



INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF EYE BANKING™

Advancing Eye Banking Worldwide

The *International Journal of Eye Banking* is a free, open-access, peer-reviewed online journal whose mission is to meet the urgent need for information exchange among eye banks around the world. It will support and augment like-minded institutions engaged in restoring sight to people living with corneal impairment.

The journal will launch in cooperation with the Eye Bank Association of America, a leader in developing medical standards, accreditation procedures, and certification programs, and provide an independent venue for eye bank professionals to:

- disseminate advances in eye banking and related research;
- foster collaboration, document results, and archive shared resources; and
- accelerate adoption of innovations and best practices.

The journal offers a forum for unifying the eye banking community at a time when scientific knowledge is rapidly evolving and corneal transplantation is becoming more accessible—yet many countries are finding that economic, cultural, and governmental challenges impact their ability to fully realize those benefits. It also aspires to promote the profession by differentiating the uniqueness of eye banking services within the larger organ, tissue, and eye donation communities.

The *International Journal of Eye Banking* publishes original English-language interdisciplinary papers on all facets of eye banking. The editors invite submissions from eye bank professionals, corneal surgeons, funeral directors, government officials, medical directors, medical examiners, nurses, researchers, spiritual leaders, and representatives of affiliated organizations, whether regional, national, or international in scope.

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