

SHAPING THE FUTURE OF DENTAL EDUCATION:

GLOBAL NETWORKING: THE HOW AND WHY FOR DENTAL EDUCATORS

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GLOBAL NETWORKING: WHY and HOW?

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GLOBAL NETWORKING

“Global - (*concerning all parts of the world*): [international](#), [universal](#), [world-wide](#), [planetary](#).”

“Network - group of people who [exchange information](#), [contacts](#), and [experience](#) for professional or social purposes.”

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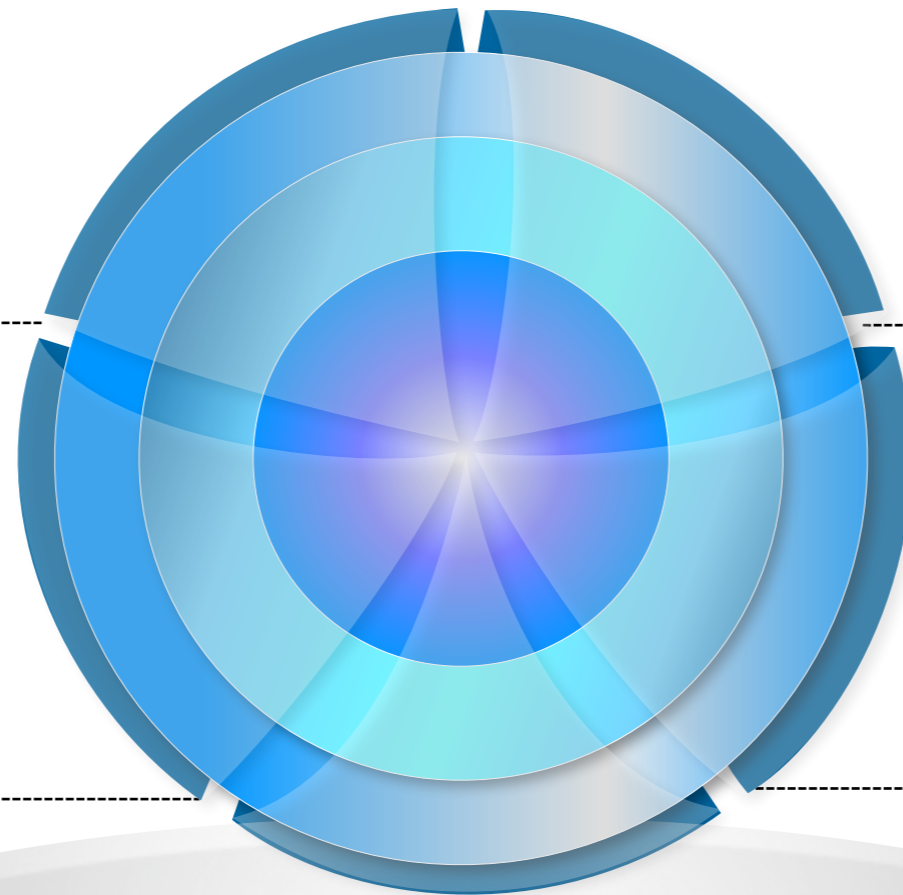
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GLOBAL NETWORKING





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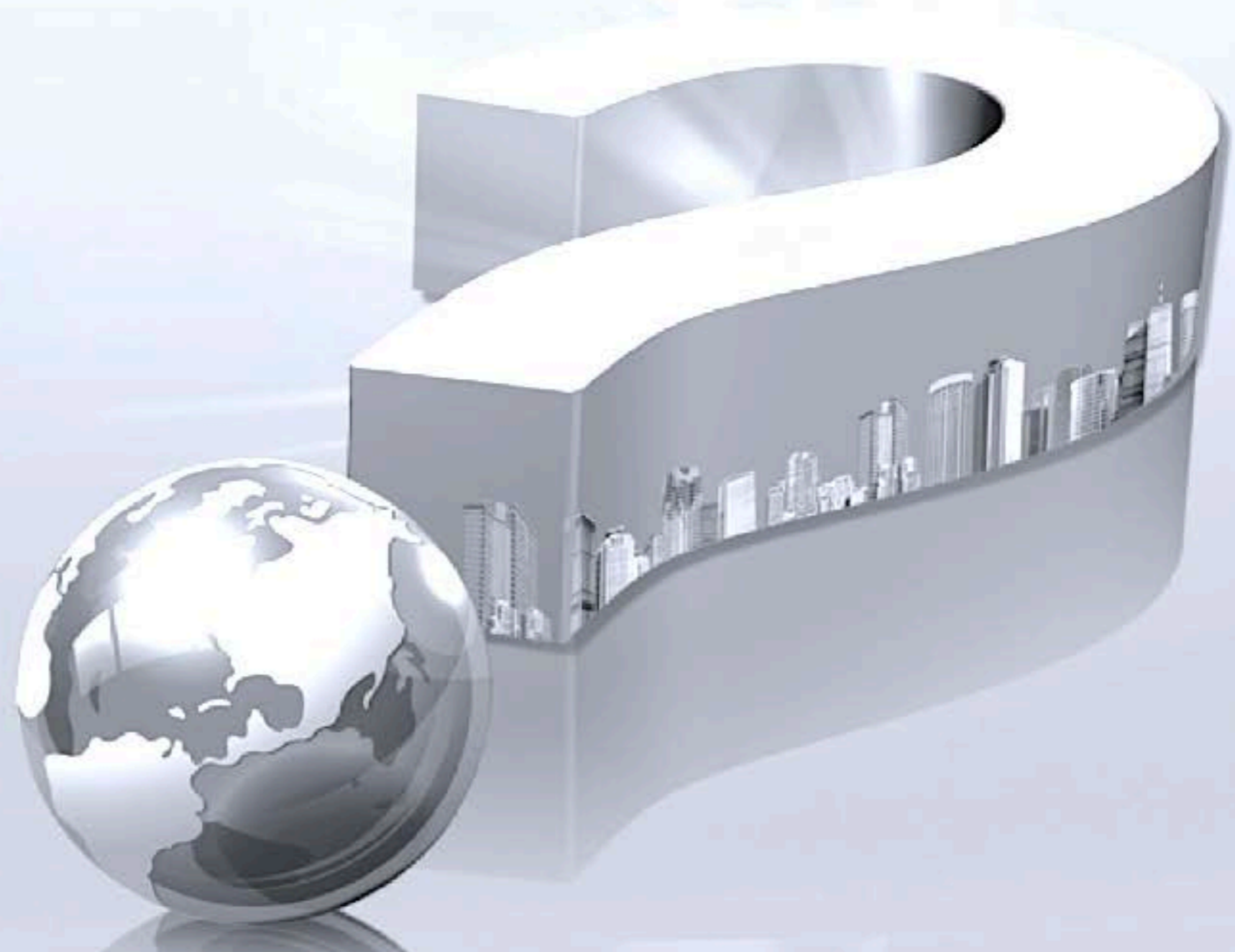
“The world is shrinking and dentistry is becoming more global.”

“Global networking has a major impact on dental education.”

“Significant impact on the future students.”

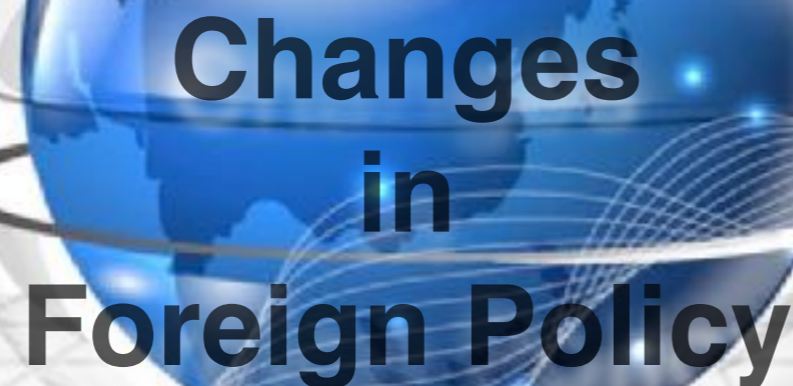
“Strategic learning to the organization.”

“Increase growth of globalization.”



**“In the past it was enough for a nation to look after itself, that is no longer sufficient.”
(Robert Cooper 2006)**

**“The difference between WE and THEY is melting away.”
(Juergen Kleiner 2012)**

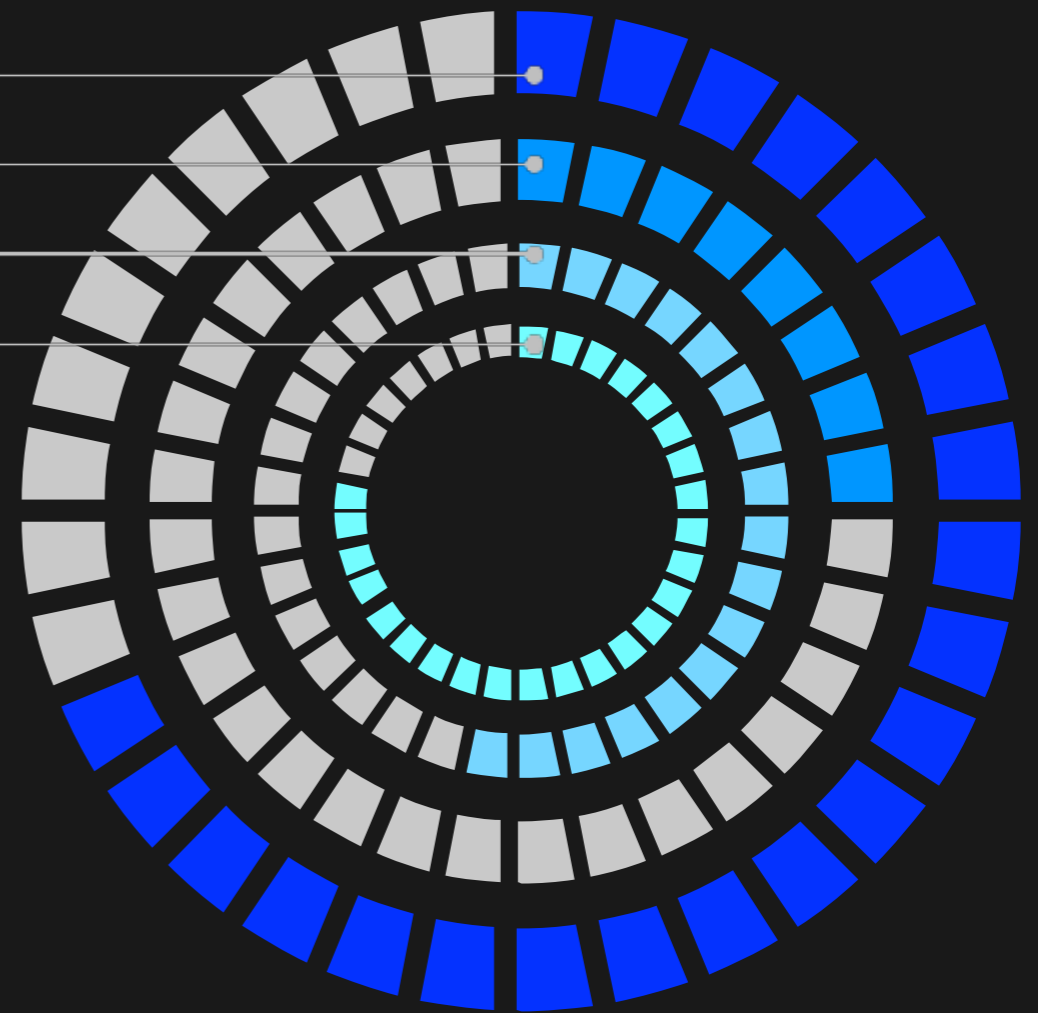


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Academic Institutions

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Global
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Regional
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Dental community

Exchange programs
Technology access
Migration of dentists
Research opportunities
Scholarship activities

Non-Dental community

Community service
Volunteer programs

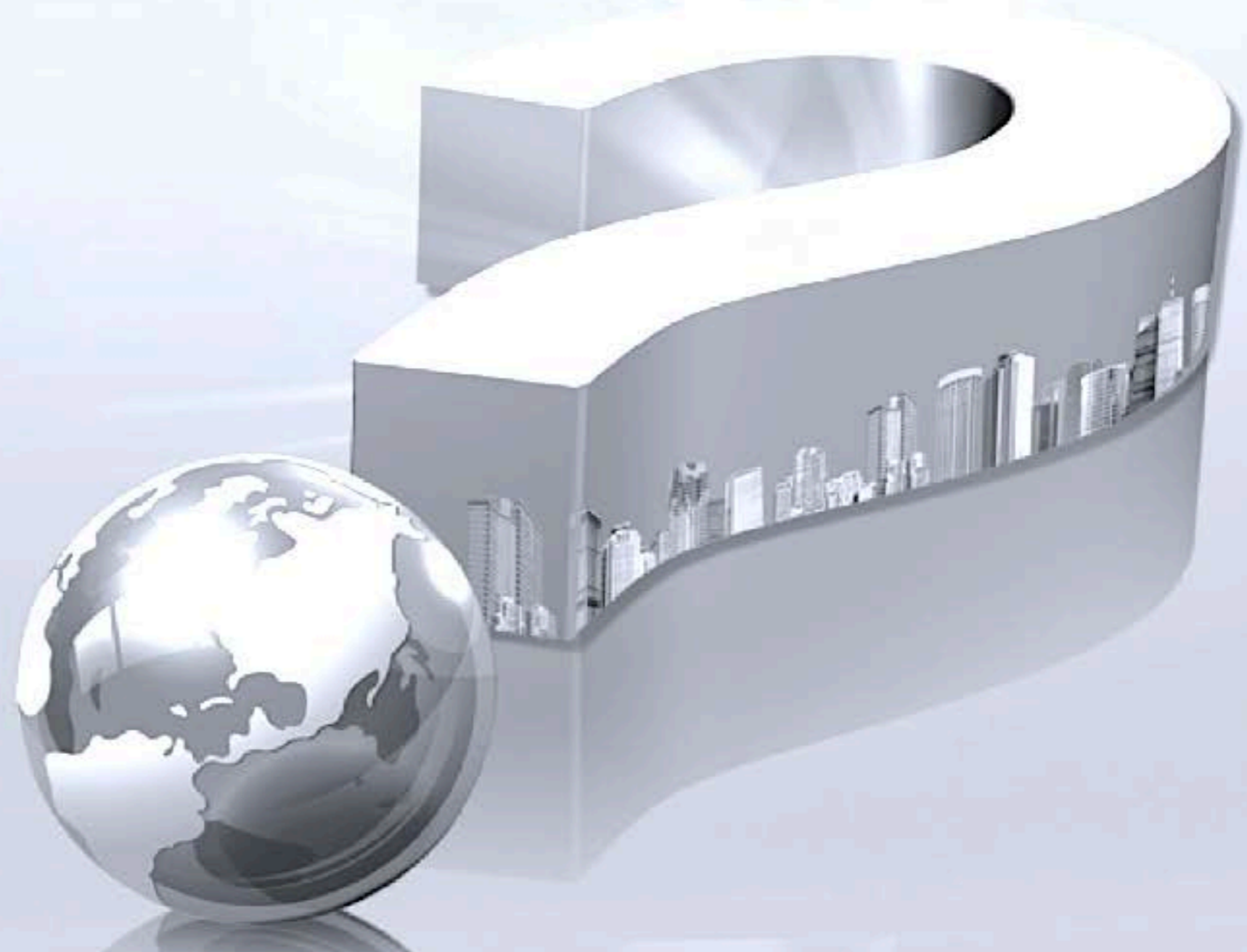


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“An **inner skeleton** you can rely on, the possibility of sharing resources, an helpful outside aid for convincing **colleagues reticent to change.**”

“**Sharing solutions** for common problems, learning **strategies** and **innovative initiatives.**”

“**Network that will raise the consistent standard education globally and ensure access to best practice** in less well developed countries.”



HOW NETWORKING OCCURS AT THE MOMENT?



WHO ARE WE ?

The International Association of Dental Students (IADS) is a non governmental organization that represents dental students in some 60 countries worldwide. It was founded in September 1981, during the first IADE General Assembly that took place in Copenhagen, Denmark.

<http://www.iads-web.org/international-dental-research-program/>
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Individual institutions: TUSDM

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT: HEALTH DIPLOMACY?



CAN WE ESTABLISH A GLOBAL NETWORK?

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THANK YOU!

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