

IFEA. OCEANIA REGENT REPORT. AUGUST 2023

Warmest Greetings to all IFEA Members.

IFEA Oceania Members

- Australian Society of Endodontology ASE
- New Zealand Society of Endodontics NZSE
- Endodontic Society of The Phillipines ESP
- Indonesian Endodontic Association IEA

General Comments

- Oceania Endodontic Societies are been reporting business as usual.
- No major issues have been raised since the last meeting with the Oceania Regent.
- There have been general reminders regarding upcoming meetings, World Endodontic day and Research Grants.
- It is noteworthy that the Current IFEA President, Dr Alan Nerwich, is the third from our region, in the history of IFEA.

IFEA BOD Meeting

To be discussed

RESEARCH GRANTS

Information Distributed to Members.

J-M Laurichesse Research Award

The International Federation of Endodontic Associations (IFEA) established a Research Award in 1993. It was subsequently named the I.F.E.A. - Jean-Marie Laurichesse Research Award.

The objectives of the Award are to:

1. Stimulate and promote research in the field of endodontics among investigators worldwide.
2. Establish and/or strengthen professional and research collaboration amongst IFEA investigators.
3. Disseminate internationally the excelling research activity of IFEA members.

The annual grant for this award is \$6000 USD (maximum).

Please refer to IFEA website for further details.

FUTURE WECs

Please remember to mark in your diaries and check websites.

14th WEC 2024 Glasgow, Scotland

Theme: “Endodontics at various stages of life”.

15th WEC 2026 Sydney, Australia. (Dr Bill Kahler, Dr Oliver Pope head the organizing committee)

OTHER IMPORTANT EDUCATIONAL EVENTS

All member Organizations produce ongoing endodontic educational events (online and live) for their members during the year. **Please refer to the corresponding websites for further details.**

MAJOR EVENTS IN 2023

Oceania region

ASE

There is major Endodontic Day planned for Saturday 23rd September in Sydney. This is organised by the ASE (Australian Society of Endodontology). This is available for all dentists to attend.

The program is a very exciting one with international and local speakers including our esteemed not-to-be missed Secretary, Dr Gopi Krishna!

This will precede the FDI World Congress in Sydney.

Please refer to the ASE website for further details.

ANZAE

For Endodontic Specialists or specialists in training, there is also a Meeting run by ANZAE (Australian and New Zealand Academy of Endodontists) on Friday 22nd September.

The principal speaker will be Dr Chih-Mong (Max) Tsai, who will be discussing and providing insights into the vexed problem of Neuropathic pain in dentistry.

Please refer to the President of ANZAE, Dr Morgan Wu (of Australia), for further details.

Events in Other Nearby Region

APEC

APEC (Asian–Pacific Endodontic Confederation) will be having their

principal 22nd Scientific Congress in Taipei, Taiwan between August 25th to 27th. This also promises to be a stimulating event.

Please refer to website for further details.

Future Events

The 8th Tran-Tasman Endodontic Conference will be held on the Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia from 30 May - 1 June 2024 at the Star Event Centre.

TTEC Conferences are renowned for their strong emphasis on clinical relevance, always with the underpinning of biological and materials sciences. For further details on the 2024 event go to

www.tteconference.com

OTHER

The ASE is in the process of producing position papers in several areas of endodontic interest to clarify and satisfy the needs of third parties.

No other reports or matters for discussion have been received from Oceania members, as at 31 August 2023.

It has been my privilege to act as IFEA Oceania Regent during this time.

Dr Ennio Rebellato
IFEA Oceania Regent
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