KEELIN E. HURTT

EDUCATION

D.M.D. Candidate University of Connecticut School of Dental Medicine Anticipated graduation May of 2026

2022- Present

Bachelor of Science St. Lawrence University, Canton, NY

2018-2022

Major: Biology; Minor: Public Health

Academic Honors and Awards: Summa Cum Laude, Dean's List all semesters

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Chair of Fundraising, ASDA District 1

Spring 24-Spring 25

• Organize, manage, and recruit funds for ASDA District 1.

Fellow and Student Liaison, ADEA Dental Careers Fellowship Program

Fall 24-Fall 25

• Explore academic dentistry via research and teaching components culminating in poster presentation.

Faculty Coordinator, South Park Dental Clinic

Fall 24- Present

• Establish faculty attendance for weekly student based dental clinic at local homeless shelter.

Fundraising Committee (Member 23-24, Chair 24-25), UConn ASDA

Fall 23-Present

• Coordinate fundraising events for UConn ASDA Chapter.

Co-President, Student Professionalism and Ethics Association (SPEA) UConn Chapter

Fall 23-Present

Aid in SPEA chapter growth at UConn via event organization and advertisement.

Treasurer, Women in Dentistry (Chapter of American Academy of Women Dentists)

Fall 23-Spring 24

• Manage club funds and participate in club events.

Participant, Coast2Coast for a Cause

Summer 2023

Raise money for local Connecticut organization and bike from Seattle, WA to Madison, CT.

Student Representative, VITAL Course Operational Committee

Fall 22-Spring 24

• Provide the student perspective in discussions surrounding the VITAL course cirriculum.

CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE

Future Planned Attendance:

ADEA Annual Session National Harbor, Maryland

March 2025

ASDA Annual Session Kansas City, Missouri

February 2025

Greater New York Academy of Prosthodontics Annual Session New York, New York

December 2024

ASDA National Leadership Conference Chicago, Illinois

November 2024

ASDA Annual Session Denver, Colorado

February 2024

ACD Regency I Leadership Conference at Yankee Dental Boston, Mass

January 2024

RESEARCH/POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Current Research and Planned Presentation:

"Applying the Project ECHO Model as an Interprofessional Education Resource to Promote Patient Centered Interprofessional Care" PI: Dr. Sree Raghavendra, DMD March 2025
"Air Quality Improvements and Decreased COPD Prevalence"
3rd Place- UConn Martin Luther King Jr. Day Poster Presentation January 2024

American Dental Education Association (ADEA)	Fall 24- Present
Student Professionalism and Ethics Association (SPEA)	Fall 23- Present
American Student Dental Association (ASDA)	Fall 22- Present

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

Planned Service Trips:

• Dental Service Trip to Ponce, Puerto Rico

May 24th-May 31st 2025

• Dental Service Trip to Rio Grande, Texas

July 19th- July 26th 2025

Miracle League Baseball

Fall 2024

• Support child with special needs of varying degrees to assist their weekend baseball experience.

Stand Down Veterans Event Norwich, CT

September 2024

• Provided oral health screenings, oral hygiene instructions, and appropriate referrals to veterans.

Best Buddies Fall 24- Present

• 1 to 1 friendship program for adults with intellectual or developmental disabilities.

Acing Autism Fall 23- Present

• Work 1 on 1 with child with autism to improve tennis skills and socialization.

New London Community Meal Center

Fall 22- Present

• Prepare, serve, and clean up meals on the second Sunday of every other month.

Special Olympics Special Smiles

Fall 22- Present

• Provide oral health screenings, mouthguard fabrication, and fluoride varnish for athletes.