

# American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering (AIMBE)



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Congratulations on the 50th anniversary of IFMBE!

The American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering (AIMBE) was founded in 1991 to establish a clear and comprehensive identity for the medical and biological engineering field—which is the bridge between the principles of engineering science and practice, and the problems and issues of biological and medical science and practice.

AIMBE's headquarters in Washington, D.C. organizes forums for professional exchanges, keeps the community abreast of new developments in the field, and advocates to the U.S. government for policies benefitting the medical and biological engineering. Our members include Fellows, the top 2% of the field, Academic Institutions, Industry and other societies engaged in medical and biological engineering.

AIMBE's priorities include increasing funding for research and development, safely bolstering the rate of innovation by removing barriers and building infrastructure, creating a more diverse engineering workforce, and improving general awareness of how medical and biological engineering improves public health.

AIMBE recognizes the value of collaboration, particularly at the international level, and shares IFMBE's commitment to ethically use science, engineering and technology to benefit people across the world

We are proud to be affiliated with IFMBE and look forward to another 50 years of progress in medical and biological engineering and therefore improvement of the human condition.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Thomas Watson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

John T. Watson, Ph.D.

President