

Esthetics in Function: Integrating Occlusion into Smile Design

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Attendees: Dentists / Length of Program: 2 days

Location: Geneva / Switzerland

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Course objectives

- Introduce a systematic approach to confidently and consistently treatment plan cases with different degrees of complexity, optimizing the esthetic, functional, structural, and biological outcomes
- Provide scientific foundation to clinical decision-making and quality control
- Introduce and update state-of-the-art techniques and clinical procedures for best results

Day 1

9:00-10:30	Introduction and Course Objectives Pre-clinical interview: obtaining rapport and fine tuning the patient's wishes and expectations; The pragmatic evaluation: what is really meaningful?
10:30-11:00	Coffee-break
11:00-12:30	Esthetics in Function: integrating the principles of occlusion into the smile design The Interdisciplinary Treatment Planning: how to elaborate and present The Plan
12:30-13:30	Lunch
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13:30-15:30	Functional Examination; Intermaxillary records with Therapeutic Deprogrammer and Leaf Gauge Demonstrative Activity + hands-on production of a Lucia Jig
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Day 2

9:00-10:30	Critical and practical aspects of occlusion: what the clinician needs to know? The step-by-step of Occlusal Reorganization
10:30-11:00	Coffee-break
11:00-12:30	Maxillomandibular relationships, Intermaxillary records and Articulators
12:30-13:30	Lunch
13:30-15:30	Demystifying the Functional Guidance and the Occlusal Vertical Dimension
15:30-16:00	Coffee Break
16:00-17:30	Full mouth rehabilitations: putting all the pieces together Occlusal adjustment and Occlusal splints
17:30-18:00	Final remarks Delivery of certificates

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Marcelo Calamita graduated in 1988 from the University of Sao Paulo, where he also obtained his certificate, MS, and PhD in prosthodontics. He is Visiting professor in the Department of Restorative Dental Sciences at the University of Florida and worked as Associate Professor of Prosthodontics at University Braz Cubas and University of Guarulhos in Sao Paulo. Marcelo Calamita is the former president of the Brazilian Society of Esthetic Dentistry and the Brazilian Academy of Esthetic Dentistry. He was editor-in-chief of the Dental Press Brazilian Journal of Esthetics and currently serves on the editorial board of the Journal of Esthetic and Restorative Dentistry. In addition, he has lectured nationally and internationally, written numerous scientific publications and the book Esthetics in Function on treatment planning and occlusion. He also maintains a private practice in Sao Paulo focusing on comprehensive restorative and esthetic dentistry.