

## **ACP Resident and New Prosthodontist Mentoring Center**

**Gary A. Nord, DMD, FACP** became a member of the ACP in 2012, and has since served on numerous committees and in various positions throughout organized dentistry. From 2020-2022, he served as the Co-Chair of the successful ACP Education Foundation Annual Appeal, surpassing fundraising goals for the foundation in both years. He currently serves as Secretary on the ACP New York State Section Board of Directors, and in 2022 was elected to the ACP Council for the American Board of Prosthodontics.

Dr. Nord was born and raised in Los Angeles, California. He attended the University of Southern California where he was awarded bachelor's degrees in Biological Sciences and Psychology. He went on to earn his Doctor of Dental Medicine degree *cum laude* at the Boston University Henry M. Goldman School of Dental Medicine. While in dental school, Dr. Nord became involved in numerous committees throughout the Boston University Medical Center. He was elected Class President all four years of his training, and served as President of the Student Council in his fourth year. He was appointed to serve on various committees with the Dean and Medical Center Provost, including the Council on Ethics and Professionalism and the Task Force on Diversity and Disparities in Medical and Dental Education. He continues to serve the school as a member of its Alumni Board.

Dr. Nord completed a two year General Practice Residency at Wyckoff Heights Medical Center in Brooklyn, New York, where he served as Chief Resident in his second year. He completed his residency in Prosthodontics at New York Hospital Queens, where he also served as Chief Resident. Dr. Nord became a Diplomate of the American Board of Prosthodontics and a Fellow of the American College of Prosthodontists in 2015. He is also a Fellow of the Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontics.

Since completion of his residency training, Dr. Nord maintains a private practice in New York City, limited to the practice of prosthetic dentistry, as well as a faculty position in the prosthodontic residency program at the VA Medical Center, Manhattan Campus. He is actively involved in helping residents and prosthodontists prepare for the ABP.