PRESENTING THIS ISSUE

Foreword

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We are concluding the year 2010 with a variety issue... in which we shall talk again about hyperdivergence, an inexhaustible orthodontic subject.

Julia COHEN-LEVY, Sophie ROZENCWEIG and Professor Jean DELAIRE show us the multiple facets of hyperdivergence. Delaire’s three-dimensional digitized “tridim” highlights the influence of mandibular morphology on malocclusion and explicates for us the consequences it has for our treatment plans.

Bruno BONNET uses clinical cases to illustrate how the indispensible cooperation between ENT specialists and orthodontists can help our patients’ faces to develop, can stimulate ventilation, and can encourage the proper eruption of teeth in resolving what he calls “facial insufficiency”.

Doctor Olivier REVOL, a pediatric psychiatrist presents a resume of the conference he led last June that we found fascinating for two reasons, first, because the teenagers whose at home behavior he described so well can sometimes be found demonstrating that same behavior in our offices and, second, because Doctor REVOL has a great deal of talent.

Julien PHILIPPE enchants us once again with the depth of his knowledge and the skill of his pen.

And we are delighted to discover that Doctor René BONNEFONT, with the participation of Jean CASTEIGT, Jean-François ERNOULT, and Olivier SOREL has proven that it is still possible to create diversity in the already crowded field of cephalometric analysis. Part two of their report will appear in the next issue.

J. B. BEUGRE and his collaborators have offered us the records of a hyperdivergent patient they treated with a combined orthodontic and surgical approach that did not quite achieve the desire result. But the ministrations of a prosthodontist were able to complete the treatment and provide the patient with a harmonious smile.

And in the CECSMO rubric, Arnaud COSTI sums up the conclusions of his memoire presented at the Dental Department of Paris 7 on the use of mini-screws in orthodontics.

We wish you all many hours of enjoyable and profitable reading as you peruse this final issue of 2010.