# IASPEI OPENING PLENARY

IASPEI 2013, Gothenburg, Sweden

# Agenda

- 1) Welcome address by IASPEI President
- 2) In memoriam (2011-2013)
- 3) Composition of Resolution Committee
- 4) Nominations
- 5) Regional assemblies 2014
- 6) General Assembly in 2015
- 7) Grants
- 8) Housekeeping items
- 9) Closing Plenary announcement
- 10) IASPEI MEDAL Award
- 11) Presidential Keynote

# 1 Presidential Welcome

### 2 In memoriam (2011-2013)

Sławomir Jerzy (George) Gibowicz Poland (1933 - 2011)

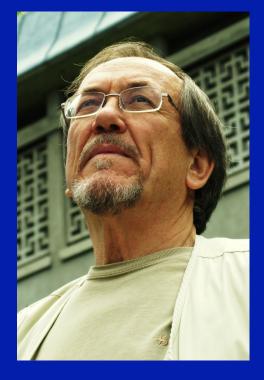


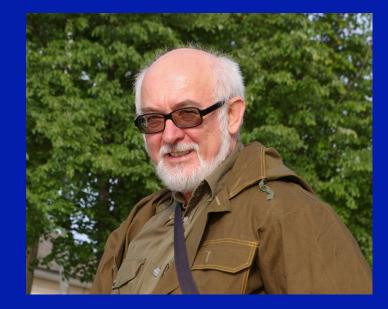


#### Hadj Benhallou Algeria (1937 – 2011)

## In memoriam (2011-2013)

Sergei Arefiev Russia (1952 - 2012)

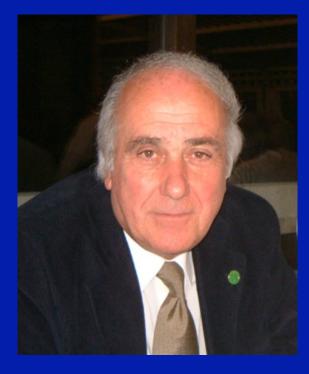


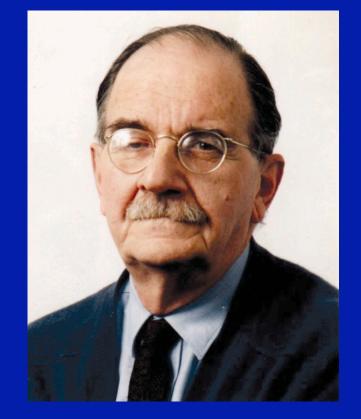


#### Janez Lapajne Slovenia (1937 – 2012)

## In memoriam (2011-2013)

Nicholas Neocles Ambraseys UK-Greece (1929 - 2012)





#### Luis Mendes-Victor Portugal (1931 – 2012)

# **3 RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE**

Michelle Grobbelaar (Chair) S.Africa

Marcelo Assumpcao

Brasil

Dmitry Storchak
UK

## 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 <u>digital form on a</u> <u>memory stick</u> to one of the members of the Resolutions Committee or leave it in the IASPEI office (Room R26).

# **4 NOMINATIONS**

### Johannes Schweitzer (Norway)

### has been nominated by the IASPEI Executive

Assistant Secretary General of IASPEI for the period 2013-1015

# NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE (For 2015 elections)

- WU Zhongliang (Chair)
- Gary GIBSON
- Remy BOSSU
- Carlos VARGAS
- Kojiro IRIKURA
- Kevin FURLONG

China Australia France Colombia Japan USA

# 5 IASPEI 2014 regional Assemblies

ESC 34<sup>th</sup> General Assembly (2<sup>nd</sup> ECEES) ISTANBUL (TURKEY) – Aug 24-29

> ASC 10<sup>TH</sup> General Assembly MANILA (PHILIPPINES) – Nov

LACSC 1<sup>st</sup> General Assembly BOGOTA (COLOMBIA) – July 23-25

# 6 IUGG 2015 General Assembly

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

### PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC JUNE 22 – JULY 2, 2015

The IASPEI related 2015 scientific program to be discussed on Thursday at the joint meeting of the Executive Committee and Commission Chairs



www.iugg2015prague.com







## 7 GRANTS

 IASPEI has set aside more than USD 50,000 for grants to help participants attend this meeting.

 The remaining accommodation grants are distributed in the IASPEI office.
Please contact the IASPEI Secretary General.

- All <u>ORAL SESSIONS</u> will be held in this Convention Centre (see rooms in the Overview programme) on the first floor.
  - 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.

• If you experience any problems with the projectors and/or computer, there will be a technician stationed outside the room to assist.

- <u>IASPEI office</u> is located on the first floor behind the Conference Reception Desk: Room 26
- LOC is located in room 21
- Session rooms are reserved for <u>meetings</u> at noon (12:00-13:30) 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 <u>THURSDAY</u> SHOULD END AT 19:30, SINCE THE DEPARTURE FOR THE IASPEI SOCIAL DINNER BY BUS WILL BE AT 19:45 – in front of Gothia Towers

#### POSTER SESSIONS

On the first floor (Expo Hall) near Room F5 Poster session on Wednesday and Friday from 15:00 to 16:30

# HOUSEKEEPING - 4 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 supporting various activities. I strongly recommend the conveners, in case they decide to publish their symposia/workshops papers, to select a special issue of an Elsevier journal.

#### IASPEI SOCIAL DINNER

at the "RUCKMANS" restaurant near Gothenburg (http://www.ruckmans.se/)

Price: SEK 400.00 Tickets available at the Secretary General Tickets sale will close TODAY at 18:00!

Transportation by bus departing in front of Gothia Towers at 19:45 will be provided for first 100 bookings!

# 9 CLOSING PLENARY announcement

### To be held on

### Friday, July 26, at 16:30

#### Room H2

IASPEI MEDAL AWARD CEREMONY

**Recipient Dr. Robin Adams** 

# PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

#### Prof. Dr. Domenico GIARDINI

## GEM - the Global Earthquake Model initiative

# IASPEI KEYNOTE LECTURE

On the occasion of the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of John Milne's death

## Dr. Roger MUSSON

THE HISTORY OF BRITISH SEISMOLOGY