

Special Speakers Schedule for Summer Quarter 2020 (Updated 09/15/2020)
Presented to you by the UCSD Pre-Dental Society and UCSD Student-Run Free Dental Clinic Project

1. Tue May 26 – Pre-Dental Student Panel and 1st General Body Meeting of Summer

Topics: Join us for our first virtual general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and update. A panel of recently admitted dental students will share their advice on the application process, letters of recommendations, personal statements, and interviews.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

2. Sat Jun 6 – Makeup OSHA

Topics: OSHA is a requirement for clinic volunteers! If you did not attend the January OSHA session, please sign up by sending an email to osha@ucsdps.org.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 8:00 AM (sign up for meeting info with Tuyet Duong)

3. Thu Jun 11 – Donna Kritz-Silverstein, Ph.D. (Professor/Advisor) and Kenny Jones, (Masters Student), and GBM

Topics: Dr. Donna Silverstein, Advisor for the UCSD Pre-Dental Society, will present on "Research – Why Do it and How", Kenny Jones will speak about the results of his Masters thesis, "The Fundamentals of Tooth Staining." Before this, we will have a general body meeting where we will go over upcoming events and updates.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

————— Sat-Sun Jun 13-14 – Commencement Programs —————

4. Tue Jun 23 – Open Discussion on Racism and Discrimination, and GBM

Topics: In light of current events, we will be going over several articles on the history of racism and discrimination in an open discussion format. This topic is very pertinent to the current situation in our nation.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

————— Sat Jul 4 – Independence Day —————

5. Thu Jul 9 – Dentistry 101 and Intro to Clinic, and GBM

Topics: Dr. Sussi Yamaguchi, DDS, will introduce the field of dentistry and go over general dental anatomy and information needed to work in our clinics. We will be opening up training sessions for non-managers in the next couple of weeks! IF you attend this meeting you will be eligible to attend a training session.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

6. Thu Jul 23 – Melanie Parker, D.D.S., and Sussi Yamaguchi, D.D.S., and GBM

Topics: Dr. Melanie Parker will be speaking on Exotic Animal Dentistry and her experience assisting with doing dentistry on zoo animals. This is an exciting lecture, not to be missed! This will be followed by Dentistry 102 by Dr. Sussi Yamaguchi. She will be speaking on the different dental specialties. Managers meeting to follow and interested people are invited to attend. Please as always have your video screen on so we can see you.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

7. Tue Aug 4 – Jose Castillo, D.D.S., M.A., M.M.Sc., and GBM

Topics: Dr. Jose Castillo will be presenting on Intro to Orthodontics as well special cases he has worked on in practice. He will also discuss his personal journey into dentistry and his experiences at Columbia and Harvard Dental Schools. Managers meeting to follow and interested people are invited to attend. Please have your video screen on so we can see you!

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

8. Tue Aug 18 – Erick Sato, D.D.S. (Endodontist), and Sussi Yamaguchi, D.D.S., and GBM

Topics: Dr. Erick Sato will talk about the specialty of endodontics and endodontic treatment. Dr. Sussi Yamaguchi will talk about our clinics, their operation, and present a tour of our clinics. Before this, we will have a general body meeting where we will go over upcoming events and updates. Please have your video on so we can see you! Afterwards, there will be a manager's meeting, those interested are invited to attend.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

9. Thu Sep 3 – Donna Kritz-Silverstein, Ph.D. (Professor/Advisor), and CDA Virtual Convention Information Meeting, and GBM

Topics: With interviews for dental schools approaching, Dr. Donna Silverstein will be giving an interactive session on how to prepare for them and giving interview tips. Afterwards, our Director Dr. Irvin Silverstein will be talking about the upcoming CDA Virtual Convention. This is a meeting not to be missed!

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

————— Mon Sep 7 – Labor Day —————

10. Wed-Thu Sep 10-12 – California Dental Association (CDA) Presents Virtual Convention

Topics: Join us at CDA's virtual convention to connect with dental schools, participate in Q&A sessions, sit in on classes for dentists, and learn about the field of dentistry through a digital exhibit hall. Contact Gianni Chiribao, adminassistant@ucsdps.org, for more information about registration.

Where/When: See www.cda.org/Home/News-and-Events/CDA-Presents.

11. Thu Sep 10 – CDA Virtual Convention Student Kickoff

Topics: This event is exclusive to students attending CDA. Speakers will be providing information on applying to dental schools and specialty programs, getting involved in political action groups, and more, so do not miss out! Register now-some sections may close out. To register contact Gianni Chiribao, adminassistant@ucsdps.org.

Where/When: 6:30-8:00 PM (get meeting info after registering with Gianni Chiribao)

12. Thu Sep 17 – Navy and Army Dental and Medical School Scholarship Presentations, and GBM

Topics: Representatives from the U.S. Navy and Army will share information about healthcare scholarship opportunities that the Navy, Army, and U.S. Public Health Service offer. This meeting is not to be missed by anyone applying to dental or medical school! You will also get to hear from former PDS members in the Army and Navy Dental Corps. We will also review the CDA Virtual Convention and go over other upcoming events and updates.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

13. Thu Sep 24 – DAT & PAT Prep with Petros Minasi Jr. (Senior Director of Pre-Health Programs, Kaplan), and GBM

Topics: Petros Minasi Jr. of Kaplan will be presenting on the DAT (Dental Admission Test) and PAT (DAT Perceptual Ability Test), which are required for admission to dental school. Join in to learn all about the DAT & PAT format, strategies, and Kaplan course discounts available to PDS members! Before this, we will have a general body meeting where we will go over upcoming events and updates. Managers meeting to follow and interested people are invited to attend. Please have your video on so we can see you!

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

————— Thu Oct 1 – Fall Quarter 2020 Instruction Begins —————

14. Thu Oct 1 – 1st GBM of Fall Quarter, featuring University of Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry Externs

Topics: Join us for the first general body meeting (GBM) of the Fall quarter for our kick-off event! PDS members who attended an externship at the University of Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry in Summer 2019 will be presenting on the Pre-Dental Society and Student-Run Free Dental Clinics, as well as their experience in Detroit. Join us to learn about our organization, mission, humanitarian efforts, and how you can become a volunteer for the free dental clinics! Please have your video on so we can see you!

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

15. Thu Oct 8 – Jack Dillenberg, D.D.S., M.P.H., Dean Emeritus and Founding Dean, Arizona School of Dentistry & Oral Health, and GBM

Topics: Dr. Jack Dillenberg will discuss his experiences in public health and academia. He will also share information on current public health topics in dentistry, and the diverse experiences he had throughout his career. This meeting is not to be missed by those interested in dentistry, public health, medicine, and other healthcare fields!

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

16. Thu Oct 15 – Speaker TBD and General Body Meeting

Topics: Join us for our general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and updates.

Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

17. Thu-Sat Oct 15-17 – American Dental Association (ADA) FDC Virtual Connect Conference

Topics: Register for the ADA's annual conference (which will be virtual), to connect with dental schools and professionals. Registration opens August 12; Contact Lance Attiq, Lance.Atti@ucsdps.org, if you are interested attending and for any questions.

Where/When: See ADA.org/meeting

For more information, contact: **Donna Kritz-Silverstein, Ph.D., Advisor, UCSD Pre-Dental Society and Assistant Director, UCSD Free Dental Clinic Project** - dsilverstein22@cox.net, 619-838-0822; **Sussi Yamaguchi, DDS, Advisor, UCSD Pre-Dental Society and Clinical Director, UCSD Free Dental Clinic Project** – miss.sussiq@gmail.com, 858-342-9372; **Student Leaders:** Giancarlo Chiribao – adminassistant@ucsdps.org, 714-492-9049; Lance Attiq – Lance.Atti@ucsdps.org, 619-961-7322.

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Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
3. **Thu Oct 15 – ADA Virtual Conference Opening Ceremony, and GBM**
Topics: Join us for our general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and updates. Before the meeting, enjoy the opening ceremony of the ADA Virtual Conference starting at 3:30! Managers' meeting to follow; anyone interested is welcome to attend. Please have your video on so we can see you!
Where/When: ADA Opening Ceremony @ 3:00 PM (contact Lance Attiq, Lance.Attiq@ucsdps.org); GBM on Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
4. **Thu-Sat Oct 15-17 – American Dental Association (ADA) FDC Virtual Connect Conference**
Topics: Register for the ADA's annual conference (which will be virtual), to connect with dental schools and professionals. Registration opens August 12; Contact Lance Attiq, Lance.Attiq@ucsdps.org, if you are interested attending and for any questions.
Where/When: See ADA.org/meeting
5. **Thu Oct 22 – Craig Yarborough, D.D.S., M.B.A., Associate Dean for Institutional Advancement, University of the Pacific, Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry, and GBM**
Topics: Join us as Dr. Yarborough discusses UoP's unique educational program and other topics including current events affecting both education and the practice of dentistry. Dr. Yarborough is very involved in organized dentistry and was in private practice. His presentation will be very informative. Managers' meeting to follow; anyone interested is welcome to attend. Please have your video on so we can see you!
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
6. **Thu Oct 29 – Secrets of Admissions Committees, featuring Deans of Roseman University College of Dental Medicine**
Topics: Dr. William Harman and Dr. William Carroll, Associate Deans of Roseman University College of Dental Medicine, will be giving a special presentation about preparing for an effective application, interview strategies, and other tips for applying and interviewing. This will be an interactive presentation to help students applying to any school. There will be some time for personal questions afterwards. This is a must-see presentation!
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
7. **Thu Nov 5 – Stanley Malamed, D.D.S., (Former Professor, USC Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry) & Jason Brady, D.M.D.**
Topics: Dr. Stanley Malamed, world-renowned expert in dental anesthesia, sedation, and medical emergencies will discuss dental emergencies and pain management. Dr. Jason Brady, former PDS member, will speak about his experience as a dental anesthesiologist. Managers' meeting to follow; anyone interested is welcome to attend. Please have your video on so we can see you!
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

Wed Nov 11 – Veteran's Day Holiday

8. **Thu Nov 12 – Steven Friedrichsen, D.D.S., Dean, and Jeffrey Turchi, D.D.S., Director and Coordinator of Admissions, Western University College of Dental Medicine, and GBM**
Topics: Dr. Steven Friedrichsen and Dr. Jeffrey Turchi will discuss Western University's innovative curriculum and their experiences in dentistry. They will also speak on the new changes at their school and in admissions due to COVID-19. Please bring your questions! Managers' meeting to follow; anyone interested is welcome to attend. Please have your video on so we can see you!
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
9. **Thu Nov 19 – The Mouth and the Body, Sussi Yamaguchi, D.D.S., Advisor, UCSD Pre-Dental Society and Student-Run Free Clinics, and GBM**
Topics: Dr. Sussi Yamaguchi will be presenting on how the mouth and body are connected in several ways and how systemic diseases can have oral manifestations. Managers' meeting to follow; anyone interested is welcome. Please have your video on so we can see you!
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

Thu-Fri Nov 26-27 – Thanksgiving Holiday

10. **Thu Dec 3 – Robert Trombly, D.D.S., J.D., Dean, Wayne Cottam, D.M.D., M.S., Vice Dean, and Jeffrey Parent, D.D.S., Associate Dean for Patient Care and Clinical Education, Arizona School of Dentistry and Oral Health (ASDOH), and GBM**
Topics: Please join us as Dr. Trombly, Dean of ASDOH, will discuss his journey in dentistry and ASDOH's unique educational model. Dr. Cottam, past President of the National Network for Oral Health Access will share his experience in public health and outreach. Dr. Parent practiced for 30 years and is involved with academia, admissions, education, and patient care. Managers' meeting to follow; anyone interested is welcome. Please have your video on so they can see and interact with you.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
11. **Thu Dec 10 – Speaker TBD and General Body Meeting**
Topics: Join us for our general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and updates.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

Sat-Sat Dec 12-19 – UCSD Finals Week

Sat Dec 19 – UCSD Fall Quarter 2020 Ends

Mon Jan 4 – UCSD Winter Quarter 2021 Begins

12. **Thu Jan 7 – Speaker TBD, and General Body Meeting**
Topics: Join us for our first general body meeting of the quarter where we'll go over upcoming events, updates, and how you can become a volunteer for the UCSD Student-Run Free Dental Clinics!
Where/When: TBD
13. **Thu Jan 14 – Speaker TBD and General Body Meeting**
Topics: Join us for our general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and updates.
Where/When: TBD
14. **Thu Jan 21 – Speaker TBD and General Body Meeting**
Topics: Join us for our general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and updates.
Where/When: TBD
15. **Sat Jan 23 – OSHA and California Law Training**
Topics: (Mandatory for Managers, Department Heads, Clinic Volunteers, and people wanting new positions) Join us for our annual training event from 6:30 AM – 2:00 PM. OSHA Certification is required to volunteer in our clinics and participate in humanitarian trips or leadership positions. Cost is \$25 before Dec. 31st; \$50 after Dec. 31st; \$75 at the door. Breakfast and lunch will be served. After the course, we will have a Department Head Interest Meeting for members seeking leadership positions!
Where/When: TBD

Special Speakers Schedule for Winter Quarter 2021 (Updated 03/07/2021)
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— Mon Jan 4 – UCSD Winter Quarter 2021 Begins —

1. **Thu Jan 7 – PDS Info Session, and 1st GBM of Winter Quarter**
Topics: Join us for our first GBM of the quarter where our directors Dr. Irvin Silverstein, Dr. Donna Silverstein, and Dr. Sussi Yamaguchi will be presenting on the Pre-Dental Society and Student-Run Free Dental Clinic Project. This will be a great time to learn about PDS's mission, and how you can volunteer in our free dental clinics and other opportunities.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 2. **Thu Jan 14 – PDS Get Together: Get to Know PDS Members and Our Clinics, and GBM**
Topics: The pandemic has prevented us from meeting in person. But, this week, we will show a video about our clinics followed by breakout sessions where you can meet and get to know fellow PDS members, and learn about our programs.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
- Mon Jan 18 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday —
3. **Thu Jan 21 – Lawrence Garetto, Ph.D., Professor Emeritus of Oral Pathology, Medicine, and Radiology, Indiana University School of Dentistry, and Affiliate Instructor, University of Washington, and GBM**
Topics: Dr. Garetto, a UCSD Revelle graduate, will present "A Clinical Ethics Approach to Patient Care." Dr. Garetto completed a fellowship in clinical ethics at Indiana University Health Methodist Hospital and was faculty of this program. He will be speaking about clinical ethics facing health care professionals. Before, we will go over upcoming events and updates.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 4. **Sat Jan 23 – OSHA and California Law Training**
Topics: (Mandatory for Managers, Department Heads, Clinic Volunteers, and people wanting new positions) Join us for our annual training event from 6:30 AM – 2:00 PM. OSHA Certification is required to volunteer in our clinics and participate in humanitarian trips or leadership positions. OSHA Cost is \$45 for returning PDS members, \$35 for new PDS members. After the course, we will have a Department Head Interest Meeting for members interested in seeking leadership positions!
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 5. **Thu Jan 28 – Amid Ismail, B.D.S., M.P.H., M.B.A., Dr.P.H, Dean, Temple University Kornberg School of Dentistry, and GBM**
Topics: Join us as Dr. Amid Ismail presents, "My Path to Dentistry and Leadership: Doing What is Good and Right and Standing Up." Hear about his interesting life journey, his efforts to improve oral health worldwide and about Temple University. Before, we will go over upcoming events and updates.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 6. **Thu Feb 4 – Pre-Dental Student Panel: Timeline for Applying to Dental School, and GBM**
Topics: A panel of pre-dental students recently admitted to dental school will share their advice and timeline for the application process. This will be a great opportunity to hear about what you should be doing, and when, to apply successfully! Before, we will go over upcoming events and updates.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 7. **Thu Feb 11 – Donna Kritz-Silverstein, Ph.D., Director/Advisor, UCSD Pre-Dental Society, Professor, UCSD, and GBM**
Topics: Dr. Donna Kritz-Silverstein is a Professor of Epidemiology in the School of Public Health and Department of Family Medicine & Public Health at UCSD. She will be discussing personal statements for dental school applications, and tips to improve writing. Before, we will go over upcoming events and updates.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

— Mon Feb 15 – Presidents' Day Holiday —

8. **Thu Feb 18 – Paul Kresbach, D.D.S., Ph.D., Dean, Ronald S. Mito, D.D.S., F.D.S., R.C.S.Ed., Former Executive Dean, Barry Margolis, D.D.S., Dean of Admissions, UCLA School of Dentistry, and GBM**
Topics: Dr. Paul Kresbach will discuss his career and research at UCLA. Joining him will be Dr. Ron Mito, who is very involved in organized dentistry and started the hospital-based dentistry program at UCLA, as well as Dr. Barry Margolis, who will speak about his journey in dentistry, what is on the horizon for UCLA School of Dentistry, and the admissions process.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
9. **Thu Feb 25 – William Carroll, D.D.S., Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, William Harman, M.A., Ph.D., Associate Dean for Admissions & Student Affairs, Duane Winden, Ph.D., M.S.N./Ed., M.S., R.N., Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs, Burke Soffe, D.M.D., Director of Curriculum, Rachel Novak, M.S., Professor of Biomedical Sciences, Roseman University, College of Dental Medicine, and GBM**
Topics: Join us as faculty from the Roseman College of Dental Medicine present about their school's philosophy and what makes it unique. They all have different interesting career paths, with some in the military, academia, and other avenues. Please join us to hear this fascinating presentation!
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
10. **Thu Mar 4 – Dave Eshom, D.D.S., Cosmetic Dentist**
Topics: Join us as we welcome Dr. Eshom, a nationally recognized cosmetic dentist, to speak to our group. He'll be giving us a class he gives to UOP students that shows how all specialties and general dentistry work together to create a beautiful smile. Come experience this informative class offered to our members. Managers meeting to follow; those interested are welcome to attend.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
11. **Thu Mar 11 – Mert Aksu, D.D.S., J.D., M.H.S.A., Cert. D.P.H., Dean, Steven Chang, Ph.D., Director of Admissions, David Fischer, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, University of Detroit Mercy School of Dentistry**
Topics: Join us as UDM School of Dentistry faculty discuss the key decision points on navigating forward in clinical practice in a post pandemic period. Dr. Mert Aksu will be discussing issues facing infection control with regard to aerosol management, as well as the aerosol mitigation system he invented. Dr. David Fischer will provide information on the issues with COVID-19 and the COVID-19 vaccine. Dr. Steven Chang will discuss UDM's dental program and the admissions process.
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM

— Sat-Sat Mar 13-20 – UCSD Final Exams —

— Sat Mar 20 – UCSD Winter Quarter 2021 Ends —

— Mon Mar 29 – UCSD Spring Quarter 2021 Begins —

12. **Thu Apr 1 – Speaker TBD, and GBM**
Topics: Join us for our first general body meeting of the quarter where we'll go over upcoming events, updates, and how you can become a volunteer for the UCSD Student-Run Free Dental Clinics!
Where/When: TBD
13. **Thu Apr 8 – Speaker TBD, and GBM**
Topics: Join us for our general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and updates.
Where/When: TBD
14. **Thu Apr 15 – Speaker TBD, and GBM**
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Where/When: TBD

Special Speakers Schedule for Spring Quarter 2021 (Updated 05/13/2021)
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—Wed March 24 – UCSD Spring Quarter 2021 Begins—

—Fri March 26 – Cesar Chavez Holiday—

1. **Thu Apr 1 – Charmaine Ng, D.M.D., Chief Chair of Dentistry, Alameda Health System, Payam Afzali, D.D.S., M.D., Clinical Professor, UCSF, Chief of O.M.F.S., Highland Hospital, and 1st GBM of Spring Quarter**
Topics: *Dr. Charmaine Ng is very involved in community health and provides integrated care to the underserved. Dr. Payam Afzali is an oral and maxillofacial surgeon with fellowships in oncology, reconstructive surgery, and craniofacial deformities. Both are former PDS members. Join us to hear these fantastic speakers and for first GBM of the quarter. We will also be talking about the reopening of our clinics.*
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 2. **Thu Apr 8 – Robert Handysides, D.D.S., Dean, Loma Linda University School of Dentistry, and GBM**
Topics: *Dr. Robert Handysides is Dean of Loma Linda University School of Dentistry, as well as an endodontist. Join us as he discusses his journey into dentistry, endodontics, what he sees as the future of dentistry, and Loma Linda University School of Dentistry. Other guests from Loma Linda may also be in attendance. Before, we will go over upcoming events and updates.*
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM. *Please be on time!*
 3. **Thu Apr 15 – Avishai Sadan, D.M.D., M.B.A., Dean, and Mahvash Navazesh, D.M.D., Executive Associate Dean for Academic, Faculty, and Student Affairs, Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry of USC, and GBM**
Topics: *Dr. Avishai Sadan will speak about his life in Israel and his personal journey within dentistry, prosthodontics, and academia. He will also discuss his vision for the Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry and what is on the horizon. Dr. Mahvash Navazesh will speak about her journey in dentistry and her specialty of oral medicine. Before, we will go over upcoming events and updates.*
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 4. **Thu Apr 22 – Olivia Sheridan, D.M.D., Dean for Admissions, Committee for Student Advancements, Corky Cacas, Director of Admissions, University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine, and GBM (Starts at 5:00 PM!)**
Topics: *Dr. Olivia Sheridan is an artist and animal lover who channeled these passions into a career of dentistry. Corky Cacas is a UCSD Revelle College alumna, and has been involved with admissions for over 30 years. Join us to hear these wonderful speakers and our general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and updates.*
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 5:00 PM (Please note the time change!)
 5. **Thu Apr 29 – Mahvash Navazesh, D.M.D. Executive Associate Dean for Academic, Faculty, and Student Affairs, Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry at USC, and GBM (Starts at 6:30 PM!)**
Topics: *Dr. Mahvash Navazesh is a renowned Professor of Oral Medicine and Pathology. Dr. Navazesh will be presenting "Disturbed Oral Sensation". We will learn about the role of pathology, oral medicine, and orofacial pain specialists in managing disturbed oral sensation caused by medical conditions. Join us for her presentation and PDS updates!*
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:30 PM (Please note the time change!)
 6. **Thu May 6 – William Lobb, D.D.S., M.S., M.P.H., Dean, and Brian Trecek, Director of Admissions, Marquette University School of Dentistry, and GBM**
Topics: *Details TBA. Join us for our general body meeting where we'll go over upcoming events and updates.*
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 7. **Thu May 13 – CDA Presents Opening Show and Zoom GBM (6:00 PM Sharp!)**
Topics: *Join us for the CDA Presents opening night. Our regular Zoom GBM will begin at 6:00 PM sharp. Afterwards, we will join CDA Presents at 7:00 PM for a comedy show and overview of convention events. We are able to join this virtual convention and courses for free. Our students thoroughly enjoyed this convention last year. You must register for CDA to be able to participate—please register with Lance Attiq (lance.attiq@ucsdps.org) as soon as possible.*
Where/When: Zoom Meeting @ 6:00 PM
 8. **Thu-Sat May 13 - 15 – CDA Presents Anaheim Dental Convention**
Topics: *Join us by Zoom for multiple lectures at the California Dental Association's annual meeting, virtually. Subjects and lectures TBA.*
Where/When: Details TBA
 9. **Thu May 20 – Michael Reddy, D.M.D., D.M.Sc., Dean, Associate Vice Chancellor, Jennifer Perkins, D.D.S., M.D., O.M.F.S., Executive Director for Clinical Education, UCSF School of Dentistry, and GBM**
Topics: *Dr. Michael Reddy is a renowned periodontist and dental researcher and educator. Dr. Jennifer Perkins is an oral maxillofacial surgeon. Join us as they speak about their paths in dentistry, vision for UCSF, and the future of dentistry. Dr. Reddy will also present on embracing precision and data science in dentistry. Before, we will go over upcoming events and updates.*
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 10. **Thu May 27 – Kathleen O'Loughlin, D.D.S., M.P.H., Executive Director, American Dental Association, and GBM**
Topics: *Dr. Kathleen O'Loughlin is the first female Executive Director of the ADA and an esteemed leader in dentistry and oral health. She will discuss her unique journey in dentistry, having switched from another career, and why dentistry is still a good career choice. Before, join us for our GBM to learn about upcoming events and updates.*
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- Mon May 31 – Memorial Day—
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Topics: *A panel of PDS members recently admitted to dental school will discuss how you can be a successful applicant. Kaplan Test Prep will also present on how their programs assist students, and test prep strategies. Everyone who attends this presentation will receive a discount for Kaplan DAT courses! Before, join us for our GBM to learn about upcoming events and updates.*
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Topics: *Join us for our makeup OSHA Training Session, presented by Joy Howard, B.S.N., R.N. OSHA Certification is required to volunteer in our clinics and participate in humanitarian trips or leadership positions, so please make plans to attend if you are not yet certified. Contact osha@ucsdps.org to sign-up ASAP.*
Where/When: Zoom Meeting 8:00 AM – 11:00 AM
- Sat-Fri Jun 5-11 – UCSD Final Exams—
13. **Tues Jun 8 – Student-Run Free Clinics Virtual Gala**
Topics: *Join us for annual Student-Run Free Clinics Gala, virtually. More details TBA.*
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- Fri Jun 11 – UCSD Spring Quarter 2021 Ends—
14. **Thu Jun 17 – First GBM of Summer Quarter**
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