



I.O.F.O.S e-Symposium

ADVANCEMENTS IN FORENSIC ODONTOLOGY EDUCATION

DATE: December 6th, 2025, Saturday

TIME: 2:00 – 5:00 p.m. (CET)

PLATFORM: Online

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Programme at a Glance

2:00 – 2:10 p.m. **E-Symposium Opening Session**

Professor Cristiana Palmela Pereira, I.O.F.O.S President

Session 1

Chairmans: Professor Hrvoje Brkić (Croatia) and Dr. Gwenola Drogou Saout (France)

2:10 – 2:18 p.m. Ricardo Henrique Alves da Silva (Brazil) - **Challenges in Forensic Odontology education - from theory to practice**

2:18 – 2:26 p.m. Ilenia Bianchi (Italy) - **Education in Forensic Odontology in Italy: Current Pathways, Perspectives, and Challenges**

2:26 – 2:34 p.m. Ashith B. Acharya (India) - **Evolution of Forensic Odontology Undergraduate Education in India in the past 20 years**

2:34 – 2:40 p.m. Discussion

2:40 – 2:45 p.m. Break

Session 2

Chairmans: Professor Ricardo Silva (Brazil) and Professor Sigrid Kvaal (Norway)

2:45 – 2:53 p.m. Ivana Savić Pavičin (Croatia) - **Forensic odontology education in Croatia**

2:53 – 3:01 p.m. Valon Nushi (Portugal) - **Curricular guidelines for postgraduate on forensic dental medicine education**

3:01 – 3:09 p.m. John Berketa (Australia) - **Teaching in the Adelaide Forensic Odontology Unit**

3:09 – 3:15 p.m. Discussion

3:15 – 3:20 p.m. Break

Session 3

Chairmans: Professor Ashith B. Acharya (India) and Dr. Rebecca Gahn (Sweden)

3:20 – 3:28 p.m. Simen E. Kopperud (Norway) - **Pregraduation teaching of forensic odontology in Norway (curricular plan, time, challenges,etc...)**

3:28 – 3:36 p.m. Helen Liversidge (UK) - **The challenge to do post graduate forensic odontology research**

3:36 – 3:44 p.m. Paulina Guzmán-Mella (Chile) - **Undergraduate teaching in Legal and Forensic Odontology: A SWOT Analysis of a Decade-Long Experience at the Universidad de La Frontera (Temuco, Chile)**

3:44 – 3:50 p.m. Discussion

3:50 – 4:00 p.m. **E-Symposium Closing Session**

Professor Vilma Pinchi, JFOS Editor