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The abstract deadline is approaching!
Present your latest research and findings at the IADR General Session with WCPD, when IADR returns to an in-person format in Bogotá, Colombia in 2023. If you are interested in submitting an abstract for presentation consideration, please carefully review the information below.

Don’t miss the January 24, 2023 deadline!

Abstract Submission for IADR/LAR Scientific Program and the WCPD Scientific Program

Abstracts for both the IADR/LAR General Session scientific program and the WCPD scientific program will be submitted through the IADR/LAR General Session with WCPD ScholarOne Abstracts system. Abstracts submitted as an IADR/LAR General Session Submission type will be peer reviewed for presentation consideration only as an Interactive Talk Presentation for the IADR/LADR General Session scientific program taking place on June 21-24, 2023.

Abstracts submitted as the WCPD Abstract Submission type will be peer reviewed for presentation consideration only as an Interactive Talk Presentation for the WCPD scientific program taking place on June 24-25, 2023. Delegates can submit abstracts to be considered for presentation at both the IADR General Session and the WCPD, but please note there are separate submission fees for WCPD abstracts and IADR General Session abstracts.

Registration

Presenters and delegates of the 12th World Congress on Preventive Dentistry (WCPD) are welcome to arrive early and participate in the IADR General Session (June 21-24) for one registration fee! We will announce the opening of the registration site as soon as it goes online.

Awards

Apply for the following awards when you submit an abstract for the 2023 IADR/LAR General Session! The abstract deadline is January 24, 2023.

- Centennial Travel Award for New Investigators
- Colgate Research in Prevention Travel Award
- KULZER Travel Award
- Lion Dental Research Award
- Newell Johnson Travel Award
Exhibit and Sponsorship Opportunities

Interested in showcasing your company’s impact and influence on the industry through hands-on demonstrations for key thought leaders, researchers in the field, potential employees, and future researchers? Visit https://www.iadr.org/2023IAExhibits and reserve your spot on our exhibit floor! You can also have a look at our many sponsorship opportunities to promote your products and services.

Important Deadlines

- Abstract Submission Close: **January 24, 2023**
- Decision Notifications sent to Presenters: **late-March 2023**
- Presenter Pre-registration Deadline: **April 19, 2023**
- Exhibit application Deadline: **April 21, 2023**
- Pre-registration Deadline: **May 1, 2023**

For more information, visit: https://www.iadr.org/2023iags

**EVENTS**

**Robotics & Artificial Intelligence: Targeting Oral Health Care in Africa in the Digital Age**

January 9-10, 2023
Robotics & Artificial Intelligence: Targeting Oral Health Care in Africa in the Digital Age

Session 1 - Monday, January 9th @ 1 p.m. EST

Morenike Ukpong
Obafemi Awolowo University
Nigeria

Maha El Tantawi
Alexandria University
Egypt

Nicolas Giraudieu
University of Montpellier
France

Ahmed Mahrous
Iowa State University
United States

Mona Ghoneim
Alexandria University
Egypt

Session 2 - Tuesday, January 10th @ 1 p.m. EST

Rania El Backly
Alexandria University
Egypt

Karim Fawzy
Cairo University
Egypt

Moustafa Aboshelib
Alexandria University
Egypt

Hala Ali Maher
King Salman Int. University
Egypt

Moataz Khamis
Alexandria University
Egypt

Rania Afifi
Alexandria University
Egypt

Ahmed Mobarak
Alexandria University
Egypt

Ahmed Holeil
Alexandria University
Egypt

Hossam Mohamed
Alexandria University
Egypt

Marwan Ali
Alexandria University
Egypt

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NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS
IADR Elects Pamela Yelick as IADR Vice-president

Members of the International Association for Dental Research (IADR) have elected Pamela Yelick, Tufts University School of Dental Medicine, Boston, Mass., USA, to serve as Vice-president.

Her term will commence at the conclusion of the 101st General Session of the IADR, which will be held in conjunction with the 9th Meeting of the Latin American Region and the 12th World Congress on Preventive Dentistry, from June 21-25, 2023 in Bogotá, Colombia.

As a member of IADR for 30 years, Yelick has been actively involved in numerous activities and has contributed to the organization as a member of numerous committees, as well as serving as Treasurer on the Board of Directors of the American Association for Dental, Oral, and Craniofacial Research, Associate Editor of the Journal of American Dental Association Frontiers Science, Co-organizer of the IADR Women in Science Network, and a member of the JDR Editorial Board, among others.

Read the press release here.

WHO Launches Global Oral Health Status Report

The World Health Organization (WHO) recently launched its global oral health status report that provides a comprehensive picture of oral disease burden and highlights challenges and opportunities to accelerate progress towards universal coverage for oral health.

IADR’s President-elect, Dr. Brain O’Connell provided comments on the impact of this report on oral health research during its launch.


In addition, work is currently underway to develop regional report summaries for each of the WHO regions with plans to release by end of first quarter 2023. Additionally, the Global Oral Health Action Plan 2023-30 is currently being finalized following the public consultation that took place in August-September 2022. IADR has provided comments on this action plan during the public consultation period.

It is anticipated that the action plan will be published on the website by the end of December 2022,
in anticipation of the WHO Executive Board EB152 meeting from January 30 – February 7, 2023. IADR is thrilled to see so much traction for oral health globally!

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**Expression of Interest: National Oral Health Research Strategy**

The Canadian Institutes of Health Research’s (CIHR) Institute of Musculoskeletal Health and Arthritis (IMHA) is developing a National Oral Health Research Strategy and would like to engage members of the research community.

IMHA will provide a range of options for members of the oral health research community to contribute to that Strategy. One of those options will be an in-person meeting in Ottawa on **Wednesday, March 29, 2023**. The goal of that meeting will be for various interested parties to identify themselves, highlight their areas of interest and expertise and meet each other. The full suite of engagement opportunities is not yet developed and will be created during 2023. We envisage that the National Oral Health Research Strategy will take 12-18 months to develop. It will be a living strategy and it will be shaped by the oral health research community.

If you are interested in contributing to the National Oral Health Research Strategy there are several options for you to do so as follows:

1. Email the CIHR-IMHA inbox to ensure you are on the mailing list for the strategy.
2. Suggest names of individuals you feel would be essential in developing a National Oral Health Research Strategy by emailing the CIHR-IMHA inbox.
3. If you are interested in attending the in-person event in March 2023, please submit an expression of interest outlining your desire to be selected.

**Submission deadline: January 10, 2023**

*Please note that the event will be by invitation only*
Apply for a CIHR-IMHA Inclusive Research Excellence Prize

Attention to all Canadian researchers relevant to the broad IMHA mandate areas! CIHR Institute for Musculoskeletal Health and Arthritis (IMHA) has launched its Inclusive Research Excellence Prizes competition.

Important Dates:

- Applicant Webinar: **January 17, 2023**
- Application Deadline: **February 23, 2023**
- Notice of Decision: **June 29, 2023**
- Funding Start Date: **July 1, 2023**

Through this competition, IMHA supports further research and knowledge mobilization activities for eligible applicants and recognizes fundamental knowledge creation, multiple ways of knowing, non-traditional research methods, and outputs.

This opportunity provides support for research in the following five domains: Research Impact, Team Science, Open Science, Patient Engagement, and Indigenous Health Research.
The total amount available for this funding opportunity is $875,000, enough to fund approximately 35 $25,000 grants in form of prizes in FY 2022-23. Of the total amount, $175,000 is available to fund up to seven prizes in each research domain.

View the funding opportunity and mark your calendars! We look forward to meeting you on January 17 at the applicant webinar and getting your questions answered.

For general inquiries, please contact imha-iala@cihr-irsc.gc.ca.

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Call for IADR Award Applications & Nominations

Important Deadlines

- IADR STAR Network Academy Fellowship – January 24, 2023
- IADR Innovation in Oral Care Award – January 30, 2023
- IADR Osteology Foundation New Investigator Award in Oral Tissue Regeneration – January 30, 2023

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Access Exclusive Content on the IADR Webinar & Continuing Education Library

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Featured Content:

- Robotics & Artificial Intelligence: Targeting Oral Health Care in Africa in the Digital Age (coming soon!)
- New Breakthroughs in Craniofacial Bone and Tooth Pulp Research Frontiers
- 2022 AADOCR Fall Focused Symposium: Accelerating Translation of Tissue Engineering and Regenerative Medicine Technologies in the Dental, Oral, and Craniofacial Space
COVID-19 Resources

As the global pandemic continues, IADR is committed to keeping you informed of the latest information impacting dental, oral and craniofacial research, and we have created a COVID-19 Resource Page. We will continue to add resources as they become available.

DONATE

As the end of the year approaches, YOU can have a huge impact on oral health research by making a gift to IADR as part of your annual giving.

There are only **16 days left in 2022** to show your support for IADR!

Donate Now!

Dr. Lois Cohen has generously committed an estate gift to become the inaugural member of the IADR Legacy Society!

"IADR has always been the anchor for so many communications and nurturing solid relationships over the years, binding our community together."

Lois Cohen, National Institutes of Health and inaugural IADR Legacy Society member

Thank you in advance for your investment in IADR!
FUTURE MEETINGS

January 12-14, 2023
8th Annual Conference of Pak Association for Dental Research (IADR Pakistan Section)
Lahore, Pakistan

February 17-19, 2023
33rd Annual Meeting of Indian Society for Dental Research
New Delhi, India

March 15-18, 2023
52nd Annual Meeting & Exhibition of the AADOCR
47th Annual Meeting of the CADR
Portland, OR, USA
Registration Open Now!

June 21-25, 2023
101st General Session & Exhibition of the IADR
9th Meeting of the Latin American Region
12th World Congress on Preventive Dentistry
Bogotá, Colombia

March 13-16, 2024
102nd General Session & Exhibition of the IADR
53rd Meeting of the AADOCR
48th Meeting of the CADR
New Orleans, LA, USA

Click here to see all future IADR Division/Region/Section meetings.

The Global Research Update is a monthly e-newsletter for IADR members. If you have items you would like to include, please forward them to gru@iadr.org by January 2, 2023 for the next issue.