



IADR Mineralized Tissue Research Group

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News and Views

Greetings MTG members! Please join us at the 2023 IADR/LAR General Session & Exhibition Annual Meeting & Exhibition. We have an exciting and diverse scientific program including symposia, oral sessions and interactive talk sessions. Sessions are outlined on the following pages. **Dr. Stefan Habelitz** (University of California, San Francisco) and **Dr. Patricia Miguez** (University of North Carolina) will finish their term as President and Community Science Liaison, respectively. Thank you for your service! **Dr. Alvaro Mata** (University of Nottingham) will become our new President, **Dr. Sophia Houari** (Centre de Recherche des Cordeliers, Paris) will become our new President-Elect and **Dr. Xiaohua Liu** (Texas A&M, Dallas) will become our new Vice President. They will assume their positions at the conclusion of 2023 IADR/LAR General Session & Exhibition with WCPD in Bogotá, Colombia.

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Call for board nominations

We are currently seeking nominations and self-nominations for the Vice-President, Councilor/Community Liaison, Online Community Liaison and Nomination Coordinator positions for 2024-2025. Please submit your application to karina.carneiro@utoronto.ca.

MTG Online Communication

The MTG twitter account is **@IADR_MTG**. The MTG website is [here](#). Please contact karina.carneiro@utoronto.ca in case you would like to share relevant information (e.g., job posting, recent article, conferences) with our online community.

Upcoming conferences

14th International Conference on the Chemistry and Biology of Mineralized Tissues (ICCBMT)

Oosterbeek, Netherlands | October 22-27, 2023
Abstract submission can be found [here](#).

Gordon Research Conference – Bones and Teeth

Gavelston, TX, United States | January 28 - February 2, 2024
Abstract submission can be found [here](#).

MTG sessions at the 2023 IADR/LAR General Session & Exhibition with WCPD

The 101st meeting of the IADR, 9th meeting of the LAR and 12th WCPD is being held LIVE & IN PERSON on June 21-24, 2023 in Bogotá, Colombia. MTG-sponsored sessions are listed below. The meeting website can be found [here](#). The meeting app can be downloaded at:



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Friday, June 23

Distinguished Lecture - From Nanoscale Chemical Tomography to Prediction of Macroscopic Properties: A Vision for Enamel Research

Presenter: Derk Joester (Northwestern University – Chicago)

9:45 AM to 10:45 AM

Session ID: 148

Location: Salon TUVW

Dental Materials and Tissue Structure

11:00 AM to 12:30 AM

Session ID: 159

Location: salon G – Level 2

Sponsoring Group/Network(s): Mineralized Tissue

Saturday, June 24

**Gene Expression and Transcription in Dental
Tissues**

2:00 PM to 3:30 PM

Session ID: 230

Location: Salon J – Level 3

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Tissue