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EDUCATION

2016	Sleep Solutions Sleep Apnea training
2015	Oral Sedation Recertification
2015	Intermediary Invisalign Training
2014	TeethXpress immediate load dental implant training
2014	American Academy of Implant Dentistry Annual Meeting attendee
2014	Surgical and Restorative Excellence in Dentistry Symposium
2012	DOCS Oral Conscious Sedation Certification
2010	“Safe and Predictable Engine Driven Endodontics” Training
2010	Invisalign Certification
July 2009 – May 2010	VA Hudson Valley Health Care System AEGD
August 2005 – May 2009	University of Connecticut School of Dental Medicine Farmington, CT DMD
August 2000 – May 2004	Union College Schenectady, NY BS in Biology <i>Suma Cum Laude</i> Salutatorian

TEACHING ENGAGEMENTS

2011-present	Prosthetic Educator for “Full Mouth Rehabilitation with Zirconia Bridges: Treatment planning, surgery and Prosthetics” course held 4x/year at Tischler Dental Seminar facility
2013	Prosthetic lecturer for the Prettau Bridge educational DVD

AWARDS/HONORS

2112	<i>Top 25 Women in Dentistry</i> as awarded by Dental Products Report. Winners were chosen “based on the ability to demonstrate a clear contribution to the dental community.”
2009	<i>American Academy of Esthetic Dentistry Merit Award</i>
2009	<i>Oral Maxillofacial Radiology Award of Excellence (U. of Conn)</i>
2000 – 2004 (Each Semester)	<i>Dean’s List (Union College)</i>
2004	<i>Dagget Prize</i> Awarded to the Union College “senior of the best character & conduct as determined by nomination, deliberation, & vote by the Union College faculty.”
2004	<i>McCoy Prize</i> Awarded to “the student who excels most in botany.”
2004	<i>President’s Commission on the Status of Women Scholarly Activity Award</i>
2004	<i>Samuel S. Feuer Prize</i> Awarded to the Union College “senior in the premedical course (whose primary interest is dentistry) who has maintained the highest scholastic average over four years.”
2004	<i>Sigma Xi Scientific Research Society Associate Member</i>
2004	<i>Sigma Xi Research Award</i> “Awarded to the student in the chapter that best presents his/her research as assessed by a judging committee within the chapter.”
2003	<i>Phi Beta Kappa Society Inductee</i> “Membership is conferred in recognition of outstanding academic achievement in the liberal arts & sciences.”

PUBLICATIONS/ RESEARCH

Tischler, Ganz and Patch. “*Success With Screw-Retained Zirconia Bridges, Part 2.*” *Dentistry Today*. October 2014.

Tischler, Ganz and Patch. “*Success With Screw-Retained Zirconia Bridges, Part 1.*” *Dentistry Today*. September 2014.

Tischler, Ganz and Patch. *An Ideal Full-Arch Tooth Replacement Option: CAD/CAM Zirconia Screw-Retained Implant Bridge.* *Dentistry Today*. 09 May 2013 13:17

Gutman C, Rice SK, Krouglicof N. *Laser Scanning Reveals Bryophyte Canopy Structure.* *New Phytol.* 2005. May;166:695-704.

August 2003 – May 2004 Senior Honors Thesis

Developed an LED-based scanner to derive a measure of surface roughness, a structural parameter employed in functional studies, within bryophyte canopies.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/COMMUNITY SERVICE

2010-Present	<i>Tischler Dental Foundation</i> Volunteer to provide pro bono dental care for youth within our local community at our Tischler Dental facility
2008	<i>Trip coordinator & volunteer, Butte, MT Community Health Center</i>
April 12, 2008	<i>Volunteer, CT Mission of Mercy</i> Provided free dental care to Connecticut’s underserved population.
2004 – 2009	<i>American Student Dental Association Member</i>
2007 – 2008	<i>Co-president (2008), Volunteer (2007-2008), My Sister’s Place</i> Provided oral health education at a battered women’s shelter.
Summer 2007	<i>Volunteer, Special Olympics Special Smiles program</i> Provided oral screenings & referrals for special needs athletes.
2006-2009	<i>Volunteer, Give Kids a Smile</i>

- 2005 Provided dental education to elementary school children as part of National Give Kids a Smile Day as well as pro bono dental examination.
Volunteer, South Park Inn Homeless Shelter
- 2001 – 2004 Provided free dental screenings, referrals, & preventative dental health education.
Active member & Trained Crisis Support Provider, Safe Space
Safe space is an organization dedicated to the support of survivors of rape & sexual assault through community outreach, advocacy, & via beeper service for crisis support.
- 2002 – 2003 *Committee Member, Presidential Commission on Harassment & Sexual Assault Union College*
Worked to improve policy, procedure & prevention efforts aimed at the elimination of harassment & sexual assault at the college. Served on the Data Collection Sub-Committee.
Drafted the “Recommendations for Education” proposal.
- 2003 – 2004 *Volunteer & Founding Member, Pre-Dental Society* Developed, organized & executed a program to teach oral health to 2nd graders in the Schenectady, NY.
- 2001 – 2003 *“Big Sister,” Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Rose Program Division*
Served as a mentor to a special needs adolescent.
- 2000-2003 Volunteer Tutor, Reach Out & Read
Taught 1st & 2nd grade students struggling in the classroom in Schenectady, NY.
- April 2002 *Volunteer Dental Assistant*
Participated in a Christian Dental Society-affiliated service trip with Dr. Barry Loffredo to provide pro bono dental care to underprivileged persons in Mavis Bank & Kingston, Jamaica

INTERESTS

Family, Jewelry making, camping, hiking, traveling.