to methodological problems. In addition to the presentations, the book contains an overview of commercial instrumentation by H. W. Wahner and J. Dequeker and introductory lectures on bone remodeling by A. M. Parfitt and mechanical properties of bone by R. V. Audekercke. I found these to be informative. At the end of each session a general discussion of the various papers is included. These question and answer sessions are very interesting and informative. The majority of the authors of the 84 presentations in the book originate from laboratories outside the U.S. giving an international perspective to the ongoing research in this field.

As expected with a book of this type, there are a number of typographical errors, which are only mildly disturbing. Because of the size of this book (479 pages, 84 papers) it would have been very useful to have the page numbers in the table of contents; it is very difficult to locate specific papers. This two-day workshop only included research using SPA and DPA isotopic devices and QDR x-ray bone scanners; work using other devices is excluded, in particular, quantitated computer tomography. However, any clinician or scientist involved in bone mineral research, regardless of the instrumentation being used, would find this book useful as a supplement to existing bone literature.

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