AFOHR 2023
2nd Biennial Symposium

Challenges in Human Identification

VENUE: TORINO ESPOSIZIONI, Corso Massimo D’Azeglio 15, Turin
Reception Venue, 12th October 2023, h. 18:00 Medicolegal Institute,
Corso Galileo Galilei 22, 10126 Turin
Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from the Organizing Desk!

Welcome to the 2nd Biennial Symposium of the Association of Forensic Odontology for Human Rights (AFOHR) in 2023, organized in collaboration with the Section of Legal Medicine, Department of Public Health and Paediatric Sciences of the University of Turin, Italy, and a satellite event organized by the Italian Academy of Legal and Forensic Dentistry (OL-F).

I am honored to welcome you to the University of Turin, which was founded in 1404 by a Papal Bull issued by Pope Benedict XIII. We are one of the oldest, largest, and most prestigious Italian universities, hosting over 79,000 students and 120 premises in different areas of Turin and the Piedmont region. Turin is a "city within a city," promoting culture and producing research and innovation, training, and employment.

Emerging trends and practices in forensic odontology have successfully spread across the globe for humanitarian forensic odontology, bringing together researchers, academics, and learners to serve nations. AFOHR, which promotes humanitarian forensic odontology and forensics, has been working tirelessly since 2015 to prevent human rights violations, joining hands with other experts in forensics from over thirty different countries. This second symposium, like the previous one, is a remarkable forum for knowledge, inviting scientists, academics, researchers, and learners under one roof to share and encourage new technologies and trends, with the purpose of improving the human identification process and respecting the human rights of the deceased. Hope to meet You personally in Turin!

Warm Regards,

Prof. Emilio Nuzzolese, PhD
Organizing Chairman
2nd Biennial Symposium, AFOHR

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AFOHR is the first association promoting best practice in human identification and age estimation through humanitarian forensic odontology for the purpose of preventing human rights violations. The need for promoting human rights in the recovery and identification of missing and unidentified persons was first presented by forensic odontologist Emilio Nuzzolese (Italy) at the 9th International Dental Ethics and Law Society (IDEALS) Congress 2012 Leuven (Belgium). This idea gave birth to the group FO4HR-identifyme on the 5th May 2015 during the Interpol DVI meeting in Lyon (France), which then evolved into association with the new acronym AFOHR (Association Forensic Odontology for Human Rights). The association is a rooster of volunteer experts in forensic odontology and other areas of forensics from over 30 countries. The Symposium is a fulsome stage for sharing knowledge and ideas with fellow mates and avid youth. Therefore, it will follow with:

Keynote Talks

Oral Scientific Paper & Poster Presentations

Workshops

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Workshop-A, 9:00-14:00 (FREE - pre-registration required)

Humanitarian Forensic Odontontology: from Human Rights to Best Practices in Human Identification

Dr. Hemlata Pandey  
AFOHR President

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AFOHR Treasurer

Dr. Ranjeet Singh  
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Dr. Sven Benthaus  
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Prof. Emilio Nuzzolese  
AFOHR Past President

A Maximum of 100 participants will be accepted in Workshop
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Workshop-B, 15:00-18:00 (pre-registration required)

Dental Age Estimation  
(training session. Bring your laptop)

Prof. Roberto Cameriere  
Chief Coordinator, AgEstimation Project

Dr. Denise Piano  
Instructor Dental Age Estimation

Dr. Leonardo Catalini  
Instructor Dental Age Estimation

A Maximum of 50 participants will be accepted in Workshop
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<td><strong>Prof. Petra Urbanová</strong>, Forensic Anthropologist, HoD Masaryk University, Czechoslovakia</td>
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<td><em>Mummified human remains and biological profile</em></td>
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<td><strong>Prof. Raffaella Bianucci</strong>, Paleopathologist, University of Turin</td>
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<td><em>Future Trends in Age Estimation</em></td>
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<td><strong>Prof. Wendy Velezмоro</strong>, Univesidad Cientifica del Sur, Peru</td>
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<td>18:30</td>
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9:00 2nd AFOHR Symposium–Day 2
Salutations from Authorities and Officials

Moderators:
Dr. Evi Untoro
Prof. Akiko Kumagai
Dr. Ranjeet Singh
Dr. Serena Aneli

Scientific Session - Humanitarian Forensics

9:30 What we expect from humanitarian forensic odontology
Dr. Sven Benthaus, Visiting Professor University of Turin, ETAF Germany

10:15 Missing persons and unidentified human remains
Dr. Fabrizio Pace, President Association Penelope Piemonte

11:00 The centrality of odontology for reconstructive identification
Prof. Hemlata Pandey, Dundee University, UK

11:45 Discussion on future prospects of humanitarian forensics
Prof. Hemlata Pandey
Prof. Petra Urbanová
Prof. Akiko Kumagai
Dr. Evi Untoro
Dr. Jane Amelia Taylor
Dr. Sven Benthaus
Prof. Ivana Čuković-Bagić
Prof. Roberto Cameriire
Prof. Rakesh Gorea
Dr. Humayoon Temoor Baig
Prof. Emilio Nuzzolese
Prof. Giancarlo Di Vella

12:30 AFOHR Awards
“John Clement” Best paper Award
(Best Oral Communication)
“Humanitarian Forensic Odontology” 2023 Award

AFOHR Presidents handover and President 2025-2027 and Board 2023-2025 proclamation
CLOSING OF THE 2nd AFOHR Symposium
**Sabato, 14 Ottobre 2023 (in Italian)**

Per iscriversi inviare nome, cognome, qualifica, codice fiscale a: emilio.nuzzolese@unito.it

**Gratuito - Aperto a Odontoiatri, Medici Legali, Avvocati, Magistrati**

Convegno Satellite a cura dell'Accademia di Odontoiatria Legale e Forense (OLF) – Sede Regionale Piemonte in tema di “Responsabilità Professionale dell’Odontoiatra e Consulenza Tecnica Medico-Legale” (accreditato con 2 cf per Avvocati, Ordine Avvocati Torino)

**Moderators:**
- Dr. ssa Lucia Tattoli, Ricercatore in Medicina Legale, Università di Torino
- Dr. ssa Caterina Bosco, Dirigente medico-legale, SC Medicina Legale U, Torino
- Dr. Prof. Marco Brady Bucci, Presidente Nazionale OL-F

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Keynote Speakers

**FORENSIC ODONTOLOGY**

- Prof. Roberto Cameriere, Italy
- Dr. Akiko Kumagai, Japan
- Dr. Rakesh Gorea, India
- Dr. Wendy Velezmoro, Peru

**HUMAN IDENTIFICATION**

- Prof. Hemlata Pandey, India
- Prof. Raffaella Bianucci, Italy
- Elena Chierto, Italy
- Jane Amelia Taylor, Deputy Head, ICRC Forensic Unit

**HUMANITARIAN FORENSICS**

- Sven Benthaus, Germany
- Fabrizio Pace, Italy
- Dr. Wendy Velezmoro, Peru
- Prof. Petra Urbanova, Czech Republic

**DENTAL LAW**

(in Italian in collaboration with OL-F Italian Academy of Legal and Forensic Dentistry)

- Dr. Paolo Guzzo
- Dr. Carlo D’Achille
- Avv. Iliaria Bonsignori

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Invited Moderators

Prof. Ivana Ćuković-Bagić
Vice Dean, School of Medicine
University of Zagreb, Croatia

Dr. Evi Untoro
Forensic Pathologist, HoD Forensic Medicine
FOM Univ. Trisakti, Indonesia
Exec Board /Treasurer, AFOHR

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Associate Professor
Iwate Medical University, Japan

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**50% Discount on Registration Fees for Lower Income Countries**

**Social Networking Dinner on Friday 13th October Option**

€30

(Pre-booking required)

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[www.afohr2023turin.com](http://www.afohr2023turin.com)

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Social Events

**Welcome Reception**

**Thursday, 12th October, 18:00–19:30**

Medicolegal Institute,
Corso Galileo Galilei 22, 10126 Turin
(Free Access)

**Free Guided Tour**

**Saturday, 14th October, 16:00–18:00**

**Museum of Human Anatomy**
«Luigi Rolando»
Established in 1739

Address:
Corso Massimo d’Azeglio 52
10126 Torino

**Museum of Criminal Anthropology**
«Cesare Lombroso»

Address:
Via Pietro Giuria 15
10126 Torino

**Accommodation** (suggested hotels near Symposium Venue)

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- **HOTEL CONTINENTAL**
  www.continental.to.it
- **HOTEL D’AZEGLIO**
  www.hoteldazegliotorino.com
- **HOTEL GIOTTO**
  www.hotelgiottotorino.com
- **HOTEL VALENTINO**
  www.valentinoduparc.it
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  www.hotelbostontorino.it

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Paper Abstract Layout (Oral communication or Poster)
- The Paper should be UNIQUE and UNPUBLISHED, offering new perceptions, a new approach, or new knowledge to the body of literature.
- The Abstract should be of a maximum of 300 words followed by a minimum of five keywords and the final manuscript (Note: should not include graphs/tables/images).
- The following information, in the given format, should be included in the Abstract:
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Publication
Accepted papers will be published in extenso in the Special Edition Advances in Forensic Dentistry of Oral www.mdpi.com/journal/oral/special_issues/Advances_Forensic_Dentistry Guest Editor Prof. E. Nuzzolese.
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Online Registration Guidelines

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€ 15

**PROFESSIONAL**

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