

# International Association of Dental Traumatology

## IADT Newsletter October 2016 Volume 10

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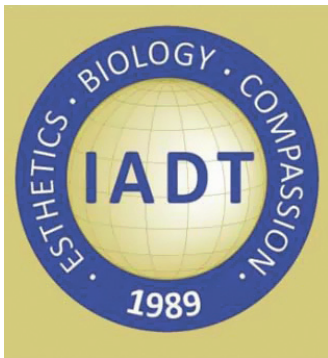
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Greetings to all IADT members and friends,

The last months have been a frantically busy time for your president. I have moved from Kuwait back to Australia, commenced work at a new university, completed a book and worked almost daily on the **19th World Congress on Dental Traumatology (WCDT)**. With still two months to go at the time of this writing, there are already more than 680 registrants for this August conference in Brisbane, a third of whom are from outside Australia. There is still time to register, so join us for what will be a fantastic event.

The IADT officers have met on a number of occasions to conduct business. The Board of Directors will meet in Brisbane on Wednesday, 10th August, to discuss important resolutions. Of significance is a proposal to change our Bylaws to allow **elections for officers and directors to be held in the same calendar year**. This change will prevent the recurring anomaly where a director vacancy occurs each time an officer election is held. An added benefit will be the president and a new board will take office on the same date in January. To facilitate this Bylaws change, it is proposed that the terms for current directors be extended by one year for one time only.



Amongst other things, the IADT's Mission Statement has been revised, a survey of the membership has been drafted, and planning has commenced for the next two world congresses. Planning is well underway to hold the **2018 WCDT in San Diego, California** in the United States. In addition, the Board will meet in Brisbane with Professor Yi Gong and a delegation from China to discuss a proposal to hold the **2020 World Congress in China**. Officers of IADT are interested in hearing from members who may contemplate hosting a future WCDT in their country.

The IADT Officers agree that it is time to review the IADT colors and logo, and to redesign the website so that it is "mobile friendly". The Honors and Awards Committee is considering IADT awards. The Fellowship Program has had a terrific start. Changes in the guidelines for Life Membership are being considered. President Elect Nestor Cohenca, Treasurer Lamar Hicks and Director Frederic Barnett met formally with the Executive Committee of the American Association of Endodontists (AAE) recently in San Francisco to discuss how the two Associations can work even closer together. The AAE's President Elect, Dr. Garry Myers, has been invited as IADT's guest to attend the WCDT in Brisbane.

Full details of a new **IADT case competition**, open only to IADT members, will be announced in the next newsletter. Winning cases will be published on the website and considered for publication in the Journal.

As you can see it has been a very busy time for your Executive. On behalf of the entire Board, I wish you well and look forward to meeting many of you in Brisbane in August for the 19th World Congress.

Warm wishes to all,

Alex J. Moule  
*President*

▶ Become an IADT Fellow!

▶ Encourage your  
colleagues to join  
IADT today

[www.iadt-dentaltrauma.org](http://www.iadt-dentaltrauma.org)

## 2. The 'Japan Association of Dental Traumatology'

Getting to know the "Japan Association of Dental Traumatology"



日本外傷歯学会  
Japan Association of Dental Traumatology

The Japan Association of Dental Traumatology (JADT) was established in 2001. The first President was Professor Koukichi Matsumoto (DDS, PhD) of Showa University, Tokyo. In 2002, Emeritus Professor Mitsutaka Kimura of Kyushu Dental University became the second President of JADT and continues to serve in that position.

JADT has approximately 1,000 members, including honorary and life members, and has two regional branches, the East and West Japanese Blocks. Each Block holds its own scientific meetings every year. The members hail from many dental disciplines, ranging from Pediatric Dentistry, Endodontics, Oral Surgery to Oral Radiology and Oral Pathology. Research interests of JADT focus on both the diagnosis and the treatment of dental traumatic injuries. The official journal of JADT, the Journal of Japan Association of Dental Traumatology (JJADT), is published annually.

JADT held its first General Assembly and its first annual Scientific Congress at Showa University, Tokyo, in 2001. In subsequent years these events have been held alternately in different sites including Okayama, Nagoya, Osaka, Hokkaido and Fukuoka. Most recently (July 2015), the 15th session of the General Assembly and the annual Scientific Congress were held at the Kitakyushu International Conference Center under the auspices of President Professor Yasuhiro Morimoto, Division of Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology, Kyushu Dental University, Kitakyushu, JAPAN. This meeting was held in conjunction with the 7th Conference of Asian International Association of Dental Traumatology (AADT).

*Professor Mitsutaka Kimura- President of JADT*



Fig. 1: Opening ceremony of the 7th Conference of Asian International Association of Dental Traumatology-AADT- (the right: Prof. Kimura, President).



Fig. 2: Opening ceremony of the 15th Conference of Japan Association of Traumatology-JADT- (Prof. Morimoto, Conference President).





Fig. 3: International symposium members 7th AADT (the left: Dr. Irie).



Fig. 4: Poster viewing of the 7th Conference of AADT.

### 3. IADT: An international association with members worldwide

#### 2016 IADT Membership by Country

Country		Country	
ARGENTINA	7	LEBANON	3
AUSTRALIA	61	MALAYSIA	7
AUSTRIA	4	MEXICO	1
BELGIUM	9	NETHERLANDS	12
BRAZIL	20	NEW ZEALAND	10
BRUNEI	2	NIGERIA	5
BULGARIA	2	NORWAY	12
CANADA	19	PAKISTAN	0
CHILE	29	PAPUA NEW GUINEA	0
CHINA	27	PARAGUAY	2
COLOMBIA	3	PHILIPPINES	4
CROATIA	4	POLAND	5
CYPRUS	1	PORTUGAL	10
DENMARK	8	PUERTO RICO	1
ECUADOR	1	QATAR	1
EGYPT	0	ROMANIA	5
FINLAND	1	RUSSIAN FEDERATION	4
FRANCE	6	SAUDI ARABIA	8
GERMANY	27	SINGAPORE	1
GHANA	1	SLOVENIA	3
GREECE	5	SOUTH AFRICA	1
GREENLAND	1	SPAIN	24
HUNGARY	1	SWEDEN	11
ICELAND	1	SWITZERLAND	13
INDIA	14	SYRIA	1
INDONESIA	1	TAIWAN	0
IRAN	20	THAILAND	0
IRELAND	8	TUNISIA	4
ISRAEL	7	TURKEY	11
ITALY	6	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	4
JAPAN	14	UNITED KINGDOM	28
JORDAN	1	UNITED STATES	201
KOREA (SOUTH)	5	URUGUAY	3
KUWAIT	6	VIET NAM	1

These figures show that IADT is unquestionably an international organization. Invite your colleagues to become IADT Members and thus join our global dental traumatology community !: If your country is not listed above, grab the opportunity and enjoy the status of being your country's first IADT member.

## 4. The “Dental Trauma App”



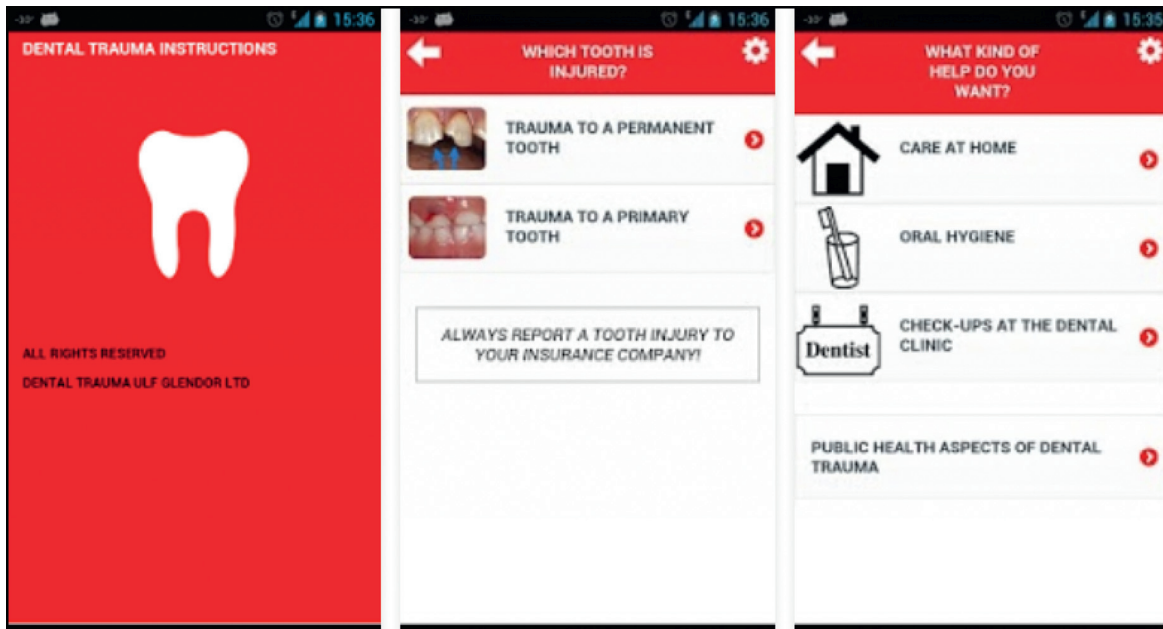
### Dental Trauma First Aid "App"

Link to one of the two stores below for details



How to take care of a dental trauma at the scene of an accident. This app shows what to do...

*Translated in 18 languages*



Be ready at all times and remember what to do on an emergency situation by loading IADT’s “Dental Trauma App” in your mobile phone. Once loaded, you can consult the App anytime, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and as many times as you want.