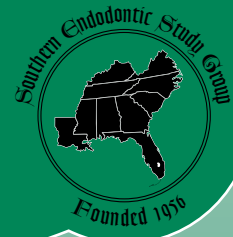


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Fall 2022

2023 Annual Meeting

Returning to the Rockies!

June 15-17, 2023 | The Broadmoor | Colorado Springs, CO

It has been 23 years since the SESG visited beautiful Colorado, and we are returning to the same venue, the exquisite Broadmoor in Colorado Springs.



The Broadmoor is a legendary Forbes Five-Star and AAA Five-Diamond resort with impeccable service and distinctive amenities. At the Broadmoor, the spirit of the West inspires the adventurer within, providing endless opportunities to explore the picturesque mountains, streams, and canyons that have inspired generations. Reserve your room early to experience an iconic Colorado Springs resort where personalized luxury offers an escape from the ordinary and modern details blend seamlessly with the timeless European elegance of our historic hotel.

So much to do – visit Seven Falls, Pikes Peak Cog Railway, fly fishing, falconry, ziplining, hiking, rock climbing, biking or take in a Wild West Experience. There is also The Spa at Broadmoor, pickleball and tennis, water activities, and of course... golf!

The Jim Tate Open will held at The Broadmoor's East Course, known for its wide, tree-lined fairways and expansive greens. With its challenging terrain and amazing mountain vistas. The East Course is ranked among the best golf courses in the country.



The Broadmoor is easily accessible by air through both Colorado Springs Airport and Denver International Airport, and offers a variety of transportation services and assistance for getting to and from the resort. Colorado Springs Airport is approximately 9 miles/15 minutes from The Broadmoor and Denver International Airport is approximately 90 miles/90 minutes away.

The Southern Endodontic Study Group is an affiliate of the American Association of Endodontists dedicated to Endodontic continuing education.

The 2022-2023 Steering Committee:

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A Letter from the 2022-2023 SESG Chair



Colleagues and friends,

I trust that 2022 has been a wonderful year for you all. It was fantastic to once again see so many familiar faces in July at our annual meeting at Amelia Island. My family looks forward to this meeting every single year and it never disappoints. I can assure you this coming year will be no exception.

Our annual meeting will be held June 15-17, 2023 at The Broadmoor in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Although not in the southeast, SESG has previously visited this location in 2000. The venue is stunning, the golf is exceptional, and there is no shortage of great activities to enjoy. I hope that you will join me for what is sure to be a memorable meeting.

If a beautiful location isn't already enough reason to attend, we also have put together a top-notch speaker lineup thanks to Brasseler USA. Dr. Martin Trope and Dr. Bruno Azevedo will be presenting at our meeting. Both are well known and excellent speakers. For those that are not aware, Dr. Azevedo is a CBCT expert and recently enrolled in an endodontic residency. As such, his speaking engagements have become very limited and it will be a special treat for SESG to benefit from his expertise.

I would encourage all members and guests to register and book your lodging as soon as possible. Summertime is high season for The Broadmoor and once our room block is sold out, there may be extremely limited room availability. Believe me when I say that this is a meeting that you will not want to miss!

I look forward to seeing everyone at The Broadmoor in Colorado Springs on June 15!

Tom Brown, DMD, MS
2022-2023 SESG Chair

See page 11 for 2023 SESG Annual Meeting course information!

IMPORTANT DATES

May 3-6, 2023	AAE23 (Annual Meeting) - Chicago
June 15-17, 2023	SESG Annual Meeting – Broadmoor, Colorado Springs
June 27-29, 2024	SESG Annual Meeting

SESG Membership Report

As of September 10, 2022

Welcome New SESG Members!

Dr. Austin Carr, Nashville, TN
Dr. David Funderburk, Greeley, CO
Dr. Kennon Johnson, Raleigh, NC
Dr. Josh Morrow, Greensboro, NC
Dr. Joshua Pruden, Beckley, WV
Dr. Mina Saad, Altoona, PA
Dr. Robert Thousand, St. Augustine, FL
Dr. Jacob Weigle, Lexington, KY
Dr. John Wikle, Birmingham, AL
Dr. Leigh Yarborough, Charleston, SC

Retired Life Membership

Dr. Randy Griffin
Dr. David Clanton

131 Active Members

96 Retired/Life Members

227 Total Members

*Let's grow the SESG Membership!
Please take the SESG membership
form (on pages 9-10) and invite one
of your peers to join one of endo's
best kept secrets – the Southern
Endodontic Study Group!*

The SESG is saddened to announce the passing of

Dr. Thomas Walker, Virginia, October 11, 2020

Dr. William F. Schroeder, Georgia, October 9, 2021

*Dr. William "Bill" Harris, Georgia, May 7, 2022 –
Past Chair 1983-1984*

*Dr. James Tate, Georgia, May 23, 2022 –
Past Chair 1979-1980*

*Dr. James Sherard, Jr., August 26, 2022 –
Founding Member of SESG, Chair 1956 & 1957*

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2023 Annual Meeting *continued from the cover*

Dr. Martin Trope and Dr. Bruno Acevedo are our scheduled speakers and are sponsored by Brasseler USA and will provide over 11 hours of continuing education credits.

The SESG meeting begins with the early arrival reception on Wednesday evening, a nice time to catch up and say hello to old and new friends as they arrive before you head out to dinner. On Thursday evening will be a fun, relaxed buffet with entertainment and activities for the kids. The meeting concludes on Saturday evening with a farewell dinner for the adults and a special activity/dinner for the children.

There will be more information posted on the website soon and complete information in the SESG meeting brochure, which will be mailed in early January. In the meantime, you can make your room reservation by visiting www.southerendo.org, or calling 719-577-5775 or 855-634-7711 and referencing Southern Endo. Rooms start at \$419.00/per night. See back cover for more information.

Thank you to all who participated in The Jim Tate Open and the SESG Fun Run!

Due to the golf tournament being cancelled (rain/lightning) a drawing was held at the Saturday night dinner for the golf prize and the meeting speaker, **Dr. Steve Niemczyk** won! Thank you to **Dr. Phillip Faucette** for overseeing the tournament and to **Endodontic Practice Partners** for sponsoring.

Thank you to **Dr. Kellie Paxton** for overseeing the Fun Run, which this year was quite scenic – a run down the beach! There were seven participants and the first one in was **Josie Behm**, (Dr. William Freccia's granddaughter), a high school cross country runner. Congratulations Josie!



*Even a little mishap with the golf
cart and a rain out doesn't keep
these two from having fun!
Dr. Sheldon Mann and
Dr. Glenn Paulk*

2022 Annual Meeting

Amelia Island Resort



The SESG Annual Meeting always fun, informative,
and friendly!

Thank you to those who shared their pictures.

Congrats to our
crazy hat winner –
Gabriella Maresca!



2022 Annual Meeting Recap

The 66th meeting of the Southern Endodontic Study Group was attended by 67 endodontists, 59 spouses/guests, 15 older children (13-20), and 28 children 12 and under. There were 18 companies represented at the meeting; take a moment and check out the list on page 8.

Everyone had a great time, the beach was beautiful, and the weather, well...for the most part, great. Unfortunately, due to some intense thunderstorms, The Jim Tate Open, was called after three holes and the scheduled Amelia Island River Cruise had to be cancelled, just as our attendees were getting on the bus to go to the dock! But, always better to be safe than sorry.

Southern Endodontic Study Group General Business Meeting Minutes – Saturday, July 9, 2022

Meeting minutes will be officially reviewed at the next business meeting, June 17, 2023.

MINUTES

Dr. Michael Nimmich, Chair, Presiding

SESG Conflict of Interest Statement was stated on the agenda.

Call to Order - Dr. Nimmich called the meeting to order at 8:57 a.m.*

Welcome and Introduction of Guests - Dr. Nimmich thanked everyone for being there and explained the Board had decided to have the meeting early due to the power outage on the entire island.

Additional Agenda Items - Dr. Nimmich called for additional agenda items. 1. Past President (Chair) luncheon at the SESG Meeting – Dr. Joseph Bernier.

Approval of the Agenda - A motion was made for the approval of the amended agenda. Seconded. Motion adopted unanimously.

Approval of the Minutes (June 17, 2021) - A motion was made to approve the minutes. Seconded. Motion adopted unanimously.

Reports

Treasurer's Report - Dr. Tom Brown, SESG Treasurer, reported the SESG has quite a bit of cash, but this will change as soon as the meeting invoices start getting paid. The SESG is in a solid position financially.

Membership Report - Dr. Phillip Faucette presented the membership report. He welcomed ten new members, previously approved by the steering committee: Drs. Austin Carr, David Funderburk, Kennon Johnson, Josh Morrow, Joshua Pruden, Mina Saad, Robert Thousand, Jacob Weigle, John Wikle, and Leigh Yarborough. Applying and previously approved for Retired Life Membership: Drs. Randy Griffin and David Clanton. Dr. Faucette also remembered the following members who passed away in the past year: Dr. Thomas Walker, Dr. William Schroeder, and Dr. James Tate. A motion was made to approve the membership report. Seconded. Motion adopted unanimously.

New Business:

Foundation Committee - Dr. Tom Brown gave an overview of the development of a foundation committee and establishing a foundation to assist residents to attend the SESG meeting and introduce them to the group. He explained the steering

committee had reviewed other groups foundation ideas and efforts. The foundation will have a separate board and committee. A motion was made to establish a separate board and committee to establish a foundation for residents, but not exclusively for residents. Seconded. Motion adopted unanimously.

Incoming SESG Officer – Dr. Stephen Moore has agreed to serve as the incoming secretary/treasurer. The 2022-2023 officers are:

Chair – Dr. Tom Brown

Secretary/Treasurer – Dr. Stephen Moore

Program Chair/Membership – Dr. Phillip Faucette

Past President – Dr. Michael Nimmich

Motion made to approve the 2022-2023 SESG Steering Committee. Seconded. Motion adopted unanimously.

2023 Meeting – Dr. Brown announced the meeting will be June 15-17, 2023, at the Broadmoor, in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Dr. Martin Trope and Dr. Bruno Azevedo are the scheduled speakers.

Additional Agenda Item: Dr. Bernier requested the program committee consider having a small function, such as a lunch, on Thursday, before the 1:00 p.m. lecture for the past chairs of the SESG. A motion was made the SESG host a past chair luncheon during the SESG Annual Meeting. Seconded. Motion adopted unanimously.

Dr. Nimmich closed the meeting on a personal note. He thanked his fellow officers and Marlinda Fulton. This meeting had originally been planned for 2020 but had to be postponed until 2022 due to Covid.

There being no further discussion a motion was made at 9:20 a.m. to adjourn the meeting. Seconded. Motion adopted unanimously.

*Meeting was held in the morning due to a power outage on Amelia Island. Dr. Niemczyk could not continue with his presentation, so to make good use of the time, Dr. Nimmich decided to have the business meeting early.

2022 Vendor Recognition

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Sneak Peak at 2023 Annual Meeting!

Dr. Martin Trope

Thursday, June 15, 2023, 1pm-5pm 4 CEUs
and Friday, June 16, 2023, 8am-11:30am 3.5 CEUs

*Look for a complete meeting
brochure in January.*



Anatomically Driven Endodontics

Endodontic instruments have for obvious reasons been designed by the dentists who needed them to obtain cleaning and shaping of root canals. The K-files, Reamers, and Hedström files were, for a long time, the dominating instruments, but with advances in metallurgy and tool design engineers have been able to give us root canal instruments that work faster to obtain the same goal. Now there is a movement to adapt the tool design to the inner anatomy of teeth and therefore new endodontic instruments have been modeled to integrate all variables essential for predictable canal cleaning. The super-elasticity and shape-memory of the alloy used in new endodontic instruments facilitates adaptation into canal morphology where traditional round instruments are unable to reach. This enables debridement and disinfection without major changes to the original canal shape and ensures minimal removal of intra-canal dentin. This conservatively treated root canal can then be filled using bioceramics that are more dimensionally stable than traditional endodontic sealers.

Objectives:

At the conclusion, the attendees will:

- Understand the shortcomings of traditional files that produce round shapes.
- Comprehend the addition of 3D files to clean to maximal diameters with conservative dentin removal.
- Assess the use of bioceramic sealer in both cold and warm hydraulic techniques.

Dr. Bruno Acevedo

Saturday, June 17, 2023 8am-12pm 4 CEUs

Unknown Unknowns – How to Maximize the use of CBCT Imaging in your Practice!

Cone-beam computed tomography or Cone Beam (CBCT) is an indispensable tool for diagnostic imaging in modern dental practice. CBCT imaging's challenge is the users' lack of training and understanding of basic and advanced imaging principles. After all, when reading a scan, there are known knowns; there are imaging patterns that we know that we know. There are known unknowns; that is to say, there are things regarding 3D imaging that we know that we don't know, and there are unknown unknowns or 3D imaging skills that we do not know we don't know.



Understanding the imaging principles behind high-resolution 3D imaging volumes should enable professionals to plan and execute endodontic procedures appropriately and safely, ensuring a predictable clinical outcome. The jaws' CBCT scans provide dentists with greater diagnostic precision of dental and bone morphologies and related pathologies than the conventional 2D intraoral digital image.

The CBCT image is also essential for recently developed dynamic navigation and other advanced technologies, such as virtual planning and 3D printing of surgical guides. As CBCT imaging provides the clinician with greater confidence in detecting anatomical variations and pathologies, it acts as an essential tool to support clinical decisions. It offers valuable information on when to treat, how to treat, and, as needed, when not to treat. This practical and dynamic course will guide dental professionals through all the specific steps to better use CBCT imaging in their daily practice and explain basic to advanced principles regarding 3D imaging interpretation.

At the conclusion of this lecture, attendees will be able to:

- Understand the difference between CBCT imaging acquisition protocols
- Learn how to enhance soft and hard tissues imaging with CBCT scans
- Understand the importance of increasing the dynamic range of CBCT scans
- Understand the use of Task-Specific Rendering for bone and dental tissues

**Both Speakers
sponsored by
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It has been Decided...

The votes were counted and the results are in. The SESG will KEEP the current logo.
Thank you to all who cast their vote at the 2022 Annual Meeting.



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() Retired () Solo () Group

CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS:

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2023 Dues Statement.

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The Broadmoor – Colorado Springs, CO
June 15-17, 2023

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2023 DUES NOTICE

This is your official membership dues notice. ANNUAL DUES are \$100.00

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- ❖ Certified SESG Lifetime Member dues are voluntary.
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