

The Academy of General Dentistry (AGD) is proud to present the AGD 2019 Leadership Development Symposium (LDS) held on April 12-13 at the Holiday Inn Mart Plaza River North Hotel in Chicago.

The symposium, hosted by the Regional Directors, is a complimentary day and one-half symposium hosted by the Regional Directors, comprised of AGDs very own experienced, effective, and motivating member-leader speakers and keynotes who will share leadership trends, tools and resources for current and emerging AGD volunteer leaders.

It will offers a keynote speaker and up to three leadership topics per day. The goal of this unique opportunity is to inspire leaders by offering ***expert training*** on the true meaning of leadership, identifying your strengths and understanding techniques to build your confidence as you **“Lead from the Inside Out”**.

*All attendees will receive* ***7.45 hours******of CE*** *in Self Improvement for attending the Leadership Development Symposium.*

**Program Schedule\***

**Friday, April 12, 2019**

7:00 am – Networking Breakfast

8:00 am – Welcome and Opening Remarks

* Neil Gajjar, DDS, MAGD, AGD President

8:30 am – Keynote Address

* “Effective Leadership - How to Lead”

Bruce Burton, DMD, MAGD, ABGD, AGD Past President and STAR Facilitator

9:30 am – Morning Break

9:45 am – **Track A**: “Grassroots Advocacy and Collaborative Opportunities”

* Rocky Napier, DMD, Legislative & Governmental Affairs Council Chair

 **Track B**: “Growing from Within”

* Sanjay Uppal, DDS, FAGD, Regions 15/16 Trustee

**Track C**: “CE’s for Growth”

* David Halpern, DMD, FAGD, AGD Past President and STAR Facilitator

11:50 am – Networking Lunch and Learn presented by Colgate

* Max Moses, JD, CPA, MBA, AGD Executive Director
* Burkhard Selent, MSc, PhD, Colgate Dental Science Liaison

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1:30 pm – **Track A**: “Grassroots Advocacy and Collaborative Opportunities”

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2:30 pm – Afternoon Break

2:40 pm – **Track A**: “Continuing Education Meeting Development”

* Ms. Julie Berger, Executive Director, Region 10

 **Track B**: “Engagement Strategies for Staff and Volunteers”

* Ms. Francine Johannesen, Executive Director, Region 18

**Track C**: “Membership Recruitment and Retention”

* Mai-Ly Duong, DMD, FAGD, AZAGD President Elect and

 New Dentist Committee Chair

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3:50 pm - **Track A**: “Continuing Education Meeting Development”

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5:30 pm - 8:00 pm – **LDS Networking Reception @ AGD Headquarters**

**Saturday, April 13, 2019**

7:00 am – Networking Breakfast

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8:30 am – **Track A**: “Continuing Education Meeting Development”

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9:30 am – Wrap-Up: “Work, Play, and Learn”

* Bruce DeGinder, DDS, MAGD, AGD Past President and STAR Facilitator

10:15 am – Closing Remarks

* Connie White, DDS, FAGD, AGD President Elect

***\*Please Note: Schedule is subject to change\****

For more information about the meeting, please contact your Regional Director or Constituent Services at *constituentservices@agd.org*.

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