



## IFEA IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT REPORT 2022

BOD Meeting Thursday, November 10th, 2022  
AGM, Saturday November 12th, 2022

Dear Colleagues,

I would like to say that it is a very much privilege and a great honor for me to have the opportunity to serve as the Immediate Past President of our Federation since 2020.

Speaking on the 12<sup>th</sup> World Endodontic Congress (WEC) 2021 on-site after 2020 on-line India, it was a continuation of a special feature of IFEA with such successful outcomes in this unusual Covid 19 pandemic situation. In the name of us all, I would like to thank all the organizing people, participants and sponsors. Dr. Anil Kohli the Congress President and Dr. Gopi Krishna, the Congress Secretary and all Local Organizing Committee members are to be complimented for their successful achievement in 2021.

Following the 2021 on-line Annual General Assembly Meeting held in September 2021, the Immediate Past President have worked with the Executive Officers in many things including Minutes of the meetings, banking access, membership payment, and the progress of 13<sup>th</sup> WEC *et al.* Without tireless effort of our Executive members and continuing and active support by Joe and Karen Maggio and Sam Dorn, it would not be possible. I very much appreciate them.

It was a hard thing that Argentine endo society had no choice but to give up the 13th WEC due to Covid-19 pandemic. However, it was our great fortune that Chile endo society took over the 13th WEC in South America. Even though the preparation time is very short and the world economic situation is not good enough to have good support, Chile society is making a great WEC with a good and very strong will. I would like to thank Dr. Nicolas Ferraro and the Local Organizing Committee members for their great effort.

As the person who invited a sponsoring company, I thank B & L BIOTECH for its generous and continuing sponsorship. The website would not be possible without its support.

As this will be the last occasion, if you excuse me, I reflect for a moment. I first became actively involved in IFEA in 2000 as Secretary in Athens Greece. My last six years of Secretary, two years of President-Elect, two years of President, and last two years of this Immediate Past President have been the most honorable time for me in my life. I thank very much all the passionate people who have worked together: Past Presidents Dr. Anthony Hoskinson, Dr. Joseph Maggio, Dr. Patrick Bogaerts, Dr. Samuel Dorn, and Dr. Mark Wotzke, and the past Regent Directors and Committee Chairs and Country Member Societies.

Finally I thank the current President Dr. Catherine Ricci, President-Elect Dr. Alan Nerwich, Secretary Dr. Gopi Krishna, and Treasurer Dr. Elisabetta Cotti, and the Regent Directors and Committee Chairs and Country Member Societies for their generous, passionate and well-organized efforts for our organization. I wish the new Executives and Boards, and member societies, led by the IFEA new President Dr. Alan Nerwich the greatest success for the future. After this Meeting, I will miss you all, and I, as a common person, will continuously support our Federation from the deep heart.

Thank you.

Respectively submitted

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