

## 23<sup>rd</sup> Curriculum Implantology is now completed

# Congratulations to the Curriculum graduates!

The 23<sup>rd</sup> Curriculum Implantology, jointly arranged by BDIZ EDI and the University of Cologne, is now completed, following the conclusion of the final exams. The participants had completed eight modules on oral implantology over a period of one year.

In view of the ongoing corona pandemic, arranging the modules reflected an immense organisational effort. The courses were held in hybrid form—partly online and partly in small groups that were physically separated.

The 23<sup>rd</sup> Curriculum Implantology has been the most recent chapter of a long success story. A total of 650 graduates have been trained in oral implantology since 2004, the year of the first curriculum.

“In addition to theoretical presentations and hands-on demonstrations, personal experience in the field is obtained through practical exercises or the treatment of actual patients”, as Professor Joachim E. Zöller, Director of the Department for Oral and Maxillofacial Plastic Surgery at the University of Cologne, had said at the time. Zöller, today Vice President of BDIZ EDI, was and

continues to be responsible for implementing the curriculum and its objectives; over the years, he has proven, again and again, that it is possible to do so successfully.

### Eight modules—one curriculum

Today the curriculum consists of eight modules in two-day courses, which include observation and are supervised by experienced instructors. The overall objective is practical relevance. To achieve this, the teaching modules and its contents are subject to constant updating. After successful observation and supervision, participants can sit the exam for the formal professional focus on oral implantology if they can show proof of the required practical experience.



The successful graduates of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Curriculum Implantology at the University of Cologne with Professor Hans-Joachim Nickenig.

Graduates of the 23 <sup>rd</sup> Curriculum		
	Eleonora Elisa	Angioni
Dr	Jennifer	Anritter
	Archanah	Arjunan
cand. med. dent.	Samira	Arzt
	Bilge	Atay-Sahin
	Polina	Bardina
	Philipp Peter Christian	Bartels
	Marina Julia	Bialas
Dr	Viktoria	Bosch
Dr	Justin	Brosig
Dr	Hendrik	Desinger
	Jana	Dohmen
	Tobias	Drefahl
	Jana	Flatten
Dr	Marius	Grubenbecher
	Leonie	Grundmann
	Jade-Shanice	Heidemann
Dr	Malin	Janson
Dr	Gesa	Jenniches
	Nataliia	Kibenko
	Arda	Kizilkan
	Esra	Macit
	Christina	Marr
	Ann-Christin	Nolting
Dr	Sun-Ha	Park
Dr	Marc Alexander	Poelder
	Katharina	Rabehl
	Maryam	Ramezani Moghaddam
Dr	Niklas	Reisenauer
	Maximilian	Reuber
	Puyan	Rezaei
Dr	Richard	Schmidt
	Karl	Seelbach
	Daut	Shishani
Dr	Anna Sophia	Spatz
	Mathias	Tönsmann
Dr	Lisa	Trippe
Dr	Daniel	Vigano

## No closed-shop policy

All modules can be booked individually. Modules completed with other providers can be approved for credit with proper documentation. Professor Hans-Joachim Nickenig, who had modernised the content of the curriculum when he took over several years ago, is the point of contact for all participants.

## Our instructors

The instructors are experienced implantologists and have presented the training units with videos and live patient demonstrations for many years. Each course includes practical sessions, most of which use realistic training models or human specimens rather than the usual plastic jaw replicas. "The training units were designed to highlight the interrelationships between the prosthetic and surgical aspects, even where the major topics concentrate on one or the other subject area", said Zöller. "A limited number of participants—an aspect that is important to both BDIZ EDI and the university team—ensures a lively exchange of ideas between instructors and participants."

## 24<sup>th</sup> Curriculum Implantology already started

The 24<sup>th</sup> Curriculum Implantology will kick off in October. Thanks to the strong demand, like the year before, BDIZ EDI and the University of Cologne have set up a second group. You can therefore still register for the curriculum with Brigitte Nötzel at the BDIZ EDI office ([office@bdizedi.org](mailto:office@bdizedi.org)).

For more information, visit the BDIZ EDI website at [www.bdizedi.org/en/curriculum-implantology](http://www.bdizedi.org/en/curriculum-implantology).