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### **2016 Kois Center Education Grant Awarded by the Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology**

**Tallahassee, Florida:** Today, The Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology (The Foundation) is proud to announce the winner of the 2016 Kois Center Education Grant:

#### **Charles E. McClemens, CDT, TE - Eau Claire, WI**

The Kois Center, along with the Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology, created this grant in order to support the Foundation's purpose by making higher level education more accessible to dental technicians working in a laboratory setting. The winner will be awarded one seat in the Biomechanics I & II course at no charge, thanks to the generosity of the Kois Center. The charge for such a course would typically retail for \$9,995.

"This is the second year the Foundation has had the opportunity to offer the Kois Center Education Grant and we received double the amount of applications this year than last year. It's great to see so many individuals interested in advancing their education and even better to be able to play a part in helping them get there. We are forever grateful for the Kois Center's dedication to the Foundation and the future of dental laboratory technology, and we are beyond excited to announce that they have committed to continuing the grant next year," said Foundation Chair, Leon Hermanides, CDT.

The Kois Center is located on the shore of Lake Union in the heart of Seattle, Washington, and offers a didactic and clinical program, featuring a comprehensive course curriculum of 9 courses, with the latest advances in esthetics, implant and restorative dentistry. The Kois Center uses the best and most current

technology to facilitate and support the learning environment. For additional information about the Kois Center, visit [www.koiscenter.com](http://www.koiscenter.com).

The Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology (FDLT) is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization. The purpose of the Foundation is to advance the profession of dental laboratory technology by addressing industry driven needs and providing solutions that are relevant and accessible to dental technicians and other members of the dental team.

For additional information about the Foundation and its program, visit <http://www.dentallabfoundation.org/>.

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