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## Save the date

Dear colleagues, dear friends,

The preparations for the joint congress of DGL and WFLD in Aachen, Germany, are in full swing. To be celebrating the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the International Society for Laser Dentistry (ISLD, founded in 1988) in Aachen, is a huge honour and motivation to make this event special.

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**WFLD World Congress**  
**1 to 3 October 2018 in Aachen, Germany**

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And that's the plan:

It is intended to be an international event of a high scientific level, with pronounced practical orientation. The possibilities of high-quality education of one of the most modern university clinics in Germany shall offer the appropriate setting.

An entirely new concept will be used to realise these intentions: In order to combine a maximum practical orientation medially with the corresponding background knowledge, high-quality scientific presentations of internationally renowned speakers on current developments of laser research—taking place in three auditoriums—will be linked with innovative live patient demonstrations accompanied by theoretical introductions and follow-ups of presentation teams.

In times of Ultra HD and multi-channel projection, the auditorium gets right up close to dentistry of the highest level being demonstrated with diverse wavelengths and devices—guaranteeing a maximum learning effect. Theory and practical experience will further be connected in the workshop events. Highly modern video-projection walls for poster presentations will last but not least promise interactive multi-media adventures, that have not existed in that manner before.

A large number of companies, not only of the field of laser dentistry, will be using the congress-accompanying exhibition to present their products and innovations. Well-known exhibitors have already agreed to participate.

For many laser-enthused colleagues from all over the world it will be “Coming back home to Aachen!” in October. For others the door to the world of laser is only just opening. I am looking forward to welcoming you all and, of course, the numerous friends from DGL, WALED and WFLD/ISLD here in Aachen—only your plentiful participation and active contribution will make this congress something special.

See you soon in Aachen,

Dr Stefan Grümer