



## **Academy of Prosthodontics 2024 Annual Scientific Session Four Seasons Hotel, Denver, Colorado May 29 – June 1, 2024**

### **Program Speaker – Joseph Kan**

#### **Title**

Immediate Tooth Replacement: Lessons Learned from 27 Years

#### **Abstract**

Achieving anterior implant esthetics is a challenging and demanding procedure. To create implant restorations with harmonious gingival contour that emulate nature is a fusion of science and art. Understanding the biologic and physiologic limitations of the soft and hard tissue will facilitate predictability in simple to complex esthetic situations.

This presentation will focus on current implant treatment philosophies and methodologies for replacing missing teeth in the esthetic zone. Emphasis will be placed on diagnosis and treatment planning, surgical and prosthetic management of soft and hard tissue.

#### **Learning Objectives**

1. Identify prognostic variables for predictable immediate implant in extraction socket.
2. Describe concepts for bone and gingival grafts for immediate tooth replacement.
3. Understand complications management.

#### **Biography**

##### **JOSEPH KAN**

Dr. Kan completed his specialty certificate in Prosthodontics at Loma Linda University where he also completed an Implantology Fellowship. He is a professor at Loma Linda University and an esteemed international lecturer. He maintains a private practice in Prosthodontics and Implantology.