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Young Dentist Endodontic Award deadline extended to early October

The deadline for the Young Dentist Endodontic Award has been extended by a month from 2nd September to October 7th 2016. Now in its fourth year, the award is open to young dentists who must demonstrate their skill in carrying out an endodontic procedure: <http://www.roottreatmentuk.com/html/young-dentist>

The prizes in 2016 are bigger and better than ever. First prize from Dentsply is an X-Smart IQ WaveOne Gold starter kit with dual cordless motor and an iPad Mini to control the system; the second prize from Acteon is a P5 Newtron XS ultrasonic irrigation unit with an Endo Success Retreatment Kit and the third prize from Quality Endodontic Distributors (QED) is a J Morita Root ZX apex locator.

Entry is open to dentists who graduated in the last three years, whether they are in their Foundation Year or just starting out on their career. They must submit a case report which demonstrates their endodontic skills as well as an evidence-based approach to practice.

The competition is to find the best case presentation of a treatment. The judges are Julian Webber, founder of the Harley Street Centre for Endodontics, his colleague Trevor Lamb and Professor Andrew Eder, of the Eastman Dental Institute and Pro-Vice-Provost, UCL.

They are not necessarily looking for the best outcome but the best attempt at treatment supported by references as well as the entrant's insight into their diagnosis and technique.

Julian said: "We have had some great entries in past years and I have been very impressed by the abilities and commitment of the dentists who entered. If you think you might have a case presentation you would like to share, don't hesitate, just enter."

Note to editors

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