

## **Annual IADS and YDW Congress 2011 in India**

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The 58<sup>th</sup> Annual IADS World Congress 2011 will be held in India between 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2011 and 31<sup>st</sup> July 2011. This Annual Congress will be hosted by the Dental Student Association of India (DSWAI), which warmly welcomes IADS and YDW.

he Annual Congress will be held at New Delhi with pre- and post-congress sessions at Agra and Bhopal respectively. This congress is very big because IADS is completing its 60<sup>th</sup> year and YDW 20 years of success. It will be a grand event and a memorable congress because it is going to be held in the biggest democratic country of the world, and organized by the largest country member of IADS. As we all know, India is the country of diversity and multi traditions. The organizing committee chairman and President of the dental student association of India, Dr. Chandresh Shukla, is going to organize this congress in the manner that students from different countries will see the different parts of the country and the different traditions of people.

## **Pre-congress**

The Annual Congress will kick-start with a pre-conference event. The pre-conference on 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2011 will be in Agra. The pre-conference in Agra is the most ideal venue with a rich history. Agra will give all the international delegates a nice time to enjoy the rich and diverse culture present in India. Agra is home to one of the "Seven Wonders of the World". The Taj Mahal, which sits on the bank of Yamuna River, is one of the world's most beautiful and beloved structures. Agra is one of the prominent destinations on the World Tourism map with various heritage monuments like the Sikander Fort, Fathephur Sikri and Ram Bagh.

## **The Annual Congress**

The Annual Congress will be held at New Delhi from 24<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> July 2011. There will be numerable pre-conference courses in the form of hands-on courses, panel discussions about career opportunities and research opportunities, which will open the horizons to the dental students. The congress will give a platform to Indian and for-

eigner students to share their experience with dentistry. This will also include the General Assembly of both IADS and YDW, partying, sightseeing, and dancing on Bollywood and Panjabi music. New Delhi is the capital of India, and the third largest city in the country. Standing along the West End of Gangetic Plain, the capital city, Delhi, is an epitome of culture, architecture, rich history, monuments, museums, galleries, gardens and exotic shows and exudes a strong old world charm.

## Post-conference

The post-conference events will occur at Bhopal on the 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> July 2011. Bhopal is a multifaceted city with a perfect combination of history, the urbane life and education. The post-conference at Bhopal will be ideal for the delegates to unwind and also to participate in the various treatment camps, extraction, filling and other education camps. These camps will give everyone an impression of the treatments carried out in India.

