# NEWSLETTER: WINTER/SPRING 2015 ELECTION ISSUE CRANIOFACIAL BIOLOGY GROUP INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR DENTAL RESEARCH

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## **REQUEST: NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS (ELECTIONS)**

Be a part of the team that builds the General Session/Annual Meeting programs!

Craniofacial Biology Group wants YOU!

Nominations (including self-nominations) are requested for the following Craniofacial Biology Executive Committee positions:

## Vice-president (one position)

Elected to a four-year cycle that includes one year successively in each of the following offices: Vice-President, President-Elect, President, Immediate Past-President. This leadership position entails administration of the Sarnat competition (year 1), acting as program chair for annual meeting (year 2), arranging symposia, lunch & learn sessions, and submit the President's Report (year 3), oversee elections and advisory functions (year 4).

# Councilor (one position)

Elected to a three-year term with the primary responsibilities to attend the annual IADR and AADR Board meetings and to present a report on these meetings at the annual Craniofacial Biology Group Business meetings.

#### Director (two positions)

Elected to a three-year term with primary responsibilities to attend the Craniofacial Biology Group Executive Council and Business meetings held during the annual IADR and AADR/CADR meeting(s) and to provide input or assist as necessary with topics identified at the meetings.

Nominees must be members of the Craniofacial Biology Group. The nominee must agree to be nominated and, if elected, they must agree to serve. Each nominee must submit a 250-word or less biographical sketch as well as a facial image of themselves.

Submit your nomination(s) as soon as possible, or by the deadline-Saturday, February 21, 2015 to: Immediate Past President, Sarandeep Huja, (<a href="mailto:sarandeep.huja@uky.edu">sarandeep.huja@uky.edu</a>) and please copy the Secretary-Treasurer, Geoffrey Guttmann, (<a href="mailto:sguttmann@cogeco.ca">sguttmann@cogeco.ca</a>) with the 250-word biographical statement and facial image.

Elections will follow and run Wednesday, February 25 until 7:59 a.m. EST, Thursday, March 5. Thank you for being a part of the Craniofacial Biology Group!

# 2015 IADR/AADR ANNUAL MEETING AND EXHIBITION (MARCH 11-14, 2015): BOSTON, MA, USA

(Also see <a href="https://15iags.abstractcentral.com/planner.jsp">https://15iags.abstractcentral.com/planner.jsp</a>)

Craniofacial Biology Group Business Meeting: Thursday, March 12, 5 p.m. – 6 p.m., Meeting Room 201 (Hynes Convention Center)

Craniofacial Biology Group Joint Reception (with Mineralized Tissue and Pulp Biology and Regeneration Groups): Thursday, March 12, 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m., (following Business Meeting) Meeting Room 201 (Hynes Convention Center)

# **Craniofacial Biology Oral and Poster Sessions:**

Wednesday, March 11, 2015

1:30 p.m. – 3 p.m.; **Craniofacial Anomalies** Chair(s): Carol Bassim and Soraya Beiraghi Meeting Room 203 (Hynes Convention Center)

1:30 p.m. - 3 p.m.; Craniofacial and Dental Development and Genetics

Chair(s): Achint Utreja and Rena D'Souza Meeting Room 103 (Hynes Convention Center)

3:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.; SYM. Biomineralization With a Twist - Novel Insights From Animal Models

Jointly sponsored with Mineralized Tissue

Chair(s): Jian Feng

Organizer/Chair(s): Dobrawa Napierala

Meeting Room 101 (Hynes Convention Center)

3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.; **HOW. Construction and Superimposition of 3D Surface Models** 

Organizer(s): Lucia Cevidanes

Meeting Room 205 (Hynes Convention Center)

Thursday, March 12, 2015

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.; SYM. Animal Models for Craniofacial Development and Disease

Organizer/Chair(s): Ophir Klein and Pamela Yelick Meeting Room 308 (Hynes Convention Center)

10:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.; Keynote Address; Craniofacial Biology

Chair(s): Ophir Klein and Hong Zhang

Meeting Room 103 (Hynes Convention Center)

2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.; Poster Session Hall C (Hynes Convention Center)

## Signaling in Craniofacial Development

#### TMJ Development and Disease

3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.; Poster Session Hall C (Hynes Convention Center)

# Molecular and Biochemical Advances in Craniofacial Biology

Friday, March 13, 2015

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.; SYM. Novel Approaches for Dental, Oral and Craniofacial Tissue

Regeneration

Chair(s): Weibo Zhang

Organizer/Chair(s): Pamela Yelick

Meeting Room 206 (Hynes Convention Center)

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.; Biology and Practice of Orthodontics

Chair(s): Madhur Upadhyay and Sylvia Frazier-Bowers Meeting Room 103 (Hynes Convention Center)

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.; TMJ, Condyles and Chewing

Chair(s): Laura Iwasaki and Jeffrey Nickel

Meeting Room 203 (Hynes Convention Center)

10:45 a.m. - 12:15 a.m.; Models of Craniofacial Development and Disorders

Chair(s): Pamela Yelick and Marybeth Francis Meeting Room 103 (Hynes Convention Center)

2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.; Poster Session Hall C (Hynes Convention Center)

## Craniofacial Bone and Cartilage Biology

# **Orofacial Clefting**

3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.; Poster Session Hall C (Hynes Convention Center)

#### Molecular and Clinical Orthodontics I

#### **Tooth Development and Renewal**

Saturday, March 14, 2015

8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.; Craniofacial Biology of Teeth, Jaws and Bones

Chair(s): Lexie Holliday and James Cray

Meeting Room 202 (Hynes Convention Center)

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.; Normal and Abnormal Craniofacial Development

Chair(s): Erin Ealba and Brad Amendt

Meeting Room 103 (Hynes Convention Center)

10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.; **Tooth Development** 

Chair(s): Joy Richman and Gili Naveh

Meeting Room 103 (Hynes Convention Center)

2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.; Poster Session Hall C (Hynes Convention Center)

#### Craniofacial and Dental Syndromes and Development

#### Molecular and Clinical Orthodontics II

3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.; Poster Session Hall C (Hynes Convention Center)

## Craniofacial Shape, Movement and Morphometry

#### **Molecular and Clinical Orthodontics III**

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