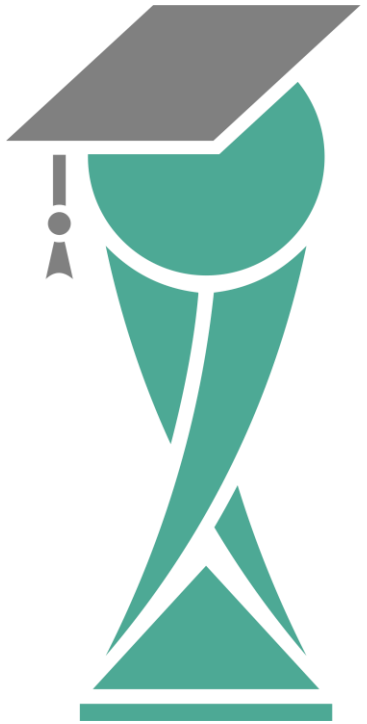
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Junior & Senior cases/university – only 1 case accepted per student



1

Case posted on FB/Instagram between 1st Jan & 10th June 2027 before 12A.M. Registration document & Declaration of Consent signed

2



National Jury selects the best case in each category

3





Presentation by national Junior & Senior winners in Leuven, Belgium on 24-25 Sep 2027

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2 European winners in each category
+ 1 Facebook winner
+1 Instagram winner

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Rules for National Competition

Who can participate?

- All universities can participate
- Students can compete in **2 categories:**
  - undergraduate- **Junior: Cusp By Cusp Technique in Posterior Class II Teeth**
  - postgraduate students- **Senior: Injection Moulding Technique in Anterior Teeth**

- Each university can submit cases, but only one case per student will be accepted
- Per **region** a maximum of **70** cases in total (35 junior & 35 senior) is accepted

Rules for National Competition

How to participate?

- The interested universities will receive a free of charge kit for each student
- For students in the **Junior category**:
  - G-ænial Universal Injectable, syringe A1, A2 & A3
  - everX Flow Syringe Dentin shade
  - G-Premio Bond,
  - Clinical guide, articles and documentation for registration



- For students in the **Senior category**:
  - Injection Moulding Kit: G-ænial Universal Injectable Syringe in A1, A2, A3 & Exaclear
  - G-ænial Universal Injectable, syringe JE,
  - G-ænial Universal Injectable, syringe A02
  - G-Premio Bond
  - Clinical guide, articles and documentation for registration





- This bag/kit will be delivered personally by a GC representative who will explain cusp-by-cusp and Injection Moulding Technique (IMT) and the rules of the contest;

- The contest is based on the photographic documentation of a clinical step-by-step case with G-aenial Universal Injectable and everX Flow using cusp-by-cusp technique for undergraduate students and IMT for postgraduate students.



Rules for National Competition

Where and when?

- Cases need to be posted on "GC Academic Excellence Contest" open group page in Facebook or Instagram mentioning Name and University and quoting "GC Academic Excellence Contest 2026" **between January 1st and June 10th, 2027 before 12A.M.** Cases not posted or posted after this date, will not be considered for the contest.

- Participants can invite their friends to like their case on Facebook/Instagram

- **Besides publishing** their cases on Facebook https://www.facebook.com/groups/gcacademicexcellencecontest / Instagram https://www.instagram.com/gc.academic.excellence.contest/ the participants **have to send the following elements to the GC representative:**
  - **The case inside the given power point format**
  - **The duly filled and signed Registration Form & Declaration of Consent**

- The **Declaration of Consent** also includes the right to use pictures of the participants taken during the local & European ceremonies & events. In case this document is not received before the end date of the competition, the participation will not be considered.

PowerPoint presentation template: Undergraduate Category

1. Case description
    a. Anamnesis & Age
    b. Chief complaint & expectations from patients
2. Pre-operative view
    a. 1 Occlusal view
    b. Optional: 2 Side views in maximum intercuspidation
3. Description of treatment plan
4. Shade selection
5. Prepared tooth
6. Matrix placement
7. Bonding application
8. Build-up of approximal wall
9. Placement of everX Flow for dentin replacement
10. Placement of G-aenial Universal Injectable occlusally using cusp-by-cusp technique (preferably each step in one picture)
11. Finishing & Polishing
12. Final situation
13. Occlusion check
14. Final situation at recall
15. Optional: postoperative x-ray

PowerPoint presentation template: Postgraduate Category

1. Case description
    a. Anamnesis & Age
    b. Chief complaint & expectations from patients
2. Pre-operative view
    a. 1 Frontal view with smile
    b. Optional: 2 Side views
3. Description of treatment plan
4. Wax-up creation
    a. Optional: Impression / scan
    b. Optional: creation of the silicone key
5. Shade selection
6. Prepared teeth
7. Bonding application
8. Fitting of the silicone key
9. Injection process with G-aenial Universal Injectable
    a. Isolation / moisture control
    b. Injection phase (indicate the used technique with pictures)
    c. Light-curing
10. Finishing & Polishing
11. Final situation
    a. Optional: occlusion check
12. Final situation at recall

Rules for National Competition

Criteria for evaluation of clinical cases:

- Anamnesis description
- Quality of treatment plan
- Originality & complexity of the case
- Marginal adaptation
- Color match & characterization
- Anatomical reproduction
- Texture
- Quality of final result
- Quality of pictures
- Use of characterization effects
- Quality of presentation & Didactics (fluency of speech, aesthetic quality of the slides, clarity of delivered explanations, theoretical knowledge)



Independent Jury



Junior & Senior awards

Award

- A local independent jury will evaluate the cases and selects 1 or 2 winner(s) per category (Junior & Senior).
- 1st prize winners of each National Contest (1 Junior & 1 Senior student) are awarded with a trip to Leuven to participate in the GC Academic Excellence Contest Final on 24 & 25 September 2027.
- The tutors of the Students are also invited to join the event

Additional European Social Media Awards

- By encouraging their Facebook and Instagram friends to comment/share/like their cases, 1 student in Europe can also take a chance on winning the Facebook award and another one the Instagram award.



Facebook & Instagram Winner

Rules for European Competition

Who can participate?

- 1st prize winners of each National Contest (1 Junior & 1 Senior student) are awarded with a trip to Leuven to participate in the GC Academic Excellence final
- Tutor of student is invited to join

When?

- 24 & 25 September 2027

Program?

- Day 1 (afternoon):
  - all local 1st prize winners will present their cases in max 5-10 min. presentations to an International Jury
  - dinner in Leuven + award ceremony
- Day 2 (full day): Master course on direct restorations with state-of-the-art GC materials



Final contest in Leuven, Belgium





Day 1: Presentation & Award Ceremony





Day 2: Master Class with hands-on

Rules for European Contest

Criteria for selection

- Same as National Contest

Awards

- 1st Prize Senior: 1000 € + publication of an article in GC Get Connected (European Magazine from GC)
- 1st Prize Junior: 1000 €
- 2nd Prize Senior: 500€
- 2nd Prize Junior: 500€
- Facebook Prize: 250€ (highest amount of ‘Likes’)
- Instagram Prize: 250€ (highest amount of ‘Likes’)
- Audience Prize: 250€

Follow-up

- Press release, communication via social media, publication of cases…





Dates

1 Jan- 10 June 2027 before 12A.M.: Clinical cases are posted by the students on Facebook and Instagram

17 June 2027: An independent jury awards the winners at local level & informs names to GCE

10 Sep 2027: deadline for students to send PPT presentation to GCE Leuven

24 & 25 Sep 2027: GC Academic Excellence Contest European final at GCE Campus



Participants to the 2026 Contest

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