

Board Meeting
May 11, 2017

NAME THE DR. MARTIN KOLINSKI AND DR. TRICIA R. CROSBY
PERIODONTICS SEMINAR ROOM, COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY, CHICAGO

Action: Approve naming of the Dr. Martin Kolinski and Dr. Tricia R. Crosby
Periodontics Seminar Room, College of Dentistry

Funding: No New Funding Required

The Chancellor, University of Illinois at Chicago, and Vice President, University of Illinois recommends the naming of the periodontics seminar room in the College of Dentistry at 801 South Paulina Street, room 330D, in recognition of Dr. Martin Kolinski's and Dr. Tricia R. Crosby's philanthropic support of the renovation, which will fund more than half of the project's \$140,000 cost. The balance of the expense will be covered by existing college funds. The renovation began in March 2017, and completion is anticipated in early summer.

The Department of Periodontics at the UIC College of Dentistry has been in need of a suitable space where its postgraduate residents could meet with faculty, host lectures and seminars, review patient cases, and prepare treatment plans. The current space, formerly a classroom that seated 70 students, will be renovated to provide for 16 individual workstations complete with computer terminals and a large conference table.

The College has received approval from the American Dental Association's Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA) to expand the program to 15 (five

residents per year) from its current 12 residents in the three-year program. The new resident room will not only allow for enhanced learning, but will accommodate the growth of the program.

Drs. Martin J. Kolinski (DDS 1978, Periodontics 1980) and Tricia Crosby (DDS 2004, Periodontics 2007) are both alums of the College of Dentistry and have practiced together for several years in St. Charles, Illinois. Dr. Kolinski is a member of the American Dental Association, American Academy of Periodontology, Academy of Osseointegration, and is a Diplomate of the American Board of Oral Implantology/Implant Dentistry. He has spoken extensively to numerous groups, including the Academy of General Dentistry, the Chicago Dental Society, and the American Academy of Periodontology. Dr. Kolinski is currently an adjunct professor in the Department of Periodontics, where he teaches post-graduate students. He is also past president of University of Illinois College of Dentistry alumni association.

Dr. Tricia Crosby has obtained the highest recognition for a specialist in the field of Periodontology by becoming a Diplomate of the American Board of Periodontology, a distinction held by less than one-third of all practicing periodontists. She is currently the President of the Illinois Society of Periodontists, serves as editor on the Board of the Midwest Society of Periodontology and is on the Board of the Fox Valley Dental Society. She is also involved in numerous other professional organizations, including the American Academy of Periodontology and the American Academy of Osseointegration. Dr. Crosby holds the distinction of serving as an

examiner for the American Board of Periodontology. She serves as a Clinical Assistant Professor and adjunct lecturer at the Department of Periodontics.

The Board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statutes, The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure*, and Board of Trustees policies and directives.

The President of the University concurs.