

**2nd CONGRESS
EUROPEAN ALIGNER SOCIETY**

FEBRUARY 16-19, 2018

Venice, Italy

ANNOUNCEMENT



The European Aligner Society (EAS) is delighted to invite you to the 2nd European Aligner Society Congress taking place in Venice, Italy on the February 16 to 19, 2018. Once every two years, the world's leading aligner clinicians and allied professionals will have the opportunity to meet, network and exchange knowledge and ideas with colleagues and peers from across the European Union and beyond.

The Congress will provide the ideal forum for clinicians from Europe and across the world to improve their knowledge and clinical skills and to enhance the science and art of aligner orthodontics.

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ABOUT EAS

It is understood that each country (whether within the European Union or not) will have different local needs provided by their local associations and organizations. The EAS does not intend or want to replace those local associations but rather to create a resource full of knowledge, opportunities for collaboration and sharing of information relating to all aspects of aligner therapy. The EAS will provide that resource.

The EAS has been established to bring together all the clinicians and manufacturers who are involved with aligner therapy to use their combined strengths to raise the awareness of the effectiveness and the outcomes of aligner based treatment.

The European Aligner Society aims to provide information on orthodontic aligner therapy to clinicians and the public through effective communication and education. Information will be underpinned by research and the promotion of high standards in orthodontic aligner treatment.

WELCOME MESSAGE

The European Aligner Society started two years ago its path as a scientific society whose aims were to provide information and education on aligner therapy, which has shown an incremental growth and interest in the last decade among clinicians and patients.

The first Congress in Vienna, under the former president Dr Graham Gardner has been a great success in terms of scientific program, doctors attendance and exhibitors presence.

It represented our time-point 0 from where start working to a common project with passion and enthusiasm.

Together with the entire board, one of the goal of the 2nd EAS Congress is to raise the bar in terms of quality of lectures, have a scientific program with the highest standards in orthodontic aligner treatment and start working on research awards.

The Congress, which will take place in the breathtaking atmosphere of Venice, Italy, is planned to provide the most complete scientific and clinical education to orthodontists working with aligner therapy throughout not only Europe but all over the world.

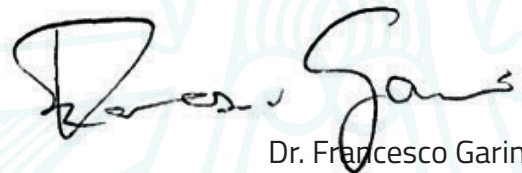
Our commitment is to provide a 360° information on aligner therapy, providing thus clinician tools to make their best choice.

EAS recognises that the orthodontic aligner industry and allied companies is crucial in helping make EAS as reference and gold standard meeting for aligner orthodontics, so that excellence, best practice and research can be enjoyed and shared not only by EAS members but also by delegates.

EAS will work closely with the companies to ensure that satisfaction will come from both ends.

Following the experience of our first congress, within this booklet you will find the different level of sponsorship, exhibitor floorplan and other minor sponsorship opportunities to help deliver company messages to the EAS audience.

Together with the entire EAS board I look forward to welcome you in Venice!



Dr. Francesco Garino
EAS President 2018/19

CONGRESS PROGRAM

We are looking forward to this Congress providing a perfect forum for showcasing the latest developments by renowned experts in the field. The program will be defined by both experience and innovation.

The Congress will begin on Friday, February 16 with a selection of pre-Congress Courses and short communications in the afternoon.

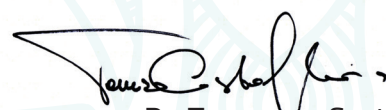
The pre-Congress courses will be focused on different aligner systems and auxiliaries and registration will take place through the EAS website. The limited attendance Friday afternoon events will be followed by a Welcome Reception in the Exhibition Hall on Friday evening for all delegates registered to 2nd EAS Congress.

Saturday, February 17 will host a full Plenary Session and delegates will have Saturday evening and night free to enjoy fabulous Venice by night.

Sunday, February 18 will start with "Breakfast with the Experts" discussion round tables and will be followed by a second Plenary Session during the morning until mid-afternoon, when the Congress will end.

On Monday, EAS will be hosting a DSD day certification course presented by Dr. Christian Coachman, a well-known recognized expert in this field. The Scientific Program has been developed to cater for all clinicians involved in aligner treatment provision.

Time for poster presentation will be available throughout the Congress.



Dr. Tommaso Castroflorio
Scientific Chairman

MEMBERSHIP 2018

Membership renewal and new member join-up for 2018 will be requested at REGISTRATION. Membership of EAS will give both registration benefits AND also a complementary subscription rate to the new Journal of Aligner Orthodontics (JAO). The JAO, which will be the official publication of EAS, will be launched at 2nd

Congress Venice and will provide members with four numbers per year. Membership 2018 will start at renewal or join-up when registering for Congress and continue until December 31st 2018. There will be an option for auto-renewal from 2019 so as to keep the JAO subscription current each year.

KEYNOTE AND INVITED SPEAKERS

The 2nd EAS Congress scientific program is still to be finalised but the following list will give an indication of the speakers invited to date:

AZARIPOUR A. Germany: **Aligner therapy and periodontal health**

BAZZUCCHI A., PAVONE A. Italy: **Interdisciplinary approach in clear aligner treatment**

BOYD R. L. USA: **20 year of aligners; past and present / Future of aligner treatments: what's next?**

CARRIERE L. Spain: **Motion and aligners**

COACHMAN C. Brazil: **Digital Smile Design**

COUCHAT D. France: **Management of impacted teeth with aligners: achieving success and predictability**

D'ANTO' V. Italy: **The cutting edge of the Airniviol system: the prediction of biomechanical response**

DAHER S. Canada: **Light accelerated aligner treatments**

FAVERO L. Italy: **Enjoy early orthodontics with CA-Clear Aligners**

GRACCO A. Italy: **Clinical considerations for the use of skeletal anchorage devices in orthodontics**

HENNESSY J. Ireland: **Clear aligner and tooth movement**

IBRAHIM M. USA: **Accelerated aligner therapy: the SoftPulse technology in the daily clinical practice**

LAPATKI B. Germany: **Aligner force gradation using foil thickness variation - an experimentally validated approach**

MAH J. USA: **Mixed dentition treatment with aligners**

MALEKIAN K. Spain: **Class III : Lower arch sequential distalization protocol**

MAREK I. Czech Republic: **Unexpected complication of bonded retainers and retention protocols**

MORTON J. USA: **Biomechanics and aligners orthodontics**

O'CALLAGHAN S. Australia: **Modern eclectic orthodontics: change the way you approach aligner design with Suresmile/Elematrix**

OJIMA K. Japan: **Strategic anchorage management in complex cases with aligners**

PEYLO S. Germany: **Extended Clear Aligner indications with auxiliaries**

- ROMAN M.** Spain: **Where is the limit? Complex cases with Invisalign**
SABOUNI W. France: **Treating the growing Teen with aligners**
SCHEURER P. Switzerland: **Not only plastics. Auxiliaries in aligner orthodontics**
SEMAAN S. Australia: **Interproximal reduction: how, what and when**
SICILIANI G., LOMBARDO L. Italy: **F22 biologic teeth aligners**
SUGAWARA J. Japan: **Surgery first and aligners**
THEODORIDIS G. Greece: **TADs anchorage management in aligner therapy**
WILMES B. Germany: **TAD borne sliders and aligners, problems and solutions**

EAS is proud to introduce translation from English, the official language of 2nd Congress, into French, German, Italian, Japanese and Spanish. The translation will be done by dedicated translators for each language and transmitted wirelessly to delegate headsets. When registering through the website, you will be asked to check a box if you wish to include translation. No cost is involved as this will be a sponsored service to delegates.

- > **PRE-CONGRESS COURSES**
FRIDAY AFTERNOON, [FEBRUARY 16, 2018](#)
- > **SHORT COMMUNICATIONS**
FRIDAY AFTERNOON, [FEBRUARY 16, 2018](#)
- > **BREAKFAST WITH THE EXPERT SESSION**
SUNDAY MORNING, [FEBRUARY 18, 2018](#)
- > **POST-CONGRESS COURSE**
MONDAY MORNING AND AFTERNOON, [FEBRUARY 19, 2018](#)
DIGITAL SMILE DESIGN & ALIGNERS (Providing DSD Certification)
DR. COACHMAN, C.
- > **POSTER SESSION**
SATURDAY MORNING AND AFTERNOON [FEBRUARY 17, 2018](#)
SUNDAY MORNING [FEBRUARY 18, 2018](#)

CPD ACCREDITATION

Application for CPD will be available once the scientific program is finalised.
Further details will be available on the EAS website.

REGISTRATION FEES

Registrations are processed directly by the EAS Secretariat and EAS Venice Congress Secretariat.

You can register online on our website www.eas-aligners.com from **September 3, 2017** or by email enquiry to office@eas-aligners.com. For non-members, the deadlines for early registration at a reduced fee is **December 28, 2017**.

The final deadline for registration is **February 3, 2018**.

After this date, registrations will be exclusively accepted at the Congress, if spaces are available, with an additional fee of € 100,00.

THE REGISTRATION FEE INCLUDES:

- › Congress kit
- › Attendance at Short Presentations on Friday 16 afternoon
- › Entry to the Exhibition Hall from Friday 16 afternoon to Sunday 18 afternoon
- › The evening Welcome Reception on Friday 16
- › Attendance at the Plenary lectures all day Saturday 17
- › Lunch on Saturday 17
- › Morning and afternoon coffee/tea on Saturday 17
- › Attendance at the Plenary lectures on Sunday 18 until mid-afternoon
- › Morning coffee on Sunday 18
- › Post Congress finger buffet on Sunday 18
- › Attendance certificate

ACCOMPANYING PERSONS

There is a 180 € charge for accompanying persons, which covers the catering costs over the 2 days. Accompanying persons CANNOT access the lecture halls and will therefore not be issued with passes

for access into the Congress.

However, an identification badge will be issued for access to the Exhibition and catering areas.

FEES

ATTENTION: Registration to EAS Congress is mandatory and must be done before registering for any of the other events (Pre-congress Courses, Breakfast with the experts, Post-congress Course).

Any registration to events without Congress registration will be cancelled and payment returned.

PRE-CONGRESS COURSES - Friday 16, 2018	Before January 8, 2018	After January 8, 2018
EAS members	100 €	200 €
EAS students* or staff members**	50 €	100 €
Non-EAS members	200 €	300 €
Non-EAS students* or staff members**	100 €	150 €

BREAKFAST WITH THE EXPERTS - Sunday 18, 2018	Before January 8, 2018	After January 8, 2018
EAS members	75 €	150 €
EAS students* or staff members**	45 €	90 €
Non-EAS members	150 €	225 €
Non-EAS students* or staff members**	75 €	125 €

POST CONGRESS DSD DAY COURSE – Monday 19, 2018	Before January 8, 2018	After January 8, 2018
EAS members	415 €	495 €
EAS students* or staff members**	295 €	375 €
Non-EAS members	495 €	575 €
Non-EAS students* or staff members**	375 €	455 €

* Please enclose a statement signed by the Director of your Institute

** Non-dentists or orthodontists

CONGRESS SESSIONS Saturday 17 and Sunday 18 February, 2018

	Before January 8, 2018	After January 8, 2018
EAS members	350 €	450 €
EAS students* or staff members**	275 €	300 €
Non-EAS members	600 €	700 €
Non-EAS students* or staff members**	450 €	500 €

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ACCOMMODATION

EAS has negotiated advantageous room rates with Hilton Molino Stucky for the duration of the Congress.

HILTON GUEST ROOMS - single 186,50 € / night

HILTON GUEST ROOMS - double 224,50 € / night

Rates are valid per room and per night and include breakfast, VAT at 10%, Service Charge and Venice City Tax.

Delegates can make their own reservations using the Hilton on-line booking option – Personalised Online Groups (POG): www.hilton.com/en/hi/groups/personalized/V/VCEHIHI-GEASC-20180211/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG.

Bookings will be guaranteed by the delegate's credit card.

We suggest you book your journey and hotel in advance.

HiltonLink reservation system will be opened and available for reservations until December 16th 2017.

HOTEL TRAVEL INFORMATION

Transfer information is available at: www3.hilton.com/en/hotels/italy/hilton-molino-stucky-venice-VCEHIHI/maps-directions/transfer-information.html

CONGRESS CANCELLATION POLICY

Requests for refunds must be received in writing or by email (and acknowledged) to the EAS Office by February 3, 2018. There will be a 50% refund if the cancellation is received by February 3, 2018. Cancellations received after this date will not be accepted.

HOTEL CANCELLATION POLICY

In case of cancellations and or reductions received after December 16th 2017, participants will be charged the amount of the cancelled / reduced nights.

In case of No Show, the Hotel will charge entire stay.

After December 16th 2017, any additional room reservation will be confirmed based upon Hotel's availability. Early Departure Fees. The Hotel will charge the attendees an Early Departure Fee equivalent to the daily room rate for those who depart prior to their confirmed departure date and do not give a 24-hour notice to the hotel.

PHOTOGRAPHY

By attending this event and/or associated events as part of the European Aligner Society (EAS) Congress, you consent to being filmed or photographed. These images/films may then be used as part of future marketing campaigns and/or be archived on the EAS website or other open access internet resource such as Facebook or Flickr.

Delegates are not allowed to take pictures or video record lectures.

LECTURE VIDEOS

IMPORTANT: Delegates are not allowed to take pictures or video record lectures. If you are found recording or photographing during the lectures you will be asked to stop and may be asked to leave. This will be enforced.

Recordings of the lectures can be bought before/ during or after the congress at a reduced rates to EAS members. These will be sent as a data key to members and delegates and can be viewed on the EAS website.

Video recordings of EAS 2 nd Congress lectures	
Pre-paid at time of registration	
Members	100 €
Non-Members	170 €
Paid at Congress or post-Congress	
Members	170 €
Non-Members	240€

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

There will a Welcome Drinks and Buffet on Friday evening 16th February. The Welcome Reception will be held in the Exhibition area of the Hilton Molino Stucky and is included in the registration fee.

There are no organised tours during the Congress but information about what to do in Venice will be available to Congress registration desk or at the hotel reception. Congress secretariat will endeavour to facilitate groups should accompanying persons wish to see specific sights. Costs will depend on the place of interest and numbers wanting to join. Otherwise, Venice is yours to enjoy as you please.

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