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## **Jubilee congress of the DGAO e.V. Until 15th September 2018 secure your early bird discount!**

5th Scientific Congress for Aligner Orthodontics  
23rd and 24th November 2018, Cologne, Germany

**Following the outstanding success in 2016, the German Association for Aligner Orthodontics e.V. (DGAO) is now holding its fifth Scientific Congress for Aligner Orthodontics. The topic in this year will be “Aligner therapy – current state and future visions”. This will take place on 23rd and 24th November 2018 in the Cologne Gürzenich.**

At the scientific conferences held every two years by the DGAO, orthodontic surgeons and dentists can familiarise themselves with and discuss the latest developments in aligner treatments. At these events, internationally renowned experts from practice and research report on all available aligner systems.

A comprehensive dental exhibition is also held alongside the congress. The DGAO congress is currently the largest event to offer a corresponding forum that is dedicated exclusively to aligner treatment and is independent of any manufacturer.

### **5th Scientific Congress for Aligner Orthodontics**

**Organiser:** German Association for Aligner Orthodontics e.V. (DGAO)

**Date:** 23rd and 24th November 2018

**Venue:** Gürzenich Cologne, Germany

**Information:** Conference agency: Schwarze Konzept

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**Prices:** DGAO members: € 395 (until 15.09.2018) / € 495

Non-members: € 545 (until 15.09.2018) / € 645

Postgraduate students: € 160 (until 15.09.2018) / € 180

For more details: [www.dgao-kongress.com](http://www.dgao-kongress.com) and [www.dgao.com](http://www.dgao.com)

## Appendix: Speakers and Themes

Speaker	Theme
Battle, Jason	ClearCorrect™ for Advanced Aligner Treatments
Bazzucchi, Andrea	Invisalign® and DSD a new era of digital workflow
Behyar, Masoud	Simultaneous in vitro 3D force measurement with aligner splints
Benattia, Akim	The Digital Workflow for the Aligners
Bittner, Woo Ttum	Aligner vs. lingual treatment - two esthetic treatment options in comparison
Daher, Sam	Accelerated Aligner Orthodontics - Getting better results faster
D'Antò, Vincenzo	Treatment of patients with dentoalveolar asymmetries using Airnivol® aligners
Drechsler, Thomas	Children, adolescents: they all want aligners! - The options for treating teens
Ebert, Phillip-Jan	Study on white spot lesions during treatment with aligners (Invisalign®Teen) compared to MB treatment
El-Bialy, Tarek	Acceleration planning with complex aligner cases and mandibular advancement in adults
El Had, Mohamed	The Contribution of the Invisalign® Technique in the Embellishment of the Smile
Erbe, Christina	Systematic review of the effectiveness of Invisalign® and first prospective results on periodontal marker nuclei
Hammad, Hisham	Aligner Rapid Maxillary/Mandibular Expansion (ARME)
Hitti, Mirette	Retrospective comparison of mandibular proclination in aligner therapy versus the Herbst appliance
Hofmann, Markus	Advancement through knowledge!
Krey, Karl-Friedrich	Suitability of FDM printing processes for manufacturing models in aligner technology – a scientific and clinical evaluation

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León Valencia, Jhonny	Geniova: A new technique with integrated virtual brackets and coated archwires in Clear Aligners
Malekian, Kamy	Ortho-Perio Protocol For Stable Periodontal Patients Treated With Invisalign® Technique
Miethke, Rainer-Reginald Thomas, Michael	The forgotten ones
Nemec, Michael	External root resorption during orthodontic treatment with Invisalign® and multiband therapy
Ojima, Kenji	Accelerated protocols for Aligner treatments
Peylo, Stephan	CA CLEAR-ALIGNER - what is possible!? Application options, profitability and digital workflow for your own practice
Scheurer, Phil	System check - which aligners are good?
Schupp, Werner Ehmer, Ulrike	Functional orthodontics and aligner orthodontics
Schwarze, Jörg Wilmes, Benedict	TADs – the turbo in aligner therapy!
Sonnenberg, Boris	Systematic approach to success
Stucki, Nils	The last word in aligner design is far from having been spoken!
Zach, Michael	Orthodontics without orthodontists?
Zuran, Dietmar	Why aligner treatments do not work

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## **The German Association for Aligner Orthodontics e.V.**

The German Association for Aligner Orthodontics DGAO e.V. is the first scientific association in the field of treatments based on clear plastic aligners. With its headquarters in Stuttgart, Germany, the DGAO evolved from an initiative that was established in November 2007 by experts in aligner orthodontics. Through research, teaching and public relations the association aims to demonstrate and raise the awareness of the benefits while using aligners. It provides a forum for its members, a forum that is independent of any manufacturer.

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