CURRICULUM VITAE

PROFESSOR ANDREW EDER

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Clinical Dentistry / Education and Training / Professional Development
Strategic Leadership / Corporate Governance / Transformational Change

Experienced dental specialist, clinical academic, educational leader and charity trustee with over three decades of achievement across clinical practice, higher education, professional development, corporate leadership and governance.

Provides leadership and innovation in education while delivering operational excellence, financial sustainability, successful partnerships and strategic growth across complex educational environments.



- **Builds trust and credibility at Board level;** a clear-sighted thinker and adviser, expert at seeing the big picture; applies integrity, insight and strong end-user focus to promote clinical competence and ethical conduct.

- **Shapes implementation and delivery of transformational change;** draws on deep expertise in strategic planning, governance, regulation and financial management to enhance standards of patient safety and care.

- **Creates high-performing teams and partnerships;** brings people together behind a shared vision, aligns diverse stakeholders and delivers sustainable outcomes through collaboration and influence.

PROFESSIONAL AND EXECUTIVE EXPERIENCE

CURRENT APPOINTMENTS:

Specialist in Restorative Dentistry and Prosthodontics (GDC 61851), Private Practice, London W1 1998 – present

As a specialist clinician, I have provided high quality care for patients with complex oral health needs for over 30 years.

Emeritus Professor of Restorative Dentistry and Dental Education, UCL Eastman Dental Institute, London WC1 2018 – present

As a clinical academic, I have contributed to the training of postgraduates and NHS trainees for over three decades.

Strategic Advisor on Oral and Dental Health Policy 2020 – present

Advising parliamentarians and policymakers on oral health strategy, dental education, workforce planning and access to care.

Specialist List and Appeals Assessor, General Dental Council, London W1 2023 – present

As a member of the assessment panel, I consider applications and make recommendations to the GDC Registrar for listing.

Head of Dental Education and Specialist Engagement Lead, PortmanDentex 2024 – present

Leads learning, development and clinician growth initiatives for one of Europe's largest dental groups to enhance patient care.

PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS:

Professor of Restorative Dentistry and Dental Education, UCL Eastman Dental Institute 2008 – 2018

Honorary Consultant in Restorative Dentistry, Eastman Dental Hospital, UCLH NHS Foundation Trust 2002 – 2018

Pro-Vice-Provost, Education, Innovation and Enterprise, University College London (UCL) 2013 – 2017

Invited to provide support for UCL's global expansion strategy; headed development and growth of innovative start-up enterprise, providing short courses, professional development and executive education in all disciplines across the university. Accountable for facilities, governance and quality oversight, supervised staff recruitment, performance and retention and built seven-strong central facilitatory team. Managed annual team budget of c£500K.

- **Streamlined delivery of change;** supported faculties, departments and academics across UCL with provision of online and face-to-face continuing education for UK and international markets; delivered highest percentage growth in short course activity and registered student numbers across the Russell Group.
- **Improved access to course information;** pioneered short course catalogue website (https://www.ucl.ac.uk/short-courses/)
- **Maximised business efficiency;** established robust quality frameworks through formal development and review process.
- **More than tripled learners from 12,000 to over 44,000 and increased income from £3m to £12m over five years;** successfully engaged with all faculties and over 70 departments and expanded range and scope of educational offerings.

Associate Dean, Continuing Medical and Dental Education, UCL School of Life and Medical Sciences 2008 – 2012

Head of CPD Department, UCL Eastman Dental Institute 2002 – 2012

Appointed to extend postgraduate education opportunities for dental professionals to benefit patient care and drive significant growth through provision of face-to-face and online courses and flexible degree programmes. Established CPD Department in separate dedicated premises; met evolving business requirements, handled day-to-day facilities management, governance and quality oversight, recruited staff and supervised continuing development and performance. Promoted to **Director of Education** in 2005 to lead on the academic and quality agenda working across whole of UCL Eastman Dental Institute.

- **Developed enterprise over ten years into largest CPD centre for dental professionals in Europe;** expanded course portfolio by 300%, grew student numbers to >2,000 face-to-face and over 20,000 online, and trebled income from £1m to >£3m.
- **Expanded academic and professional staff numbers five-fold to over 100;** success of staff acknowledged with Provost's Award for Teaching and Learning in 2010, UCL's highest available recognition for contribution to education activity.
- **Enhanced quality and governance of educational activities;** resulted in excellent UCL Internal Quality Review (IQR) report.

Associate Specialist in Restorative Dentistry, Eastman Dental Hospital, UCLH NHS Foundation Trust 1998 – 2002

Senior Clinical Lecturer in Restorative Dentistry, UCL Eastman Dental Institute 1995 – 2002

Clinical Lecturer in Restorative Dentistry, UCL Eastman Dental Institute 1991 – 1994

Registrar in Restorative Dentistry, Eastman Dental Hospital, UCLH NHS Foundation Trust 1990 – 1991

Associate General Dental Practitioner (NHS and Private - part time) 1988 – 1998

Clinical Assistant, Restorative Dentistry, King's College Hospital School Medical and Dental School 1988 – 1989

House Officer, Paediatric, Orthodontic and Restorative Dentistry, King's College Hospital Medical and Dental School 1987

EXECUTIVE, BOARD, COMMITTEE, VOLUNTARY AND CHARITABLE EXPERIENCE

COLLEGE OF GENERAL DENTISTRY (UK AND INTERNATIONAL)

The College is the leading professional body for primary oral healthcare and general practice dentistry: fostering the commitment of all dental professionals to excellent patient care and oral health for all, supporting professional development and enhancing careers.

- **Dental Trustee** — **2026 – present**

  Trustees are responsible for the running of the organisation, discharging its legal and regulatory duties and scrutinising performance.

ACADEMY OF MEDICAL ROYAL COLLEGES (UK AND INTERNATIONAL)

The Academy brings together the 24 medical royal colleges and faculties in the UK and Ireland to ensure their views and the views of their 220,000 members are heard by policy makers across the UK regarding issues such as doctors' education and training, workforce and innovation to improve the quality of care for patients. During my tenure, I have successfully led the Board of Trustees through an organisational review and restructure, appointment of a new Chief Executive and analysis of policies and processes to ensure the highest standards of charity governance – all against a framework of financial stability in the longer term.

- **Chair of Trustees** — **2022 – 2025**

  The trustee board is responsible for corporate governance, facilities and strategy as well as oversight of annual budget in excess of £2m.

FINITO (INTERNATIONAL)

Through mentoring, training, coaching and guidance, Finito is passionate about helping school leavers, university graduates, college leavers and all other first-time job hunters make the transition from education to employment and become work ready.

- **Mentor** (advising and supporting younger colleagues in the fields of healthcare and biomedical sciences) — **2021 – present**

FACULTY OF DENTAL SURGERY, ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS OF ENGLAND (UK AND INTERNATIONAL)

The Faculty of Dental Surgery is an independent professional body committed to helping the entire dental team achieve and maintain excellence in practice and patient care.

- **Elected FDS Board Member (Elected FDS Executive Committee member 2020 – 22)** — **2017 – 2022**
- **Chair of FDS Academic and Innovation Strategy Committee (aligned with RCS Digital Strategy)** — **2020 – 2022**
- **Restorative Specialty Membership Examinations: Examiner (2019 – 25), Chair (2019 – 22), External Examiner** — **2025 – present**
- **Lead Examiner (2016 – 19): Membership in Restorative Dentistry Examinations (MRD) and Examiner** — **2009 – 2019**

  Led transition from Membership in Restorative Dentistry to Monospecialty Memberships and steered complete examination restructure, now also delivered remotely as a result of Covid-19; realised eight-fold increase in candidate numbers since 2020.

UNITED SYNAGOGUE (UK)

Union of British Orthodox Jewish synagogues. With 62 communities and 40,000 members, it is the largest synagogue body in Europe.

- **Trustee (Consultancy role advising on senior Rabbinic recruitment and Member of Honours Committee – ongoing)** — **2017 – 2023**

  Responsible for corporate strategy and budgetary oversight. Established Centre for Rabbinic Excellence with support of Chief Rabbi and Senior Leadership Team and provided early lay leadership. Portfolio responsibility for Rabbinic recruitment and development, communications, and supervision of Willesden Cemetery in North London as a Heritage Lottery Funded community project.
- **Community Council Member** — **1998 – 2015**

  Served on Board of Management and Honorary Executive of local community. Engaged in wide range of portfolio management, including education as well as charity and welfare projects.

CHAI CANCER CARE (UK)

Charity providing comprehensive professional and expert services in the community setting to those affected by cancer.

- **Medical Advisory Board Member** — **2008 – present**

  Offers advice and support to people experiencing head and neck cancer.

BRITISH SOCIETY FOR RESTORATIVE DENTISTRY (UK AND INTERNATIONAL)

- **President** — **2005 – 2006**
- **Council Member** — **1994 – 2007**
- **BSRD Representative: Specialist Advisory Committee in Restorative Dentistry and Specialist Assessment Panel** — **2001 – 2005**

  During Presidential year, opened meetings to all dental professionals to encourage engagement with continuing education. As a member of the SAC, involved in curriculum review and development, training centre visitations and specialist list applications.

ALPHA OMEGA INTERNATIONAL DENTAL FRATERNITY (UK AND INTERNATIONAL)

Global dental charity delivering educational programmes and raising funds to support the highest ethical and clinical standards of dental practice.

- **Chair of Trustees, Alpha Omega Charitable Trust** — **2003 – present**

  Overseen distribution of >£750,000 during tenure as Chair to global dental and healthcare projects for underprivileged and those with special needs. Awarded Alpha Omega Certificate of Merit for Global Philanthropy, 2017.
- **President** — **1994 – 1995**

  Presidential lecture series on tooth wear led to articles in BDJ and book, *Tooth Surface Loss*, published 2000 (new edition 2022).
- **Council Member** — **1988 – 2000**

ROYAL SOCIETY OF MEDICINE, ODONTOLOGICAL SECTION (UK AND INTERNATIONAL)

- **President** — **2001 – 2002**
- **Council Member** — **1992 – 2003**

  During Presidential year, hosted innovative series of multi-disciplinary debates to engage breadth of healthcare professionals.

EXPERTISE

Clinical Dentistry / Education / CPD / Board-level Stakeholder Management / Executive Team Leadership / Strategic Planning
Clinical and Ethical Governance / £MM Financial Oversight / Regulatory Compliance / End-User Focus / Operational Excellence
Cultural Sensitivity / Thought Leadership / Business Development / Diversity and Inclusion / Evidence-Based Decisions / Advocacy

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Fellowship of College of General Dentistry (FCGDent), 2021

Fellowship of Faculty of General Dental Practice (FFGDP), Royal College of Surgeons of England, 2021

Fellowship in Dental Surgery (FDS RCS Ad Eundum), Royal College of Surgeons of England, 2021

Fellowship in Dental Surgery (Honorary FDS RCS – for Services to Education), Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, 2003

Fellowship of Higher Education Academy (FHEA – by election), 2002

Membership in Restorative Dentistry (MRD RCS RCPS), Royal College of Surgeons of England and Glasgow, 1994

Membership of Faculty of General Dental Practice (MFGDP – by election), Royal College of Surgeons of England, 1993

Master of Science (MSc) in Conservative Dentistry, Eastman Dental Institute, University of London, 1990

Licentiate in Dental Surgery (LDS RCS), Royal College of Surgeons of England, 1987

Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS Hons), King's College Hospital Medical and Dental School, University of London, 1986

Attended St Paul's School, London (awarded School Colours), 1977 - 1981

PROFESSIONAL JOURNALS: EDITORIAL AND ADVISORY BOARDS

Faculty of Dental Surgery Journal (FDJ Section Lead: AI and Digital Innovation), Royal College of Surgeons of England	2023 – present
Journal of Dentistry and Oral Sciences: Editorial Advisory Board	2021 – present
British Dental Journal: Editorial Advisory Board and Joint Academic Lead for CPD	2005 – 2017
European Journal of Restorative Dentistry and Prosthodontics: Editorial Advisory Board	1995 – 2014

Editorial Boards: Private Dentistry (1997 – 2014) / Dental Tribune (2011 – 2013) / Premium Practice Dentistry (Chair, 2011 – 2014)

PUBLICATIONS

Publications: 131 peer-reviewed papers, articles, posters and abstracts, and 236 CPD articles and press releases

Textbook: *Tooth Wear* - Eder, A and Faigenblum, M (Co-Editors), (3rd edition 2022), Springer Nature (ISBN 9783030861094)

Textbook: *Tooth Surface Loss* - Ibbetson, R and Eder, A (Co-Editors), (1st edition 2000; 2nd edition 2008), BDJ Books (ISBN 090458861)

Textbook section: *Special Care in Dentistry;* Scully, C Diz Dios, P and Kumar, N (2007), Elsevier (ISBN-13: 9780443071515)

Textbook chapter: *Culturally Sensitive Oral Healthcare;* Scully, C and Wilson, N (2006), Quintessence (ISBN 1850971188)

MEMBERSHIPS

British Society for the Study of Prosthetic Dentistry	2000 – present
Royal Society of Medicine	1991 – present
British Society for Restorative Dentistry	1987 – present
British Dental Association	1984 – present
Alpha Omega International Dental Society	1984 – present

REFEREES

Available upon request