

Implant Soft Tissue Plastics Course

by Dr. Sheng Zhang

The Como Melbourne

630 Chapel St, South Yarra VIC 3141

14 CPD Hours

\$2,500 ^{+GST}

29-30 May 2026

9:00am - 5:00pm

Why Join This Course?



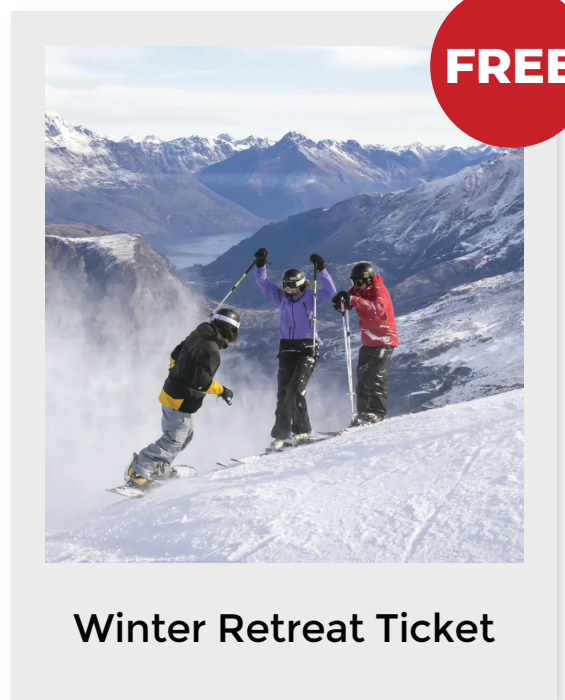
Why your implant cases fail even with perfect osseointegration



The missing piece: peri-implant soft tissue management



Bonus Receive a Winter Retreat Ticket



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Course Director



Dr. Sheng Zhang

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Dr Sheng Zhang is a general dentist with a special interest and practice limited to implants and periodontics. He has studied extensively around the world learning from the leaders in the field and completed numerous externships in Europe and USA.

Dr Sheng has specifically designed this course for those who are just embarking on their dental implantology education and it is a culmination of knowledge that he wishes had been instilled in him when he first started his implant journey.

Course Overview

This course explores the importance of soft tissue around dental implants and its role in aesthetic, functional, and long-term health outcomes. As implant dentistry evolves, peri-implant mucosa is increasingly recognised as critical, even more than bone in certain situations.

Participants will gain an understanding of peri-implant mucosa, including its importance and long-term biological behaviour. The course also covers how to achieve adequate keratinized tissue thickness to provide a biological seal against implant disease and maintain stable mucosal margins.

In addition, various procedures will be introduced to maintain or improve peri-implant mucosa across five critical soft tissue management timings. The course places a strong emphasis on split thickness flaps and the use of autologous tissue grafts.

Learning Outcomes

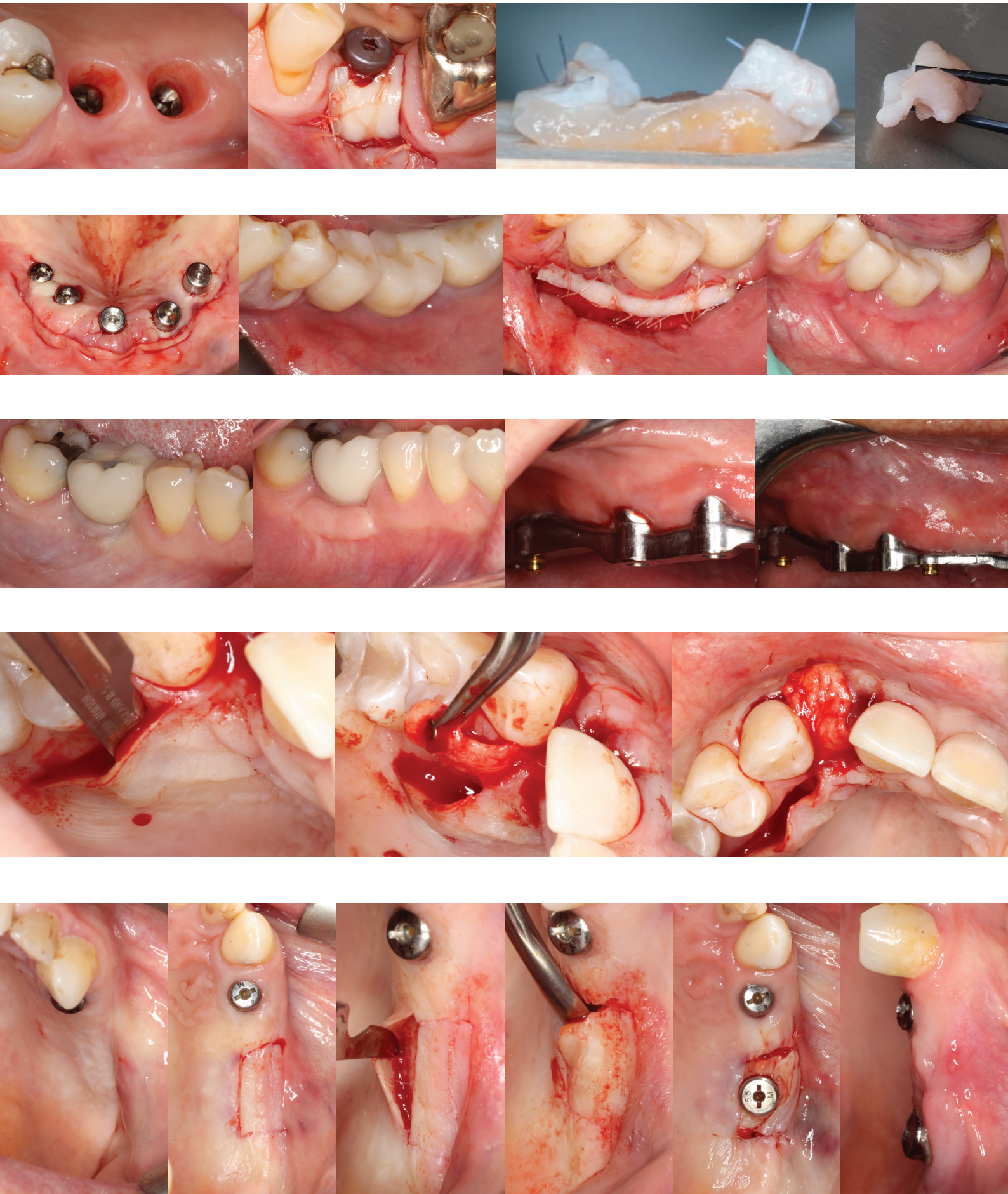
Participants will be able to:

- Identify the different time points for soft tissue augmentation to improve dental implant outcomes
- Develop surgical skills to manage soft tissue prior to implant placement, at the time of placement, and during surgical uncovering
- Develop natural emergence profiles around implants and understand the importance of critical and subcritical restorative contour (EBC)
- Apply advanced surgical techniques for implants in the aesthetic zone

Participants will also gain extensive hands-on clinical training on implant models and pig jaws, performing procedures such as:

- Roll flaps
- Apically repositioned flaps
- Palacci flaps
- Poncho techniques
- Split finger flaps
- CTG pedicle flaps
- Aesthetic tunnel approaches
- Iceberg techniques
- Modified Tinti flaps
- Kazanjian vestibuloplasty

Clinical Cases



Bonus



Winter Retreat Ticket

Experience a unique clinical retreat in Queenstown, where learning goes beyond the lecture room. This complimentary seminar offers practical, real-world insights into implant treatment planning, soft tissue management, and decision-making — all in an immersive environment designed for both education and relaxation.

Enjoy stunning alpine views, connect with like-minded clinicians, and unwind with free-flowing canapés, wines, and social networking sessions. From hands-on learning to unforgettable experiences like skiing and outdoor activities, this retreat combines professional growth with lifestyle.

Take a step away from the clinic, gain new perspectives, and return with the confidence to make better clinical decisions.

*Flights & accommodation not included

Speaker Dr. Sheng Zhang

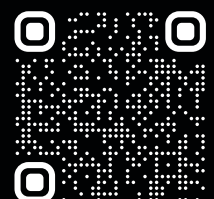
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