

From the President

Mr Tim Mitchell



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Professor Angel Ramos-Macias
International Federation of Otorhinolaryngological Societies (IFOS)
General Secretary

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Dear Professor Angel Ramos-Macias

The Royal College of Surgeons of England is delighted to offer its full and enthusiastic support for ENT UK's bid to host the International Federation of Otorhinolaryngological Societies (IFOS) World Congress in 2030. This commitment reflects our longstanding confidence in ENT UK's exceptional ability to deliver world-class educational and scientific events—an expertise we know first-hand from their outstanding programmes held within our London headquarters.

London stands uniquely positioned to serve as an inspiring and globally accessible host city for IFOS 2030. As one of the world's most connected capitals, London enables seamless participation for delegates and speakers travelling from every region of the world. Its unrivalled transport links, cultural depth, academic heritage, and status as a global centre for medical innovation make it a natural platform for a congress of this scale and ambition.

Bringing the global otolaryngology community together in London in 2030 would offer a powerful opportunity to showcase the UK's leadership, scientific excellence, and unwavering commitment to collaborative progress in ENT for the first time in eighty years.

ENT UK's flagship conference, the British Academic Conference in Otolaryngology (BACO), already demonstrates their capacity to convene an engaged and diverse international audience, offering education of the highest 1/2 quality across the full breadth of ENT practice. IFOS 2030 would build upon this proven legacy—amplified by London's international stature and momentum as a host city.

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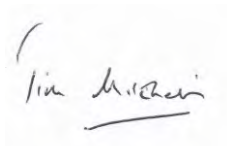
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For these reasons, the Royal College of Surgeons of England is proud to give its unequivocal support to ENT UK's bid. As an Otolaryngologist myself, I am also delighted to give my personal endorsement. We are confident that London will not only meet but exceed the expectations of the IFOS community, delivering a congress of exceptional impact, relevance, and global reach.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tim Mitchell', with a horizontal line underneath.

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