



**Dr. Mark H.E. Lin, BSc, DDS, MSc, Dip (Prosthodontics), FRCD(C)**  
 Dr. Lin graduated from the University of Toronto in the Biochemistry Specialists honors program. He received his dental degree from University of Detroit Mercy in which

he was on the Dean's list for 4 consecutive years and finished within the top 5% of the class. Dr. Lin then completed a 1-year General Practice Residency program at the Miami Valley Hospital in Dayton, Ohio, where he received his IV and advanced surgical training. He practiced general dentistry for 13 years then completed his post graduate training in the specialty of Prosthodontics at the University of Toronto.

He served as an associate in dentistry as a surgical demonstrator in the post graduate Periodontics discipline and staff at the Implant Prosthodontic Unit (IPU) in the graduate Prosthodontics discipline at the University of Toronto. He currently holds the title as "Assistant Professor" at the faculty of dentistry, discipline of Prosthodontics at the University of Toronto. He has conducted clinical research on the topic of "Advanced Anterior Implant Aesthetics" for his Master of Science thesis. In addition, he maintains a full time specialty practice as a Prosthodontist with focus on full mouth reconstructions and implant surgery and implant prosthetics.

He is a Fellow and Diplomate with the International Congress of Oral Implantologists (ICOI). He is an Associate fellow and Fellow with the American Academy of Implant Dentistry (AAID) He is also a graduate and Fellow with the Misch Implant Institute. Finally, he is a Diplomate with the American Board of Oral Implantology/Implant Dentistry (ABOI., a designation that is earned by less than 30 dentists in Canada. He is also a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada in the specialty of Prosthodontics.

Currently Dr. Lin has surgically placed and restored dental implants within his practice over 17 years. Dr. Lin has given numerous lectures, presentations and courses on the topics of Implant Dentistry (Surgical/Prosthetics) with live surgical and prosthetic demonstrations, anterior implant esthetics, implant complications and Practice Management. Over the past 8 years, he has given more than 200 lectures at various different professional and scientific meetings in Canada, U.S., Taiwan, Germany, India and China.

## General Information

### Date and location

October 1, 2011  
 Hilton Winnipeg Airport Suites, Avro Room  
 1800 Wellington Avenue, Winnipeg MB R3H 1B2

### Times

Registration and breakfast: 8:30 – 9:00 am  
 Lecture: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm  
 Lunch: 12:00 noon – 1:00 pm

**Tuition:** \$395 plus applicable taxes

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# Advanced anterior implant esthetics

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## Course Outline

The loss of any of the anterior natural dentition is considered unacceptable by most patients due to phonetic, aesthetic and social complications. Tooth replacement therapy utilizing dental implants in the anterior aesthetic zones as the treatment modality can be challenging and unpredictable due to hard and soft tissue alterations. The optimal treatment goal is to simulate the natural surrounding dentitions and can only be accomplished if multiple parameters are diagnosed with treatment rendered utilizing meticulous precisions. In addition, implant selection with considerations for implant geometry design for softer bone, prosthetic platform switching and surface conditioning will enhance the final esthetic desired outcomes.

The course will address the importance of comprehensive examination, diagnosis and judicious multi-disciplinary treatment planning to achieve optimal clinical predictable results in the maxillary aesthetic zones with dental implant replacement therapy. The patients' goals should be realistic and based on the delivery of a full complement of information and match what is achievable realistically clinically by the profession with these complex cases.

The learning objective of this course is to present all essential parameters involved in the delivery of predictable clinical outcomes for these challenging advanced anterior implant aesthetics:

- Essential diagnostic record requirements for anterior implant esthetic cases
- Diagnosis and treatment planning "Worksheet" for comprehensive evaluation
- Evaluation of esthetic parameters for desired treatment goal
- Hard tissue grafting treatment decision algorithms for potential implant recipient sites
- Soft tissue grafting and papilla considerations for optimal esthetics
- Selection for implant designs, types, surface coating, lengths and diameters
- Indications for the "Active" Nobel Biocare dental implant for these demanding cases
- 3-dimensional precise implant placement criteria for desired prosthetic emergence profile
- Criteria for staging of treatment sequence for implant surgical placements in immediate, early or delayed cases
- Loading protocols for immediate, early or delayed loading
- Provisionalization options for removable and fixed implant restorations
- Occlusion parameters to determine proper anterior guidance, incisal edge position, contour and shade considerations
- **Hands-on component** to identify appropriate "Active" components including: healing abutments, impression copings, verification of impression coping seating prior to final impressions and various abutment options for fixed single crowns and bridges
- Final abutment selection criteria for type and material for optimal esthetic outcomes
- Final crown type and material to mimic the natural contralateral dentition
- Maintenance requirements to enhance long-term predictable stability