



*DECEMBER 15<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021*  
 *ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS, NJ*

**4-DAY HANDS-ON MODEL AND LIVE SURGERY SEMINAR**

# **FUNDAMENTALS IN IMPLANT DENTISTRY**

*Lecturers:*

**DR. NICOLAS ELIAN, DDS**  
**DR. MICHAEL KATZAP, DDS**

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**Wednesday to Saturday, December 15<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup>**  
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## WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup>

7:30 am - 5:00 pm

7:30am - 8:00am Registration & Breakfast

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8:00am - 12:00pm Lecture

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12:00pm - 1:00pm Lunch

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1:00pm - 3:00pm Live Surgery Demonstration 1

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3:00pm - 5:00pm Hands-on Model Workshop

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Day One

## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup>

7:30 am - 5:00 pm

7:30am - 8:00am Breakfast

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8:00am - 12:00pm Lecture

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12:00pm - 1:00pm Lunch

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1:00pm - 3:00pm Treatment Planing

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3:00pm - 5:00pm Case Assignment, Case Presentation | Review of Surgical Protocol, Hands-on Workshop

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Day Two

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup>

7:30 am - 5:00 pm

7:30am - 8:00am Breakfast

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8:00am - 11:00am Live Surgery Group 1

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11:00am - 12:00pm Post-op Case Review | Questions & Answers

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12:00pm - 1:00pm Lunch

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1:00pm - 4:00pm Live Surgery Group 2

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4:00pm - 5:00pm Post-op Case Review, Questions & Answers

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Day Three

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>

7:30 am - 5:00 pm

7:30am - 8:00am Breakfast

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8:00am - 11:00am Live Surgery Group 3

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11:00am - 12:00pm Post-op Case Review | Questions & Answers

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12:00pm - 1:00pm Lunch

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1:00pm - 3:00pm Live Surgery Demonstration 2

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3:00pm - 5:00pm Case Acceptance Protocol, Questions & Answers

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Day Four

# Course Overview

This course explores fundamental and current concepts in diagnosis, treatment planning, surgical and digital aspects of implant dentistry. The components of the four-day program will include lecture, surgical hands-on with interactive discussions, and surgical demonstration of advanced hard and soft tissue regeneration. Participants will place implants in posterior maxilla and mandible with adequate bone and soft tissue volume. The chair side faculty to clinician ratio is 1:1 providing the highest level of supervision, interaction, and coaching.

The goal is to bring the understanding of scientific and clinical relevance to all clinicians regardless of their preexisting knowledge. The standard and predictability of each step and procedure is emphasized to reduce complications and maximize success.

## Course Objectives

- ✔ Learn the biology and clinical science of implant dentistry
- ✔ Understand interdisciplinary treatment planning for predictable success
- ✔ Review maxillary and mandibular anatomy critical to implant placement
- ✔ Review and understanding the important role of CBCT
- ✔ Learn surgical protocol in implant dentistry
- ✔ Learn flap design and soft tissue management
- ✔ Adopt a step-by-step implant placement technique
- ✔ Manage socket preservation and selection of graft and membrane materials
- ✔ How to integrate digital and guided surgery.



*Lecturer*

## **DR. NICOLAS ELIAN, DDS**

Nicolas Elian, DDS, is president and CEO of Vizstara. Renowned for his expertise in the evaluation and retreatment of implants, Dr. Elian's clinical practice focuses on surgical procedures such as advanced bone grafting and ridge augmentations. He completed his DDS Degree and Postgraduate Studies in Prosthodontic and Implant Dentistry at NYUCD. Dr. Elian was Head of the Division of Implant Dentistry and Program Director, and Director of Experimental Research at New York University College of Dentistry (NYUCD) for over 10 Years. Dr. Elian is the Director of the Hands-on Clinical Mentorship Programs at Vizstara Professional, the Educational Company for the Vizstara Institute.



*Lecturer*

## **DR. MICHAEL KATZAP, DDS**

Michael Katzap, DDS is a graduate of New York University College of Dentistry. Graduating with Honors in Oral Surgery, Dr. Katzap completed a general practice residency at Brookdale University Hospital and Medical Center in Brooklyn New York and the Brookdale Hospital Implantology Fellowship program under Dr. Norman A. Cranin.

Dr. Katzap has lectured nationally and internationally on dental implant surgery and bone regeneration. Dr. Katzap is the former director of the Implantology fellowship at Brookdale University Hospital and Medical Center in Brooklyn New York. Dr. Katzap is a fellow of the American Academy of Implant Dentistry, Master of the Academy of General Dentistry, and Diplomate of the American Board of Oral Implantology and the ICOI. Dr. Katzap is in private practice in New York City.