

# Course Title: Combining Esthetic Principles In Order To Produce Predictable and Consistent Clinical Results

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## ***Course Synopsis***

When done properly, direct bonding is truly the most creative dental treatment that today's dentist can render. For clinicians, there are difficulties that make material selection a stressful experience. Without proper shade selection or preparation, the results can be unpredictable at best and esthetically unacceptable at worst.

This course is designed for clinicians seeking to improve their skills in order to confidently restore composite veneer cases, from simple to complex. Layering techniques taught in the course will enable the participants to create life-like esthetically pleasing restorations. Polishing and finishing techniques will be reviewed in detail and a step-by-step procedural approach to solving daily anterior challenges will be presented.

By developing the power to observe, understanding tooth morphology, and having a thorough knowledge of color and the relationship between the optical properties of light and a restoration, the clinician can become artistic in their composite restorations.

## ***Course Objectives***

- Increase confidence when restoring composite veneer cases by utilizing predictable methods
- Understanding of layering techniques required to produce natural esthetics
- Exploring various finishing and polishing techniques for creating natural esthetics
- Understanding the four visual dimensions of restoration esthetics; color, hue, chroma, and translucency
- Understanding how to use a composite system properly, employing different opacities and translucencies