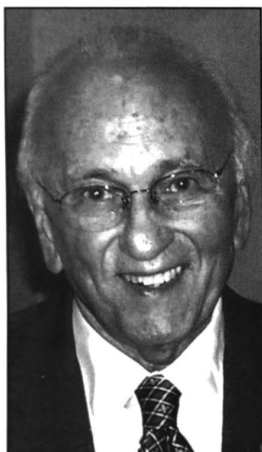


alumni newsletter

GEORGE W. BERNARD, CLASS OF 1947 2007 DISTINGUISHED ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR



George Bernard, '47
Distinguished Alumnus of 2007

Each year the Dental Alumni Association names a Distinguished Alumnus and this year George W. Bernard, Class of 1947, was chosen as the recipient. He was recognized for his many contributions to dentistry, medicine and dental education, in particular for his leadership and research in the field of bone and tooth mineralization.

George Welitskin Bernard graduated from Miami Beach High School in 1942. He began his college edu-

cation at the University of Florida and received a D.D.S. at Washington University School of Dentistry in St. Louis in 1947. A residency followed at Kingsbrook Hospital in New York City.

From 1952 until 1953, he served as a Captain in the Dental corps of the U. S. Army. After his stint in the Army, he moved to Los Angeles where he had a successful private practice.

In 1958, while continuing private practice, George became a Theater Arts major at UCLA. After spending several years writing TV and movie scripts, his interest shifted back to science. George received a B.A. in Zoology, in 1963 with honors at UCLA. He enrolled in graduate school at UCLA and worked with the outstanding electron microscopist and embryologist, Dr. Daniel Pease. During his graduate studies, he received a fellowship to study pathology at the Harvard Medical School.

George graduated from UCLA with a Ph.D. in Anatomy with Distinction. He was appointed to the faculty of UCLA jointly in Oral Biology in the Dental School, and Anatomy in the Medical School. In 1970, he spent a post-doctoral year in Villajeuf, France, at the Institut des Recherches Scientifique sur Le Cancer.

In 1980, George returned to France to work in the laboratory of Cellular Pathology at the Marie and Pierre Curie

School of Medicine in Paris. In 1983 George was elected as a Fellow in the American Association for the Advancement of Science, "In recognition of scientific achievements."

George's scientific achievements include, discovering the cellular organelle, the "matrix vesicle", in which mineralization of bone and tooth is initiated. He reported a new theory of mammalian mineralization by describing initial

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Claudia, George, Ellie and Nancy Bernard

The 141st Annual Meeting

The Washington University Dental Alumni Association (WUDAA) held its annual meeting on September 7 and 8, 2007. The WUDAA events were held at the Chase Park Plaza Hotel in the Central West End of St. Louis. The meetings and reunions were well attended and the attendees reported that they return specifically to this meeting to enjoy the people and places they remember from their dental school days.

The 141st Annual Session of the WUDAA Meeting began Friday evening, September 7 with a reception at the Alumni House on the Main Campus. There is always a great turnout for this social occasion and it is a great opportunity to see instructors and Alumni of any year. This year approximately 125 Alums and their guests attended the Friday evening gathering. The Class reunions

organized and assembled were:

50th reunion, the Class of '57
40th reunion, the Class of '67
30th reunion, the Class of '77
25th reunion, the Class of '82

After the reception at the Alumni House, the classes celebrating their reunions went on to various locations for dinner, talking, laughing, catching up and more reminiscing.

The Board of Directors of the Alumni Association meets on the Saturday morning of the Annual Meeting weekend, but this year a Continuing Education program was held on Saturday. Instead, the Board of Directors met two weeks prior and conducted the business necessary to prepare for the 2007 Annual Meeting. Reports were given by WUDAA Treasurer, Zora Hanko, Secretary, Marsha Marden and the Finance Committee Chair. The Nominating Committee, Scholarship Committee and the Editors reports were also given. The reports from the Website chairman and History committee were received.

On Saturday morning, September 8, the WUDAA presented a Continuing Education program at the Chase. The four hours of Continuing Education featured four speakers who each presented an update of approximately one hour. (See separate article on page 13.)

Following the Continuing Education program, the WUDAA Business

Luncheon meeting was held. This annual meeting is open to any Alum who would like to attend and all Alumni attending are eligible to vote. A report of the meeting of the Board of Directors was given and the appropriate action was taken. The slate of new officers was presented and elected. They are:

President:

Dr. Mario Conte '79

President-Elect:

Dr. Gil Hart '82

Vice-President:

Dr. Kevin Thorpe '79

Treasurer:

Dr. Zora Hanko '84

Secretary:

Dr. Marsha Marden '90

Editor Emeritus:

Dr. Jack Gilster '44

Editors:

Dr. Gail Holcomb '79

Dr. Robert Boyle '79

The annual Alumni Association Banquet was held Saturday evening. Dr. Greg Hoeltzel '70, President of the Alumni Association, was the emcee of the evening. All of the reunion classes were recognized. Special honors were given to the Fifty Year Class of 1957 who were awarded commemorative medallions from Washington University. The Twenty Five Year Class of 1982 received special recognition and certificates in honor of their service to the profession.

The President's Award, a special award given at the discretion of the Alumni Association's President, was awarded

to Dr. Richard Brand. Dr. Brand has had a life long dedication to dental education, specifically it is his tireless encouragement and support of students, that distinguishes him among the faculty. Even today, Dr. Brand continues to help Washington University undergraduate students with their pursuit of an education leading to a career in Dentistry.

Dr. Brand received his B.S. and D.D.S. from the University of Pittsburgh and later completed a three year Post-Doctoral Fellowship at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine in the Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology. He came to Washington University Dental School in 1965. When the school closed in 1991, he was the Associate Dean of Student Services, Director of Admissions and a Professor of Biomedical Sciences in Anatomy. Dr. Brand has served on the National Board of Dental Examiners in Anatomy as a test constructor. Dr. Brand currently teaches Anatomy and serves on the Committee on Admissions for Washington University School of Medicine.

The 2007 Distinguished Alumnus Award was presented to Dr. George Bernard, Class of 1947. (See page 1 article about Dr. Bernard.)

The banquet concluded with the introduction and installation of the new officers. The banquet also marked the conclusion of the 2007 Annual Meeting.



President's Award Winner 2007,
Dr. Richard Brand.

GEORGE W. BERNARD, CLASS OF 1947

2007 DISTINGUISHED ALUMNUS OF THE YEAR *Continued from page 1*

and subsequent calcification of bone, cartilage, enamel, dentin and cementum. Along with his graduate students, he developed the first Petri dish system for studying cancer of bone. They also found the bone stem cell in bone marrow and are using the stem cells with various nerve products to show the evolutionary and embryological dependency of bone, teeth, and jaws on the nervous system.

George has developed the technique of using a carrier of a common connective tissue substance, Hyaluronan, and a bone enhancer, bone Morphogenetic Protein (BMP), to regenerate bone in boney defects after surgery, in periodontal defects and in fractures.

Currently, George is working on developing a treatment of osteoporosis using BMP. George has a patent pending, through UCLA, for a new carrier system that will initiate a new generation of devices to help regen-

erate bone. He has recently discovered that bone cancers and Alzheimer disease are initiated by the death of the same immune system cells that guard the body against disease. The research was recently published in *The Proceedings of The National Academy of Science*.

George is currently an Emeritus Professor of Neurobiology in the UCLA Medical School and an Emeritus professor of Oral Biology & Medicine in the UCLA Dental School. Through both departments, he teaches medical, dental and graduate students Microscopic Anatomy, Dental Embryology and Histology and The Biology and Evolution of Bone. He is a past Chair of the Department of Oral Biology and medicine.

George's honors are long and distinguished. In 1969, 1972, 1975 and 1994 he was honored with Distinguished Teaching Awards by Dental School classes. And in 1998 he received

the Distinguished Teacher award for all UCLA Faculty.

In 1992, a day-long honorific symposium was held at UCLA, organized and presented by his former Graduate students entitled "Twenty Five Years of Bone Biology with Dr. George Bernard, a Festschrift".

George has been a member of the National Institute of health (NIH) Oral Biology and Medicine Study Section, and a consultant for the VA Hospital in Long Beach, CA. He has pub-

lished more than 200 articles and 24 book chapters in peer-reviewed scientific journals and books, and he recently completed 2 books entitled, *The Birth of Jaws and Why the Mouth is an Organ of Love and Is This Any Way To Run A Democracy*.

George has two daughters, Claudia and Nancy, both of whom live in northern California. George currently resides in southern California with his wife, Ellie. His memoir is in the works.



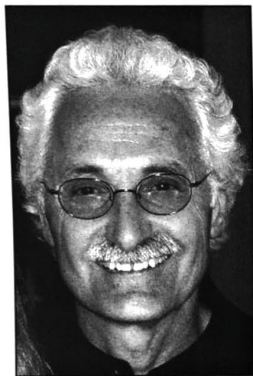
George Bernard, '47 receives the Distinguished Alumnus Award from WUDAA President Greg Hoeltzel '76.

The Editors of this Newsletter invite Alumni to forward information and news to the address to your right for future editions. We will be happy to include professional updates, press releases, news and photos of Alumni social functions, etc.

Please forward these items to:

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Message From the Washington University Dental Alumni Association President, Mario Conte, '79



Washington University Dental Alumni Association President Mario Conte, '79.

I want to thank outgoing President, Dr. Greg Hoeltzel, for his immeasurable contributions, dedication, and untiring devotion to the Washington University Dental Alumni Association.

Longtime editors Bob Boyle and Gail Holcomb, '79, put together the latest WUDAA newsletter. Inside you will find news and information regarding the successful 2007 Alumni Meeting in St. Louis, the new Dental

Alumni website (www.wudaa.com), the School of Dental Medicine History website, and the recently enacted WUDAA Scholarship Fund.

It is my pleasure to invite each of you to the 142nd meeting of the Washington University Dental Alumni Association on September 19 and 20, 2008. As usual, our annual alumni cocktail party will be held on Friday evening, September 19, at the Alumni House. This time allows all of us to renew old acquaintances, whether they are fellow students, faculty or staff. Individual classes frequently prearrange to proceed from the reception to dinner at one of the many outstanding St. Louis restaurants.

The Chase Park Plaza Hotel will be the

site of Saturday's program, and will feature ADA/AGD approved Continuing Education Courses in the morning, followed by the Alumni Association Business Luncheon. In the afternoon, guests are encouraged to revisit old haunts with friends and family by taking the available City Tour, visiting the renewed Forest Park, the world renowned Botanical Garden and of course, the gateway to the west, the Arch.

Saturday evening features a social hour of fellowship before our annual Alumni Banquet. This year we will honor the Class of 1958. In addition, recognition will be paid to milestone classes of 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 and 60 years. The evening will culminate with the recognition and awarding of the Washington Uni-

versity School of Dental Medicine Distinguished Alumnus.

I trust each of you will want to learn more details about this year's get together and hope you can join us. Please call and recruit fellow classmates to help organize your class reunion. Our association Executive Director, David Jolley, is available to assist you by providing mailing lists, printing and postage, local arrangements and support. He may be reached at DavidJolley@aimail.wustl.edu or 314.935.5419. In addition, please view the alumni website, www.wudaa.com for information and updates.

Please mark your calendars for September 19-20, 2008. Stay well until we meet me in St. Louis.

An Important Message from the WUDAA Board of Directors

Many of the Alumni of Washington University School of Dental Medicine make donations to Washington University assuming that these donations will benefit Dentistry, the Dental School or Dental Alumni Association. Washington University asks for donations to the Annual Fund and the Harriett Steuernagel Library Fund.

The Board of Directors of Washing-

ton University Dental Alumni Association (WUDAA) wants to set the record straight so that Alumni can be sure that their donations are going to the intended direction. Any monies sent to the Washington University main campus, i.e., the Annual Fund, will be utilized as WU sees fit. Monies sent to the Harriett Steuernagel Library Fund will be added to the existing balance of approximately \$1.8 million.

This Library Fund is controlled exclusively by the Becker Medical Library and is not available to be used for anything other than the acquisition of dental books and periodicals. The Library Fund balance increases by more than \$100,000 per year because so little of the fund is spent.

The only way to be sure that your donations will benefit Dentistry or your Alumni Association is

to contribute directly to WUDAA. Your Alumni Association continues to work very hard at remaining a vital organization by hosting Continuing Education classes, making scholarship awards to dental students, creating an annual Newsletter and Alumni directory. Our website will allow us to provide much more information in a more timely manner and for less cost. Please visit www.WUDAA.com.

Alumni Association Business

DUES

Thank you to all alumni who contribute to the Washington University Dental Alumni Association (WUDAA) with payment of dues each year. Those dues help to fund a number of ongoing events and projects. Our dues allow us to host the Friday evening gathering held during the

WUDAA Annual Meetings, usually in September in St. Louis. We also host an evening reception at each ADA meeting, which is open to all Dental Alumni. Dues also pay for the publication and mailing of the annual Newsletter and the Alumni Directory, which the Association updates and sends out approximately every

five years. WUDAA is a supporter of the National Foundation of Ectodermal Dysplasia. We also support the Children's Dental Health Theater in St. Louis, a dental educational theater. It is a one of a kind facility in the world and we are proud to support this fun and educational resource.

UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFO

WUDAA is beginning the process of creating a new, updated Alumni directory. Please take a moment to check your personal information in the current directory and notify us of any changes. Please include home and office addresses, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses.

Please send your \$50 annual membership dues and updated contact information to:

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Friday Evening Reception



Shirley and John Goin, '56.



Dennis Parrott, '78 and Neal Newton, '51.



Julie Thorpe, Kay McCarthy and Mary Donohue.



Tom Donohue, '79, and Gordon Thompson, '52.



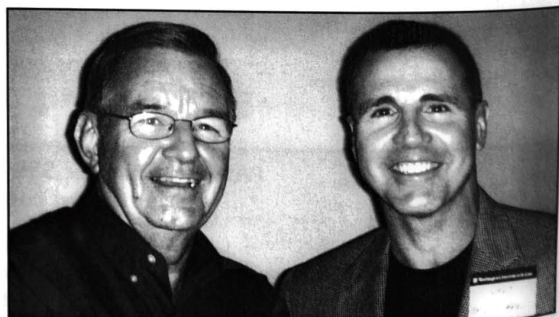
Steve Wolff, '82, John Bryan, '81 and Ron Mainhurst, '82.



Pat Parsons, Jim "Buck" Hays, John Smith, Charles Carroll and Jaime Yrastorza, all Class of 1957.



Zora Hanko, '84 and David Jolley, Alumni Liaison with Main Campus.



Kurt Studdt, '66, and Stewart Moreland, '83.

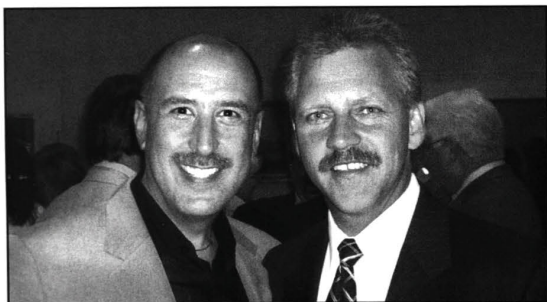
Friday Evening Reception *Continued*



Gil Hart, '82, Marie and Dick Brand, Dean Sands, '82 and daughter, Jennifer.



Zora Hanko, '84, Neal Newton, '51 and Marsha Marden, '90.



Mark Singer, '87 and Joe Sabo, '87.



Maggie and Homer Sedighi, '87, Lisa Ryan, '87, Mike Wagberg and Doug Jacobson, '87.



Randall Ciso, '82, Shelley and Brick Scheer, '82.



Dean George Selfridge and Dr. Richard Brand.



Paul Jurgens, '52 and wife, Mary Jane.



Joe Laffler, '61, Wade Watts, '61, Dorothy Watts and Earl Young, '67.

Friday Evening Reception *Continued*



George Coleman, Ken Bezan and Lee Hill, all class of 1979.



Marsha Marden '90, and Dr. Richard Brand.



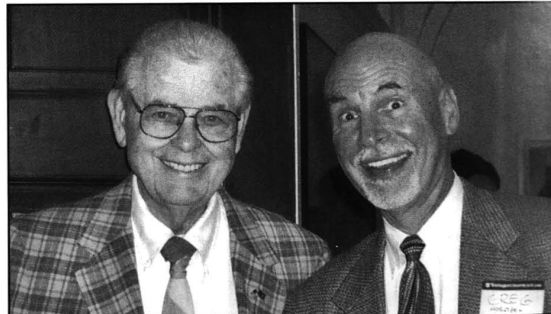
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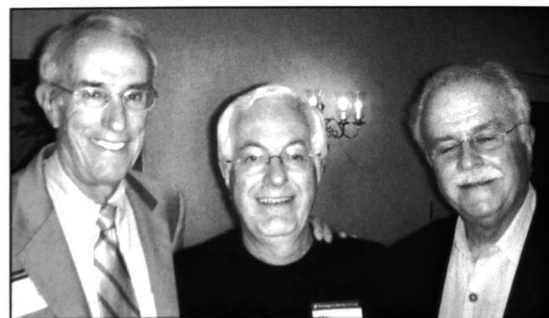
Andy Kim '84, Pat Parsons, '57 and Maria Wong, '84.



Geoffrey Thompson, Ollie Fisher, Dan Wintermantel, Harvey Small, Craig Loveridge, Richard Lambert and Fred Karwas, all class of 1977.



Dean George Selfridge and Alumni Association President Greg Hoeltzel, '76.



Jim Wellman, Paul Melnik and David Hillson, all Class of 1967.



Randy Snyder, '82 and wife, Lily.

Friday Evening Reception *Continued*



Mark McCarthy, Bob Boyle, Lee Hill and Tom Donohue, all Class of 1979.



Ollie Fisher, '77, Jane Johnson Hoeltzel and Perdita Fisher, '79.



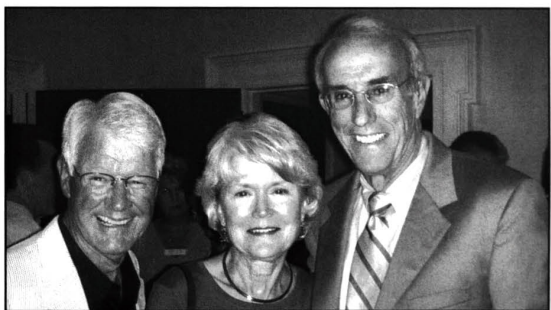
Ken Bezan, Gail Holcomb, Lee Hill, Bob Boyle, Mark McCarthy, Kevin Thorpe, Tom O'Connor, Tom Donohue, George Coleman and Mario Conte, all Class of 1979.



Jim Lamont, '67, Jack Rosen, '58 and Mary McClellan, '82.



Bob Schrammeyer, '71, Dean George Selfridge, Gordon Thompson, '52, and David Jolley.



Earl Young, '67, Carol and Jim Wellman, '67.



Dean George Selfridge, Julie and Kevin Thorpe, '79.



Doug Jacobson, '87, and Warren Yow, '83.

Friday Evening Reception *Continued*



Gil Hart, '82, Peter Rathman, '82, and Arnie Jacobson, '76.



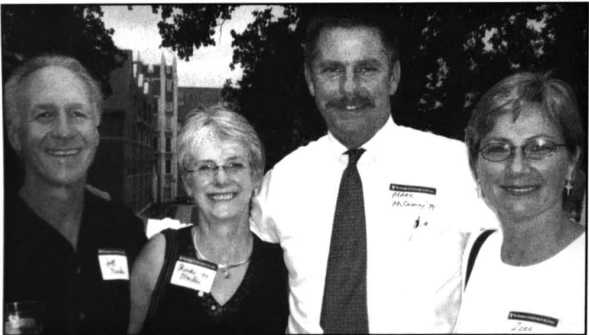
John Goin, '56 and Neal Newton, '51.



Richard Lambert, Geoffrey Thompson and Craig Loveridge, all Class of 1977.



John Smith, Charles Carroll, Pat Parsons and Jim "Buck" Hays, all Class of 1957.



Jeff and Marsha Marden, '90, Mark McCarthy, '79, and Zora Hanko '84.



Warren Yow, '83, and Gordon Thompson, '52.



Doug Mitchell, Steve Katz and Jim Gable, all Class of '82.

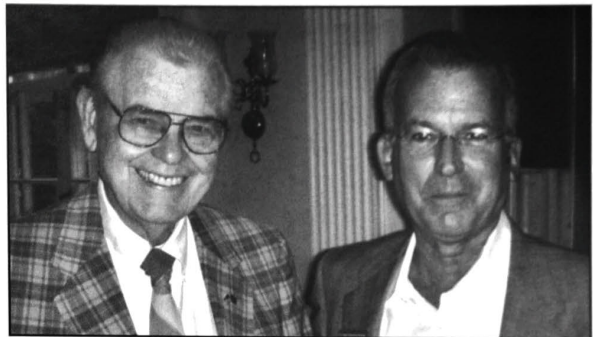


Mingling at the Alumni House.

Friday Evening Reception *Continued*



Mark McCarthy, Tom Donohue and Kevin Thorpe, all Class of 1979.



Dean George Selfridge and Bob Boyle, '79.



Jim Lamont, '67 and Jack Rosen, '58.



Zora Hanko, '84, Marsha Marden, '90, Bob Boyle, '79, Gail Holcomb, '79, Bruce Phillips, '68 and Ann Phillips.



Millie and John Frost, '42



Faye Anastasoff and Harold Schreiber, '47.



John Smith, Charles Carroll and Jim "Buck" Hays, all Class of 1957.



Mark McCarthy, '79, and Ollie Fisher, '77.

Friday Evening Reception *Continued*



Roger Brand, son of Dr. Richard Brand and Saba Khahil, '83 .



Marie and Dr. Richard Brand.



Mike Wagberg and Lisa Ryan, '87.



Joe Sabo and Doug Jacobson, both Class of 1987.



Ken Bezan and Tom Donohue, both Class of 1979.



Arnie Jacobson, '76, Gil Hart, '82, Joan Jacobson and Mark McCarthy, '79.

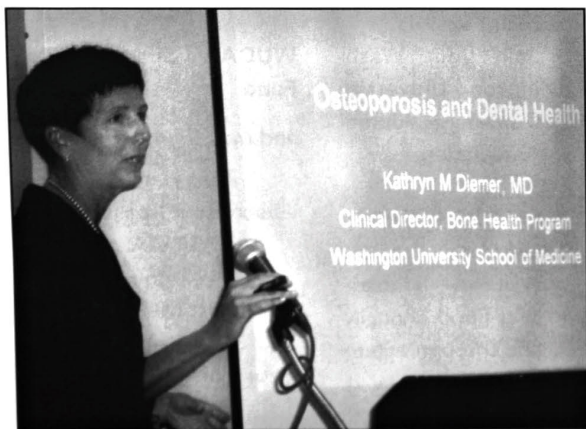
Alumni Association Continuing Education Program

The Washington University Dental Alumni Association (WUDAA) hosted a Saturday morning, September 8th, 2007, of Continuing Education at the Chase Park Plaza Hotel. There were four tremendous 1 hour presentations. Leading off was Dr.

Doxey Sheldon ('79) discussing Dental Microscopy. Next up was Dr. William Chen ('76) lecturing on Dental Lasers. This was followed by Dr. Kathryn Diemer addressing Osteoporosis and Dental Health. And last, but certainly not

least, was Dr. Mike Noble's ('84) presentation on Oral Surgery. The morning session was extremely well attended. Corporate sponsors included Global Surgical Corporation and Benco Dental.

The plans for the 2008 meeting include CE in a similar format on Saturday morning, September 20th. Please see www.WUDAA.com for speakers, topics and time.



Announcing the Washington University Dental Alumni Association Scholarship for the Study of Dental Medicine

The Alumni Association of the Washington University School of Dental Medicine (WUDAA) has created a scholarship for the study of Dental Medicine. Washington University no longer has a School of Dental Medicine, however, the Alumni Association would like to continue its long history of supporting quality dental education. The Alumni Association believes that this scholarship will help a promising student complete his or her dental education, thereby helping the public receive quality dental care.

Our goals initially are to award one scholarship each year to a deserving dental student who is a direct descendant of a WUDAA member. To grow the Scholarship Fund, we are request-

ing financial contributions. Fund donations are tax deductible, complying with all IRS requirements to maintain a 501c3 status. With the growth of the Scholarship Fund, through the generous contributions of our Alumni and like-minded individuals, we would hope to broaden the scope of the awards and possibly explore expanding the applicant base. With a balance of \$50,000 in the Scholarship Fund, we will be able to offer a \$2,500 annual scholarship in perpetuity. Contributions can be in the name of anyone you choose, such as a loved one, classmate, professor, etc. Please be sure to designate your desire to do so when you send your donation. Donations will be acknowledged in the Newsletter

unless anonymity is requested.

Information regarding qualification and procedure for application can be e-mailed to you by contacting the editors of the Alumni Newsletter at:
paradocs5@yahoo.com

The key to success of this program is you and your continued involvement in our Alumni Association and your contributions to the Scholarship Fund. So please consider the following:

- Join your Washington University Dental Alumni Association.
- Plan to financially support the WUDAA Scholarship Fund annually and through estate planning.

- Participate in your Alumni reunion activities.
- Spread the word of this opportunity to other WU Dental Alumni who may have a relative going to dental school; they may be eligible to apply for the scholarship.

We need your help in this worthy endeavor. Please consider making a donation of whatever size with which you are comfortable. Write your checks to:

WUDAA Scholarship Fund

and mail them to:

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We are Proud to Present the First Recipient of the WUDAA Scholarship Award: Tracy E. Pogal-Sussman

Tracy Pogal-Sussman, daughter of Meredith Pogal, D.M.D., class of '79 and Paul Sussman, D.M.D., class of '79, is the first recipient of the WUDAA Scholarship Award. Ms. Pogal-Sussman is a freshman dental student at Harvard University. She graduated from Boston University with a BS in Biomedical Engineering 2005. Tracy received her MS in Biomedical Engineering from Boston University in 2007. her honors and awards while in college

include the Scarlet Key Leadership Award (2005), membership in the National Society of College Scholars, Alpha Epsilon Delta Pre-Health Professional Honor Society (Vice-President 2004-2005), Honor Society and the Golden Key National Honor Society. Tracy was a member of the Boston University All-Campus Orchestra (2001-2004) and has published several articles related to Otolaryngology.

Congratulations Tracy!!



Tracy Pogal-Sussman

Donations to the WUDAA Scholarship Fund Since the Last Newsletter

Contribution Level:

Bronze \$0 - \$499

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Gold \$1,000 - \$4,999

Platinum \$5,000 +

Contributors:

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Greg Hoeltzel
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Kevin Thorpe

Gail Holcomb
Bob Boyle

Doxey Shelton

George Bernard
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Drs. Neal Newton, Mohamed Marzouk,
Roger Parrott & George Selfridge
The Great Class of 1979
William J. Collins

Drs. Don Sheldon, Kenneth Mashall,
Mr. Jason Lohr & Mrs. Agnus Kretschmer

Dr. Bob Alcocer

We encourage you to make your tax deductible donation today. For information on how to donate, please see the article on the previous page.

Saturday Evening Banquet



Ruth and Dean George Selfridge.



Debbie Stovall, Julie Thorpe, Kevin Thorpe, '79, and Dennis Stovall '79.



Greg Hoeltzel, '76 and Pat Parsons, '57.



Cynthia Nouri, Russ Rainey, Betsy Berbos, and Lisa Ryan, all class of 1987.



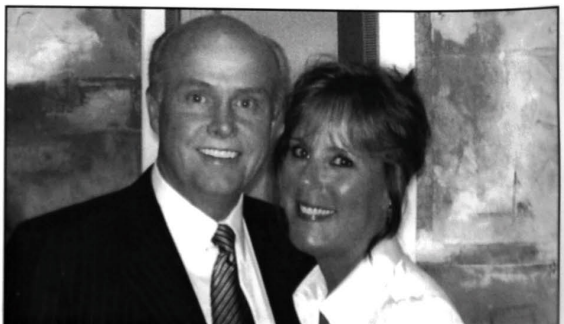
President's Award winner, Dr. Richard Brand, and fans.



Steve Wolff and Sharon Carver, both Class of 1982.



George Bernard, Distinguished Alumnus of 2007 with classmate, Harold Schreiber, Distinguished Alumnus of 1992.



Rex Favero, '82 and wife, Sherry.

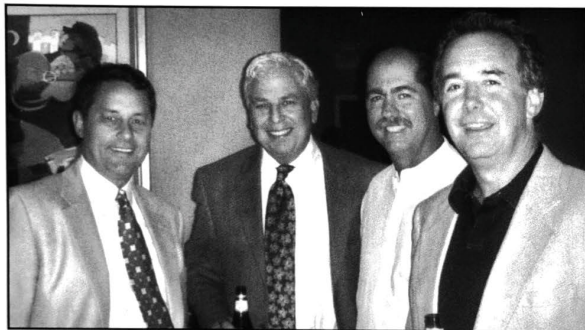
Saturday Evening Banquet *Continued*



Dick Brand and Pat Parsons, '57.



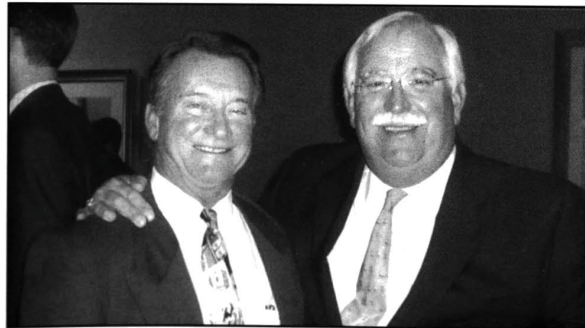
Jaime Yrastorza and Charles Carroll, both Class of 1957.



Peter Fauth, Barry Goldenberg, Don Gallo and Peter Rathman, all Class of 1982.



Betsy Berbos, '87, Cynthia Nouri, '87, Sophia Bednarski, '86 and Lisa Ryan, '87.



Dennis Parrott, '78 and Gil Hart, '82.



Dr. Richard Brand and family.

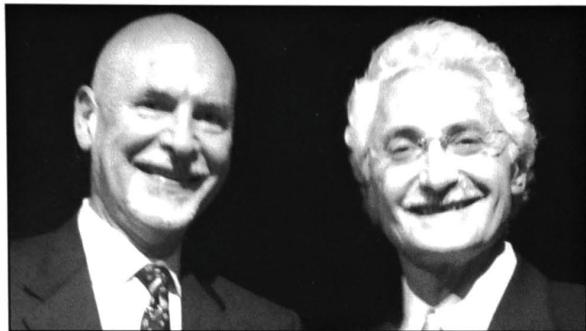


Gordon Thompson, '52, Betsy Berbos, '87, Stan Arellano, '87, Kraig Osborne, '87 and Cynthia Nouri, '87.

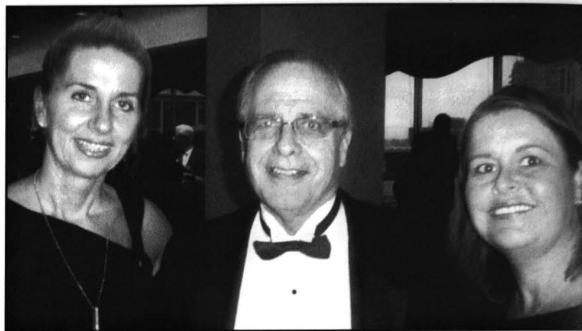


Gil Hart, '82 and Mike Cadra, '82.

Saturday Evening Banquet *Continued*



Greg Hoeltzel, '76, current Alumni Association President welcomes incoming Alumni Association President, Mario Conte, '79.



Betsy Berbos '87, Dick Brand and Lisa Ryan, '87.



Mildred and Charles Carroll, '57.



The table of Distinguished Alumnus of 2007, George Bernard, '47.



John Smith and Jim "Buck" Hays, both Class of 1957.



Mario Conte, '79, Doxey Sheldon, '79, and Richard Cambell.



Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Neill, '46.



Neal Newton, '51 and Kevin Walsh, '80.

Class of 1957 – Recipients of the Washington University Medallion in Recognition of the 50th Anniversary of Graduation



The Class of 1957 celebrates their 50th reunion.



The Class of 1982 celebrates their 25th reunion.

Class of 1967 40th Reunion



The Class of 1967 celebrates their 40th reunion.

Planning a Class Reunion?

Changes for the September, 2008 Meeting

Is it time for a reunion of your class? Are you thinking of organizing a get-together? It may be easier than you think. The weekend of the Mid-Continent Dental Congress in St. Louis may be the perfect time.

- On Friday, September 19th, and Saturday, September 20th, 2008, the Washington University Dental Alumni Association (WUDAA) will continue our tradition of holding our meetings and Continuing Education classes at the Chase Park Plaza Hotel in the Central West End. The weekend will offer Continuing Education, pre-planned Alumni activities and a walk down 'Memory Lane' in gorgeous fall weather in St. Louis.
- The Greater St. Louis Dental Society has relocated the Mid-Continent meeting to St. Charles, MO. This year that meeting will be held Thursday, September 18th, through Saturday, September 20th, 2008. Further details can be found on page 27 of this Newsletter or by

checking for updates at: www.gslds.org.

- Friday evening, September 19th, your Alumni Association hosts an Alumni reception at the Alumni House on main campus from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. This gathering is always well attended and is the best place to see classmates, other Alums and many of our previous instructors. The Association provides a photographer who can photograph classmates and class reunions during this weekend. The perfect time to schedule your Class Reunion dinner party may be after this event.
- Saturday morning, September 20th, offers an opportunity to participate in our WUDAA sponsored, ADA/AGD approved Continuing Education seminars. The program for 2008 will include 4 speakers who will each speak for approximately one hour about a variety of topics.
- Attendance at the WUDAA Continuing

Education classes Saturday morning will include attendance at the annual Alumni Business meeting and luncheon at no additional charge.

- On Saturday evening the Alumni Association holds its annual Banquet. Reunion classes can reserve tables for their parties and may choose a classmate to speak briefly and/or give awards to fellow class members. Traditionally, the special recognition of the evening is focused on the Class that is holding its Fifty Year reunion. The other highlight of the evening is the presentation of the Distinguished Alumnus of the Year award.
- Alternative activities for the weekend may include enjoying Saint Louis with friends and families by taking the City Tour, visiting Forest Park, the Arch, the Botanical Garden, or just shopping. To anticipate your thought, the Cardinals are out-of-town the weekend of the 19th and 20th.

- For the September, 2008 meeting, class reunions include:

The class of 1948 - 60th reunion

The class of 1958 - 50th reunion

The class of 1968 - 40th reunion

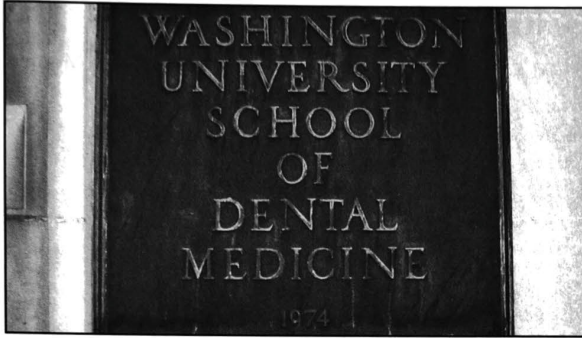
The class of 1978 - 30th reunion

The class of 1983 - 25th reunion

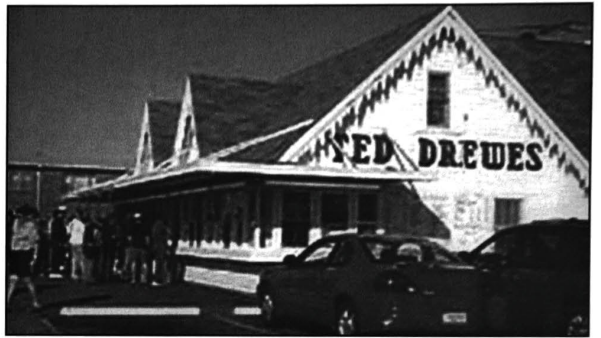
The class of 1988 - 20th reunion

David Jolley, Coordinator of Alumni Activities for Dental Alumni, and his Administrative Assistant, Janelle, can be very helpful with getting you started with your reunion by providing information regarding dates, hotels, restaurants, maps, letter writing and address labels for your class. They are a wonderful resource for Dental Alumni and will be happy to help in any way that they can. Janelle can be reached at 314-935-5419.

Do You Remember ...



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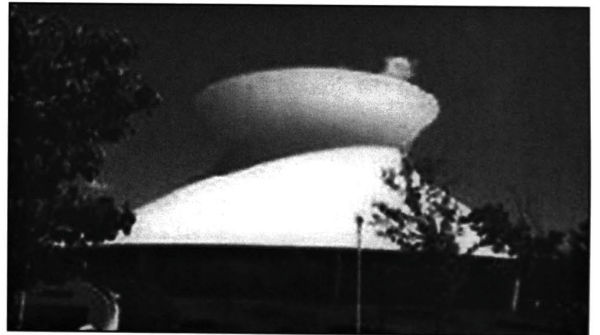
Art Hill



The Riverfront



Stan the Man



The Planetarium



Float Trips



The Address? ... 4559 Scott Avenue

Alumni and Development Update

from David Jolley - Alumni Liaison with Main Campus

Gifts from alumni and friends supporting the Harriett Steuernagel Library Fund continue to come in to the Medical School Library. The following chart illustrates the gift totals:

Fiscal Year	Fund Market Value	Available \$ to spend
2003 (2003-04)	\$1,178,253	\$137,708
2004 (2004-05)	\$1,337,002	\$169,332
2005 (2005-06)	\$1,459,736	\$204,261
2006 (2006-07)	\$1,571,109	\$236,418
2007 (2007-08)	\$1,831,917	\$250,001

(Funds are used to pay for journal renewal subscriptions, individual purchases of dental titles and electronic journals and OVID licenses. Additional money, not spent during a fiscal year is plowed back into the endowment)

On-line access to the Bernard Becker Medical School Library:

Access to the Bernard Becker Medical School Library on-line collection is available through: becker.wustl.edu. You can view all electronic resources as well as recommend new purchases.

The Library continues to add dental journals to their on-line collection of general medical and dental resources. ILLiad, the on-line collection access is available to all alumni and dental practitioners at no charge (fee for service paid by Steuernagel Library Fund). See the dental website for on-line access information:

<http://aisweb.wustl.edu/alumni/dentalschool.nsf>

The 2008 Earl Shepard Memorial Lecture is scheduled for April 16, 2008 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Eric P. Newman Educational Center. See last page of newsletter for lecture information.

The heirs of Dr. and Mrs. Earl Shepard endowed the Department of Otolaryngology at WUSM with a fund to endow a lectureship series. In 1994, a sum of \$50,000 was used to establish the endowment. The following chart illustrates the funds \$ history:

Nov. 5, 1993, the Dental School Alumni Association Executive Committee suggested the total estate funds be disbursed in the following manner:

\$50K to establish the Shepard Memorial Lecture Series

\$56,465 to benefit the Steuernagel Library Fund

\$10K to the Memorabilia Display

Fiscal Year	Fund Market Value	Available \$ to spend
2003 (2003-04)	\$ 81,013	\$4,011
2004 (2004-05)	\$ 90,275	\$6,313
2005 (2005-06)	\$ 97,322	\$7,371
2006 (2006-07)	\$103,091	\$5,716
2007 (2007-08)	\$119,011	\$5,035

The WU School of Dental Medicine memorabilia display is available for viewing at the former school location on Scott Avenue. The display is located in the newly refurbished building that now houses the departments of neurology, psychology, internal medicine, and pathology. The plaques of the former deans as well as text on the history of the School are on display.

A dental School Alumni Association web page is available and up to date. Access is through a full address: <http://aisweb.wustl.edu/alumni/dentalschool.nsf>. You can access the WU homepage once you get into this dental alumni page.

Information about the Dental School Alumni Association, upcoming alumni events, access to the Medical School Library on-line collections as well as reunion information and registration, is available from the website.

DE faculty, alumni and friends (Harold Schreiber – organizer) continue to meet for lunch at Whittemore House the 4th Thursday in each month.

The Missouri/Illinois study club, a group of former Dental School faculty members, meets monthly for 2 hour continuing education seminars on the second Wednesday at noon at the Branica Restaurant (10411 Clayton Rd.). Guests are welcome. For further information, contact Dr. Arnie Jacobson or Dr. Mario Conte.

Alumni News

Mario Conte '79, has been appointed Director and Chair of Dental Technologies of the St. Louis Community Colleges.

Ron Pflueger '58, was the recipient of the Greater St. Louis Dental Society Award of Merit for 2007. This award is presented to an individual who has enhanced the social and economic welfare of the St. Louis area in an extraordinary way.

An All-Star Dental Mission to the Dominican Republic was arranged to bring dental care to over 800 children in the la Romana Orphanage. Albert & Deidre Pujols of the Pujols Family Foundation and the

St. Louis Cardinals organized and traveled to the Dominican with Washington University Dental Alums **Mike Noble '84**, **Cynthia Nouri '87**, **Richard Snitzer '87** and **Homer Sedighi '87**, who helped to provide the greatly needed and appreciated care.

Arthur Misischia '78, was awarded a Certificate of Recognition for Volunteer Service in Foreign Country by the ADA Committee on International Programs.

Ronald Burt '56 and **John Durham '56** received a Certificate of Appreciation and were recognized by the Missouri Dental Board for 50 years of service to the dental profession.

Dr. Doug Ross '63 of Farmington, MO and his "First Dental Visit Program" were acknowledged with the first Dr. Roger Parrott Award for Child Advocacy, presented by the Missouri Academy of Pediatric Dentistry. This Award is named for **Roger Parrott '53**, who was a pediatric dental pillar in the St. Louis dental community and held many leadership positions on the state level.

Kurt Studt '66 was promoted Clinical Professor of Applied Dental Medicine/Radiology at Southern Illinois University Dental School.

Henry "Bud" Evans '76, of Chewelah, Washington received the pres-

tigious Mastership Award during the Academy of General Dentistry's (AGD) largest Convocation ceremony on the USS Midway in San Diego Harbor on July 19, 2007. The Mastership Award is the highest honor available in the AGD and one of the most respected designations in the profession. Bud is currently a member of the American Dental Association, the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry, the World Congress of Minimally Invasive Dentistry, the Inland Empire Periodontal Study Club, the Frank Spear Study Club, the World Clinical Laser Institute, and the Spokane Pankey Institute Study Club.

Alumni Deaths

Paul K. Cropper '58	1/06	Richard Citron '78	4/07
James D. Swenson '58	1/06	Earle E. Recklein '33	4/07
Edgar N. Davison '54	4/06	T. M. Graber '40	6/07
Albert H. Stevens '56	2006	E. Franklin Williams '50	7/07
Troy A. Gray '45	12/06	Louis C. Merrill '52	8/07
Howard H. Marx '47	12/06	L. William Ehrett '58	8/07
Larry R. Hine '62	1/07	J. Brian O'Loughlin '63	9/07
Hiroshi Kanegawa '47	1/07	S. Duane Waggoner '52	9/07
Wilson M. Baltz '42	1/07	Kenneth C. Marshall '40	10/07
Edward Shadid '54	1/07	Homer A. Brethauer '29	10/07
Paul F. Niedner '69	2/07	George Krugman '37	11/07
Yong Park '81	3/07	William H. Steelman '34	
Richard B. Prentice '62	3/07		

Washington University Dental Alumni Reception at the 2008 ADA Annual Session San Antonio, TX - October 15th - 21st

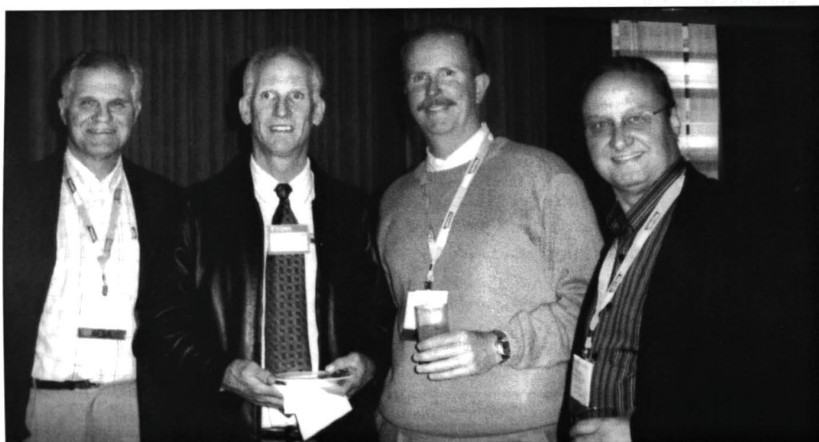
The Washington University Dental Alumni Association (WUDAA) hosts a reception annually in conjunction with the national ADA meeting. However, at press time of

this newsletter, the actual date, time and location had not been confirmed by the ADA.

This event is open to All WUSDM alumni and

their guest. Funding of this event is made possible by our annual Alumni membership dues. If you have not done so already, please join your Alumni Association.

When finalized, the details about our reception will be posted on the WUDAA website at: www.WUDAA.com



Both photos include attendees at the WUDAA reception at the ADA meeting in San Francisco, September 2007.

Alumnus of the Year Nominations

The Nominating Committee for the Washington University School of Dental Medicine Alumnus of the Year Award would welcome your suggestions for future possible recipients. This Award recognizes an alumnus who has shown extraordinary lifetime professional achievement in the areas of dental educa-

tion, dental research, or community service at a local, state, national or international level. This award is to honor a dentist who has exemplified the leadership and mentorship that reflects greatly on the dental profession and Washington University School of Dental Medicine.

The primary duty of the Nominating Committee is to survey and select a candidate for this award and present said recommendation to the Executive Committee at the Spring Board Meeting. Every effort will be made to protect the integrity of this Award. A Curriculum Vitae for each candidate will be utilized in the selection

process.

If there is an alumnus you would like to place in nomination for the Award, you may submit the name of your nominee with the form below to: **Zora Hanko, Secretary/Treasurer, WUDAA 12420 Robyn, St. Louis, MO 63127, (314) 849-3973, zorahanko@cs.com**

Distinguished Alumnus Award

Application for Nomination

I hereby nominate: _____
Nominee's Name

to be honored with the Distinguished Alumnus Award, presented by our Washington University Dental Alumnus Association to a member for his/her outstanding service to his/her profession and the community.

Nominated and submitted by _____
Nominator's Name

Nominator's Signature

Date

Reasons for Nomination (Short Resume – Typed and attached to this form). Deadline May 31st.

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Don't Miss the Greater St. Louis Dental Society's 67th Annual Mid-Continent Dental Congress *Pride of St. Louis Dentistry* September 18-20, 2008

St. Charles Convention Center and St. Charles Embassy Suites

Thursday, September 18, 2008

SPEAKERS

Robert Blackwell, DDS

Charles Cobb, DDS, PhD

Udell Webb, DDS

Terrence Donovan, DMD

Joseph Blaes, DDS

TOPICS

Current Concepts for the Treatment Planning
and Restoration of Dental Implants

Lasers and Periodontics: Hype and Facts

Gain Control of UCR and
Insurance for Huge Profit

Update on Esthetic Restorative Dentistry

Pearls For Your Practice

Friday, September 19, 2008

SPEAKERS

Nancy Friedman - The Telephone Doctor

Petra von Heimburg, DDS, JD

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TOPICS

Customer Service

The Pain of a Malpractice Suit

Buying and Selling a Dental Practice

The Clinical Management of
Temporomandibular Disorders

Esthetic Dentistry

Esthetic Provisionals Workshop (repeated)

Saturday, September 20, 2008

SPEAKERS

Robert Blackwell, DDS



Robert Margeas, DDS

TOPICS

Dental Implants Workshop

Esthetic Workshop

For more information, please call the Greater St. Louis Dental Society, 314-569-0444 or visit the website at www.gslsds.org



Shepard Lecture

Wilma and Earl Shepard Dental/Otolaryngology Memorial Lecture Series

Speaker - Joseph J. Zambon, DDS, PhD
Professor of Periodontology/Oral Biology
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
University at Buffalo
School of Dental Medicine, Buffalo, NY

Subject - "The Oral-Systemic Connection:
Separating Science Fact from Science Fiction"

Wednesday, April 16, 2008
9:00 am - 11:00 am

Eric P. Newman Education Center
At the Washington University Medical Center
320 South Euclid Avenue
Saint Louis, MO

2008 Meeting Schedule

School of Dental Medicine Alumni Reunion Weekend

Friday, September 19, 2008
Alumni Reception At The Alumni House
Washington University Main Campus
5:30 - 7:00 pm*

Saturday, September 20, 2008
Continuing Education Program*
Alumni Business Meeting & Luncheon

Saturday, September 20, 2008
Alumni Reunion Gala
Presentation of Distinguished Alumnus Award*

See www.WUDAA.com for times and locations

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