



## IJED and the Accademia Italiana di Odontoiatria Conservativa e Restaurativa



Back in 2010, we already dedicated an entire issue of our journal to the Accademia Italiana di Conservativa (AIC), a scientific dental association that was founded in 1986. This special academy has active and ordinary members, and follows very strict rules for accepting new active members. The main scope of the academy is to establish and promote restorative dentistry at the highest level. The annual meeting of the AIC is usually held in Riva del Garda, Italy, and attracts 1000 to 1300 dentists, dental hygienists, and laboratory technicians every year. In May 2017, the AIC organized the biennial Conseuro meeting in Bologna with 1700 participants, where selected speakers from Europe and the rest of the world were invited to present their latest findings in conservative dentistry.

Actually, the AIC has 96 active members representing both private practice and universities – many of them are also members of the European Academy of Esthetic Dentistry (EAED). We are proud to dedicate another entire issue to this prestigious Italian group.

The quality of all the articles in this issue not only reflects the standards of the AIC, but also represents the level that the International Journal of Esthetic Dentistry (IJED) endeavors to achieve. It is clinical dentistry at its best to motivate us all.

Enjoy reading and viewing!

Sincerely yours,  
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