The Jerusalem 2005 Congress - 7-9 December 2005, Jerusalem, Israel

The Orthodontic Department of the Hebrew University-Hadassah School of Dental Medicine, founded by the Alpha Omega Fraternity in Jerusalem, was established in 1965, in the early years after the founding of the State of Israel. The year 2005 denotes the 40th anniversary of the department's existence and, to mark this milestone occasion, it has been decided to celebrate its professional and academic achievements by organizing the 2005 Jerusalem Congress. In addition, the Congress will honor Prof. Adrian Becker, for his continuing service to the department, to its graduate students past and present and to Orthodontics in Israel and abroad.

The Congress will take place in Jerusalem 7–9 December 2005 and will feature Dr Hans Pancherz, Giessen, Germany, as Scholar-in-Residence. Confirmed keynote speakers include Dr Luc Dermaut, Ghent, Belgium, Dr Nejat Erverdi, Istanbul, Turkey, Dr Stavros Kiliaridis, Geneva, Switzerland, Dr Vincent Kokich, Tacoma, USA, Dr Peter Ngan, Morgantown, USA and Dr David Turpin, Seattle, USA.

Abstracts are invited from orthodontists, members of allied specialties and from basic scientists to present short papers and posters during the meeting. Abstract submission will be by e-mail attachment only and will be judged by the Scientific Committee.

Jerusalem, King David's city, is just around the corner from the Congress Center and the participants will have the opportunity to catch up on three millennia of history. Holy to the world's three major monotheistic religions, it is recognized as the cradle of civilization. Jerusalem is the capital of the State of Israel and of the Jewish people, but, in a special sense, Jerusalem belongs to the whole world.

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