

Dr Yvan Fortin, DMD – GENERAL DENTIST

- Doctor of dental Medicine
- *Diplomate of the American Board of Oral Implantology and Implant dentistry*
- *Fellow of the Academy of Osteointegration*
- *Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Restorative Dentistry and Prosthodontics*
- *Fellow of the American Academy of Implant Dentistry*
- International speaker and member of several world-renowned academies

Highly advanced training

Dr. Fortin holds a Bachelor of Arts degree (Science of Education) from Université Laval (1974) and a Doctor of Dental Medicine degree from Université Laval (1979). He served as a clinician in the Université Laval Prosthodontics Clinic from 1986 to 1990.

Dr Fortin also received training in surgery and bone grafting at H. Tatum Surgical Institute (Normand, France, 2008), periodontics/microbiology (Montreal, 2001), zygomatic implants (Dallas, 2001), novum (Surgical and prosthetic protocol Spokane, 2000), mandibular nerve transpositioning (Sweden, 1999), guided bone regeneration (San Francisco, 1991), hypnodontics (Montreal, 1990), surgical implantology (Brånemark Institute, Sweden, 1990), dental orthopedic appliances (certificate, 1989), prosthodontic implantology (Brånemark Institute, Sweden, 1986), preventive and interceptive orthodontics for general practitioners (Montreal, 1985), dento-facial orthopaedics (certificate, Montreal, 1985), and orthodontics (Montreal, 1985–1987).

Dr. Fortin is very active professionally. He has been an active member of the American Academy of Implant Dentistry since 1997, the Academy of Osteointegration since 1991, the Canadian Academy of Restorative Dentistry and Prosthodontics since 1986, the Quebec Order of Dentists since 1979, the Quebec Corporation of Dentists since 1979, and the Canadian Dental Association since 1979.

Originally with a prosthodontics (1979–1992) and orthodontics (1984–1992) focus, his practice since 1992, has focused been exclusively on implantology and working with specialists and dentists in Canada, the United States, South America, and Europe.

In addition to his affiliations with a broad array of professional organizations, Dr. Fortin is frequently invited to speak on crowns and bridges, as well as on implantology from both the prosthetic and surgical viewpoints.

Since 1994, he has also designed and presented a series of seminars on crowns, bridges, and prosthetic dentistry that are much appreciated by the dental community. To date, we have received over 2,000 registrations for the one-day seminars given by Dr. Fortin.

He also gives two-day seminars at his clinic in Montréal, for specialists on the use of zygomatic implants who want to treat severely atrophied upper maxillas (August 2008, November 2008, June 2009, March 2010).

Speaker and author

Dr. Fortin has given a day of training for the continuing education program at the Université de Montréal (Montreal, 2010) and was the principal guest speaker at the Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontics (2010), the Nobel Symposium New York (2010), the AAID Boston Meeting (Boston, 2010), AAOMS (Chicago, 2010), the Yankee Meeting (Boston via Montreal by webconference, 2009), the Quebec Order of Denturologists (Montreal, 2009), Nobel Team Day (Montreal, 2009), Baluke Laboratory (Toronto, 2009) the Chrysalis Group (Toronto, 2009), Nobel Team Day (Boucherville, 2008), the Laval Dental Society (2008), Dr. Ken Parrish (Kentucky, 2008), Dr. Steven Bongard's group (Toronto, 2007), Dr. Ronald Zokol's group (Vancouver, 2007), the Nobel Biocare World Conference (Las Vegas, 2007),



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the Pacific Coast Society for Prosthodontics (Oregon, 2006), the ITI World Conference (Germany, 2006), the University of Southern California (Los Angeles, 2006), the Brånemark Institute (Brazil, 2006), the Academy of Osteointegration–Clinical Innovation (2004 and 2006), ACP (2004), AO (San Francisco, 2004), the University of the Pacific (San Francisco, 2004), and the Nobel Biocare World Conference (Las Vegas, 2002). He has also given presentations on the Marius Bridge to Dr Higuchi's group (Spokane, 2000 and 2003) and Dr. Schulmann's group (Boston, 1998), as well as at C.A.R.D meetings in Quebec City (1987 and 1997), Nobel Biocare International Day (Puerto Rico, 1997), the 30th anniversary of the Brånemark implant system (Sweden, 1995), and Brånemark Team Days (Montreal, 1994).

He has co-authored a number of articles: With Dr. Bo Rangert and Dr. Rick Sullivan, an article entitled "The Marius Implant Bridge: Surgical and Prosthetic Rehabilitation for the Completely Edentulous Upper Jaw with Moderate to Severe Resorption–A Five-Year Retrospective Clinical Study" (Clinical Implant Dentistry and Related Research, 2002, Vol. 4, No. 2), an article entitled "Fixed-prosthetic restoration of the edentulous upper jaw–A systematic pre-treatment evaluation method". With Dr. Richard M. Sullivan(2006) an article entitled "A New Prefabricated Mesostructure Bar System for Patient-Removable Fixed Restoration of the Fully Edentulous Maxilla". With Dr. Kenji Higuchi and Dr. Rick Sullivan, an article entitled "The Fully Edentulous Resorbed Maxilla: Surgical and Restorative Technics to Avoid Bone Grafting" (Canadian Journal of Restorative Dentistry and Prosthodontics, 2010).

