

IDEA Alumni Testimonials

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Early Preventive Orthodontic Treatment for Different Types of Malocclusions based on Occlusal Plane and Vertical Control – The Key to Impactful Success

"This course is awesome and allows you to get a good quality education with experts in their field, that care for their patients and the future of dentistry. I like how we get to discuss our own cases that we brought and get to have a more curated education, but without compromising on the basics and foundation of dentistry."

Rene Chiasson, General Practitioner, Vancouver, BC, Canada

"I have been practicing straight wire orthodontic technique many years. I found out that Sato's orthodontic techniques give me more confidence to treat a lot of different malocclusions. Sato's orthodontic technique has helped me to provide a better result of treatment for my patients. Thank you to Drs. Roberto, Heike and Prof. Sato! And all the staff at IDEA."

Calvin Vo, General Practitioner, Houston, TX

"Incredible instructors teaching core concepts that result in predictable results." Alexander Chukreeff, General Practitioner, San Francisco, CA

"I always enjoy the courses at IDEA. Great environment, all needs are taken care of and the topics are relevant to my practice and challenge the status quo of dentistry, so I can provide excellent care to my patients."

Leah Nels, General Practitioner, Midwest City, OK

"This concept is a game changer!" Tuan Anh Ngo, Orthodontist, Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam

"This course is exciting. Nowhere would I learn how, why, and when to intervene in early childhood development to affect the overall growth and potential. Also, how to set up my cases for stability with occlusion and function afterwards, and longevity of my patient's dentition." Aleksandra Shaykova, General Practitioner, Lake Mary, FL

"Seeing is believing. If you take one course in your life, you must take a Sato concept one. In my opinion Dr. Sato and Velasquez might be the greatest orthodontists alive today." Bas Wafelbakker, Orthodontist, Gilroy, CA

"This course is spectacular!!! Sato's function-oriented orthodontics related to craniomandibular system and Roberto Velasquez cases speak for themselves! Once you step into it, I'm sure it will help you to set the standard of dental service you provide to the highest possible level!" Petros Kokkinos, Orthodontist, Limassol, Cyprus





"I wish I attended the courses at IDEA earlier." PeiWei Hsu, General Practitioner, Taipei, Taiwan

"Professor Sato, Roberto, and Heike are so knowledgeable! This is easily the best concept and course in orthodontics that I have ever taken. I look forward to coming back and learning more!" Marcus Kai, Orthodontist, San Jose, CA

"The IDEA Orthodontic Program with Roberto Velasquez, Miles Guyton, Heike Kraemer, and Prof. Sato is not competing with conventional orthodontic treatment; it is a tremendous improvement over conventional orthodontic treatment.

Almost all the patients being treated at the IDEA Faculty Clinic – Center for Craniomandibular Dentistry and Occlusion Medicine have been treated previously with traditional orthodontics. They present us with headaches, TMJ pain, pain in their neck and shoulders, altered condylar morphology, and an occlusion (or better malocclusion) that is not stable.

With our diagnostics and orthodontic treatment in Sato's approach, the malocclusions are corrected, the condyles remodel, the occlusion is long term stable, and the patients' symptoms are gone." Bob Lamb*, Periodontist, Visionary and Founder of IDEA – *in memoriam