**Supplemental Figure.** Scattergrams of pre- and posttreatment hearing results according to *Gurgel et al. 2012* for 20 patients (24 implants).

A, B: unaided preoperative; C, D: aided postoperative values.

A, C: AMEI (n = 13), in brackets: 4 patients thereof who later received a SIBCD due to failure of the AMEI; B, D: SIBCD (n = 11), in brackets: 4 patients thereof who had had an AMEI earlier that had to be explanted.