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Delegates Representing 122 Countries Converge on San Francisco

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The 42 member International Council, governing body of the worldwide International College of Dentists, is meeting this week in San Francisco, California, for three days of intensive discussions, deliberations and decision-making.

The International Councilors representing all 15 Sections of the College from every corner of the globe and five International Officers, led by 2012 International President Dr. Garry Lunn, will participate in full attendance Council sessions, committee meetings and Strategic Thinking program.

A major feature of the annual face-to-face meeting is the opportunity for delegates to come together in both formal and informal venues to review the previous year's activities, exchange ideas and experiences with humanitarian and other philanthropic ICD programs while at the same time deciding on initiatives and directions that will guide the international organization for the coming year.

Among the items on this year's Council agenda, include reducing the size of the International Council, creating a charitable tax-deductible fund, providing supportive services to smaller ICD Regions, and forming new collaborations with other international associations.

At the conclusion of the meeting elections will be held for the 2013 officers.

About the International College of Dentists

The International College of Dentists, established in 1928, is the world's oldest and largest international dental honorary society with over 12,000 dentists who have earned the title of FICD (Fellow International College of Dentists) in 122 countries throughout the world.

Fellowship in the College is by invitation only and is granted in recognition of an individual dentist's "outstanding professional achievement, meritorious service and dedication to the continued progress of dentistry for the benefit of humankind."

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