



# The International Marcé Society

for Perinatal Mental Health

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President Louise Howard



The International  
Marcé Society  
for Perinatal Mental Health

The International Marcé Society **Conference**  
**19th-23rd September 2022** London • UK



[REGISTER HERE](#)

Join the International Marce Society at Imperial College of London!  
Face-to-face meeting happening 19-21 September, 2022  
Virtual Program following on the 22-23.

## Regional Group Updates

### UKIMS (UK and Ireland) Regional Group

I am delighted to be providing an update as the newly appointed President of the UKIMS regional branch. The Marcé Society has been a source of inspiration to me. The wonderful supportive connections made through the society and the fabulous International and Regional meetings have been invaluable to me throughout my career and I am looking forward to making more connections, thinking through the digital opportunities, and strengthening the diversity of the Society during my term as President.

UKIMS would like to put on record our gratitude to Dr Michael Craig, the UKIMS immediate Past President and also Sue Conroy, previous UKIMS Treasurer and Board member. We thank them both for their leadership and longstanding support and efforts to the UKIMS Regional Branch and the International Marcé. We would also like to warmly welcome Suzanne O' Brien as the newly appointed UKIMS Treasurer and thank her for her time and efforts in enabling the successful UKIMS Annual Meeting. We were delighted to have so many Marcé Society colleagues from 22 different countries join the UKIMS Annual Meeting in September 2021.

92.9% of delegates felt that the event length and timings were "about right"  
35.1% of delegates rated the event as "excellent"  
49.1% of delegates rated the event "very good"

The UKIMS Regional Branch would like to wish our Marcé colleagues all the very best for 2022 and say that we are very much looking forward to connecting at the 2022 Biennial Conference of the International Marcé Society, 19th-21st September (face to face) 21st-23<sup>rd</sup> (virtually) in London!

Keep in touch!  
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Best wishes  
Melita Walker  
President, UKIMS Regional Group

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### Spanish Regional Group

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition of the course on "Advances in reproductive and perinatal mental health", has been launched in February 2022 by Mares co-organized with Zaragoza University, in Spanish and in online format.



On 6 May 2022, the annual meeting of the X Jornada de Salud Mental Perinatal will take place. We will have a renowned international speaker and simultaneous translation. It will be broadcast via STREAMING and can be followed in real time throughout the week following the conference.

## Connections within our Community

Did you know that the International Marce Society offers several listservs specialized for different interests within our international community? These options are available to all members:

- Fathers Special Interest Group
- French speaking
- Prevention of Perinatal Mental Health Disorders Special Interest Group
- Pregnancy Loss and Newborn Death Special Interest Group
- Spanish speaking
- Student Community (trainees and early career colleagues)

Please contact the [Executive Office](#) if you would like to subscribe to any of these listservs!

## Communications Committee needs Your Help!

The Communications Committee is driven by the desire to involve early career members with the Society, create relationships with the leadership team, and benefit from the social media expertise of interested volunteers to amplify the mission and vision of the Society.

Contact the [Executive Office](#) to volunteer today!

## 2022 Diamond Members

We wish to present our 2022 Diamond Members:

Ganesh Acharya  
Fiona Alderdice  
Rajasekaran Chakrapani Sankar  
Berta Ferriera  
Masako Nagata  
Yumi Nishikii  
Barbara Parry  
Francisca Perez Cortes  
Suraj Thapa  
Karina Toledo  
Hiroshi Yamashita

Consider becoming a Diamond member for 2022! Contact the [Executive Office](#).

## OTHER MEETINGS OF INTEREST



Please join us  
6-9 November 2022  
Maastricht, The Netherlands



for the  
*9th World Congress on Women's  
Mental Health*  
**Determination & Solidarity**

[Click here](#) for more information.



Please join the Society for Reproductive and Infant Psychology (SRIP) at our 42nd Annual Conference.

When: 15 Sept, 10:00 BST – 16 Sept, 17:00 BST

Where: Online Conference

For more information, [click here](#).

