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Ali Khademhosseini Elected to Medical and Biological Engineering Elite

Washington, DC– The American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering (AIMBE) has recently announced the election of Ali Khademhosseini of Brigham and Women's Hospital/Harvard Medical School to its College of Fellows. Dr. Kademhosseini was nominated by his peers and was elected by the full membership into the official College of Fellows Class of 2012 for contributions to novel technologies at the materials science, micro- and nanoengineering and medicine interface, which will enable regenerative therapeutics.

The College of Fellows is comprised of the top two percent of medical and biological engineers in the country. Engineering and medical school chairs, research directors, innovators, and successful entrepreneurs, comprise the College of Fellows to pursue AIMBE's mission to provide leadership and advocacy in medical and biological engineering for the advancement of society.

A formal induction ceremony will be held during AIMBE's 21st Annual Event at the Grand Hyatt in Washington, D.C. on February 20th, 2012. For more information about the AIMBE Annual Event, please visit <u>www.aimbe.org</u>.

Since 1991, the College of Fellows has lead the way for technological growth and advancement in the fields of medical and biological engineering. Fellows have helped revolutionize medicine and related fields in order to enhance and extend the lives of people all over the world. They have also successfully advocated for public policies that have enabled researchers and businessmakers to further the interests of engineers, scientists, and ultimately, patients.

For questions regarding the College of Fellows and AIMBE, please contact Katie Goodman at kgoodman@aimbe.org, or call the AIMBE office at 202-496-9660.

The American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering (AIMBE) is a non-profit organization representing 50,000 individuals and the top 2% of medical and biological engineers. Also, AIMBE represents academic institutions, private industry, and other professional engineering societies. AIMBE was founded in 1991 to provide leadership and advocacy in medical and biological engineering for the benefit of society.