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Looking ahead in 2023

Dear colleagues and friends,

The past few years have presented significant challenges for the dental community, particularly with the pandemic and the shift to virtual events. However, despite these challenges, the demand for dental implants continues to grow, reflecting their value as a solution for missing teeth. This growth has led to an increased focus on research and development in the field, and new techniques and technologies are being developed all the time. This is a testament to the dedication and innovation of the professionals in our discipline.

I am especially looking forward to the upcoming International Dental Show in Cologne in Germany. This event, the world's largest trade fair for the dental industry, offers an unparalleled opportunity for us to come together as a community, meet old friends and partners, and explore the latest innovations in dentistry. I would like to invite you to visit the German Association of Dental Implantology (DGZI) in Hall 11.2 at Booth S010/T011. Our members will be in attendance, ready to share their experiences and insights with you. At the DGZI, we have a strong commitment to advancing research in implantology. Our society is dedicated to fostering and promoting ongoing research in order to improve patient outcomes and advance our understanding of this complex and dynamic area of dentistry. This includes exploring new materials, surgical techniques and ways to optimise the integration of implants with the surrounding tissue.

Although there is still some time to go, I would also like to use this as an opportunity to announce the DGZI congress in Hamburg in Germany on 6 and 7 October. This international event is a great chance for implantologists to come together and share their experiences, insights and perspectives on the latest advancements in our field. I encourage all of you to attend and contribute to the discussions, as we work together to further the progress of implantology.

In conclusion, I am proud to be a part of this community and to work alongside so many dedicated and talented professionals. I look forward to continuing to support the growth and development in implantology and to the opportunities for learning and networking that lie ahead.

Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dr Rolf Vollmer'.

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