



Eid reception and faculty orientation



The college of Dentistry held an Eid reception for faculty at the college main auditorium on Wednesday August 29th. During which Dean Prof. Fahad Alharbi welcomed current and new faculty members and emphasized the importance of interdepartmental collaboration to achieve the college's mission. A faculty orientation was then presented by Dr. Asim Al-Ansari. In his presentation he highlighted the Academic Affairs update for this new academic year.

Dr. AlJanobi's campaign in Zambia



Dr. Hawraa Aljnobli, Assistant professor in the department of Biomedical Dental Sciences (BDS), represented the college by participating in a volunteer campaign held in Lusaka, Zambia. The campaign was conducted with the support of the Global Dental Ambassador and the Community Service Unit at IAU. During her trip Dr. AlJanobi presented lectures on (Pigmented Lesions) for dentists, students and staff at the Dental Training School in Lusaka. In addition, clinical examinations and oral health education to several children in primary schools, child homes, special need facilities and a cancer treatment institutes were provided.

The return of Drs. AlQarni, AlDulaijan, Bugshan and AlSharief after completing their studies abroad



Amr Bugshan, BDS, PhD joined the department of BDS after receiving his Doctoral degree and certificate of clinical training in Oral Pathology from the University of Maryland Baltimore and completing his clinical training in Oral Medicine at Tufts University School of Dental Medicine. Dr. Bugshan joined IAU as a demonstrator in 2008/2009 and went on a scholarship in January 2011. During his studies Dr. Bugshan worked on (Expression of MT1-MMP in Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinomas (HNSCCs) and Endothelial Cells is Regulated by Hypoxia and Semaphorin 4D (Sema4D).



Mishali AlSharief, BDS, MSD, CAGS, DScD joined the department of PDS after receiving his Doctoral degree in Dental Public Health and his clinical training and Masters degree in periodontology from Boston University. Dr. AlSharief joined IAU as a demonstrator in 2009 and went on a scholarship in September 2011. During his studies Dr. AlSharief worked on studying the Histological changes by Piezocision on rats for his Master's Degree and investigated the association between Alcohol consumption, Periodontal Disease and Plasma Homosysteine Levels in a 19-year Prospective Cohort Study for his doctoral degree.



Faisal AlQarni, BDS, MS, FRCD(C), FACP, PhD joined the department of SDS after receiving his Doctoral degree in Dental Biomedical Sciences from the University of Maryland Baltimore and his clinical training and Masters degree in Prosthodontics from Loma Linda University. Dr. AlQarni is Board Certified by the American Board of Prosthodontics and a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada. Dr. AlQarni joined IAU as a demonstrator in 2009 and went on a scholarship in July 2010. During his Masters Dr. AlQarni worked on retention of glass fiber-reinforced posts and his doctoral degree focused on developing anti-caries dental adhesives. Recently, Dr. AlQarni was promoted to the rank of Assistant Professor.



Yousif AlDulaijan, BDS, MDS, FRCD(C), PhD. joined the department of SDS after receiving his Doctoral degree in Dental Biomedical Sciences from the University of Maryland, Baltimore and his clinical training and Master's degree in Prosthodontics from Rutgers University. Dr. Al Dulaijan is a Fellow of the Royal College of Dentists of Canada. Dr. Al Dulaijan joined IAU as a demonstrator in 2009 and went on a scholarship in July 2011. During his studies, Dr. Al Dulaijan worked on examining the mechanical properties with the new adhesive muting agents during his Master's studies and developed a new generation of dental rechargeable nanocomposites with anti-caries properties for his doctoral degree. Recently, Dr. Al Dulaijan was promoted to the rank of Assistant Professor.

Four IAU Dental students pass the National Board Dental Examination Part I

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Sarah AlUrifan, Sundus AlAreifi, Rowadia AlMalki and Shahad AlAmmar (5th year IAU Dental students) have successfully passed The first part (PART 1) of the National Board Dental Examination.

New Endodontic Fellowship to begin this semester



The first postgraduate program offered by the college will be the 4-year Endodontic Fellowship starting this semester. The fellowship will provide 4 years of clinical training to the graduate, equivalent to the Saudi Board of Endodontics (SBE) as well as teaching and research experience. This will enable graduates to qualify to be consultant after fulfilling a certain years of experience, and be able to teach in universities and conduct research. The program director is **Dr. Abdul Majeed Munir Ahmad**, with more than 15 years experience and several publications in highly ranked journals. The following graduates were accepted: Dr. Sukainah Aldawood Dr. Attika Al-Sada, Dr. Omar Alhindi, Dr. Fadela Al-Qassab.

Two hospital job dentists join IAU dental Hospital

Noha Ezzeldin BDS, MS and **Shimaa Hussain** BDS, MS recently joined the IAU Dental Hospital.



Dr. Ezzeldin obtained her Bachelor of Dental Medicine & Surgery from Alexandria University, Egypt in 2007. She then obtained her Master's degree in Fixed Prosthodontics, from the same university in 2013 with a Master thesis titled "Comparative study of dimensional accuracy of

working casts of new autoclavable addition silicone impressions after sterilization and disinfection" and is currently pursuing her PhD work on poly (ether-ether-ketone) for prosthetic dental implantology: enhancement of the mechanical properties and bioactivity. Dr. Hussein graduated from the faculty of dentistry, Alexandria University, Egypt in 2000. She obtained her Master's Degree in Conservative Dentistry, Endodontics, and Fixed Prosthodontics in 2007 with a Master thesis titled "Evaluation of the effect of apical enlargement on the sealing ability of a resin root canal filling material (Resilon)".

Dr. Hussein has more than 18 years of extensive experience in Conservative Dentistry, Endodontics, and Fixed Prosthodontics with special interest in Endodontics.

IAUdent Students' participation in Hajj season 1439



Students from IAU dental college participated in Hajj of 1439, 3 male students; Abdulrahman AlHumidan (6th year), Yasser AlSyali (2nd year) and Abdulmohsen Bin Shamsa (5th year) were part of the Saudi Arabian Boy Scouts. Female student Bashayer AlDahlan (4th year) was part of the Medical volunteers sector organized by the ministry of health and civil defense. Nora AlQahtani (4th year) student was also participating this Hajj as a member in the Saudi Medical Academy Volunteer Program.

Re-appointment for Dr. AlOnaizan and Dr. AlThobiti

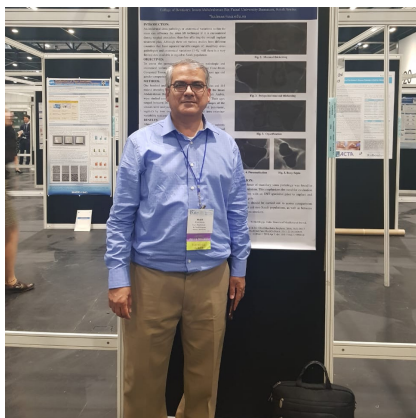


The University President H.E Abdullah AlRubish has re-appointed **Dr. Faisal AlOnaizan** from RDS department, as the vice dean for clinical affairs (VDCA) for an additional two years.

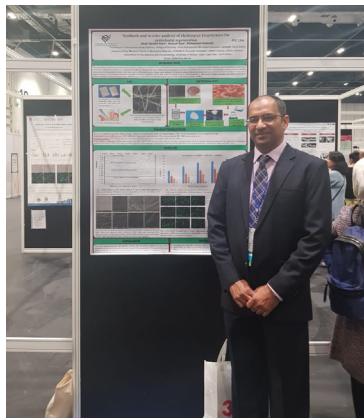


The University President H.E. Abdullah AlRubish has re-appointed **Dr. Ahmed AlThobiti** as the chairman for the SDS department for an additional two years.

IAU Participation in IADR 2018



Prof. Khalid AlMas from PDS department presented a poster titled “Maxillary Sinus Pathology And Bony Septa In a Saudi Population” at the 2018 IADR conference held in London. The poster was Co-authored by Prof. Emad AlShwaimi from RDS department, Dr. Stephen Smith from PDS department and Dr.Hesham Mari from BDS department.



Dr. Abdul Samad Khan from RDS department presented a poster titled “Synthesis and In-vitro Analysis of Electrospun Biopolymers for Periodontal Regeneration” in the 2018 IADR conference held in London.



Sixth year student **Yara AlMaimouni** presented a poster titled “Interfacial Adhesion and Fluoride Release Analysis of Bioactive Endodontic Sealers” in the 2018 IADR conference held in London. The poster was Co-authored by 5th year student Shrooq Alhamid, and Dr. Abdul Majeed Munir Ahmed and Dr. Abdul Samad Khan from RDS department.

The “Young Doctor Campaign”



In collaboration between Ministry of Education and the Quran Memorization Charity, two students; **Ahmed AlEissa** 3rd year and **Khalid Abo Rushaid** 4th year participated in the young Doctor Summer Campaign. During the campaign middle school students were introduced to different dental specialties.

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