International Mathematical Union



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To: The Adhering Organizations of the International Mathematical Union (IMU)

From: Helge Holden, IMU Secretary

2018 IMU General Assembly Slates

Dear colleagues,

According to the IMU Statutes, the Adhering Organizations have to be informed two months in advance of the meeting of the General Assembly (GA) about all candidates for positions within the IMU Commissions and the Executive Committee to be elected at the next GA. This letter provides complete information about the persons running for the various IMU offices.

According to the "Procedures for the Election...", see <u>https://www.mathunion.org/fileadmin/IMU/EC/Procedures_for_Election_2016-04-22.pdf</u>, the IMU Nominating Committee has the task to select, from all persons nominated, see Circular Letters 11/2016, 09/2017, and 10/2017 which can be found at <u>https://www.mathunion.org/membership/circular letters_adhering_organizations</u>

https://www.mathunion.org/membership/circular-letters-adhering-organizations, the slates to be considered at the GA meeting.

The IMU Nominating Committee consists of

- Martin Grötschel (Germany, Chair)
- Martin Kalina (Slovakia)
- Niky Kamran (Canada)
- Ursula Molter (Argentina)
- Shigefumi Mori (Japan, IMU President)
- Cheryl Praeger (Australia)
- Daya Reddy (South Africa)

The Nominating Committee has selected (from all nominations received, making use of its right to search for potential candidates on its own, and taking into account regional distribution, adequate representation of mathematical fields, etc.) slates for

- the IMU Executive Committee (EC)

- the Commission for Developing Countries (CDC) and

- the International Commission on the History of Mathematics (ICHM)

following the rules defined in the Procedures for Election.

According to Item 5.a. of the Procedures for Election, the chair of the Election Committee (who will be elected on the first day of the GA meeting) will present the slates at the GA in São Paulo.

You find the lists of the persons nominated on the IMU GA 2018 web site the URL of which is distributed together with the password to all IMU Adhering Organizations and GA participants. This web site will be used for all papers for the IMU GA 2018.

At the end of each slate, persons who have been nominated but have not been chosen by the Nominating Committee are listed. The non-selected persons can, if the General Assembly wishes so, be added to the slates at the General Assembly according to Item 5.c. of the Procedures for Election. All candidates have declared their willingness to serve on the Commissions or Committee for which they have been nominated, and they have provided a curriculum vitae (CV). The CVs are made available on the IMU GA 2018 web site.

We urge all delegates of the General Assembly to make themselves familiar with the candidates and their CVs. Not all candidates will actually be present at the GA for personal discussion. Considering the large number of candidates, the time available at the GA will not suffice to discuss the qualifications of all the persons in too much detail. So, please try to make up your mind about the candidates before the GA. If you feel you need additional information you are, of course, free to contact the candidates directly.

Best regards

Helge Holden Secretary of the International Mathematical Union