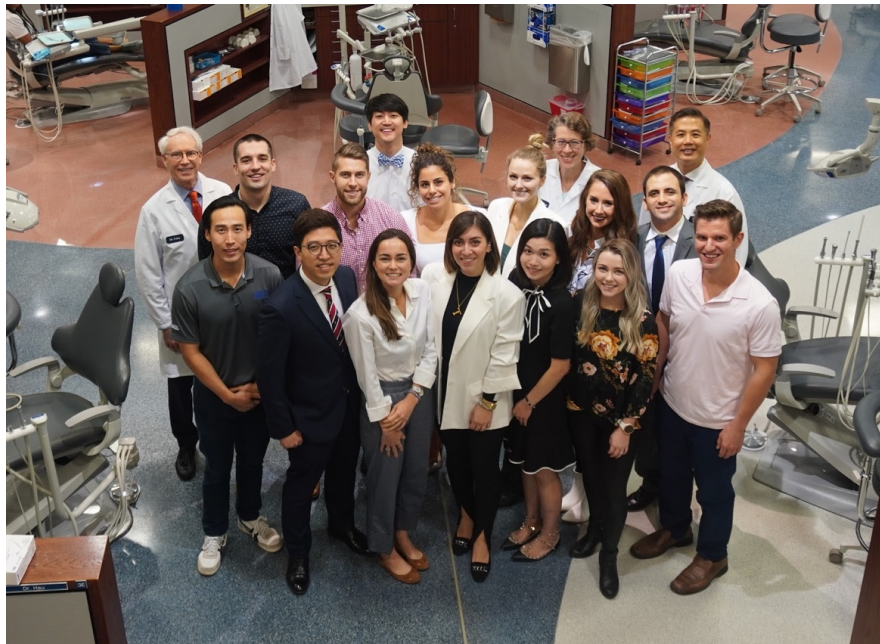


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Fourteen residents graduated in December of 2020. They have scattered across the U.S. and abroad and are expected to serve their patients and specialty admirably. They include:

- **Fernanda Arruda** (University of Sao Paulo, Brazil)
- **Kalynn Foster** (Nova Southeastern University)
- **Jessica Green** (Southern Illinois University)
- **Thomais Ioannou** (Charles University, Czech Republic)
- **Elizabeth Ivey** (University of Louisville)
- **Pimsiri Kanvonkit** (Chulalongkorn University, Thailand)
- **Nickolas Koenig** (Universidad Cientifica del Sur, Peru)
- **Edward Lee** (Texas A&M, Baylor)
- **Sam Lee** (University of Alabama)
- **Kyle Malstrom** (University at Buffalo)
- **Byron Schroeder** (University of Oklahoma)
- **Sivan Shemer** (The Hebrew University, Israel)
- **Hun Shim** (Case Western University)
- **Zachary Smith** (University of Louisville)



Dr. Mitchell R. Levine joins as a full-time faculty member at SLU CADE

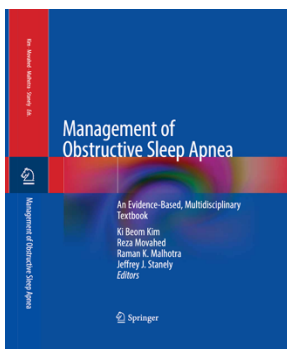


Dr. Levine received his dental training from University of Pittsburgh and finished his orthodontic training at Temple University. He had been in private practice over 30 years in Jacksonville, Florida. He received additional postgraduate training in dental medicine from Tufts University. He worked as an associate professor at the University of Tennessee Health Science Center, College of Dentistry, Orthodontics and Director of Dental Sleep Medicine. He has been serving as the president of the American Academy of Dental Sleep Medicine since May 2020.

Dr. Steve Harrison has retired.

Dr. Steve Harrison (clinical adjunct professor) retired from his position as a clinical instructor at the end of December 2020. He has been teaching at SLU for over 19 years. His expertise of surgical orthodontics was particularly helpful for many residents over the years. He is working at the Missouri Conservation Commission and is going to serve as an associate editor on the new AJO/DO Clinical Companion Journal. We wish him well in his future endeavors.

Management of Obstructive Sleep Apnea: An Evidence-Based, Multidisciplinary Textbook



Dr. Kim and Dr. Movahed have written a new book that provides comprehensive information on the etiology, pathophysiology, medical implications, diagnosis, and surgical and nonsurgical treatment of obstructive sleep apnea (OSA). Divided into five parts, the book begins with principles and fundamentals of OSA and its diagnostic considerations. Subsequent parts then address non-surgical management, surgical management, and maxillomandibular advancement for OSA. Chapters seek to approach this common disorder from the viewpoint of multiple specialists, thereby promoting the development of a broad

strategy for the evaluation and management of OSA patients that draws on each of them.

GORP 2021

SLU will host GORP 2021 on July 29 - August 1, 2021 at the St. Louis Union Station Hotel.

Attendees at the 32nd Annual Graduate Orthodontic Residents Program (GORP) will enjoy a variety of clinical and scientific



lectures, social activities and sightseeing - as well as the opportunity to visit the AAO headquarters.

OERF Annual Meeting

The Orthodontic Education and Research Foundation will hold its next meeting in St. Louis, Missouri, September 24 - 26, 2021. Many fine speakers will enlighten the audience. Please Contact **Jayni Conley** (jayni.oerf@gmail.com) for information on the meeting.

In Memory of Dr. Catherine Holman Thornton

Catherine Holman Thornton, DMD, a beloved resident at Saint Louis University's orthodontic program, sadly passed away on December 31, 2020. Catherine, known as Cat by her friends and co-residents, had a heart of gold, a smile that lit up any room, and a gift for making others instantly love her. Catherine grew up in Tupelo, Mississippi with her loving family. Very early in life, she had a keen interest in dentistry. She went to the University of Mississippi for college and dental school where she began her lifetime goal of becoming an orthodontist. She graduated in May of 2020 with a Doctor of Dental



Medicine (DMD) and was accepted into the graduate orthodontic residency at Saint Louis University. She and her husband, Kirk, moved to St. Louis in the summer, and she had just completed her first semester of her 30-month residency right before Christmas. Catherine's final years of hard work were spent pursuing her dream of joining and expanding her dad, Kevin's, orthodontic practice in Tupelo.

Though Catherine's life was much shorter than any could have imagined, those who knew and loved Cat were blessed to learn valuable life lessons from her on how to live joyfully. Soon after beginning residency, she quickly became her class' self-appointed social chair. She had a knack for bringing everyone around her together. She created wax animals that decorate our Tweed Room and constantly entertained her co-residents with stories. She often taught her classmates what her dad would do in private practice, and she looked forward to working with him one day. Her combination of clinical skills, eagerness to learn, and chairside manner made her an excellent orthodontic resident. In her short time at SLU, her inner beauty was evident to faculty, residents, and patients alike. She will be missed dearly, but her legacy will live on as we treat her patients and all the patients here at SLU.

—by Dr. Mary Linda Remley, SLU Orthodontics Class of 2022

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