

MEMBERSHIP

About TCES

TCES is a fast growing UK national society that compliments the EU chapter of TERMIS. Although the research presented is in the same field, it is quite a different style of meeting to TERMIS. TCES is cheaper and nearer than TERMIS whilst maintaining the high quality of scientific presentations. It also allows for excellent networking opportunities with many research ideas being created in the pub after the presentations are over! We have a strong emphasis on strengthening the skills of our new and emerging research members and opportunities exist in newsletter article commissioning, conference chairing and presenting of research in our dynamic society.

"This Society has the aim of furthering knowledge, research and dissemination of information on Cell and Tissue Engineering"



Why should you join?

The Tissue and Cell Engineering Society (www.tces.org) is currently accepting new memberships.

It allows **big discounts on the registration fee** to attend the TCES meeting

It is a **friendly and supportive society** - particularly beneficial for younger/emerging researchers

It enables the **networking of quality**

research in cell and tissue engineering

It allows eligibility for applications to a **travel bursary** scheme to attend related conferences

Its **inexpensive** (£10 students, £20 full member)

Early Stage Investigator Award. From 2011 the society has developed a prestigious new prize scheme to identify high flying PhDs & early Postdocs.

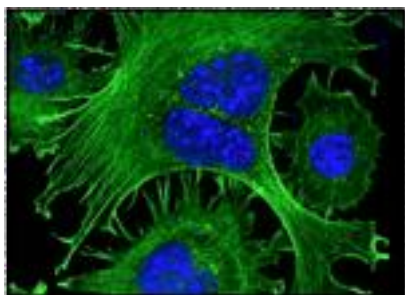


Image from Biomaterials Research Group from the University of Manchester, courtesy of James Dugan

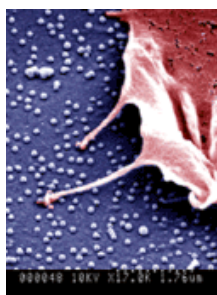


Image of Tissue Engineering from the University of Glasgow, courtesy of Dr Matt Dalby

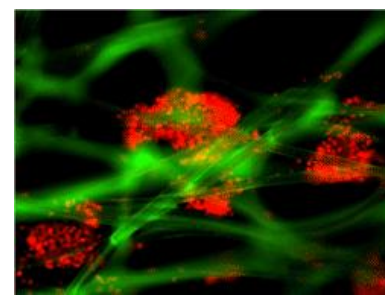


Image of Tissue Engineering from the University of Sheffield, courtesy of Dr John Haycock

Previous Young Investigator Awards



2008 - Dr Julian Jones
(currently Senior Lecturer
- Department of Materials,
Imperial College)



2009 - Stephen
Richardson (currently
RCUK Academic Fellow,
School of Medicine,
University of Manchester)



2010 – Dr Judith Curran
(currently Postdoctoral Research
Assistant, UK Centre for Tissue
Engineering, UKBioTEC
Laboratories, Dept Clinical
Engineering, University of
Liverpool)

New Early Stage Investigators Award (ESI)

From 2011 TCES will be awarding the ESI to a PhD student or an early stage Postdoctoral Researcher for an outstanding piece of research presented at the Annual Meeting. This award is designed to identify and highlight the future stars of the field. The winner will receive £250 cash prize, an invitation to submit an article to the TCES newsletter on their profile and research together with mentoring from a member of the TCES committee.

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TCES abstracts are published each year in the official society Journal "eCells & Materials". Please contact Prof Geoff Richards (geoff.richards@aofoundation.org) for more information on the journal.

FROM THE PRESIDENT

"TCES works to challenge and inform your science and to boost your career chances"

Professor Robert Brown



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