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# Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Pearls X



*Pearls for the Modern Day  
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon*

Continuing Education by Day  
The French Quarter at Night  
*French Quarter Fest - April 13-16*

**OMS Pearls X** at the Royal Sonesta New Orleans, French Quarter  
**Friday – Saturday, April 14-15, 2023**



Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Pearls X, Pearls for the Modern Day Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon is presented in cooperation with the JKOMS Foundation and Louisiana Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Foundation. Pearls X is a collaboration with Osteo Science Foundation.



# Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Pearls X



## Pearls for the Modern Day Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon

The OMS Pearls X Conference faculty features six outstanding educators and practitioners and 12.5 hours of CDE and CME credit over two days.

### OBJECTIVES:

**Infectious Diseases** – There will be an Update to identify some of the most significant topics and recent literature that highlight emerging themes in current infectious diseases.

**Anesthesia** – Following this presentation the attendee will be able to identify new drugs and monitoring techniques that are being developed to improve safety and patient care in ambulatory anesthesia. OMS can take advantage of these developments and effectively incorporate these new medications and monitors as well as equipment into their daily practice. Above all, artificial intelligence (AI) will be ubiquitous in the practice of office-based anesthesia in the near future changing the game altogether.

**Dental Implants** – In the first implant lecture the attendee will be exposed to complications that result in loss of tissue quality and quantity with implant procedures which required an organized approach to restore patients back to function. Cases may be submitted by the attendees and will be inserted within the lectures to document these problems and solutions.

In the second implant lecture the attendees will be exposed to new technologies and treatment modalities in which the success is dependent on one's ability to decipher between myths and realities. This presentation will address a range of treatment concepts and implant technologies through a combination of clinical research review and real-world experience.

**Fibula Flap and Bone Grafting** - This presentation will discuss the role of fibula free flap in the reconstruction of benign and malignant lesions of the head and neck and will include multiple clinical cases. There will also be the option of treating benign lesions with bone grafting.

**Computer-Assisted Surgery** - This lecture will focus on targeted applications of computer-assisted surgery in orthognathic and maxillofacial trauma surgery to maximize its benefits and improve patient outcomes.

**INTENDED AUDIENCE:** This activity is specifically directed towards the Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon and Restorative Dentist, but it is open to all other interested dentists, physicians, residents, medical and dental students, and allied health professionals.

CDE and CME credit will be issued to course registrants at the end of the course.

## The Jack Kent Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Foundation

The Louisiana Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons and The LSU Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Alumni Associations in conjunction with Osteo Science Foundation are proud to join the Jack Kent Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Foundation (JKOMS F) in sponsoring OMS Pearls. The Osteo Science Foundation is also jointly providing this activity with the LSOMS and LSU OMS to provide CDE/CME credit.

The LSU OMS Alumni Association, through the efforts of a core group of concerned alumni, formed the Jack Kent Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Foundation (JKOMS Foundation) in 2010 for the purpose of supporting the teaching, research, and service goals of the LSU OMS department in New Orleans. The foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization, and all donations are tax-deductible.

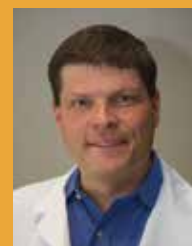


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# French Quarter Festival

## Largest Showcase of Louisiana Music in the World

After each day of continuing OMS education, you will want to head to the French Quarter and soak up one of our city's best kept secrets: the French Quarter Festival. April 13 marks the beginning of the annual event, which ends after dark on Sunday, April 16. Presented by **Chevron**, the festival offers local music, food, crafts, and special events, all presented in a one-of-a-kind neighborhood – the historic French Quarter.

With music stages located throughout the Quarter, festival-goers can walk from block to block hearing every genre of music – from traditional and contemporary jazz to R&B and New Orleans funk, brass bands, folk, gospel, classical, opera, Cajun Zydeco, Latin, and international. There's even a musical stage for children. You'll also have a chance to sample from food and beverage booths featuring authentic local cuisine from renowned area restaurants and shop for local crafts and art.

Visit [www.fqfi.org](http://www.fqfi.org) for more information, to sign up for the festival's mailing list, and to receive updates when the music schedule is announced.



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# Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Pearls X



## Academic Course Schedule, Topics, and Faculty

All conference sessions at the Royal Sonesta Hotel  
New Orleans French Quarter  
Friday – Saturday, April 14-15, 2023

### FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 2023

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM **Registration and Breakfast**

8:00 AM - 8:15 AM **Welcome and Opening Remarks from Osteo Science Foundation** *Myron Tucker, DDS*

8:15 AM - Noon **Treatment planning challenging cases - submitted cases and clinical technique pearls**  
*Michael Block, DMD*

Often we see patients present who have had jaw procedures performed, resulting in loss of tissue quality and quantity. Some of these are the result of surgical and prosthetic technique complications, or failure of their dentition, resulting in the need for an organized approach to restore them back to function. Cases will be submitted by the attendees and will be inserted within the lectures to document similar cases treated. Interested Attendees will be required to upload cases using **WeTransfer** by April 1, 2023 in order to be discussed in an open format manner by Dr. Block

10:00 AM - 10:30 AM **Break**

Noon - 1:00 PM **Lunch**

1:00 PM - 2:15 PM **The role of fibula free flap in reconstruction of benign and malignant lesions**  
*Hisham Hatoum, DDS, MD*

This presentation will discuss the role of fibula free flap in the reconstruction of benign and malignant lesions of the head and neck. The presentation will include multiple clinical cases and we will also discuss the option of treating benign lesions with bone grafting.

2:15 PM - 2:45 PM **Break**

2:45 PM - 4:00 PM **Computer-Assisted Surgery in Orthognathic Surgery and Maxillofacial Trauma**  
*Brian Christensen, DDS, MD*

The application of advanced technologies to oral and maxillofacial surgery has led to exciting advances and improved efficiency but also increased cost. This lecture will focus on targeted applications of computer-assisted surgery in orthognathic and maxillofacial trauma surgery to maximize its benefits and improve patient outcomes.

4:00 PM **Reception**



# Pearls for the Modern Day Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon



SATURDAY, APRIL 15, 2023

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM **Registration and Breakfast**

8:00 AM - 11:00 AM **Implant Trends – Myth vs. Reality** *Bach Le, DDS, MD*

As implant dentistry continues its rapid evolution, clinicians regularly encounter new treatment trends and concepts. Success is dependent on the ability to decipher between the myths and realities through careful evaluation of both treatment modalities and new technologies. This presentation will address a range of treatment concepts and implant technologies through a combination of clinical research review and real-world experience.

9:40 AM - 10:00 AM **Break**

11:00 AM - Noon **Infectious Diseases: An Update**

*Fred A. Lopez, MD, MACP, Richard Vial Professor of Medicine*

Objective: Identify some of the most significant topics and recent papers that highlight emerging themes in infectious diseases.

Noon - 1:00 PM **Lunch**

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM **Advances in Drugs and Monitoring in Ambulatory OMS Anesthesia**

*Deepak Krishnan, DDS, FACS*

New drugs and monitoring techniques are being developed to improve safety and patient care in ambulatory anesthesia. OMS can take advantage of these developments and effectively incorporate these new medications and monitors as well as equipment into their daily practice. Above all, artificial intelligence (AI) will be ubiquitous in the practice of office-based anesthesia in the near future changing the game altogether.

3:00 PM **Adjourn**



# OMS PEARLS FACULTY

## SPEAKERS



### **Michael Block, DMD**

Dr. Block graduated from the University of Rochester in 1975, attaining both a BA in Biology and a BS in Biomedical Engineering. He received his DMD, cum laude in a special field, at Harvard School of Dental Medicine in 1979. He completed his OMS residency at the LSUSD and Charity Hospital in 1983. He remained with LSU OMS and achieved the academic rank of

Professor. Currently he is in private practice dedicated to patient oriented care and donates time to LSU OMS as part time faculty. Dr. Block is the editor-in-chief of five textbooks on dental implants, Endosseous Implants for Maxillofacial Reconstruction, Implants in Dentistry, Color Atlas of Dental Implant Surgery: the 4<sup>th</sup> edition was published in 2014. He is Past President of the Academy of Osseointegration, and has been program chairman for three of their annual programs. Dr. Block serves on the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons (AAOMS) Committee on Continuing Education. Dr. Block has been an examiner for ABOMS and is the Section Editor on Dental Implants for the Journal of OMS. Dr. Block is particularly interested in the translation of technology for efficient and predictable reconstruction of the jaw to provide ideal bone for implant placement and esthetic replacement of missing teeth, the use of multiple techniques and implants to reconstruct significant atrophic conditions, and interceptive strategies for rehabilitating extraction sites with implant restorations.



### **Brian Christensen, DDS, MD**

Brian J. Christensen, DDS, MD is a proud recent graduate of the six-year OMS Residency program at LSUHSC in New Orleans. Dr. Christensen completed his undergraduate and dental education at University of Washington. Following his completion of residency in 2019, Dr. Christensen stayed at LSU New Orleans as a full-time Assistant Professor and currently serves as

Assistant Program Director. In addition to practicing a wide spectrum of OMS, including the surgical treatment of craniomaxillofacial deformities, maxillofacial trauma and temporomandibular joint disorders, Dr. Christensen is heavily involved in resident education and clinical research. He is currently the author of more than 30 peer-reviewed publications and serves as a member of the Editorial Board for the Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. He has received several grants for research funding, and has presented on multiple topics at national meetings. He is the recipient of several research awards from the American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons and the American College of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons. Brian will continue the tradition of clinical excellence, scientific innovation and educational dedication that has kept the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at LSUHSC New Orleans as a premier center for its specialty.



### **Hisham Hatoum, DDS, MD**

Hisham Hatoum, DDS, MD graduated from the American University of Beirut with a Bachelor's Degree in Economics and Biology and went onto a Masters of Business at Northeastern University in Boston. Thereafter, he received his DDS from Baltimore College of Dental Surgery at the University of Maryland. He then spent 1 year at LSU in New Orleans and Baton Rouge

as an OMS intern before moving to the University of Buffalo where he would complete his medical degree and residency in Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery. Thereafter, he completed two prestigious fellowships in Head and Neck Surgery and Microvascular Reconstructive Surgery, first at the University of Miami and thereafter at the world renown Roswell Park Cancer Institute in Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Hatoum then became the Head and Neck Surgeon for the Novant Health system in North Carolina. Currently he is a full time Assistant Professor of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at LSUSD in New Orleans.



### **Deepak Krishnan, DDS, FACS**

Deepak Krishnan, DDS, FACS is the chief of Oral Maxillofacial surgery both at University of Cincinnati and at Cincinnati Children's hospital and medical center. He is an associate professor of Surgery at the College of Medicine at University of Cincinnati in Ohio, USA, where he teaches and practices.

Deepak obtained his dental degree from Bangalore University, India and trained in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at Emory University's College of Medicine in Atlanta, Georgia. Upon completion of the residency, Deepak pursued further fellowship training in Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery focusing on orthognathic surgery at Dalhousie University, Halifax, Canada. Deepak's clinical interests are in Orthognathic and reconstructive surgery, maxillofacial trauma, pediatric maxillofacial surgery, ambulatory anesthesia and clinical research and simulation. He currently serves as the chair of the AAOMS Committee on Anesthesia (CAN) and serves on the Committee of Education and Training (CET) of the AAOMS. He is an examiner for the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery and is a Fellow of the American college of Surgeons (ACS).



### **Bach Le, DDS, MD, FICD, FACD**

Dr. Bach Le completed his specialty training in Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery at Oregon Health Sciences University. He is currently Clinical Associate Professor of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery at the USC School of Dentistry. Dr. Le maintains a private practice in Whittier, California. Dr. Le has lectured both nationally and internationally on bone

regeneration and dental implant-related surgery and has published extensively in scientific texts and professional journals. Dr. Le is a Diplomate of the American Association of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons, the American Dental Society of Anesthesiologist, and the International Congress of Oral Implantologists and holds Fellowship in the International College of Dentists, the American College of Dentists and the International Association of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons.



### **Fred A. Lopez, MD, MACP**

Dr. Lopez is the Richard Vial Professor and Vice Chair of Education in the Department of Medicine at the LSU School of Medicine in New Orleans. He is also Assistant Dean for Student Affairs. A native of New Orleans, Dr. Lopez received his undergraduate degree from Stanford University, and his MD from the LSU School of Medicine in

New Orleans, where he was a member of the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society and a graduate of the Honors Program. Afterwards, he returned to Stanford where he was an intern, resident and chief resident in Internal Medicine and a fellow in Infectious Diseases. In 1998, he returned to LSUSM to join the faculty in the Department of Medicine. He has written more than 160 journal articles and chapters in textbooks. He is also co-editor of the textbook entitled, Infectious Diseases: Emergency Department Diagnosis & Management. A Master of the American College of Physicians, Dr. Lopez also served as the Governor of the Louisiana ACP Chapter. He has received numerous teaching awards including the Dr. Alan Copping Award for Excellence in Teaching, the LSU Health Sciences Center's highest teaching recognition.

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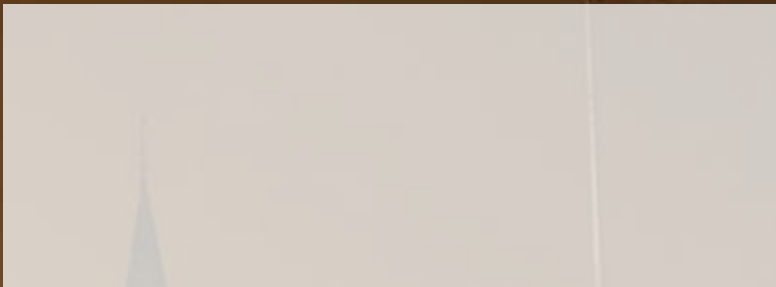
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