

Dr. Alton W. Moore Honors Us and is Honored at the 20th Anniversary Lectureship

The Alton W. Moore Lectureship marked a milestone last year as past, present and future came together to celebrate 20 years of superb presentations. The Four Seasons Olympic Hotel set the stage as students presented their quality research to colleagues and family. Then, Drs. Alton W. Moore, Peter Shapiro, and Donald Joondeph took the stage, presenting "Reminiscence and Reflections," an outstanding verbal compilation of Department history and contributions throughout the past 50 years.

The program was further enhanced by a special presentation from Dr. Shapiro. He announced that an initial fundraising goal of \$1.5 million has been realized and that the Moore/Riedel Endowed Chair for the Department of Orthodontics at the University of Washington is underway. This endowment represents concerted effort on the part of Dr. Shapiro, as well as incredibly generous donations from UW Orthodontic alumni and community.

In celebration of graduation and the endowment, the annual Chairman's Reception included faculty, graduate families and a special tribute to Drs. Moore and Riedel by Dean Paul Robertson and Peter Shapiro.

The lectureship was professionally videotaped and tapes are available for purchase (see page 8).



Peter & Gail Shapiro and Myrna & Alton Moore join Dean Paul & Mart Robertson at the Chairman's Reception to celebrate the establishment of the Moore/Riedel Endowed Chair

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A Day of Celebration for Students & Alumni...



Perfect day for one big photo-op!

Front row l-r: Marcia Younger ('00), Jennifer Ashmore ('00), Elizabeth Lyons ('00), Steve Noxon ('00), Dr. Alton Moore, Cory Liss ('00), Jorge Castillo ('00), Donald Joondeph. Second Row l-r: Geoff Greenley ('00), Derek Damon, ('01), Burleigh Surbeck ('01), Nick Salome ('01), Heidi Horwitz ('01), Peter Shapiro, Greg King



Celebrate good times! Dave Rice ('69), Nick Johnson ('70), Mimi Rice, Ward Damon ('75), Barb Elder, and Cris Damon party on at the Chairman's Reception held at the Seattle Yacht Club.



Bruce ('72) and Julie Molen, and Farrell Hinkle ('73) share the celebration.

Mark your calendars and note the date change for the next Alton Moore Lectureship, November 2, 2001. The lectureship will feature Dr. Harold Slavkin, Dean of the USC School of Dentistry and former director of the National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research. This is the agency in the National Institute of Health responsible for funding dental research. He is known worldwide for his research on genetics and development of the craniofacial complex.



Ellen Williams, Bruce Hawley ('77), Judi and Charlie ('83) Gilmore, and Bryan Williams ('79) get together at the Chairman's Reception.

Message from UW Department Chairman Greg King

Recently, organized orthodontics has begun to focus on something that those of us in full-time academics have been seeing coming for quite some time: there is a serious shortage of qualified clinicians available for academic positions. Currently there are 21 vacant full and part-time budgeted positions for orthodontists in US dental schools. Also, there does not seem to be any trend suggesting a dramatic turnaround in the next decade. In fact, the problem will likely worsen as our current academic leaders begin to retire and young orthodontists continue to find private practice more attractive than careers in academics. It doesn't take a crystal ball to see what will happen if such a situation persists for very long: declining quality of teaching in our graduate programs, less qualified graduates, slowing of the progress of new orthodontic knowledge, closure of some graduate programs, ultimately a reduction in the stature for the specialty.

What are we doing to make sure that the UW remains a worldwide leader in orthodontics? It is critical that we begin to think "outside the box," and take advantage of all opportunities that are present. It is clear to me that the UW derives its excellent reputation in orthodontics from the stature of its faculty. Everybody in orthodontics knows the names Joondeph, Kokich, Little, Turpin, Herring, Shapiro and associates these names with UW Ortho. What happens when these individuals begin to reduce their activity, as some already have? For the near term, I'm optimistic about the UW. We currently have no open positions and we have been able to recruit and maintain an excellent group of young faculty. Doug Ramsay recently completed a federally-funded research career development award and will assume a leadership role in the Department's clinical research and teaching. Anne-Marie Bollen now holds one of the NIH-funded fellowships designed to create mentors for clinical academicians. Greg Huang will be completing his MPH in Epidemiology in June and will commence his academic career. Greg is a board certified UW Ortho graduate who has been in practice for several years. He is also a recipient of an AAOF faculty award. This is a wonderful new program that the AAOF has started to encourage young orthodontic faculty members by providing salary supplements. This is just one example of how your donations to the AAOF have benefited our department. Tsun Ma is another bright spot. As an orthodontist/prosthodontist, he has provided us with important new opportunities to cross traditional departmental lines. Tsun has been quite successful with several undergraduate teaching responsibilities, including

the main didactic course in orthodontics and supervision of undergraduates in minor orthodontic treatments in their general clinic. Tsun has twice been recognized by the dental students with outstanding teaching awards. He was also recently promoted to Associate Professor with tenure and is working with the graduate students on their multidisciplinary adult patients.

Our prospects for faculty recruitment in the more distant future are a little less sure. In the coming years, the Moore-Reidel Chair will mature. This will give us the opportunity to further strengthen our faculty. However, this recruitment may be challenging in the light of the rapidly declining availability of academicians. We may have some opportunities for "growing" new faculty as several of our recent graduates have remained in the Northwest and seem to be seriously considering academic careers. Ravi Sawhney and Nan Hatch are working on their Ph.D's. Geoff Greenlee is taking a fellowship with the Craniofacial Center at Children's Hospital and Tammy Justus has accepted a full-time faculty position in the Orthodontics Department at Oregon.

What do we need to do to remain viable in recruiting young faculty in the future? By far, the most important element will be to have competitive salaries. This will be an important issue for the new Dean of the School of Dentistry to address. In the past, some of our clinical faculty members have found the option to practice half-time to be very attractive and we intend to continue that where appropriate. We also need to continue to provide a nurturing environment where young academicians can get mentoring and have research opportunities available to them. Few dental schools in the country can compare with UW in this dimension. The recent funding of the Comprehensive Center for Oral Health Research at UW with a focus on children will be extremely important in this regard. Other potential opportunities include another center on oral health disparities in children and a university-wide curriculum initiative aimed at cross-training health care workers in children's oral health. Reducing the debt load of recent graduates will also be important. We are currently negotiating with the hospital to provide stipends to all dental specialty students and will continue to take advantage of federally funded fellowship programs whenever appropriate for our students.

Aristotle once wrote, "We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence then, is not an act, but a habit." We've had the habit of excellence here for a long time. Despite these challenges, I don't expect it to change.

Message from the UWOAA President Bruce Hawley

Recently one of our alumni visiting Seattle remarked on how tremendously respected the University of Washington Orthodontic Department is throughout the orthodontic world. Mention of our program typically brings instant recognition, credibility and respect from fellow dental and orthodontic colleagues. We are proud that the University of Washington Orthodontic Alumni Association helps to support and maintain the preeminence of our Department in this era.

Undoubtedly, the most momentous show of support from our alumni towards the Department has been the establishment of the Moore/Riedel Endowed Chair in Orthodontics, for which we have already reached our minimum pledge amount of \$1.5 million. We salute and acknowledge Peter Shapiro, whose leadership and direction were the key factors in bringing this vision to reality. We anticipate that as pledge monies are donated to the University within the next five years, the first appointment to the Chair will be made. As you know, we contributed \$250,000 from the UWOAA Endowment fund in order to receive an equivalent sum from the State of Washington as initial seed money towards the Moore/Riedel Chair. I am pleased to relate to you that with your continuing donations to the UWOAA Endowment Fund, we have recently re-established the \$500,000 minimal amount desired several years ago for our organization. Your ongoing donations to this Fund will allow us to continue to support Departmental research and projects, while still maintaining the principal balance of our basic Endowment Fund. Thanks to all who have donated and pledged to BOTH entities!

Those of you who were in attendance at the Moore Lectureship this past June will agree that the level of Department research from our graduate residents continues to be exceptional. Don Joondeph and Peter Shapiro helped facilitate a reminiscence of the early years of our Department by Dr. Moore, our featured speaker. Anticipating that this particular lectureship would have historical significance, the Board of Directors arranged to professionally videotape Dr. Moore's

lecture. A video cassette is newly available for purchase (please see the order form in this newsletter).

Our next major function is the quadrennial Reunion, coming up in July, 2001. This time the event will take place at a new venue, the Seattle Sheraton. The Sheraton is a first-class facility which offers wonderful room accommodations and is a superb meeting site right in the heart of downtown Seattle. Stan Hall will once again be organizing another outstanding program, working with Reunion Chairman and President-elect Tim Shields. In addition, we have restructured the format of the meeting somewhat to easily accommodate plenty of fun and get-togethers, as you will see in the accompanying registration materials.

Our Board is currently in the process of revising and updating the Association bylaws. We anticipate voting at the Reunion business meeting on at least three open Board positions. The Board would welcome any suggestions you might submit for alumni candidates to fill these vacancies. Please feel free to let any Board member or our Executive Director, Joni Marts, know of your nomination suggestions.

I want to acknowledge the loyalty and dedication of each of our Board members, who have been instrumental in maintaining the strength of our Association. It has been my pleasure to work with such an outstanding group of individuals. In particular, the contributions of Doug Cameron, Ward Damon and Bruce Molen should be recognized. They have served unflinchingly for many years and will be sorely missed as they complete their Board tenure. I know the upcoming leadership of Tim Shields as President and Charlie Gilmore as President-elect will ensure the continued strength of our organization.

I look forward to seeing you at our annual AAO Meeting reception in Toronto in May 2001, and then in Seattle for the Reunion in July. Best wishes for a prosperous New Year!

Miscellaneous...

Dues Increase? Our Treasurer Explains...

Thank you to all alumni who support the UWOAA through payment of annual dues. In the past several years, some 200+ members have paid dues. While this number does not represent 100% participation, the Association continues to use dues as operating expenses. These expenses include salary for our Executive Director, Joni Marts, annual alumni receptions at the AAO meetings, mailings (including this newsletter), expenses for the Alton Moore lectureship, graduation activities and other operating costs.

Your contribution monies, on the other hand, are held separately in the UWOAA Endowment Fund. Income generated from this fund (through careful use of Board-controlled investments) has allowed us to continue to support student research and needs of the Orthodontic Department.

This year you will notice a small increase in annual dues. This is the first dues increase since 1994, although we have experienced a steady (though modest) rise in operational expenses over this time. Therefore, your Board of Directors has deemed it necessary to increase dues from \$130.00 per year to \$160.00 per year, an increase of \$30.00. Reduced dues schedules still apply for some, although they, too, include a small increase: \$0 for first year graduates (no change), \$50 for second year graduates (\$10 increase) and \$90 for third year graduates (\$10 increase). Current students pay no dues and dues are still optional for retired alumni.

Our Association will always try to bring quality activities and pertinent information to you. We hope you will continue to support our Association through payment of dues and contributions to the Endowment Fund as we help to maintain the preeminent position the University of Washington Orthodontic Department has achieved.

Contribution Categories

Chairman's Circle (\$10,000+)

Framed certificate and plaque
 Name engraved on plaque in the Founders' Room
 Reprints of Departmental publications
 Fee Optional at the Alton Moore Lectureship
 Guest at the faculty study club meetings
 Guest of the Chairman at the annual graduation reception
 Recognition Gift

Founder's Club (\$5,000+)

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 Name engraved on plaque in the Founder's Room
 Reprints of Departmental publications
 Fee Optional at the Alton Moore Lectureship
 Guest at faculty study club meetings
 Recognition gift

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Framed certificate and plaque

Contribution Information

Is someone donating in your name? It's important that we know that so you can receive proper club credit and kudos along the way! Please encourage anyone you know who might be indicating a generous gesture on your behalf to mention your name to us. This is also extremely important for contributions going directly to the Moore/Riedel fund, orthodontic memorial fund, or any other contribution sent to the Office of Development at the UW.

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Paul D. Henderson
Jerry L. Stoneking
Melvin W. Walters

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Barry S. Cutler
Richard M. Eastham
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Class of 1969

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Andrew P. Collins
Dave L. Frederick
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Dwight H. Damon
James R. Hansel
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George T. Masumoto
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Dennis C. Turner
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James C. Horn
Robert B. Julius
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Richard L. Garfinkle
William E. Gray
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William D. Swanson
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Michael Miroue
Lawrence Rosenberg
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Rodney C. Tuenge

Class of 1976

Ronald Gallerano
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Jerome P. McDonnell
Diane Milberg

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Gregory Jackson
Laurence W. Mabbutt
Dave Witzel

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R. Glenn McMinn
David W. Parks
Janice E. Yip

Class of 1980

Foster Bucher
Kenneth Glover
Claude Mossaz
Oscar Muguera
Daniel Taylor

Class 1981

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David B. Kennedy
Terrell F. Tingey

Class of 1982

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D. Briar Diggs
Haruo Ishikawa

Class of 1983

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Frank Nannings
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CHAIRMAN'S CIRCLE HONORS

Contributions over \$15,000 (Sapphire Level)

Roy Gunsolus (Faculty)
R. William McNeill ('64)
Molyneaux Mathews ('74)
David Rice ('69)

Contributions over \$20,000 (Ruby Level)

Bruce R. Molen ('72)
Samuel Lake ('81)

Contributions over \$25,000 (Emerald Level)

Contributions over \$30,000 (Diamond Level)

Douglas S. Camerson ('71)
Michael R. Fey ('78)
Douglas J. Klein
E. James Nelson ('66)

Contributions over \$60,000 (Double Diamond Level)

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Donald R. Joondeph ('71)
Peter A. Shapiro ('73)
Alton W. Moore (Faculty)

Congratulations New Club Members!

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(\$10,000+ Donations)

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Michael R. Fey ('78)
William A. Gilmore ('50)
James U. Down ('72)
Douglas J. Klein ('83)
Jack M. Richardson ('59)
Warren Newman ('73)
Alan F. Wilson ('72)

Founder's Club

(\$5000+ Donations)

John C. Dumars ('67)
James H. Takano ('61)
Gina Trask ('85)

Century Club

(\$1000+ Donations)

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Carol Knaup ('93)
William R. Proffit ('63)
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Dale Bloomquist (Faculty)

Order Your Videotapes & Thumbs!!!

**Here's Your Chance to Own a Piece of
Orthodontic History -
The Famous Riedel Arch Former!**



As many of you can remember, the late and great Dr. Dick Riedel was known for his dexterity and his rather large hands. The students in the class of 1969 had the creative foresight to take a plaster cast of Dr. Riedel's famous "arch former" thumb and it has now been preserved in bronze, thanks to the casting genius of Dr. Don Gardner.

With the blessings (and chuckles) from Mrs. Marie Riedel, the UWOAA now offers the Riedel Arch Former to you!

Please fill in the information below and send it with a check for \$50.00 to UWOAA, P.O. Box 31553, Seattle, WA 98103. Then all you need to do is place your Riedel Arch Former in a place of honor.
THUMBS UP!

NAME: _____

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City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Questions? Call Joni @ (206)545-4541

Capture the Event of the Year on Videotape!

Those of you who attended the June 9, 2000 Alton W. Moore Lectureship know what a special day it was. Here's a chance to keep that memory on videotape. Many of you who could not attend asked ahead of time if it would be videotaped and we responded! Yes, the afternoon was videotaped and is now offered to you. "Reminiscence and Reflections" brings 50 years of orthodontic history into perspective as Dr. Alton W. Moore joins Drs. Peter Shapiro and Donald Joondeph in an unforgettable afternoon.

Please fill out the information below and send it with a check for \$50.00 to UWOAA, P.O. Box 31553, Seattle, WA 98103.
ENJOY~

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City: _____

State: _____

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Let's Catch Up...

George Black ('64) and Judy are happily handling retirement in Moses Lake, where George loves duck hunting with his beloved black lab.

Anna Law ('95) and her husband Dennis Jones welcomed baby daughter Victoria Ashley Nicole Jones on none other than Mothers Day - May 14, 2000. Congratulations Anna and Dennis! Victoria has a busy mom... Anna was appointed by the Minister of Health to serve on the Dental Council of Jamaica last year (the Dental Council is the regulatory body for Dentistry in Jamaica).



Harry Hatasaka ('60) reports that he retired 9 minutes, 9 seconds after 9am on 9/9/99! Harry hopes to have more time for fishing, skiing and gardening,, although he continues to teach clinical orthodontics at the University of the Pacific and maintains a one-day a week practice in TMD and orofacial pain.

Congratulations to **Art Dugoni** ('63) as he becomes the Third Recipient of the American Association of Dental Schools Distinguished Service Award. This is particularly significant because the award is not given on a regular basis.

4 orthodontists? No....wait...3 1/2 orthodontists! Lauren Wolf joins her dad Gary ('81) and ortho friends **Gloria Lopez Gavito** ('81) and **Dante Bresolin** ('82) at the AAO meeting in Chicago.

Brian Loftus ('98) and wife, Alisa, welcomed first child Brandon Patrick on April 3, 2000. Brian has recently moved to Easton, Pennsylvania, where he has started private practice. Congratulations Brian and Alisa!

Dave Rice ('69) reports that he is happily retired, having sold his practice to Dr. Mackay Tingey. He's in the office 6 days a month and he and Mimi are looking forward to more time in Sun Valley and traveling!



Enjoying a moment at the cantina are (clockwise) Armando Gutierrez, Marsha and Ron Schatz, Mike and Annelle Miroue, and Arely Gutierrez.

Mike ('75) and **Annelle Miroue** took a memorable trip with **Ron** ('75) and **Marsha Schatz** and visited classmate **Armando** ('75) and **Arely Gutierrez** in San Salvador this past February. Armando and Arely shared their beautiful country with trips to coffee plantations and to their homes (one on top of a volcano overlooking San Salvador and another at their beach house near black lava sand!). Mike's travels don't stop here! He reports that "Annelle and I just returned from a barge trip through Burgundy, France. We ate and drank ourselves into absolute oblivion for 6 days and had a Cordon Bleu chef aboard. I bought 3 cases of Grand Cru wines... After that we stayed a week at the Ritz in Paris. I hated to come home. Boy, retirement is starting to look good!"

Let's Catch Up...

Roberto Justus ('68) continues to remain very active in organized orthodontics. This year he was elected as a member of the Executive Committee of the World Federation of Orthodontists. He was also elected Treasurer of the College of Diplomates of the ABO and will become president in 2004. Roberto wants to extend an invitation to the UW alumni to attend a CDABO meeting in Acapulco January 19-25, 2002. It will be the first ever winter meeting, "An Ocean of Orthodontic Knowledge, in Acapulco" and will be held at the beautiful Acapulco Princess Hotel. Many distinguished UW professors will speak and families are welcome to attend a myriad of activities. For registration please contact: College of Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontics, 427 Kenwood Ave., Delmar, NY 12054. Phone: 518-439-0981.



Dr. John Kanyusik, President of the college of Diplomates of the American Board of Orthodontics (CDABO) joins Yolanda and Roberto ('68) Justus,

You will be missed...

Helga Zimmerman left us this past spring. Classmate Denny Turner reports that Helga's 16 year old daughter, Eva, lives in Germany, and would appreciate hearing from her mother's friends. Please feel free to contact her at: c/o Edith Haubrich, Am Lerchenberg 3, 76227 Karlsruhe, Germany.

In July, Nick Salome ('01) and **Steve Noxon** ('00) and a team of climbers participated in **The Climb for Clean Air** benefiting the **American Lung Association** as they scaled **Mt. Rainier** and raised over **\$30,000** to help fight lung disease. The majority of Nick and Steve's donations came from the incredible generosity of the UW orthodontic family. Nick and Steve send sincere thanks to everyone who supported the climb that Nick describes as one of the most memorable events of his life.



Ben Moffett & Lena Koskinen Moffett have returned to live at the Jersey shore. While Lena chose more conventional transportation to get there, Ben, as you can see, whooped it up!

Meet Our 2001 Graduates!

Derek Damon grew up in Seattle and was a Chemistry major at UC Berkeley. He graduated from the UW Dental School in 1997, then practiced general dentistry on Capitol Hill and in Olympia for two years, while teaching part-time in preclinical crown and bridge at the UW. After graduation, Derek will join his father, Ward Damon ('75), to practice at his two offices in North Seattle. Derek hopes to incorporate teaching at the UW Ortho School into his professional career. Having recently moved away from motorcycle racing (anybody see Derek last summer with his crutches?), he's participating in new activities such as soccer. Not one to give up excitement, however, Derek plans on resuming snow skiing with his very significant other, Brandi Vigil.

Charlie Hall graduated from Blanchet High School ('81) and studied chemistry at Gonzaga University until 1985, then transferred to the UW, where he graduated in '87 with a B.S. in Chemical Engineering. Charlie married AnnMarie, a fellow engineering classmate that same year. After working for Chevron (San Francisco) and BP Oil (Ferndale, WA), Charlie made the decision to go to the UW Dental School, where he graduated with honors in '96. After practicing general dentistry in Bellingham, WA for a couple of years, AnnMarie and Charlie took an extended vacation and traveled across the country. During the trip Charlie decided to pursue a career in orthodontics. In 1999, AnnMarie and Charlie were blessed with the addition of Samantha Marie and Charlie started the orthodontic program at the UW. The Hall family is currently awaiting the addition of another member to the clan and plan to return to the Bellingham area upon graduation.

Heidi Horwitz was born and raised in San Diego and completed her undergraduate (Physical Anthropology, '77) and Dental School ('83) degrees at the University of Washington. Before entering the UW Ortho program, Heidi practiced general dentistry for 16 years in her private practice. While practicing, she was active in the Seattle King County Dental Society as an officer on the Executive Council, delegate to the WSDA, member of the Dental Quality Assurance Commission, Examiner for the Western Regional Examining Board (WREB), Clinical Faculty (Affiliate Assistant Professor) UW Dept. of Restorative Dentistry (8 years), Acting Associate Professor (same department, 50% time) for 1 year ('97-'98). Heidi enjoys skiing, hiking, reading, and cooking. She plans to continue her career in teaching, private practice, and dental politics and is hoping to find a position as an associate that could potentially lead to a 'buy-in.'

Nick Salome was born and raised in El Paso, Texas where he was inspired to pursue orthodontics by a family friend. However, Nick explored a number of educational pursuits while in college and emerged with a bachelor's degree in philosophy from the University of Texas. In college, he programmed computers for an artificial intelligence project and spent an externship on a small island off the coast of Puerto Rico collecting behavioral data on free-ranging monkeys. At the University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio, Nick balanced his educational experience with chili cook-off awards and a less than award-winning sand volleyball team. He has always been interested in academics and, while in dental school, worked for a summer at the University of North Carolina with Dr. Proffit on developing multimedia educational software. Nick hopes to stay involved at the University of Washington after graduation and is currently seeking an associate position in a progressive orthodontic practice in the area. Nick's wife, Wendy, is a pediatric physical therapist at the Experimental Education Unit at the University of Washington. They have been married for five years and share a love for the outdoors and sports. Nick and Wendy are looking forward to raising a family in the great Northwest after graduation.

Burleigh Surbeck, a native of Tacoma, Washington, knew that he was interested in pursuing a career in orthodontics from a young age. His positive experience with his own orthodontic treatment had everything to do with the individuals he was treated by, first seeing UW ortho instructor Dr. Terry Wallen (UW '74) for phase I treatment, and then receiving his phase II treatment (and retention) from UW ortho instructor Dr. Bob Little (UW '74). After attending Claremont McKenna College for his first year of undergraduate education, Burleigh transferred to the University of Washington for the remainder of his undergraduate studies, receiving a B.S. in zoology and a B. A. in business administration in '95. He continued on as a Husky, receiving his D.D.S. in '99. Burleigh and his wife Katie reside in Bellevue, and look forward to sinking roots in the area as Burleigh will be practicing with Dr. Doug Cameron (UW '71) upon graduation. Burleigh enjoys spending time with his wife and her family in Bellevue as well as his own in Tacoma, studying the Bible, flyfishing for steelhead, cheering for the Huskies, and time in the field bird hunting with yellow lab, Kali.

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