

Speakers and organising team: BDIZ EDI President Christian Berger (left), USSI EDI Vice President Dr Zoran Marjanović (centre), Dr Vikas Gowd (4<sup>th</sup> from right).

## 12th International Congress of Dentists of Vojvodina

## USSI EDI at its best

The 12<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Dentists of Vojvodina traditionally was held in the centre of oil company NIS, on 1 and 2 March 2024. The event was organised by USSI EDI, the associated partner of BDIZ EDI.

> The congress has been accredited by the Health Council with a maximum number of 10 points. Accreditation was valid for: dentists, dental assistants, dental technicians and physicians. The congress has been patronaged by the Provincial Secretariat for Trade and Turism and supported by the BDIZ EDI and in particular by President Christian Berger.

> The scientific programme, with speakers from Germany, India, Turkey, Hungary, Russia, Belarus, Croatia, Montenegro, Bosnia and the Republic of Serbia and North Macedonia focussed on dental implantology and included all fields of modern general dentistry.

Every year the USSI EDI is carefully selecting lecturers and topics in order to satisfy the wishes and needs of the Serbian colleagues, and thus raise the level of treatment success.

Along with the congress programme, USSI EDI organised three hands-on workshops in the fields of basic implantology, 3D diagnostics and planning, endo treatments as well.

The Friday programme was moderated by Prof. Dr Vojislav Letić and Dr Emilija Josić-Rankov. Dr Zoran Marjanović, Vice President of USSI EDI, addressed a warm welcome to participants and speakers as well as the Secretary of the Provincial Secretariat for Trade and Turism, Dr Nenad Ivanišević.

First speaker Prof. Dr Esad Kučević, University of Podgrica (Montenegro) focussed on artifical intelligence and robots in dentistry.

Immediate implants in the molar region was the title of Dr Vikas Gowd's lecture. He runs a private practice in Banjara Hills, Hyderabad (India). Dr Onur Sorkun, Istanbul (Turkey) was speaking about implants surgery and complications management. Christian Berger, President of BDIZ EDI (Germany) gave some insights of the digital workflow in implantology following prosthetic concepts.

Prof. Dr Ksenija Bošković, President DLV-SLD, University of Novi Sad (Serbia) introduced the application of collagen in the therapy of degenerative rheumatic diseases.

The following lectures included: Prosthetic care of edentulousness by Prof. Dr Rade Živković, University of Belgrade (Serbia); Modern approach in patients with prosthetic stomatitis by Doc.Dr Mirjana Perić, University of Belgrade (Serbia); Cover prosthesis on implants by Prof. Dr Asja Čelebić, University of Zagreb (Croatia); What do we really know about metalfree ceramics by Prof. Dr Ana Jevremović, University of Novi Sad, Dental Faculty in Pančevo (Serbia); Solving prosthetic cases by biological terminal implantations by Prim. Dr Zoran Milankov, Novi Sad; Dental tourism and marketing by Prof. Damjanka Đurić, Director of MIKODENTAL DENTAL DEPOT, Belgrade.

## Main programme on Saturday

The second day has been moderated by Prim.Dr Marinel Subu and Prof. Dr Esad Kučević. The lectures: Prof. Dr Oxana Shuliatnikova, University of Moscow (Russia): Treatment of patients with injuries, inflammatory and oncological diseases of organs and tissues of the maxillofacial region; Prof. Dr Sanja Panchevska, University of Skopje (North Macedonia): Conventional complete dentures; Prof. Dr Sanja Peršić Kiršić, University of Zagreb: Challenges in dental prosthetics—when to agree to compromises? Prof. Dr Nikola Stojanović, University of East Sarajevo, Foča, Republika Srpska (Bosnia): Where are the boundaries in endodontic therapy. Dr Noémi Kovács, University of Budapest (Hungary): Complex treatment of maxillary and mandibular cysts; Dr Jelena Njegomir, Sombor (Serbia): Digital technology in orthodontics; Prof. Dr Sonja Apostolska, University of Skopje: Complications and errors during endodontic treatment; Prof. Dr Dragan Ivanović, University of East Sarajevo: Prevention of tooth erosion; Prof. Dr Tamara Terehova, University of Minsk (Belarus): Different duration of etching with orthophosphoric acid; Prof. Dr Irina Pohodenko-Chudakova, University of Minsk: Infectious and inflammatory processes of the maxillofacial region.

Dr Zoran Marjanović Vice President USSI EDI



Interview with Christian Berger at the congress in Novi Sad.