Report from Asian Regency of IFEA, 2016
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# Currently the IFEA Asian region has four members; Indian Endodontic Society (IES), Japan Endodontic Association (JEA), Korean Academy of Endodontics (KAE), and Endodontic Society of Thailand (EST). The Endodontist Association of Indonesia (Drs. Yuniar T. Wahyuti and Erma Sofiani) show their interest in joining the IFEA. This information was forwarded to Prof. Sung Kyo Kim, IFEA Secretary, on March 25, 2016.

# The 18th Scientific Congress of the Asian Pacific Endodontic Confederation (APEC) in conjunction with the 4th Jordanian Endodontic Conference took place in Amman, Jordan on 8th -10th April 2015, under the auspices of the Jordanian Endodontic Society (JES). The Congress was presided by Dr. Ibrahim Abu Tahun, President of APEC, which was well attended and welcomed participants from more than 30 countries. In the official APEC meeting, Dr. Gin Chen (Taiwan) was elected as the new President of APEC.

# The 19th Scientific Congress of the APEC is going to be held in New Delhi, India on 5th -8th April 2017 under the auspices of the Indian Endodontic Society (IES).

# A new Asian Regent of the IFEA will be nominated in the 10th World Endodontic Congress in Cape Town, South Africa.

1. Indian Endodontic Society (IES)
   http://www.iesonline.org

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2) Board of Directors
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3) Official Journal
   Endodontology is available online at http://iesonline.org/Journal/View
The latest issue available online was published in December 2015 (Vol.27, No.2).

4) Branches

The IES has 16 chapters in different parts of the country.

5) Events

(1) The first event of the year was the 4th West Zone Pg Convention, 28th February to 1st March 2015, held at Sri Aurobindo College of Dentistry, Indore (M.P.)
   It was attended by about 165 students and 32 delegates and organised by Dr.Pradeep Jain and Dr.Anuj Bhardwaj and their team.

(2) The second event was 16th IACDE & IES PG Convention, held on 4th-6th June 2015, at I.T.S. Centre for Dental Studies & Research, Muradnagar, Ghaziabad.

(3) The third event was ENDO-SCOPE, held on 1st October, 2015 at Nair Hospital Dental College, Mumbai, which was attended by about 45 delegates. It was organised by Dr.K.S.Banga.

(4) The fourth event was 30th IACDE-AND 23rd IES National Conference, held on 26th-29th November 2015, at Radisson BLU Hotel, Amritsar.

2. Japan Endodontic Association (JEA)

http://www.jea.gr.jp/english/

1) Contact Person: Prof. Nobuyuki Tani-Ishii n.ishii@kdu.ac.jp

2) Members

The JEA has 2,255 members as of December 31, 2015.

3) Board of Directors

   President: Prof. Masaru IGARASHI
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4) Official Journal

   The Journal of the Japan Endodontic Association is published three times a year.
   The latest issue was published in September 2015 (Vol.36, No.3).

5) Branches
The Association has four regional branches; Northeastern, Eastern, Middle and Western Branches.

6) Events
The 37th Annual Meeting of the JEA is going to take place in Nagoya on the 23rd and 24th July, 2016. <http://lynx-dent.com/jea37/ >
The Meeting is presided by Prof. Kazuhiko NAKATA (Aichi-Gakuin University School of Dental Medicine, Nagoya, Aichi).

3. Korean Academy of Endodontics (KAE)
http://www.endodontics.or.kr

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2) Members
Currently KAE has 350 life-time members.
3) Board of Directors (Jan 2016- Dec 2017)
President: Prof. Dong-Sung Park
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Immediate-past President: Prof. Yong-Bum Cho
Secretary General: Prof. Woocheol Lee
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APEC: Prof. Hyeon-Cheol Kim
Executive Directors: 12

4) Official Journal
The Journal of the Korean Academy of Endodontics has been renamed to
‘Endodontics & Dental Rehabilitation’ and is published twice a year.
The latest issue was published in March 2016 (Vol.17, No.1).

5) Events
The 2015 Fall Scientific Meeting (47th) was held at Medical Research Center, St. Mary’s hospital, Catholic University, Seoul on 17th and 18th October 2015.
The 2016 Spring Scientific Meeting (48th) was held at Baek-beom Kim Gu Memorial Hall, Seoul on 20th March 2016. The theme for the meeting was ‘Solutions for Endodontic Problems’.

4. Endodontic Society of Thailand (EST)

http://www.thaiendodontics.com

1) Contact Person: Dr. Sirawut Hiran-us Birdhiranus@hotmail.com

2) Members: EST has 1,649 members as of 28th March 2016.

3) Board of Directors (January 2016-December 2017)
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     Dr. Napapas Nidhidvanich
   - Committee: Dr. Patcharin Porkaew, Dr. Chinalai Piyachon, Dr. Pranee Hongskul,
     Dr. Araya Phoolopsri
   - Advisory Board: 8

4) Official Journal
   “ENDOSARN”, the journal of the Endodontic Society of Thailand is published twice a year. It includes original work publications, articles reviews, news, and announcements. The latest issue was published in December 2015 (Vol.20, No.2).

5) Events
   The 1st Academic Meeting 2016 will be held in Bangkok on 30th May 2016.