



International College of Fellows-BSE – Annual Meeting

World Biomaterials Congress, Montreal, Quebec
Thursday, May 19th, 2016
The World Biomaterials Congress 2016
Palais des congrès de Montréal
Room 513DEF

AGENDA

1. Welcome and Introduction- by Joachim Kohn (Chair)
2. Mission of the International College of Fellows (ICF-BSE) and the role of the IUS-BSE.

The ultimate vision of the ICF-BSE is to become a well-recognized, highly esteemed international organization focused on the advancement of biomaterials science and engineering.

As such, it is the goal of the ICF-BSE to be an advisory entity charged with such tasks as advising biomaterials societies, universities, and government agencies on all matters relating to the field of biomaterials science and engineering.

3. Steering Committee Introduction
4. Concepts for the Future: Opportunities and Activities
 - a. International student exchange program
 - b. Fellows Debates at major meetings
 - c. Website development with a much improved presentation of each fellow
 - d. Networking among Fellows
 - e. A “Fellows Award”
 - f. Increased opportunities for Fellows input into the programming of major events
5. Challenges
 - a. Sustainability of the organization (Membership donation)
 - b. Improvement of the Fellows nomination process
 - c. Improved communications with all Fellows
 - d. Support for new and developing societies- South Africa or Pan African
 - e. Request electronic feedback from Fellows
6. Update on WBC 2020 in Glasgow