



Linking the international community of tissue engineers and regenerative medicine scientists

2021 Membership

RENEWAL REMINDER

If you have not yet renewed your membership dues to TERMIS for 2021, the renewal process is smooth and easy.

Renewal notices have been sent out multiple times since January 2021 via email (termis.memberclicks.net) that include your invoice. Click on the link to view invoice and follow the steps.

Reach out to the [Executive Administrator](#) if you need your invoice resent to you or if you have any questions.

You can also complete the membership application.

[Membership Application](#)

Letter from the President

Dear TERMIS Members,

I hope that your 2021 is off to a good start; winter is finishing and spring starting in the Northern hemisphere and Autumn starting in the southern hemisphere- both beautiful times of the year. I hope that everyone continues to be healthy.

This year, 2021, marks TERMIS' 15 year anniversary! Our Founders had a vision to connect the tissue engineers and regenerative medicine scientists worldwide and their vision came to fruition in 2005. We will celebrate this milestone at the World Congress in Maastricht in November.

As a reminder, TERMIS has moved to its membership model to the annual payment of membership dues to assist the Society through this period without conducting any conferences. Membership dues are \$100 USD for regular members and \$25 USD for students/young investigators. Those members within the Emerging Countries are free to be members, you just need to complete the membership application. If you have any questions about your membership or require us to resend you your invoice, please feel free to reach out to the [Executive Administrator](#).

Notice: TERMIS is using a new platform to send out dues renewal notices. The email notice is sent by MemberClicks, so please be on the lookout for this in your junk box and ensure to mark

this as safe, so any future communications from TERMIS that are sent by the platform will arrive in your inbox.

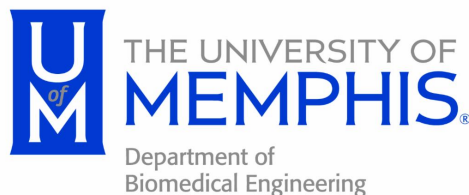
We are excited to announce that the 2021 World Congress has received over 2,050 abstracts. I would like to thank the organizers of the 2021 World Congress (Lorenzo Moroni (Maastricht University; chair), Liesbet Geris (University of Liege, KU Leuven; co-chair), Stefan Jockenhoevel (RWTH Aachen, Maastricht University; co-chair) for continuing to take on the task of organizing a conference in the middle of a pandemic not knowing how the World Congress will proceed (in person, virtual or hybrid). It is our hope that by November, we will see all of you in The Netherlands in person collaborating, interacting and sharing your latest research with our community.

I would like to say thank you to our Governing Board, the Chapter Councils and of course you, OUR MEMBERS, for continuing to support our Society to ensure that we have the ability to continue on through these extraordinary times.

Thank you!

Sincerely,
R. Geoff Richards
TERMIS President

Chair of Excellence - Biomedical Engineering



The University of Memphis (UofM) invites applications and nominations for a **Chair of Excellence** to join and lead research and development programs in **additive manufacturing, biomanufacturing, or bioprinting in the broad areas of musculoskeletal systems, tissue repair/regeneration as it applies to musculoskeletal and or dental-craniofacial implant systems**. The Chair of Excellence position provides leadership in the Joint BME Graduate Program at the UofM and University

of Tennessee Health Science Center (UTHSC) and offers many opportunities for collaboration and innovation across engineering, science, manufacturing, entrepreneurial and medical disciplines at both universities in a vibrant entrepreneur-friendly city that is a hub for the medical device industry.

[To apply, click here.](#)

Member Accolades

Beginning in 2021, TERMIS would like to begin to recognize our members, who have received accolades (awards that you have received acknowledging your work in the field). If you would like to be recognized in the newsletter, please send the relevant details to the [Executive Administrator](#).

- **Molly S. Shoichet, PhD, FRSC, NAE, O Ont - University of Toronto**
 - National Awards
 - Margolese National Brain Disorders Prize, 2020
 - CIC Medal, 2021 (jic, CIC stands for Canada Institute of Canada)
 - NSERC Herzberg Gold Medal, 2020
 - Order of Canada, 2018-
- **Gordana Vunjak-Novakovic, PhD - Columbia University**
 - 2021 AIMBE Pierre Galletti Award Recipient - For impactful innovations in technologies to generate, understand, and utilize functional human tissues, especially in regenerative engineering, studies of development and disease, while inspiring the next generation of practitioners.
- **Tony Weiss, AM PhD, FRSC, FTSE, FRACI CChem, FRSN, FAIMBE, FAICD, FBSE, FTERM - University of Sydney**
 - The National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) have given Professor Tony Weiss AM an NHMRC Leadership Fellow Investigator Award totaling \$2.9m over 5 years, and named him an NHMRC Leadership Fellow. This generous grant ensures that he can pursue unimpeded, funded research while retaining his current roles as McCaughey Chair in Biochemistry and Professor at the University of Sydney.

- **2021 Class Orthopaedic Research Society (ORS) Fellows** - (Listed below are the ORS Fellows, who are also TERMIS members)
 - Mauro Alini, PhD
 - Stuart Goodman, MD, PhD
 - Gun-il Im, PhD
 - Gang Li, MD, PhD
 - George Muschler, MD
 - Geoff Richards, PhD
 - Robert Sah, PhD
 - Rocky Tuan, PhD
 - Michael Yaszemski, MD, PhD
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2021 TERMIS World Congress



TERMIS 2021 World Congress update

We would like to inform you that we have received a record breaking number of 2050 abstracts! Given the current circumstances, we humbly think that this is a great achievement and shows us that the TERMIS community is determined to attend the congress in November 2021 in Maastricht.

The abstract submission has now closed and all reviewers have been invited. All submitters will receive a notification in April 2021. As of 31st of May the preliminary program will be available on the congress website.

In case you would still like to contribute to the congress, we are happy to announce that you can send in your late breaking abstract proposal as of 1st of May 2021. More information will be available soon.

TERMIS 2021 World Congress Survey

We would love to hear your opinion regarding possible tailored adjustments that could be made to the World Congress. This will help us make decisions that need to be made due to the COVID-19 pandemic, which are suitable for everyone. Answering the survey will take approximately 5 minutes and responses will be completely anonymous.

If you have any questions about the survey, please do not hesitate to contact us via e-mail at: info@termis2021.org.

Thank you in advance for your participation in this survey on the TERMIS 2021 World Congress.

2021 World Congress Survey

If you have any questions regarding the 2021 TERMIS World Congress, please contact:

Congress Secretariat
Klinkhamer Group | conferences & events
P.O. Box 1308
6201 BH Maastricht, the Netherlands

E: info@termis2021.org
T: +31 (0)43-36 27 008

TERMIS Webinars Recordings

All members of TERMIS have access to view the webinars that have been recorded with permission by the speakers via access within the Members Only portal. If you have any questions on how to access the portal, please reach out to the [Executive Administrator](#).

Members have access to all of the TWIGs webinars, SYIS Virtual Webinar Series, SYIS-EU Interviews, Chapter Awards Presentations and webinars organized in collaboration with AST and ISBF.

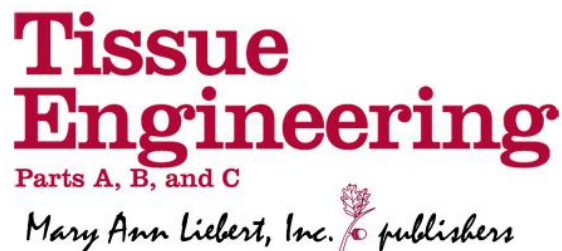
Members Only Portal Login

Members Only Portal

Our membership portal enables our members to access

- the official journal of TERMIS, *Tissue Engineering, Parts A, B and C* published by Mary Ann Liebert, Inc.;
- the Springer Updateable Book Series Chapters;
- your membership profile;
- the TERMIS Community Forum and Social Community (search for members, interact, etc.)
- as indicated above, the recordings of the various webinars TERMIS has conducted over the last year.

Tissue Engineering, Parts A, B and C The official journal of TERMIS



Members of TERMIS receive free online access to Tissue Engineering.

Login to the membership portal to gain access today!

Latest Special Issues

- [Special Issue: Drug and Disease Testing Model Systems: Part 1 \(February 2021, Part C\)](#)
- [Special Issue: Drug and Disease Testing Model Systems: Part 2 \(March 2021, Part C\)](#)

Tissue Engineering Resource Center

Tissue Engineering, Parts A, B and C, the Official Journal of TERMIS, is proud to present the “**Tissue Engineering Resource Center**” to all TERMIS members, presenting helpful tools and resources for researchers around the world. Included in this resource center are videos and presentation materials from Workshops held at past TERMIS meetings. We will be adding many additional resources as we build this “tool box” so make sure to access our Resource Center on a regular basis. To gain access to the Tissue Engineering Resource Center, please [click here](#).

If you would like to contribute to the Tissue Engineering Resource Center, please email Sophie Reisz sreiszl@liebertpub.com for more information.

Encourage Your Institution to Subscribe to *Tissue Engineering, Parts A, B and C*

If your institution does not currently subscribe to the journal, *Tissue Engineering, Parts A, B, & C* we ask that you please complete the library recommendation form to encourage your institution's librarian to subscribe to the journal today.

Library Recommendation Form

2021 SYIS Virtual Webinar Series

The SYIS Virtual Seminar Series are free for TERMIS members to attend. Follow SYIS on Twitter [@SysisEU](#) and [@SysisTermis](#)

Organized by the TERMIS Student and Young Investigator Section (SYIS) of the EU, AM and AP Chapters

termis VIRTUAL SEMINAR SERIES

Tuesday 20th April 2021

Keynote



Prof Ngan F. Huang
Stanford University (USA)

Engineering the Microvasculature Using Extracellular Matrix Signaling
[@NganHuang](#)



Alexane Thibodeau
Université Laval (Canada)

Evaluation of a Tissue Engineered Nerve Tube for Peripheral Nerve Regeneration
[@AxeMedReg](#)




Vera Pieters
University of Toronto (Canada)

A 3-dimensional *In Vitro* Model to Study Obesity-associated Adipocyte Dysfunction and Hypoxia
[@VeraPieters_lab](#)

 **12 PM EST / 9 AM PT**

Registration: www.shorturl.at/knt03



Register for the SYIS Webinar

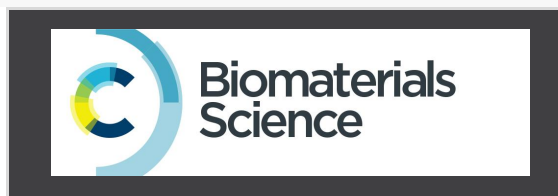
TERMIS-AM TWIGs Webinar Series

Join us on April 27, 2021 for the next TWIG webinar series being organized by the Scaffolds, Matrices & Biomaterials TWIG hosted by the TWIG Chair, Dr. Mahdu Dar.

The webinars are free for all TERMIS members to attend. Please register by Monday, April 26th at 8:00 AM Eastern Time U.S.

Register for the TWIGs Webinar

We would like to thank the Royal Society of Chemistry for their sponsorship of the TWIGs webinars.



Our two speakers for the April 26th webinar will be:

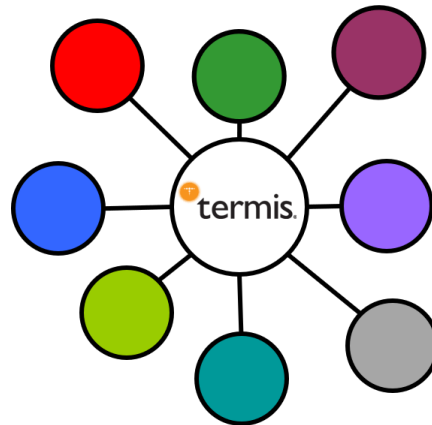
David E. Anderson, DVM, MS, DACVS
Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies
College of Veterinary Medicine, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

The title of his presentation will be:
"Bone regeneration: in vivo and ex vivo assessment in animal models".

Dr. Justin Jones
Assistant Professor - Biology Department
Utah State University

The title of his presentation is: "Spider silk protein-derived scaffolds".

Staying Connected in the Tissue Engineering Community



VIRTUAL WEBINAR SERIES

The TERMIS-AM Membership Committee has formulated a list of webinars being conducted in the region.

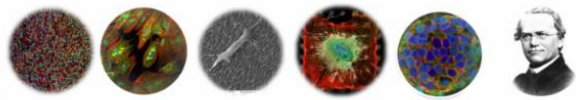
Communication and connectivity within the tissue engineering community are critical objectives of TERMIS. Staying connected and up to date with research in the field is more important now than ever before. In addition to bringing you TERMIS chapter meetings, World Congress, and TWIG seminars, we have curated a list of recurring virtual webinar series from other institutions in the region in diverse topics relevant to tissue engineering and regenerative medicine. If you are hosting a recurring virtual seminar series that you would like to add to the list, please contact matthew.wolf@nih.gov.

TERMIS-EU Winter School or Symposia Support Requests

If you are organizing a summer/winter school or a Symposia and are interested in potential support from the TERMIS-EU, please complete the support request form. The submission of proposals for the EU to support a summer/winter school or a symposium will be accepted throughout the year. The council will review the submissions two times per year (1st March and 1st September) for consideration of support. Please note that when submitting your request, please ensure that the summer/winter school or symposia cannot be held within two months of the review deadlines.

[Request Form](#)

TERMIS-EU Workshop 2021



CELL-MATRIX INTERACTION AND MECHANOBIOLOGY IN REGENERATIVE MEDICINE

June 11-12, 2021 Brno, Czech Republic
Mendel's refectory Augustinian Abbey



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More Information

Save the Date - 2022 TERMIS Conferences

2022

TERMIS

EU-Chapter
Kraków



Save the date:

28.06-1.07.2022



Conference theme:

Perspectives and Challenges
in Regenerative Medicine

Conference Chair: Wojciech Świąszkowski
Warsaw University of Technology
Conference Co-Chair: Zygmunt Pojda
The Maria Skłodowska-Curie National
Research Institute of Oncology

More information about conference at
www.termis.org



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SYNERGIZING TO NEW HEIGHTS IN HEALTH

JULY 10-13, 2022 | TORONTO, CANADA
SHERATON CENTRE TORONTO HOTEL



TERM, a New Frontier in Healthcare



TERMIS-AP 2022

JEJU, South Korea

October 5 – 8, 2022
ICC JEJU (International Convention Center)

Ninth Annual University of Pittsburgh
International Symposium on

Regenerative Rehabilitation

November 4-6
2021

Hosted by
The University of Texas at Austin

Details to be found at
AR3T.pitt.edu/symposium



Employment Opportunities

We are presently implementing a new tool - job postings e-blasts - to promote career opportunities in our community. We believe that this will significantly help our members in recruitment/job hunting processes as the e-blasts/posts will be seen by a target/specific audience and immediately recognized by candidates that may comply with the requirements of specific job opportunities in the TERM field, all over the world.

As so, all members that have currently job openings are invited to send their post to the TERMIS Executive Administrator to be included in the TERMIS Job e-blasts. These will be simultaneously also advertised through TERMIS social media

Latest Openings Available

- [ICCBBA Executive Director](#)

Visit the TERMIS Website for More Details

Meetings Endorsed by TERMIS

The meetings listed on the TERMIS website under Endorsed Meetings have been reviewed and approved by the TERMIS Endorsement Committee. If you are interested in TERMIS promoting your meeting, please complete the Endorsement Request Form.

April 2021

[BIOtech Seminar Series - Spring Session](#)

Organized by the University of Trento's Department of Industrial Engineering. There are two speakers to present in April. Dr. Michael Floren - AlloSource on April 7th at 2:00 PM CET and Dr. Shlomzion Shen - Seevix - Israel on April 28th at 2:00 PM CET. Follow the link to sign up and to view the complete list of speakers. Registration is free.

[International Webinars on Topics on Cell and Tissue Engineering](#)

The series of International Webinars on Topics on Cell and Tissue Engineering is organized by the COMPASS Research Group, from CICECO – Aveiro Institute on Materials, University of Aveiro - Portugal, and offers to all the community the opportunity to attend a seminar each week presented by a worldwide recognized scientist. Registration is free.

May 2021

[Biologic Scaffolds for Regenerative Medicine Symposium](#)

Symposium Dates: May 6-8, 2021

Symposium Location: Silverado Resort, Napa, CA

June 2021

[National Science Foundation-funded Workshop on Multi-Cellular Engineered Living Systems](#)

Workshop Dates: June 1-3, 2021

Workshop Registration: Registration is free thanks to the generous sponsorship of the National Science Foundation. The event will be held virtually with participants from industry, academia and government. A link will be provided to registrants before the event.

[McGowan Institute for Regenerative Medicine Summer School 2021](#)

Summer School Dates: June 7 - 11, 2021

Location: University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA (Virtual event, if necessary)

Applications being accepted until April 1, 2021.

[2021 eCM XX: Biofabrication for Orthopaedics](#)

Conference Dates: 30 June - 2 July 2021

Conference Location: Congress Center, Davos, Switzerland

Conference Chair: Prof. Dr. Martin Stoddart, PhD

Aug 2021

[Advances in Tissue Engineering Short Course](#)

Short Course Dates: August 11-14, 2021

Short Course Location: Rice University, Houston, TX

[View Complete List of Endorsed Meetings](#)