

## **2016 IAPA Board member BIOS**

### **Dr. Mark Duncan**

Dr. Duncan received his college and post-graduate studies at the University of Oklahoma culminating with a D.D.S. degree in 1995. Following Dental School, Dr. Duncan vigorously pursued continuing education twice being recognized as the leader in the State for Continuing Education. He completed the surgical and prosthetic sections with the Misch Implant Institute earning a Fellowship with the Institute as well as holding Diplomate status with the International Congress of Oral Implantologists. He has also earned the Fellowship with the Academy of General Dentistry in the shortest time period allowed by the Academy. He considers his real advance in education to have started with his journey through the Las Vegas Institute. In 2002 he started a scratch practice in Oklahoma City and he now focuses on cosmetic and comprehensive restorative neuromuscular dentistry and airway management. He is a graduate of the world-renowned Las Vegas Institute for Advanced Dental Studies (LVI), and was given the honor of being a clinical instructor for the institute in 2002. He teaches dentists from all over the world in the latest treatments for cosmetic dentistry, full mouth reconstruction, and neuromuscular occlusion. He also belongs to many dental organizations and has served as the Editor for the Oklahoma Academy of General Dentistry and on the Board of the Oklahoma County Dental Society as CE Chair. He is a Board Member of the IACA and lectures on aesthetics, occlusion, CAD-CAM technology, and practice management nationwide and serves as development consultant to several dental manufacturing companies and dental think-tanks. Dr. Duncan sees dentistry as an incredible opportunity to improve the health and wellness of people and is excited to share his passion and perspective!

### **Dr. Joe Barton**

Dr. Barton received his college and doctor of medical dentistry degree from the University of Florida in 1986. Immediately following graduation, he worked as an associate for one year in Jacksonville, Florida. In October of 1987, Dr. Barton opened his solo dental practice in Jacksonville. Following a course taken in 1995 at Las Vegas Institute for Advanced Dental Studies (LVI Global), Dr. Barton slowly began to transition his general dentistry practice into a practice that focused on aesthetic dentistry. Later, in 2001, Dr. Barton built and moved into a brand new office that helped further transition the practice into comprehensive neuromuscular aesthetic dentistry. He is a graduate of and instructor with the Las Vegas Institute for Advanced Dental Studies (LVI). He also has achieved the LVI Mastership award. He teaches dentists from all over the world in the latest treatments for cosmetic dentistry, full mouth reconstruction and neuromuscular occlusion. Dr. Barton is affiliated with many dental organizations; AGD, AACD, FDA, ICCMO, as well many local affiliations. He is a frequent speaker to many study groups and associations.

### **Dr. James McCreight – 2017 IAPA President-Elect**

Dr James McCreight graduated from the University of Iowa in 1995 and completed an Advanced Education in General Dentistry (AEGD) program at the Naval Dental Center, San Diego, CA. Dr

McCreight is a Graduate, Fellow and Clinical Instructor at the Las Vegas Institute (LVI). As a LVI Clinical Instructor, Dr McCreight teaches dentists from around the world several of the CORE clinical programs including the Advanced Functional Aesthetics and the Comprehensive Aesthetic Reconstruction Programs. In 2006 Dr McCreight received the LVI "Rookie" Clinical Instructor of the Year and in 2007 received the LVI Mentor of the Year. Since 2008, Dr McCreight and his Team at McCreight Progressive Dentistry have been voted by their peers as a top Dentist by Colorado's 5280 Magazine. Recently Dr McCreight and his Team were voted in the winner's circle as the 2011 "Best of Steamboat" Dental Office. Dr McCreight and his wife (Dr Wendy McCreight) own and maintain a fee-for-service dental practice in the remote mountain community of Steamboat Springs, CO (aka "Ski and Bike Town USA").

#### **Dr. Drew Markham- IAPA Past President**

Dr. Markham received an Honours B.Sc. from the University of Toronto in 1993, and his dental degree from the University of Michigan in 1998. After being inspired to be a better dentist, and human being by Dr. Bill Dickerson, he moved to Huntsville, Ontario in 2005 to practice comprehensive general dentistry with a special emphasis on cosmetic and neuromuscular rehabilitation. Dr. Markham has received his LVI Fellowship, is an LVI Clinical Instructor, and a Board Member for the IACA. Closer to home, he serves on the Economic Committee of the Ontario Dental Association, is an active member of the Toronto LVI Study Club and is the founder of the Huntsville Makeover.

#### **Dr. John Krasowski, 2016 IAPA President**

Dr. Krasowski is a Clinical Instructor, Regional Director and Speaker for the Las Vegas Institute for Advanced Dental Studies (LVI Global). He has attained LVI Fellowship status. Dr Krasowski is a regular contributor to many Dental Journals, and his work has been featured in numerous dental product advertisements and publications. He is a personal mentor to hundreds of dentists regarding conservative Neuromuscular treatment. Dr Krasowski maintains a private practice in Wausau WI.

#### **Dr. Tim Gross**

Dr. Timothy Gross graduated from the University of Pittsburgh in 1992 and completed a general practice residency in dentistry at Allegheny General Hospital in 1993. He practiced in Pittsburgh for 17 years before relocating to Hilton Head Island, South Carolina in 2009. While in Pittsburgh, Dr. Gross was president of the Pittsburgh Academy of Dentistry and on the Peer Review and Patient Relations Committee of Western Pennsylvania. Dr. Gross is a Fellow and Clinical Instructor of Neuromuscular Orthodontics at the Las Vegas Institute and Clinical Assistant Professor of Medicine, Drexel University College of Medicine. Dr. Gross' practice on Hilton Head Island focuses on orthodontics, mercury- free dentistry, sleep apnea and neuromuscular dentistry.

### **Dr. Omer Reed**

Dr. Reed received his undergraduate degree and doctorate from the University of Minnesota. He is licensed to practice in Tanzania, East Africa and the Islands of the Pacific Rim, as well as the U.S. Dr. Reed was Alumnus of the Year, University of Minnesota, following 14 years as Adjunct Professor of Ecologic Dentistry. He was also Associate Professor of Ecologic Dentistry for nine years at the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill building a bridge between the student and the post graduate. Dr. Reed was a pioneer in group dental practice in the United States with a team of three dentists and four hygienists consistently serving his community for 30 years. Since, 1989 he has pioneered the concept of the one-to-one future of our profession with a solo delivery system. Concepts such as the single chair schedule, the "care pair" team, the front desk-less office, and advanced interactive diagnostic technologies provide the base for the future. He was founder, in the 1970's, of the American Society for Preventive Dentistry. He was also a founder and principal of Napili, a popular international seminar series, initiated in 1963, which continues to encourage successful private care, fee for service practice. He continues to serve on the editorial board of the Independent Dentist, a United Kingdom publication that promotes personal, private care. This year he was honored with the annual Achievement Award from the the Alpha Omega Dental Fraternity- the largest international dental fraternity in the world with over 25,000 members.

### **Dr. Ed Suh**

Dr. Suh is fast becoming a recognized name in the field of contemporary dentistry. His down to earth, real life approach to systematically implementing contemporary techniques into the private practice is what has made him highly sought after as a speaker. From esthetic principles to simplifying complex adhesive protocols to streamlined practice management, the topics covered are true to life and have resulted in many success stories across the nation.