

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY  
COLLEGE OF DENTAL MEDICINE



THE SEVENTH ANNUAL

# DEAN'S HONORS DAY

NOVEMBER 9, 2021

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Celebrating CDM  
Faculty Accomplishments  
9/1/2020–8/31/2021

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Congratulations to the College of Dental Medicine (CDM) faculty who are being honored for their achievements, and special thanks to Dr. Lalla for her leadership in support of the faculty.



We are proud to celebrate with those members of our faculty who were promoted and/or recognized for their contributions during the past academic year (2020-2021). While we honor the individual contributions, we are also cognizant of the impact that each honoree makes to the reputation of CDM at-large. It is the pursuit of excellence that distinguishes Columbia from many other institutions of higher education. Being part of the Columbia community, CDM is aware of the mandate that is imposed on us.

Dean's Honors Day is intended to support the promotion of a culture whereby we acknowledge and cherish the achievements of our faculty in terms of transformational scholarship, excellence in patient care, and exceptional service contributions. May it inspire all of us to strive for more.

Sincerely,

**Christian Stohler, DMD, DrMedDent**

*Dean*

# ACADEMIC PROMOTIONS

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## UNIVERSITY TENURE

### **Chang Lee, PhD**

Section of Hospital Dentistry

*Associate Professor of Craniofacial Engineering (in Dental Medicine)*

## TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR

### **Fatemeh Momen-Heravi, DDS, PhD, MPH, MS**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

*Associate Professor of Dental Medicine*

## TO ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

### **Dante Devoti, DMD**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

*Assistant Professor of Dental Medicine at the Columbia University Medical Center*

### **Steven Kresch, DDS**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

*Assistant Professor of Dental Medicine at the Columbia University Medical Center*

### **Elizabeth Odinez-Bortfeld, DDS**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

*Assistant Professor of Dental Medicine at the Columbia University Medical Center*

### **Seung Jun Song, DMD, MS**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

*Assistant Professor of Dental Medicine at the Columbia University Medical Center*

### **Joseph Wang, DDS, MS**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

*Assistant Professor of Clinical Dental Medicine*

# LEADERSHIP APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS

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## COLLEGE OF DENTAL MEDICINE

**George Jenkins, DMD, MHA**

*Associate Dean for Equity, Access, and Inclusion*

**Shantanu Lal, DDS**

*Director of Digital Services and Patient Engagement*

**Julia Tepper, DDS**

*DentCare Lead Faculty*

**Sunil Wadhwa, DDS, PhD**

*Chair, Section of Growth and Development*

**Dana Wolf, DMD, MS**

*Senior Associate Dean for Predoctoral Academic and Student Affairs*

**Richard Yoon, DDS**

*Vice Chair, Section of Growth and Development*

## COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY IRVING MEDICAL CENTER

**George Jenkins, DMD, MHA**

*Member, CUIMC Academy of Community and Public Service*

**Dennis Mitchell, DDS, MPH**

*Member, CUIMC Academy of Community and Public Service*

**Fatemeh Momen-Heravi, DDS, PhD, MPH, MS**

*Scientific Lead of the Head and Neck Cancer Group,  
Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center*

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**Yiping Han, PhD**

*President-Elect, Columbia University Asian Faculty Association*

**Dennis Mitchell, DDS, MPH**

*Senior Vice Provost for Faculty Advancement and  
Executive Vice President for University Life*

# HONORS AND AWARDS

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## COLLEGE OF DENTAL MEDICINE

**Marc Chase, DMD**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

*Edward V. Zegarelli Teaching Award, CDM Alumni Association*

### *CDM Junior Faculty Development Fund Recipients*

**Mona Boside, DMD**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

**Jocelyn Magahis, DDS**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

### *CDM Mentoring Network for Women Faculty Members*

**King Chong Chan, DMD, MSc**

Section of Hospital Dentistry

**Christie Custodio-Lumsden, PhD, MS**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

**Roseanna Graham, DDS, PhD, MA (Program Leader)**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

**Hyunok Jo, DMD**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

**Evanthia Lalla, DDS, MS (Program Leader)**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

**Jocelyn Magahis, DDS**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

**Satoko Matsumura, DDS, PhD, MS**

Section of Hospital Dentistry

**Fatemeh Momen-Heravi, DDS, PhD, MPH, MS**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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**Alison Newgard, DDS**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

**Elizabeth Odinez-Bortfeld, DDS**

Section of Cariology & Restorative Sciences

**Elizabeth Philipone, DMD**

Section of Hospital Dentistry

**Biana Roykh, DDS, MPH**

Section of Hospital Dentistry

**Angela Ward, EdD**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

**Dana Wolf, DMD, MS** (*Program Leader*)

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

## COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY IRVING MEDICAL CENTER

**Fatemeh Momen-Heravi, DDS, PhD, MPH, MS**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

*Community-Based Participatory Research Scholar*

*Irving Institute for Clinical and Translational Research*

## COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

**Burton Edelstein, DDS, MPH**

Section of Growth & Development

*Professor Emeritus of Dental Medicine and Health Policy & Management  
at the Columbia University Medical Center*

**Letty Moss-Salentijn, DDS, PhD**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

*Awardee,*

*Provost's Addressing Racism Seed Grant*

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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### NATIONAL

#### **College of Dental Medicine**

*2020 Health Professions Higher Education Excellence in Diversity (HEED) Award,  
INSIGHT Into Diversity Magazine*

#### **King Chong Chan, DMD, MSc**

Section of Hospital Dentistry

*American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology Representative,  
Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology Review Committee of the Commission on  
Dental Accreditation*

#### **Evanthia Lalla, DDS, MS**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

*Advisory Board Member, Mentoring an Inclusive Network for a Diverse  
Workforce of the Future (MIND the Future) Program,  
American Association for Dental, Oral, and Craniofacial Research (AADOOCR)*

### INTERNATIONAL

#### **Panos N. Papapanou, DDS, PhD**

Section of Oral, Diagnostic & Rehabilitation Sciences

*Editor-in-Chief, Journal of Clinical Periodontology*



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