



## Danish Society welcome, PubMed update and DENTSPLY Friadent Scientific Poster Award

*EJOI* is honoured to have recently become the official publication of the Danish Society for Oral Implantology (DSOI). We officially welcome DSOI and its over 500 members and aim to provide, as with all of our affiliated societies, an invaluable resource for the sound science needed to base everyday clinical practice.

It is also a pleasure to inform all our readers that *EJOI* has been scheduled to be reviewed by the Literature Selection Technical Review Committee for indexing in MEDLINE in February 2010. This much anticipated process, if successful, will retroactively index *EJOI* in MEDLINE (the primary component of PubMed) starting with its first issue.

*EJOI* is committed and open to any initiative aimed at fostering reliable quality research in implant dentistry. I am therefore pleased to announce a new alliance in this direction. *EJOI*, in close collaboration with DENTSPLY Friadent, will sponsor two new awards: the *EJOI* and DENTSPLY Friadent Scientific Poster Award – Clinical Studies and the *EJOI* and DENTSPLY Friadent Scientific Poster Award – Basic

Research. The goal is to encourage and to develop further scientific research in dental implantology. Posters have to be submitted to the 14th DENTSPLY Friadent World Symposium, which will be held in Barcelona, Spain, 19 and 20 March 2010. The deadline to apply is 15 January 2010. For more detailed information and an application form please visit: <http://www.dentsply-friadent.com/>.

The five best posters from each category will be selected by an independent scientific committee led by myself, based on oral presentations (7 minutes) in English during the same symposium. One winner will be selected from each category to receive the award. The five selected posters from each category will be published as abstracts in *EJOI* and the winning posters as full articles. I hope that this initiative will be successful and that more initiatives like this will follow.

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