

IDEA Course Schedule 2017

Orthodontic Courses



Instructor	Course	Date
	Six day Orthodontic Marathon Course	
Sadao Sato	Orthodontic Treatment based on Occlusal Plane Control: A Key for Successful Treatment of Different Types of Malocclusion with or without Dysfunctional Problems	Sep 11 - 16, 2017
	Raise your skills in Overlays and Minimal Composites	
Didier Dietschi	Excellence and Innovations in Composites: Direct Anterior Techniques and the “No-Prep” Ultra-Conservative Treatment of Anterior and Posterior Tooth Wear	Jul 20 - 23, 2017
	IDEA Continuum Programs	
Heike Krämer Sadao Sato	Diagnosis and Treatment Planning in Interdisciplinary Dentistry: The Ultimate Program in Occlusion, Function and TMJ for Restorative Dentists, Dental Technicians and Orthodontists	Diagnostic Continuum 2017 / 2018: Starting April 17 - 20, 2017
Sadao Sato Heike Krämer	Three Year Orthodontic Program: Orthodontics related to Function, Occlusion and the Craniomandibular System	Three Year Ortho Program 2017 – 2020: Starting April 17- 20, 2017

The modular structure of 3 to 4 day segments allows you to continue your practice and to attend these programs above

Why the “Sato” concept for the Orthodontic Specialist?

The Three Year Orthodontic Program is addressed to orthodontists who are looking for new treatment options in regards to complex cases with treatment alternatives to orthognathic surgery, premolar extractions, extra-oral forces and treatment for malocclusions with dysfunction.

Traditional orthodontics and also traditional dentistry is treating teeth as if they would be independent units, only related to each other. This approach works in some cases. In many other cases, challenges occur already during treatment or shortly after the treatment is finished. On average, 5 - 10 years after orthodontic treatment many cases relapse, patients start observing tooth migration, feeling interferences, bites are opening or patients observe symptoms like joint clicking, neuromuscular or TMJ pain. These findings are reactions due to the lack of adaption of the masticatory system.

What is different in the “Sato” concept compared to any other orthodontic concept in the world?

Early in his career, Prof. Sato faced his own orthodontic failures and relapses through long-term observation of his patients. This made him realize that another approach in orthodontics is necessary to achieve predictable longevity and triggered significant research.

Prof. Sato’s approach takes into consideration not only tooth movement, but also the adaptation capacity of the mandible and joints. Despite the presence of numerous cosmetic techniques, this concept is based on solid functional principles. The principle of mandibular adaption, which occurs naturally in human growth, can be applied in orthodontic therapy. This allows obtaining stable results through etiological therapy rather than symptomatic treatment.

Therefore, the “Sato” concept can achieve treatment results, which no other concept can achieve, like:

- » severe class II, III and open bite cases treated with non-orthognathic-surgery and non-premolar-extraction
- » successful orthodontic treatment of dysfunctional patients

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- » short-treatment-times (1.5y), short retention phase (3m) and life-long stable treatment outcomes

The advantages of becoming a “Sato” Orthodontist

This concept will give you treatment options which will truly set your practice apart. Based on solid diagnostics you will be able to:

- » Plan treatment that occurs predictable
- » Treat patients avoiding surgery and premolar-extraction
- » Achieve stable results
- » Stand out in your community
- » Predictably treat cases that cannot be treated with conventional orthodontics

The Orthodontic mechanics:

All of this is achieved with simple mechanics, rather than a complexity of orthodontic tools or extra-oral forces. Wire bending takes max. 15 minutes. Usually the same wire is used over the entire course of treatment.

Testimonials

“As a new Orthodontist who has opened a private practice a year and half ago from scratch, I can honestly tell you that you cannot afford to miss this program regardless of your practice situation. The knowledge and skills learned here will separate you from other Orthodontists, provide higher treatment standards and confidence and ultimately have a positive impact in your practice bottom line.”

Yoon Chang, Orthodontist, Carrollton, TX

“The course information and quality of the faculty and the IDEA team are second to none. The knowledge I am gaining through my training at IDEA is invaluable to unlock a whole new way of practicing dentistry. It is an absolute game changer for our practice.”

Chris Anderson, Orthodontist, Gilroy, CA

“Dr. Sato teaches the occlusion and function oriented orthodontics in relation to the craniomandibular system. A very accurate diagnosis, based on condylograph, cephalometrics and all these information transferred to articulator mounted casts is included in this course.

Once you step into it, I'm sure it will help you to set the standard of dental service we provide to the highest possible level today.”

Petros Kokkinos, Orthodontist, Limassol, Cyprus

“Seeing is believing. If you take one course in your life, you must take this one. In my opinion Dr. Sato might be the greatest orthodontist alive today.”

Bas Wafelbakker, Orthodontist, Gilroy, CA

“I am still in too much of a fog to articulate (no pun intended). You will hear more from me once the cerebral dust has settled. I am sad that our course is coming to an end - but there will be more.”

Kristi Wagner, Orthodontist, Fresno, CA

“As usual, a very fantastic course and lecturer. Didier Dietschi is a true professional, a scholar and a very nice person. Thank you!”

David Remington, Orthodontist, Tooele, UT

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