

Embracing change

Readers of this issue of the journal are sure to notice that further changes are afoot. Earlier this year, we introduced a new journal cover and name change – from EJOI (European Journal of Oral Implantology) to IJOI (International Journal of Oral Implantology) – to better reflect the range of the journal's readership. To complement those earlier transformations, we are now excited to introduce the journal's new editor-in-chief and editorial board. This team is now in place and working to carry on the excellent inroads this journal has made under the leadership of former Editor-in-Chief Marco Esposito and his team.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank Dr Esposito for setting the groundwork for this fine journal in his 11 years at the helm. Through publication of articles based on reliable scientific evidence, he has been instrumental in maintaining the journal's high impact over the years, which concomitantly raised its awareness among the dental community. We bid adieu to Dr Esposito and his editorial board, with thanks for their service and best wishes in their future endeavours.

Dr Craig Misch, our new editor-in-chief, needs no introduction to those in the dental implant field. Briefly, Dr Misch completed a residency programme

in prosthodontics following dental school, after which he became board certified in oral implantology, received his Master of Dental Science, and then completed a residency programme and became board certified in oral and maxillofacial surgery. Dr Misch currently maintains a private practice in Sarasota, Florida, specialising in oral and maxillofacial surgery and prosthodontics, with an emphasis on reconstructive surgery and dental implants.

We are so pleased to have Dr Misch, with his vast and well-rounded experience in implant dentistry, and his accomplished associate editors and reviewers, join us to continue to promote excellence in dental implantology through this journal. We anticipate more positive changes as the journal continues to grow under their leadership.

Greetings from Berlin,



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