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Facial Reconstruction

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Only Available in the Dundee Area

Each face is unique. The skull is the basic armature for the face and directly influences the facial proportions and the musculature. It is therefore possible to sculpt the face of an individual into the skull following an anatomical method.

Since faces are fascinating, faces from the past hold a particular fascination. The reconstruction method has also been used to "bring life" to the faces of many individuals from archaeological investigations, including many Ancient Egyptians, bog bodies and historical figures.

This talk will cover how, with the development of clinical imaging and computer technology, it is now possible to recreate the face of an individual using virtual sculpture systems.

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