

KEVIN KWON

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OBJECTIVE

Comprehensive dentist located in Augusta, Maine with 2+ years experience. Committed to providing excellent, up-to-date dental care. Well adept in procedures, such as fixed and removable prostheses, esthetic dentistry, oral surgery including third molar extractions and sinus lifts, immediate and traditional implant placement, guided bone regeneration, socket preservation, horizontal and vertical bone graft augmentation, root canal therapy, clear aligner therapy, and basic restorative procedures. Enthusiastic about learning with over 150+ credit hours in continuous education.

EDUCATION

- Temple University Maurice H. Kornberg School of Dentistry** 2017- 2021
Doctor of Dental Medicine
Cum Laude Honors
- Temple University, Maurice H. Kornberg School of Dentistry,** 2016-2017
Post Baccalaureate Program
- Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University Blacksburg, VA** 2011-2015
B.S. in Biological Sciences

EXPERIENCE

- Gentle Family Dentistry** July 2021- Present
- Currently employed at a private practice in Augusta, ME. Over +1.2M in production in first full year of practice as the sole dental provider.
 - Helped grow the 10 - operatory office and increase production/collection by 30%.
 - Onboarded and trained two new dentists, two new hygienists, and three dental assistants.
- U.S Army Reserves** 2019 - Present
- Captain in the U.S Army Reserves. Currently attached to the 456th Medical Command Area Support in New Hampshire.
- Academic Affairs Tutor at Temple University Kornberg School of Dentistry** 2019 – 2021
- Tutored first and second year students in pre-clinical lab to prepare them for treatment on live patients.
- Admissions Committee at Temple University Kornberg School of Dentistry** 2018-2019
- One of only four students on the admissions committee for Academic Affairs for Temple Dental School. Duties included reviewing hundreds of applications, personal statements, and video interviews.
- Temple University Kornberg School of Dentistry Clinic** 2016- 2017
Dental Assistant
- NELDA Certification
 - 300 dental assisting hours
- Villanova Special Olympics with Temple Pediatric Club** 2017
- Provided oral screenings, fluoride application, as well as making custom mouth guards and handing out toothbrush kits to athletes.
- Biology and English Tutor at LangCon Academy in South Korea** 2016
- Taught elementary level English and biology to students in South Korea as a private tutor
- Community Health Center of the New River Valley** 2013-2015

- Responsibilities include checking people in, answering phone calls, making charts, navigating and using our medical database system, patient computer input, helping with examinations, etc. Worked 20 hours a week.

Cornerstone Christian Fellowship 2011-2015

- Mentor and help underclassmen navigate campus and assist with academics
- Big Event- a student-run community service effort to help restore landscape around campus.

Pre-Dental Club 2012 - 2015

- Active member in the Virginia Tech Pre-Dental Club

Remote Area Medical 2014

- Assisted dentists in Buena Vista, VA to treat patients who could not afford primary dental care.

Nicaragua Missions Trip | Leader 2009-2012

- Led a group of 12 high school members to Nicaragua for church and medical related activities with the Jesus Hope Church of GA.
- Duties included rebuilding homes, churches, and homes, teaching English, and assisting in the pharmaceutical/medical clinic.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Fundamental Implant and Restorative Dentistry (2021) by the Global Academy of Osseointegration

Invisalign Certification (2021)

Hiossen Guided Surgery (2021)

Mastering Dental Implants (2021) by Great International Implant Academy

Hiossen Sinus Lift- Crestal vs Lateral (2021)

Third Molar Extractions by Great International Implant Academy (2022)

Live Surgery Implant Course in Tijuana, Mexico by Great International Implant Academy (2022)

Straumann Symposium (2022)

Mastering Complete Denture (2023) by Great International Implant Academy

Tried and True: COLLABORATED WORKFLOW IN ESTHETIC DENTISTRY by Think Dental Institute LLC (2023)

Live Surgery Implant Course in Tijuana, Mexico by Great International Implant Academy (2023)

AWARDS, HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS

Cum Laude Honors- Temple University

U.S Army Reserves- Medical and Dental School Stipend Program (MDSSP) Scholarship

Virginia Tech Scholarship Award

Dean's List

Fall 2014

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant | Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

May 2017- August 2017

Department of Pediatric Dentistry and Community Oral Health Sciences; Advisor: Dr. Nizar Al-Hebshi

- The purpose of this research was to characterize the oral microbiome associated with dental caries in children using whole metagenomic sequencing. Dental plaque and saliva samples were used to identify compositional and functional microbial

shifts associated with initiation and progression of dental caries. My responsibilities included recruiting subjects within the inclusion criteria, microbiological saliva sampling, and clinical data input.

Research Assistant | Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

May 2017- August 2017

Department of Pediatric Dentistry and Community Oral Health Sciences; Advisor: Dr. Marisol Tellez

- Conducted questionnaires to evaluate the acceptability of Silver Diamine Fluoride (SDF) when compared to existing caries preventative measures to children ages 7-16 and their caregivers.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Affiliations

Casco Bay Study Club 2023-2024
Maine Dental Association 2021- present
American Dental Association (ADA) 2017- Present
American Dental Education Association (ADEA) 2017-Present
American Student Dental Association (ASDA) 2017- Present

Languages

English, Korean, Conversational Spanish

Skills

3Shape Trios, SureSmile, Invisalign, MedServ, eClinical, Axium databases
Microsoft Word, Excel, Powerpoint
Tutoring/Teaching