



31st International Expert Symposium for Regenerative Procedures in Dentistry

Record attendance on Fuerteventura

The well over 300 participants who had come to Fuerteventura this year witnessed a firework display of innovations: a record number of participants, a record number of exhibitors and more presenters than ever before.



Preparation for the workshop: Prof. Jörg Neugebauer.

The 31st International Expert Symposium for Regenerative Procedures in Dentistry addressed the topic of implant treatments in difficult situations. The broad diversity of lectures offered attracted repeat and new participants to Club Esquinzo Playa on Fuerteventura. Host Prof. Joachim E. Zöller knows how to set up a persuasive programme. Once again this year we enjoyed a top-class scientific programme with broad perspectives, in addition to the numerous workshops and an extensive social programme with lots of sports and leisure activities.

Art and dentistry

Henriette Reker, the Lord Mayor of the city of Cologne, presented aspects her city and the state of North Rhine-Westphalia as a centre for the health care field offer. The programme was not restricted to implantological topics. For example, Prof. Axel Karenberg and Kerstin Klemm from the University of Cologne, allowed their listeners to catch a glimpse of the dentist as represented in 20th-century art. A similar presentation by Prof. Marc Schipper and Armin Lühder from Bremen addressed the role of art in the context of health, presenting findings from psychology and neuroscience on the salutogenetic potential of art.

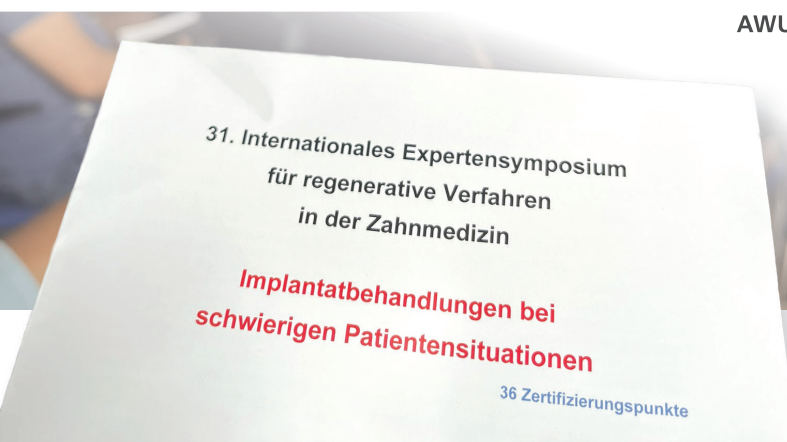


Countless visitors at the scientific programme.

Implantology and beyond

With regard to implantology, presentations highlighted the 2022 Cologne ABC Risk Score (Prof. Hans-Joachim Nickenig, Cologne), high-end immediate implant placement (Prof. Garbot Tepper, Vienna), artificial intelligence in implantology (Dr Volker Knorr, Eislingen), factors determining long-term success (Dr Ralf Masur, Bad Wörishofen)—all of that just on the first day of the symposium. Thus, from Saturday to Wednesday, a daily programme with scientific lectures and interesting innovations in the field of dental billing awaited participants. For example, BDIZ EDI President Christian Berger presented the concept of “analogue billing” as applied to the periodontology guideline (“PAR-Richtlinie”) within the German standard fee schedule for private patients. In addition, new diagnostic apps were presented, strategies for successful practice succession were discussed (Dr Freimut Vizethum, Rauenberg), as was the topic of “dental tourism” in Europe (Dr Klaus Ständer, Traunreut). From Saturday to Wednesday, there were lectures until 1 p.m., followed by sports activities, followed in the afternoon by a choice of workshops. Thursday was a workshop-only day, ending with the highlight of the training week, the White BBQ evening. Prof. Joachim E. Zöller once again poured out a cornucopia of topics on the participants, emphasizing many innovative aspects. This one-week continuing-education event under the Canarian sun is growing bigger and more popular every year!

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The lectures were not exclusively focused on implantology (-based) topics.



Workshops deepened the knowledge gained in the morning.



The White Night is tradition in Fuerteventura.