

IASPEI OPENING PLENARY

IASPEI2009, Cape Town, South Africa

Agenda

- 1) Welcome address by IASPEI President
- 2) In memoriam (2007-2008)
- 3) Composition of Resolution Committee
- 4) Chair of Nominating Committee
- 5) General Assembly in 2011
- 6) Publication of conference proceedings
- 7) Grants
- 8) Housekeeping items
- 9) Closing Plenary announcement

1 Presidential Welcome

2 In memoriam (2007-2008)

C Allin Cornell
USA (1938-2008)



Petros Dimitriou, Greece (1958 – 2007)



Jose Miguel Febrer
Argentina (1943-2008)

Francesca Fitzko
Italy (1975 – 2008)



In memoriam (2007-2008)

Sergey V Goldin
Russia (1936 – 2007)



Pembroke J Hart
USA (1929-2008)

George W Housner
USA (1911-2008)



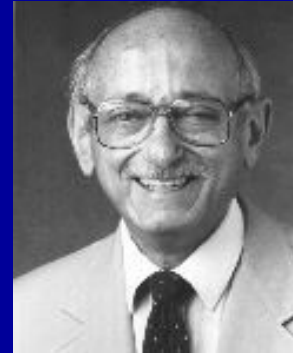
Emilia Juhasova, Slovakia (1943 – 2008)

Sidney Kaufman
USA (1908-2008)



In memoriam (2007-2008)

Carl Kisslinger
USA (– 2008)



George Leventakis, Greece (1946 – 2007)

Vance M Lynch, USA (1927 - 2008)



Carlo Morelli
Italy (1917 – 2007)

Ma Li, China
(1943 - 2008)

In memoriam (2007-2008)

Graham Neilson, UK (- 2007)

Mikhail V. Nevsky
Russia (1945 – 2007)



Kacper M. R. Rybicki
Poland (1940 - 2008)

Dr. Edward J Walter
USA (1914 - 2008)



Michele Zacchigna, Italy (– 2008)

3 RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

- **Gregory Houseman (Chair) UK**
- **Kenji Satake Japan**
- **Walter Mooney USA**

SUBMISSION OF RESOLUTION PROPOSALS

All resolution proposals have to be received by the Resolutions Committee by

Thursday 12:00 at the latest

- Please provide the draft of the resolution proposal preferably in digital form on a memory stick to one of the members of the Resolutions Committee or leave it in the IASPEI office (Room 1.93).

4 NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE

- **E R ENGDAHL (Chair) USA**

5 IUGG 2011 General Assembly

IUGG will have its 25th General Assembly
and IASPEI its 36th General Assembly in

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA
JUNE 27 - JULY 8, 2011

**The IASPEI related 2011 scientific program to
be discussed on Thursday
at the joint meeting of the Executive
Committee and Commission Chairs**

6 Publication of Conference Proceedings

- IASPEI has an agreement with Elsevier to publish the proceedings of the conference in one of their Solid-Earth Sciences journals.
- As you all are aware of, IASPEI gets royalties from this publishing that help it to support various activities. I strongly recommend the conveners to consider papers in their symposia/workshops for publication in a special issue of an Elsevier journal.

7 GRANTS

- IASPEI has set aside more than USD 50,000 for grants to help participants attend this meeting.
- The grants are distributed by the LOC at registration.

Please contact the IASPEI Secretary General in his office later in the week for IASPEI special grants.

8 HOUSEKEEPING - 1

- All ORAL SESSIONS will be held in this (CTICC) building, auditorium, rooms # 1.4, 1.6 and 2.6
- Please remember to upload your talk the day before your presentation
- Please could the conveners adhere to the allocated times of the talks. Thus, when a speaker has not arrived, please could you rather open up a discussion session to occupy the time slot and do not move on to the next talk before the allotted time.

Program updates MUST be communicated by the conveners to the LOC no later than 16:00 of the day before the session.

- The session programs will be posted near the entrance to the meeting rooms.
- If they are not readily available, the microphones can be found in the grey box.
- If you experience any problems with the projectors and/or computer, there will be a technician stationed outside the room to assist.

HOUSEKEEPING - 2

- IASPEI office is located on the first floor room 1.93
- LOC is located in room 1.91
- Rooms #1.4, 1.6 and 2.6 are reserved for meetings at noon (12:30-14:00) and in the evenings (18:00-20:00).
- At lunchtime rooms are still available for ad-hoc meetings. To reserve a room please contact the IASPEI office!

IMPORTANT: ALL MEETINGS ON THURSDAY SHOULD END AT 17:00, SINCE THE DEPARTURE FOR THE IASPEI SOCIAL DINNER BY BUS WILL BE AT 17:30 - FROM CTICC

HOUSEKEEPING - 3

- **POSTER SESSION**

On the ground floor near the Exhibition area

Poster session starts at 16:30

- **SUMMER SCHOOL**

- Please could all the delegates attending the summer school next week meet in room 2.64-2.66 at 13:15 today!

HOUSEKEEPING - 4

Wine and brandy tasting

- Limited tickets are available on a first come first serve basis for the wine tastings on Tuesday to the Boschendal wine estate and on Wednesday to the Groot Constantia estate. The buses will leave at 18:00.
- Limited tickets are available on a first come first serve basis for the brandy tasting on Friday to the van Rhyn Distillery. The buses will leave at 16:00.

HOUSEKEEPING - 5

- **IASPEI SOCIAL DINNER**

at the “MOYO - SPIER” restaurant

Price: USD 50.00

Tickets available at the registration area

Tickets sale will close on Thursday 11 am!

Transportation by bus departing from CTICC at 17:30 and back to main hotels will be provided!

9 CLOSING PLENARY announcement

To be held on

Friday, January 16, at 14:00

This Auditorium