June 6 – 12 (Sat-Fri) – Spring Final Exams

June 13 – 14 (Sat-Sun) – UCSD Commencement

Jun 18 – First General Body Meeting of the Summer
Topics: First GBM of the summer; provides information regarding summer opportunities and events followed by the 1st Executive meeting. Both old and new executive members must attend.
Where/When: 5:30pm, PSB Rooms 2 and 3

Jul 2 – General Body Meeting, Special Speaker TBA
Topics: TBA
Where/When: 5:30pm, PSB Rooms 2 and 3

Jul 16 - General Body Meeting, Special Speaker TBA
Topics: TBA
Where/When: 5:30pm, PSB Rooms 2 and 3

Jul 30 – General Body Meeting, Special Speaker TBA
Details: TBA
Where/When: TBA

Aug 13 - General Body Meeting, Special Speaker TBA
Details: TBA
Where/When: TBA

Aug 20-22 - CDA San Francisco
Details: Contact Jonathan Wong, icswong21@gmail.com, 626.823.0521 for more information.
Where/When: San Francisco Moscone Center, Aug 20-22 (Thurs-Sat)

Aug 27 – General Body Meeting, Philip Yoong, Special Speaker TBA
Details: Philip Yoong, UCSD and PDS Alumni, will talk about himself for a couple hours.
Where/When: 5:30pm, PSB Rooms 2 and 3

Sep 3 – General Body Meeting, Special Speaker TBA
Details: TBA
Where/When: 5:30pm, PSB Rooms 2 and 3

Sep 10 – General Body Meeting, Special Speaker TBA
Topics: Planning for Fall Quarter events.
Where/When: TBA

Sep 17 – General Body Meeting, Special Speaker TBA
Details: TBA
Where/When: TBA

Sept (TBD) - UDM Externship
Details: TBA, Contact Nicole Chhea, tyhhea21@gmail.com, 858.230.1270 for more information

Sept 21 (Mon) – Fall Quarter Instruction Begins

Sept 24 – Zero Week Get-Together
Topics: Get to know new members after GBM! Pizza and drinks will be provided
Where/When: TBA

Oct 1 – First GBM of the School Year & New Member’s Meeting
Topics: Located in the Forum Room, enjoy a potluck with icebreakers, while also beginning our PDS Mentor-Mentee Program.
Where/When: Forum Room, 4th Floor Price Center, 6:30pm

Oct 8 – Jack Dillenberg, DDS, MPH, Dean, Arizona School of Dentistry & Oral Health
Topics: As one of our most honored speakers, Dr. Dillenberg will discuss his forays in public health, organized dentistry, and academia. Additionally, he will share current public health topics in dentistry, as well as personal experiences that influenced his career.
Where/When: TBA, 6:30pm TGIF to follow!

Oct 15 – Congressman Juan Vargas, MA, Representative for California’s 51st Congressional District
Topics: First serving on the San Diego City Council, Congressman Juan Vargas began his career serving the underprivileged population in San Diego. Congressman Vargas will discuss his journey into Congress and share his background that influenced his foray into the U.S. government.
Where/When: TBA, Reception to follow

Oct 22 – TBA
Topics: TBA
Where/When: TBA

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