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2015 ADEA Grant Awarded by the Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology

Tallahassee, Florida: Today, The Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology is proud to announce the winners of the 2015 ADEA (American Dental Education Association) Membership or Allied Education Meeting Grant:

Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne – Fort Wayne, IN McFatter Technical College – Davie, FL

The Foundation developed this grant to support educational institutions with dental laboratory technology programs. The Foundation is committed to advocating for and raising awareness of the necessity of dental laboratory technology education for dental technicians and other members of the dental team. Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne (IPFW) and McFatter Technical College will each be awarded \$1,000.00 to assist covering the costs for a one (1) year institutional membership in ADEA, or to help fund travel costs and fees for a faculty member to attend the ADEA Allied Educators meeting.

“We encourage institutions to join associations and other forms of volunteer involvement. It creates opportunities to network and improve their dental laboratory technology program along with a number of member benefits and available resources to utilize. It is our honor to offer this grant to organizations that are putting forth the effort to stay up to date with the educational

curriculum in order to offer the best education to students,” said Foundation Chair, Leon Hermanides, CDT.

The Foundation for Dental Laboratory Technology (FDLT) is a non-profit 501c (3) organization. The purpose of FDLT 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.

The American Dental Education Association (ADEA) is The Voice of Dental Education. The mission of ADEA is to lead institutions and individuals in the dental education community to address contemporary issues influencing education, research and the delivery of oral health care for the overall health and safety of the public. For additional information about ADEA, visit www.adea.org.

For additional information about the Foundation and its program, visit www.dentallabfoundation.org.

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