

Short Communication-2 : Role of Bangladesh Orthodontic Society in World President Orthodontic Summit Meeting in Taipei, December 2010



TAO President Dr. Hornng close the meeting, after which a photo session was conducted by the host's official photographer.

Partial Minutes of the 2010 Orthodontic Presidents Summit Meeting is here by published for the kind attention of BOS members.

December 11, 2010
11:30 AM - 14:30PM Ambassador III
Taipei World Trade Center
Taipei, Taiwan, R.O.C.

Theme: Challenge, Opportunity, Cooperation---We are family

Sponsored by the Taiwan Association of Orthodontists
Prof. Dr. Md. Zakir Hossain
Prof. Dr. Md. Emadul Haq

1.0 Call to Order and Welcome Address

TAO President Dr. Ching-huei, Hornng call the meeting to order at exactly 11:30 AM and welcome and thank all in attendance. He expressed his sincere appreciation for the great supports from all the friends from the APOS and WFO affiliated organizations to share the scientific knowledge, technology, clinical skills and friendship with each other as well as the exchange of ideas and thoughts of the common orthodontic issues in the International Orthodontic world.

1.1 Self Introduction of all the attendees

Forty Orthodontic Presidents, President-elect, Vice Presidents, WFO ECs and APOS ECs, distinguished guests and TAO officers made self introduction and gave words to enhance the mutual understanding among the attendees.

1.2 WFO Secretary General Dr. William H. DeKock address

WFO Secretary General Dr. William H. DeKock made address to all the attendees and sincerely expressed the following ideas:

I really want more than anything to respond to things in this agenda rather than to give information from WFO down. It is much better when it comes up basically. It means the needs that you have, the questions that you have, the concerns that you have than anything that I really have to say other than. The new executive committee is in operation and we have two important things that happened on December 31st this year. You will get the RFD that I mentioned this morning that will go to every all 108 Presidents with respect to the 9th IOC to be held in 2020. Everybody is eligible to consider participating or sponser that conference. You get a year to talk various conference organizers and there are all kinds of possible scenarios where a group or more than one group and sponser an International orthodontic conference.

The second thing that you will receive is a RFD on the electronic journal for the WFO. This will be sent to as many publishing companies as we are aware and interested worldwide. But we are not coming to touch the service in terms of a company that you may know in your area or have reference to in your area and so you as Presidents and all 108 Presidents will get that RFD as well

for distribution to a publishing company that you think might be qualify to propose the journal for the WFO to use. We have all kinds of possibilities in terms of local languages, utilization of advertising within the electronic journal because RFD pay for some way. Because the goal is that goes with the every fellow without them to pay the additional money beyond the 40 USD they currently pay. Now maybe that will work, maybe that won't work we don't know. But these companies will be willing to do in terms of reach that where they can reach and how they can utilize creating ideas and advertising within the electronic journal and test perform professional way in this electronic journal.

So those are the two main new things that are going come up with next two weeks and we of course want you to response.

Again, I congratulate everyone from the Taiwan Association of Orthodontists to organize this and to bring us together so we can voice our concerns. We may not have all the solutions but base the more open we get with our problems then we may have the ways to solve some of the problems or someone may have the idea to solve the problem.

Thank you.

AAO President Dr. Lee Graber address

AAO President Dr. Graber made address with the slide presentation to all the attendee and sincerely expressed the following ideas and thoughts:

Dr. Graber expressed the very happy feeling to meet all the Presidents, friends here and informed all of us that it is like the family gathering. He informed the audience that we all heard the great presentation by Dr. DeKock in this morning's 2nd WIOC opening ceremony and Dr. DeKock introduced the history of the WFO way back to the 1900 and then started to organize the WFO at San Francisco in the 1995. Dr. Graber thanked that very much and also indicated that Dr. DeKock is really the key person to contribute to the International Orthodontic World and also to bring the feeling back in this morning's presentation.

Dr. Graber expressed the sincere thanks to the Taiwan Association of Orthodontists because of the hard work of the TAO to give all of us such a good opportunity to meet together to share our ideas and thoughts.

Dr. Graber thanked TAO President Dr. Horng and TAO International Development Committee Chairman Dr. Yen to organize such a good program and meeting to all Drs., friends

and Presidents to share the advanced scientific knowledge and information with each other.

Dr Graber then used his notebook computer to make the power point presentation and said to the audience that the Theme of this meeting was "Challenge, Opportunity, Cooperation--- We are family" . He said to us that the AAO concept is very parallel to the WFO and that it is one world, there are no boundaries. We share our thoughts together, we share our needs together.

Dr. Graber than introduced the AAO Board of Trustee to all the Orthodontic Presidents and guests and mentioned to us that he represented all the AAO Board of Trustees to share the common concepts and thoughts with all the Presidents and guests here. Dr. Graber mentioned that we are one Board and we have the perspective of concept that how an Orthodontic Association should be set up.

The Orthodontic Association should be set up to be a strong national organization.

Some orthodontists just misunderstood the purpose of the formation of the WFO ; for example, some orthodontists just thought that the purpose of the WFO formation is just want to be the biggest Orthodontic Association. Dr. Graber pointed out to us that concept is just wrong. If by doing the way to form the strong national organization then each one member of the Association will be proud of being in this Association.

The concept of sharing.

The American Association of Orthodontists keep the idea/concept of mutual support to each other. The AAO could support other Orthodontic Association by sharing many experiences, for example to share the AAO Bylaws with other Associations.

AAO contributions to orthodontic world

AAO is a strong national organization and very willing to help other orthodontists, help our colleagues, help other associations in the orthodontic world. How AAO help other orthodontists? How AAO help other orthodontic associations? AAO help the members of the WFO.

AAO always help WFO extensively and we all know that the WFO membership fee is really an enexpensive one. The AAO help the WFO to develop the student membership category in the last 5 years. It is very important that not only to have education in the graduate school program in your own country; it should also encourage all the graduate students to apply to the WFO student membership. By doing that way, the graduate students should firstly enrolled by your home. Association's membership firstly; then can apply to the WFO student membership. The good thing is that there will be no meeting charge. So the students can low down the cost and also share other expenses together and to enhance the knowledge and encourage the mutual understanding among all the young orthodontists in their early professional career.



BOS representative Prof Dr. Zakir Hossain expressed views on behalf of BOS to world leaders of orthodontists for improvement Orthodontic education in Bangladesh to the prominent WFO and APOS leaders including DR. Dekock, Dr. Grabber, Dr. Loh Kai Who, Dr. K. Tanne, Dr. Hornig and many other on the Dias.

AAO President Dr. Graber sincerely welcome and invite all the Orthodontic Presidents and all the members of different Orthodontic Associations to attend the AAO meeting at my home city Chicago, USA.

Dr. Graber sincerely promised that he will help all the Presidents to supply all the necessary information to all the attendees, orthodontists from different countries.

Dr. Graber then broadcast the brief video movie to all the attendees to show to all the guests of different varieties of the beautiful city Chicago.

AAO welcome all the friends and Drs. to attend the annual meeting at Chicago by different mode of management in this year's AAO annual meeting.

This year's AAO meeting will supply many information for family activities, different attractions for all the children and there are so many opportunities.

The red carpet is ready for all of our guests.

In summary:

We are one world orthodontists and we share our needs together, we share our ideas and thoughts together. We have the concept of mutual supports and we support the WFO, we support our colleagues, we support all of our friends. It is great opportunity and privilege to make all of us together and it always so happy to see so many friends here and it makes me smile.

Thank you for all of your kind attention!

2.0 Roll Call and Determination of Quorum

Substitute Presidents:

Japanese Orthodontic Society (JOS):

Professor Dr. Keiji Moriyama represent the President Professor Dr. Shigemi Goto.

Bangladesh Orthodontic Society (BOS):

Dr. Md. Zakir Hossain represent the President Professor Dr. Mohammad Emadul Haq

Japanese Association of Adult Orthodontics (JAAO):

Dr. Takehiko Daisaku represent the President Dr. Motohiko Sato

Absent:

Australian Society of Orthodontists (ASO): President Dr. Mike Razza

Orthodontic and Dentofacial Orthopedic Association of Nepal, President Dr. Praveen Mishra

Korean Association of Orthodontists, Immediate Past President Dr. Sang-Cheol Kim

TAO Advisor: Dr. Ming-jeaun Su

TAO Scientific Committee Chairman:

Dr. Eric Liou

Present:

Thirty seven Orthodontic Presidents, President-elect, Vice Presidents, WFO ECs and APOS ECMs and distinguished guests. They are:-

World Federation of Orthodontists, Secretary General Dr. William H. DeKock

American Association of Orthodontists, President Dr. Lee Graber

Asia Pacific Orthodontic Society, President

Dr. Kai-Woh Loh Asia Pacific Orthodontic Society, Vice President Dr. Kazuo Tanne

APOS Secretary General, (ThaAO) Dr. Tanan Jaruprakorn

WFO E. C. Asia and Thai Association of Orthodontists, President Dr. Somchai Satravaha
WFO, E.C. Asia and Japanese Orthodontic Society, Director Dr. Keiji Moriyama

WFO E.C. Oceania, Indonesian Association of Orthodontists Dr. Halim Himawan

Association of Orthodontists Singapore (AOS), President Dr. Vicpearly Wong

Association of Philippine Orthodontists (APO), President Dr. Jose Manuel R. Rivera

Association of Philippine Orthodontists (APO), President-elect Dr. Roberto B. Tan

Bangladesh Orthodontic Society (BOS), Secretary General Dr. Zakir Hossain

Indian Orthodontic Society (IOS), President Dr. Girish Karandikar

Indian Orthodontic Society, Immediate Past President Dr. Om P. Kharbanda

Indonesian Association of Orthodontists (IAO), President. Dr. Eky S. Soeria Soemantri
Korean Association of Orthodontists(KAO), President Dr. Young-Guk Park
Malaysian

Association of Orthodontists(MAO), President Dr. Shalene Kereshanan Malaysian

Association of Orthodontists, Chairman, 2014 APOC Dr. Noraini Binti Hj. Alwi New Zealand

Association of Orthodontists(NZAO), President Dr. Peter Fowler

Pakistan Association of Orthodontists(PAO), President Dr. Sheraz Burki

Pakistan Association of Orthodontists, Immediate Past President Dr. Amjad Mahmood

Pakistan Association of Orthodontists, APOS ECM, Dr. Fida Mubassar

Saudi Arabia Orthodontic Society (SAOS) Dr. Mohammed T. Bukhary

Taiwan Association of Orthodontists(TAO), President Dr. Ching-Huei, Horng

Taiwan Association of Orthodontists, Vice President Dr. Hsu Wei-Yung

Taiwan Association of Orthodontists, Vice President Dr. Johnny J-L Liaw
World Implant Orthodontic Association(WIOA), President Dr. Y.C. Park

Japanese Association of Orthodontists(JAO), President Dr. Tateshi Hiraki

Thai Association of Orthodontists, President-elect Dr. Chairat Charoemratrote

Association of Orthodontists Singapore, Treasurer Dr. Chng Chai Kiat

Japanese Association of Adult Orthodontics Dr. Takehiko Daisaku

TAO Charter President Dr. Hsiao-Dsung Fay
TAO International Development Committee Chairman, (TAO) Dr. Yeong-charng Yen
TAO Advisor Dr. Chih-Peng Su
TAO Advisor and Immediate Past President Dr. Chia-tze Kao
TAO Members Benefits Committee Chairman Dr. John Kuan-Fa Chang
TAO Deputy Secretary General Dr. Mark Hen-ming Chang
TAO Secretariat Ms. Wei-jun Chen
Orthodontic President Summit Meeting Minutes Preparation Dr. Yeong-charng Yen

3.0 Agenda

3.1 Proposal from Bangladesh Orthodontic Society(BOS)

Orthodontics in Bangladesh is very developing stage; we are under tremendous pressure to produce qualified Orthodontists to meet the demand of densely populated country. We are lacking

adequate number of teaching expertise. Fellow member organization may come forward to deliver lectures or conducting Hands on technique in contemporary Orthodontic techniques (eg;Use of Implant in Orthodontics) in Bangladesh. Complimentary Journals /periodicals may be exchanged among the member countries.

Proposer:

Dr. Md. Zakir Hossain, BDS,PhD Professor and Head Dept. of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics

Secretary General,
Bangladesh Orthodontic Society (BOS)

EC Member APOS

Dhaka Dental College and Hospital
Bangladesh

Professor Dr. Md. Zakir Hossain made the background explana

tion firstly and expressed the happiness to be here with all the friends from other countries.

IOS Professor Dr. Kharbanda expressed the idea that to solve these two proposals should not only consider the moment/temporary situation solution but also of the continuity and so it needs the assistances from the strong leadership of the Associations such as the AAO and also from the big publishing companies to support the journals include those of the back issues.

To take care of a large population with a small number of orthodontists, APOS President Dr. Loh expressed the following ideas:

The statistics in Bangladesh shows that there is a population of around 166 millions; however, the number of well trained Orthodontists are around 40 (+/-). The ratio of population to orthodontist is about 4 million to one. The load of orthodontist is definitely very heavily. The system in Singapore to solve the same kind of problem by "general dentist part time training in the University". For example: the graduate diploma in dental implants, it may also be the graduate diploma in Orthodontics. This kind of part time training of 3 years can lead the general dentist to treat the orthodontic patients with simple orthodontic problems.

APOS issue the free journal, the APOS E-journal. All the APOS fellows do not need to pay to read this journal.

AAO President Dr. Graber shared all the thoughts, ideas concerned with these two proposals to all the Presidents and guests:

We share the thoughts by way of history. It is a good discussion time. Not only the Bangladesh in shortage of teachers; In AAO history we also had the problems of shortage of teachers, not enough people in subject areas: Surgical Orthodontics, Ortho-Periodontics, Growth and Development. AAO organized a committee led by Dean, Ohio Dental School Dr. Henry? and Chairman Dr. Bill Proffit of the North Carolina University. Initially there were 10 Orthodontic Departments jointed this electronic seminars sessions. The way is by recording of the subject of the Professor in all the seminars in the whole semester session in a digital format. Then the school in need of this kind of information can get the needed information by way of AAO library information and share the education asset. The student can have the opportunity to communicate with the Professor by way of Skype or other online method. This give the graduate students the best education possible. Please remember what I have shown in the slide presentation: no boundaries.

Journal

The AJODO is completely digital and it is online. As Dr. DeKock mentioned in this morning, the WFO issued the WJO in the way of digital format and to make it cost down. By doing this way, we still can communicate freely and share all the information. The traditional journal is very expensive. Professor Dr. Hossain expressed the sincere thanks for all of the inputs and kind assistances from all the friends in this orthodontic family.



BOS Secretary General Dr. Zakir with President APOS, Dr Loh Kai Woh, Vice president, Dr. Kazuo Tanne & APOS Secretary General, Dr. Tanan during World Orthodontic President Summit meeting at Taipei, Taiwan in December 2010.



Dr. Zakir with WFO Secretary General Dr. William H Dekock during World Orthodontic President Summit meeting at Taipei, Taiwan in December 2010