

**Certificate Program in Contemporary Restorative and Esthetic Dentistry**  
**Requirements for individuals who successfully completed the Level I Postgraduate**  
**Program in Contemporary, Esthetic & Implant Dentistry beginning in October 2015.**

The University of Minnesota School of Dentistry is pleased to offer a Postgraduate “Certificate Program in Contemporary Restorative and Esthetic Dentistry” designed for general dentists worldwide. Dentists may earn a university certificate in contemporary restorative and esthetic dentistry in addition to mastership credit for the Academy of General Dentistry and continuing education credit for relicensure requirements. It is a part-time program held primarily on weekends requiring minimal time taken away from practice. The Certificate Program in Contemporary & Esthetic Dentistry includes completion of the following:

	<b>Continuing Education</b>
	<b>Hours</b>
1) Postgraduate Program in Contemporary, Esthetic & Implant Dentistry: Level I—Lecture/Laboratory Series	125
2) Postgraduate Program in Contemporary, Esthetic & Implant Dentistry: Level II—Patient Series	125
3) Postgraduate Program in Contemporary & Esthetic Dentistry: Level III—Modular Series (A total of 7 modules)	247
4) Presentation of 8 patients from practice following AACD or University of Minnesota guidelines, and	<u>3</u>
	500 (Total)
5) <b>One</b> of three essential requirements for graduation:	
a) presentation of 5 articles from refereed journals pertaining to esthetic dentistry.	
b) accreditation in the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry (AACD).	
c) mastership in the Academy of General Dentistry (AGD).	

**MODULAR SERIES**  
**Postgraduate Program in Contemporary & Esthetic Dentistry: Level III**

<b>Core Modules:</b>	<b>Continuing Education</b>
	<b>Hours</b>
1) Occlusion & Function	25
2) Orthodontic & Periodontal Esthetics	32
3) Contemporary Removable Partial Dentures	24
4) Endoesthetics	16
5) Research Design	16
6) Research Paper	<u>110</u>
<i>SUBTOTAL</i>	223

**Elective Modules\*\*:**

7) New Materials, Technologies & Laser Training	24
8) Advanced Occlusion & TMD	24

\*A total of eight patient presentations from your private practice are required. Your patient documentation will be presented to Level II course participants and/or mentors. The eight patients should represent the variety of patient types treated in Levels II and III.

\*\*In Level III, you will need to complete all six Core Modules and at least one Elective Module.