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Invites all Auckland Dentists & Technicians to the  
**AUCKLAND STUDY GROUP MEETING**

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2025 at 7.00pm**



**PRESENTER:**

**DR AJ SALMAN** BDS (Otago), DipPCD (RCSI), FICCDE

**TOPIC:**

Digital Dentistry and AI in Action

**Synopsis:**

Dentistry has evolved dramatically since graduating in 2012. We went from developing radiographs in a dark room, to now designing complex cases with the aid of AI. Over the last 5 years, the revolution of accurate and user-friendly digital scanners, AI transcription tools, milling units, 3D printers and automation of design has made digital dentistry more predictable than ever before. We will cover some of the key treatment modalities that are available today and briefly go over what will come tomorrow.

**Learning Outcomes:**

1. Understand recent advancements in digital dentistry
2. Evaluate their impact on predictability and efficiency
3. Identify key treatment modalities and benefits
4. Discuss practical integration strategies
5. Analyse case studies for deeper understanding
6. Develop personalized plans for implementation in practice.

I earned my Bachelor of Dental Surgery at the University of Otago in 2012. At Otago, I was elected the President of the NZ Dental Students Association. I was honoured by the NZ Institute of Minimal Intervention Dentistry for my piece, "The Role of Dentists in Society." I received the Pierre Fauchard Academy award for excellence in clinical dentistry and leadership. I have also been granted a fellowship to the ICCDE (International College of Continuing Dental Education). In 2022, I completed my diploma in primary care dentistry from the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ireland. Over the past 12 years of being a dentist, I feel that I have experienced the most rapid ascent of technological advancements in the history of dentistry. I went from developing X-ray films in a dark room to check my amalgam restoration, to completing 10 porcelain veneers in a single day. I have made it my mission to seek out the latest technological advancements that can help patients achieve better outcomes. I hope that I can help others see the benefits of technology so we can all elevate the dental profession higher than ever before.

All attendees must rsvp (for catering purposes) by Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> July 2025 to [admin@nzacd.co.nz](mailto:admin@nzacd.co.nz). No refund will be made for cancellations received less than 7 working days or "no-shows".

**2 HOURS VERIFIABLE CPD CREDITS**

NZDA verifies, that based on the information provided to NZDA, this activity meets the Dental Council policy requirements for CPD.

**NZACD Members complimentary**

**Non-Members - \$75** including gst discounted to **\$55** if payment received prior to lecture date.

The Auckland address to attend the Study Group is

**Dentsply Sirona**  
 75 France Street South, Eden Terrace  
 Auckland 1010  
 Registrations & Refreshments from 6.30pm  
 Lecture 7.00pm

**Non-Members Fee Payment: \$75 (including GST) – discounted to \$55 if paid prior to lecture date.**

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I would like to attend the Auckland Study Group Meeting on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2025 at Dentsply Sirona

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