

Dr. Adam Lietzan and Dr. Nadeem Bijle Receive 2019 Henry M. Thornton SCADA Fellowship Awards

Two SCADA Fellowship Awards were presented during the Dentsply Sirona Student Competition for Advancing Dental Research and its Application (SCADA) 60th Awards Ceremony at the 48th Annual Meeting of the American Association for Dental Research (AADR) and the 43rd Annual Meeting of the Canadian Association for Dental Research. The program was held on June 19th at Fairmont Vancouver Hotel in Vancouver British Columbia, Canada. Dr. Adam Lietzan was awarded the 2019 Henry M. Thornton SCADA Fellowship Award, and Dr. Nadeem Bijle was awarded the 2019 Henry M. Thornton Fellowship Educational Grant.

SCADA initiated a Fellowship Fund 43 years ago in honor of the late Henry M. Thornton, then DENTSPLY's Chairman Emeritus. The fund was designed to support student clinicians as they pursue post-doctoral dental education programs or specialty training. Since 1976, SCADA has awarded \$112,000 in Fellowship grants.



Dr. Adam Lietzan (center) is presented with the 2019 Henry M. Thornton SCADA Fellowship Award from Dr. Kelton Stewart, SCADA Past President (left) and Dr. Teresa Dolan, VP and Chief Clinical Officer at Dentsply Sirona(right).

Dr. Nadeem Bijle (center) is presented with the 2019 Henry M. Thornton Educational Grant from Dr. Kelton Stewart, SCADA Past President (left) and Dr. Teresa Dolan, VP and Chief Clinical Officer at Dentsply Sirona(right).

Dr. Lietzan was a 2015 SCADA participant from Temple University. He graduated from Dental School in 2017 and is currently enrolled in the Graduate Periodontology Program at the University of North Carolina.

Dr. Bijle represented the M.A. Rangoonwala College of Dental Science at the India SCADA Program in 2007. He graduated from Dental School in 2008 and is currently pursuing a Ph.D. degree at The University of Hong Kong.

To learn more about SCADA and this year's award recipients, visit www.scadaresearch.org.