

## Curriculum Vitae

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### **Education:**

1970 – B.S. University of Illinois

1970 – DDS with honors University of Illinois – Alpha Omega Award for graduating number 1 out of a class of 92; Omicron Kappa Upsilon Dental Honorary

1974 – MSD in Orthodontics University of Minnesota

### **Faculty Appointments:**

1974-75 – Assistant Professor of Orthodontics University of Minnesota

### **Practice:**

1970-1972 – General dentist United States Air Force

1975-1996 – Private practice Rutland, Vermont

1976-1996 – Cleft Palate Panel for Southern Vermont

1997 to present – Private practice Westlake Village and Agoura Hills, California

### **Professional Affiliations:**

California Dental Association - Member

California Association of Orthodontists - Member

American Dental Association - Member

American Association of Orthodontists - Lifetime Member

American Academy of Craniofacial Pain - Member & Guest Lecturer

North American Association of Facial Orthotropics® - Member, Founding President & Guest Lecturer

International Association of Facial Growth Guidance - Member & Guest Lecturer

American Association of Physiological Medicine and Dentistry - Member, Board Member & Guest Lecturer

Academy of Orofacial Myofunctional Therapy - Advisory Board & Guest Lecturer

Foundation for Airway Health - Member & Guest Lecturer

Academy of Applied Myofunctional Sciences - Member & Guest Lecturer

**Lecturing:**

Local, national, and international speaker on topics including the Orthotropics® technique, orthodontics and the Posterior Airway Space, guidance of tooth eruption and prevention of tooth impaction, facial esthetics, and obstructive sleep apnea's relationship to facial development at venues including the Yankee Dental Congress, American Association of Orthodontists, University of California San Francisco, Medical College of Virginia, South Dakota Society of Orthodontists, West Michigan Academy of General Dentistry Study Club, University of Texas Orthodontic Alumni Association, Harvard University School of Dentistry Orthodontic Program, Stanford University School of Medicine Sleep Center, University of Southern California Odontic Study Group, North American Society for the Study of Orthodontics, Spanish Society for Facial Growth Guidance, International Association of Facial Growth Guidance Symposiums, American Academy of Craniofacial Pain, International Association for Orthodontics, American Academy of Gnathological Orthopedics, Northern California Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry, International Association for Orofacial Myology, International Association of Comprehensive Aesthetics, Academy for Comprehensive Esthetics, LVI Study Clubs, Canadian Chapter of the American Academy of Craniofacial Pain, The Academy of Clinical Sleep Disorders Disciplines, The American Association of Physiological Medicine and Dentistry, Australian Chapter of the American Academy of Craniofacial Pain, The Weston A. Price Foundation - Wise Traditions, Academy of Applied Myofunctional Sciences, American Academy for Oral Systemic Health, The Dental Solution Australia, Institut G. Portmann, The Star of the South Dental Meeting, Dental Ceramics USA, American Equilibration Society, Eastern Washington Medical/Dental Meeting, San Joaquin Dental Society, American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry, California Dental Association, International Association for Orthodontics - Poland, University of Valencia, Ottawa Dental Association

**Recent lecture titles:**

“AIRWAY-kening™ Dentistry...To Become the Center of Health Care”

“Why OSA Would Not Exist”

“Myo + Ortho: A collaborative Preventive Health Care Model”

“AIRWAY-kening™ Orthodontics for All Ages”

“AIRWAY-kening™ Orthodontics & Myofunctional Therapy Working Together to Improve/Save Lives”

“Orthodontic Success in the Coming Post-Retraction World”

“Can Orthodontics Cause OSA? Cure OSA? Or Both?”

**Publishing:**

“Canine Impaction Identified Early with Panoramic Radiographs” Lindauer, Rubenstein, Hang, Anderson, Isaacson; Journal of the American Dental Association, March 1992

“The Magic Number” Hang; Ortodoncia Clinica, No. 1, Vol. 1, 1998

“Impact on Facial Esthetics of Using Broad vs. Narrow Orthodontic Archwire Forms” Hang; Ortodoncia Clinica, No. 2, Vol. 1, 1998

“Facial Esthetic Changes Resulting from Reopening Previously Closed Orthodontic Extraction Spaces” Hang; Ortodoncia Clinica, No. 1, Vol. 2, 1999

“From Crowding to Headaches to OSA: Orthodontics’ 20 Year Metamorphosis from Smile Making to Life Saving” Hang; The Journal – American Academy of Gnathologic Orthopedics, Vol. 22, Number 4, 2005

“Surgery With and Without a Scalpel” Hang; The Journal – American Academy of Gnathologic Orthopedics, Vol. 22, Number 4, 2005

“How Many Years Must a Profession Exist...?” The Journal of Craniomandibular Practice, April 2006, Vol. 24, No. 2

“Exploring Our Future Roles of Orofacial Myology - Becoming a Front Line Warrior in Health Care” International Association of Orofacial Myoogy Newsletter, September, 2006

“Evaluation of the Posterior /Airway Space Following Biobloc Therapy: Geometric Morphometrics”, The Journal of Craniomandibular Practice, April 2007, Vol. 25, No. 2.

“Obstructive Sleep Apnea: Dentistry’s Unique Role in Longevity Enhancement”, Journal of the American Orthodontic Society, Spring 2007.

“Reversing Retractive Orthodontics with Biobloc Orthotropics®”, The Journal of Gnathologic Orthopedics and Facial Orthotropics, Dec 2013, Vol. 30, No. 4

“Airway Centric® TMJ philosophy/AirwayCentric® orthodontics ushers in the post-retraction world of orthodontics”, The Journal of Craniomandibular Practice, March 2017, Vol. 35, No. 2.

“AIRWAY-kening™ Orthodontic Treatment for All Ages”, oralhealth, Mar 2018.

“AIRWAY-kening® Orthodontic/Orthopedic Development: A Correlation of Facial Balance, TMD, and Airway for All Ages”, Temporomandibular Joint and Airway Disorders - A Translational Perspective. Springer. Demerjian, G .Gary, Barkhordarian, Andre, Chiappelli, Francesco Editors.

**Miscellaneous:**

Appeared on London, England's Channel 4 "Tooth Troubles" aired 12/2/99 (British equivalent of "Sixty Minutes") which explored differences in facial esthetics of traditional orthodontics vs. postural orthodontics

Developed an educationally oriented website ([www.facefocused.com](http://www.facefocused.com))

Developed the "Orthotropic® Success Series" videos to assist patients in being success in their Orthotropic® treatment

Developed the Hang Expancer appliance as a part of Orthotropic® treatment – patent granted

Developed the Hang Clasp – patent granted

Developed the ADAPT-LGR® - patent granted

Dr. Hang has patients come from over 25 states and 5 foreign countries for his unique treatment.

Dr. Hang was awarded a Lifetime Achievement Award by the AAPMD "For a Lifetime of Dedication, Innovation and Courage Developing Techniques & Education in Airway Orthodontics and Changing the Lives of Practitioners and Patients",