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Dear WFLD Members, non-members and users of lasers in Dentistry.

As the new President, I hereby thank everybody for having supported my election and inform that my team is prepared for yet another two very successful years aiming at WFLD's development.



As you should know, WFLD has over the last 30 years had a key role in activities regarding the widespread of laser in Medicine.

We went through a rough time in 2018 as a group of colleagues wanted WFLD to become a private organization. However, WFLD board resisted and continue to be a non-profit organization .

The goal of some colleagues was to assure that WFLD disappear after the Brussels General Assembly. Nevertheless, WFLD has become even stronger because the members that intended to form a new society was excluded from WFLD. Visit our website (www.wfldlaser.com) in a few days from now and you will notice the news that is coming.

Below please find our forthcoming scientific activities for 2019, 2020 and 2022. There will be continuous updating of the program. WFLD members have special conditions. Stay tuned!

- During AEEDC Congress, Dubai 2019, February 5,6,7. WFLD mission in the
  major congress in that region is to widespread scientific knowledge in laser in
  Medicine. It will also be the launch of WFLD's book Laser in Dentistry in that
  region. Visit the website of AEEDC-Dubai 2019.
- Congress of Lebanese University Beirut, Lebanon, May 2,3 and 4, 2019 organized by the Lebanese University with WFLD's support and referral of several outstanding professors in the field of laser in odontology. Visit the website of the

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congress. Lebanese University will host the Board Meeting and prepare for the WFLD 16th International Congress in Dubai at February 2020

- WFLD European Division Meeting, Congress of Parma, June 20,21 and 22 .Over 600 participants are expected in this important WFLD ED event. The major worldwide companies of laser in Medicine and Dentistry have confirmed their presence. A long side that event, there will be scientific activities of the Oral Masters Application Course -EMDOLA
- WFLD Dubai International Meeting 2020, President Prof Dr Toni Zeinoun. Over 2000 participants are expected at this event, . The event will take place together with AEEDC 2020, the biggest congress in the Arab region, with over 20.000 participants. Visit the website of AEEDC-WFLD 2020.
- WFLD Poland International Congress- 2022, President Prof Dr Kinga Grzech Lesniak. This is an important region of scientific development in Europe, with publication of excellent papers in the field of laser and has universities focusing on this research field.
- In 2018, the board of WFLD finished WFLD's book, Laser in Dentistry, the most complete ever published on the subject and featuring several international authors Along its over 550 pages, several areas of knowledge within the use of laser in Medicine are approached. Visit the website <a href="http://www.universal-">http://www.universal-</a>

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Keeping up with WFLD's tradition and mission of promoting scientific knowledge for their members and spreading the use of laser in Medicine, authors donated copyright ownership to WFLD.

In addition, I also inform that our headquarters has been definitely closed in Aachen and moved to Brussels, Belgium.

**Best Regards** 

Professor .Toni Zeinoun