



Press Contest: and the winners are...

From the 17th of September 2018 till the 1st of February 2019, GC Europe organised Initial™ LiSi Press Facebook contest. To be able to win one of the beautiful prizes, dentists were encouraged to upload their Initial LiSi Press case in the "GC Initial World" Facebook group with the hashtag #InitialLiSiPressContest. An international jury, led by MDT Michael Brüsck and Bill Marais, chose the winning cases that are shown below.

1st WINNER



Stephan van der Made (The Netherlands)

started his career as a goldsmith and gemstone cutter. He made a career switch to dental technology and graduated in 1996 as an all-round dental technician with the focus on crown and bridge works. In 2007, he founded Kwalident Dental Studio B.V., a laboratory specialised in ceramics, full rehabilitations and complex dental treatments. In 2018, he founded the course centre 'CUSP' to host international courses for dentist and dental technicians.



Marco Gresnigt (The Netherlands)

graduated Summa Cum Laude in 2005 at the university of Groningen, the Netherlands. In January 2012, he obtained his PhD on clinical and laboratory evaluation of laminate veneers. Besides working at the university, he works as a dentist in a centre for special care. Marco lectures at the Center for Dentistry and Oral Hygiene, where he is the current head of restorative dentistry and teaches master students in a specialised program on aesthetics and prosthetic dentistry. He works together with national and international researchers on studies and has published several articles on minimally invasive and adhesive dentistry in high-impact-factor dental journals. He obtained several international awards. Marco is a member of the international Bio-Emulation group.

This is a case of a young patient diagnosed with Amelogenesis Imperfecta. The patient was treated before with direct resin composite restorations in the anterior region to decrease the sensitivity of her teeth and to change the unattractive aspect of the affected enamel. The patient was unhappy with her teeth and felt social discomfort, therefore she asked for restorations with a brighter appearance.



Fig. 1: Initial situation at intake



Fig. 2: Intra-oral situation, it is clearly visible that some composites were made to improve the aesthetic appearance.



Fig. 3: Right side of the patient



Fig. 4: Left side of the patient



Fig. 5: Upper anterior jaw of the patient



Fig. 6: The surface aspect of the Amelogenesis Imperfecta is clearly visible



Fig. 7: Lower jaw



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