Dubai Dental Week gathered 2128 professionals from all over the world

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Dubai, UAE: This year’s 11th CAD/CAM & Digital Dentistry International Conference, which took place from May 06-07 at the Jumeirah Beach Hotel in Dubai, can boast a great record of international dental attendance. Catering to the scientific and business needs of dental specialists, the nearly week-long forum gathered a total of 2,128 professionals from across the world. The conference is considered the most important industry event in the region, and the organizers – the Centre for Advanced Professional Practices (CAPPmea) and the Emirates Dental Society had prepared an impressive line-up of top lecturers and a number of accompanying events.

The conference was an incredible opportunity for dental teams to obtain up-to-date professional and scientific information through a series of innovative presentations and hands-on courses covering a variety of multidisciplinary topics in digital dentistry and continuing dental education. This year the agenda offered a wide variety of top quality scientific sessions, lectures and panel discussions by industry leading experts in dentistry and dental technologies, a great deal of hands-on courses, as well as networking opportunities with leading dental providers, distributors and experts from all over the world.

The renowned international speakers who took part in the 11th CAD/CAM & Digital Dentistry International Conference 2016 were Prof. Jan-Frederik Güth (Germany), Dr. Michael Dieter (Switzerland), Asst. Prof. Dr. Cagdas Kiskooglu (Turkey), Prof. Jihad Abdallah (Lebanon), Asst. Prof. Joseph Sabagh (Lebanon), Dr. Marto J Beeck (Switzerland), CDT Vanik Kaufmann-Binoian (Switzerland), Dr. Karel Dinov (Bulgaria), Dr. Guillaume Jouanny (France), Dr. Jan Paulics (Denmark), Dr. Tif Qureshi (UK) and Dr. Eduardo Mains (Chile).

They discussed current issues in digital dentistry, aesthetics, prosthetics, implantology, restorative dentistry, endodontics, etc.

The panel discussions following the sessions proved a useful way to trigger an exchange of viewpoints among experts with the audience and further increase the participants’ understanding of the subject at hand. With the constant increase in demand for hands-on approach, CAPP partnered with several international key opinion leaders and industry partners to offer a total of 15 hands-on courses spread over six days. The limited enrollment allowed participants the maximum opportunity to practice the skills in a hands-on format.

Among the events that took place parallel with the 11th CAD/CAM & Digital Dentistry Conference were the Dental Technicians International Meeting and the traditional industry exhibition. The Dental Technicians International Meeting was attended by over 200 international dental technicians, clinical dental technicians, laboratory owners and other visitors. The meeting focused on the hottest topics of interest not only for technicians and lab-owners, but also for the entire dental technology profession.

The panel of speakers included some of the industry’s most respected experts: Vanik Kaufmann (Switzerland), Michele Temperani (Italy), Ahlam Farah (Syria), John Phillips (Canada), Christopher Adamius (Denmark), Yamen Chaban (Germany), Mafies Simone (Italy) and Clemens Schwerts (Germany). Dental technicians also had a chance to attend a number of trainings titled ‘Round Table Clinic Trainings’, during which they had a chance to ask their questions and immediately receive valuable insight from the presenters while practicing hands-on.

The top leader manufacturers generously sponsored the conference to contribute for the developing of these advanced technologies. The exhibition taking place during the conference days was designed to show the sponsors’ latest CAD/CAM & digital technologies, materials and techniques, as well as promote innovative ideas and services. The exhibition provided great business opportunities for all parties – delegates, visitors and trade representatives.

The 11th CAD/CAM & Digital Dentistry International Conference welcomed dentists, providers and experts from 35 countries in Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and the Americas. The organizers, CAPP and Emirates Dental Society re-established the reputation of the conference as the industry’s leading international scientific event and proved its increasing popularity. In the words of Dr. Alsha Sukan, who opened the 11th CAD/CAM & Digital Dentistry International Conference, the forum is a gateway to knowledge acquisition so that all dental professionals may follow the latest developments in dental world.

For more information about the conference and upcoming scientific events in the MEA region, visit cappmea.com.
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