

IASPEI OPENING PLENARY

IASPEI 2017, Kobe, Japan

Agenda

- 1) Welcome by the IASPEI President
- 2) Welcome by the LOC Chair
- 3) In Memoriam (2015 – 2017)
- 4) IASPEI Medal Award
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- 8) General Assembly in 2019
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- 11) Housekeeping
- 12) Closing Plenary Announcement

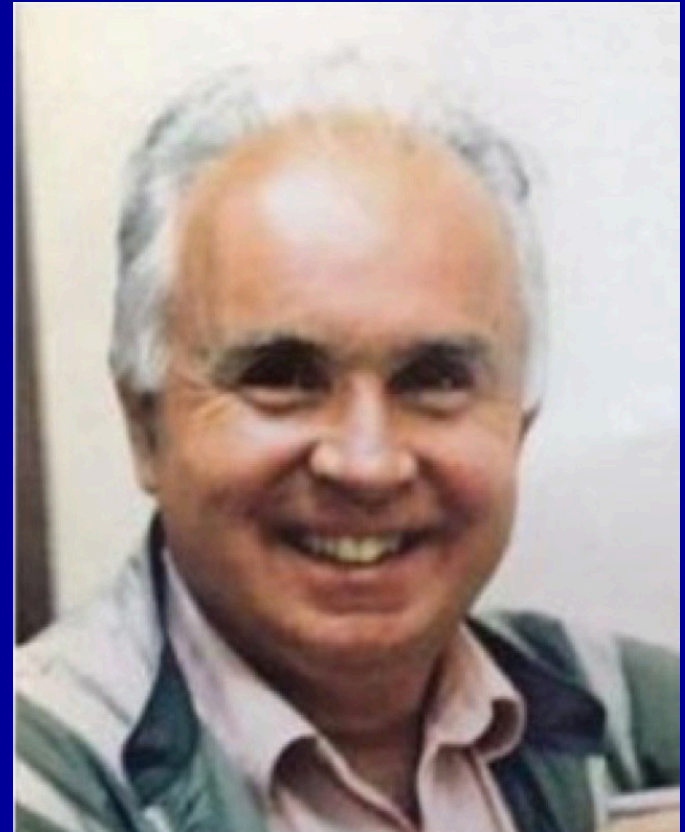
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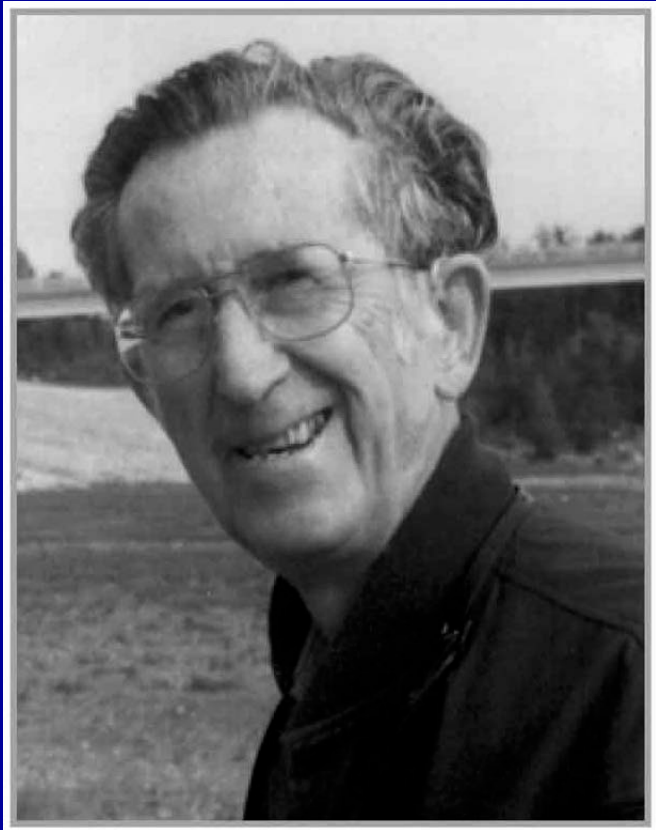
Claude FROIDEVAUX, France
(1930 – 2015)



Victor KUKSENKO, Russia
(1935 – 2015)

In Memoriam (2015 – 2017)

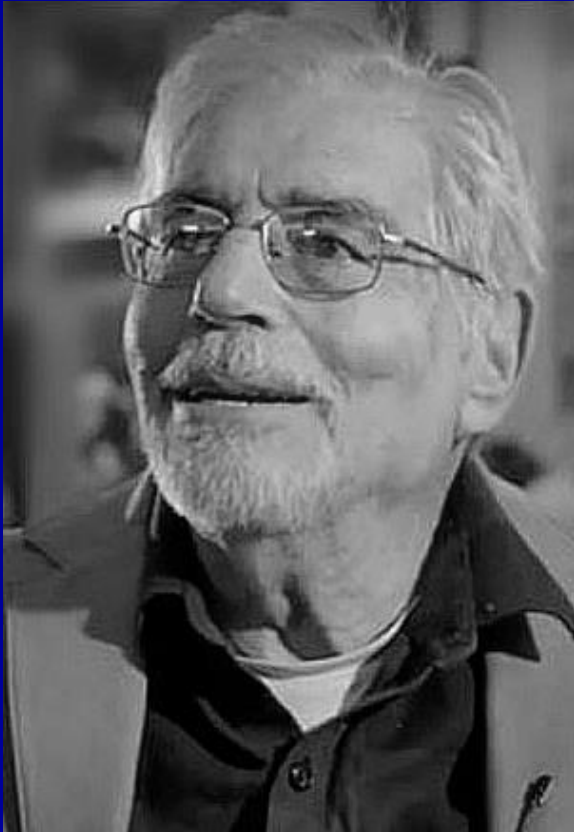
Ragnar SIGBJÖRNSSON, Iceland
(1944 – 2015)



Jean-Claude DE BREMAECKER, USA
(1923 – 2016)

In Memoriam (2015 – 2017)

Adam M. DZIEWOŃSKI, USA
(1936 – 2016)



Cinna LOMNITZ, Mexico
(1925 – 2016)

In Memoriam (2015 – 2017)

Jocelyn GUILBERT, France
(1970 – 2016)



Paolo GASPARINI, Italy
(1937 – 2016)

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Marco MUCCIARELLI, Italy
(1960 – 2016)



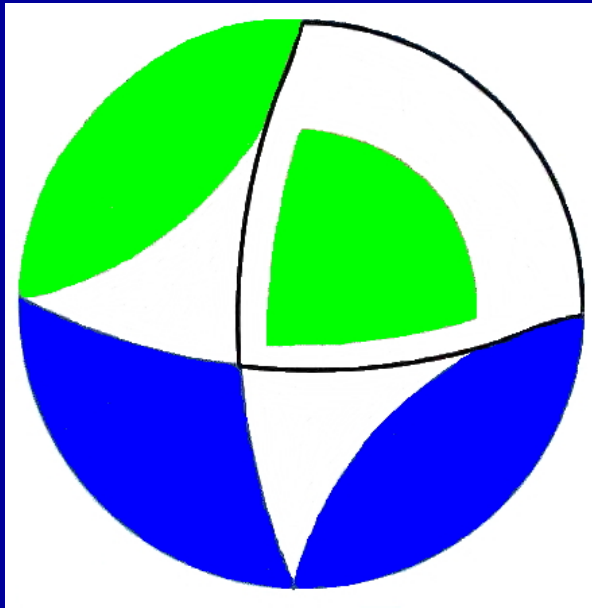
Hosseyn HAMZEHLO, Iran
(1966 – 2017)

In Memoriam (2015 – 2017)



Valentin I. ULOMOV, Russia
(1933 – 2017)

IASPEI Medal Award



2017 IASPEI Medal Recipient

Robert Eric Engdahl



The IASPEI Bureau is proud to announce that it has unanimously selected as recipient of the 2017 IASPEI Medal: **Eric Robert Engdahl** for his outstanding career contributions to seismology and more than 40 yearlong engagement with IASPEI.

Composition of Committees

Resolution Committee

Brian L. N. KENNETT (brian.kennett@anu.edu.au)

Vunganai MIDZI (vmidzi@geoscience.org.za)

Jim MORI (mori@eqh.dpri.kyoto-u.ac.jp)

Adrien OTH (adrien.oth@ecgs.lu)

Submission of Resolution Proposals

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

Thursday 22:00 at the latest

- Please provide the draft of the resolution proposal in digital form on a memory stick or as an email to one of the members of the Resolutions Committee, or leave it in the IASPEI office (Room 303) to the SG.

Nomination Committee

The next General Assembly in 2019 has to elect the IASPEI Bureau & Executive Committee for the period 2019 – 2023

IASPEI By-Laws

Adopted by the General Assembly of the Association, Grenoble, 1975 and amended by the General Assemblies in London, Canada, 1981; Melbourne, Australia 2011; and Prague, Czech Republic, 2015:

XIII. Nominations

1. At least two years before an election, the President shall appoint a Nominating Committee whose charge is to bring before the Plenary Meeting of the Association at the quadrennial General Assembly a slate of candidates for election to the Association Offices and the Executive Committee. The candidates for election shall be announced at least 4 days in advance of the Plenary Meeting.
2. The Nominating Committee should keep in mind the need for persons of executive ability, comprehensive scientific interests, and broad geographical representation and should consult, where possible, with former Presidents of the Association.

Nomination Committee

The Nominating Committee members for the 2019 Bureau and ExeCom elections are:

Atalay AYELE (Ethiopia)

Domenico GIARDINI, Past-President & Committee Chair
(Switzerland)

Marino PROTTI QUESADA (Costa Rica)

TBD (North America)

Kiyoshi SUYEHIRO (Japan)

Past-Presidents: WU Zhongliang,
Eric R. ENGDAHL, Brian L. N. KENNETT

Commission Meetings – 1

- Commission Meetings are scheduled during the week.
- All Commission Meetings are open for interested people!
- Remember that much of IASPEI's work is done in the Commissions.

Commission Meetings – 2

Commission on Education and Outreach

Chair: (John TABER); Monday 18 – 20, Room 402

Commission on Seismological Observation and Interpretation

Chair (Thomas MEIER); Tuesday 18 – 20, Room 402

Commission on Tectonophysics and Crustal Structure

Chair: (Kevin FURLONG); Wednesday 18 – 20, Room 402

Commission on Earthquake Generation Process – Physics, Modelling and Monitoring for Forecast

Chair: Eleftheria PAPADIMITRIOU; Wednesday 18 – 20, Room 403

Commission on Earth Structure and Geodynamics

Chairs: George HELFFRICH & Allen MCNAMARA; Tuesday 18 – 20, Room 403

Commission on Earthquake Hazard, Risk and Strong Ground Motion

Chair: Gary GIBSON; Monday 18 – 20, Room 403

Commission Meetings – 3

Commission on Earthquake Source Mechanics (ESM)

Chair: TBD; Wednesday 18 – 20, Room 401

Federation of Digital broadband Seismograph Network (FDSN)

Chair: (Göran EKSTRÖM); whole week, 12 - 13:30, Room 503

European Seismological Commission (ESC)

Chair: Ina CECIC; Friday 12 – 13:30, Room 404

Asian Seismological Commission (ASC)

Chair: (Gary Gibson), Tuesday 12 – 13:30, Room 404

Latin American and Caribbean Seismological Commission (LACSC)

Chair: Victor Huerfano; Monday 12 – 13:30, Room 404

African Seismological Commission (AfSC)

Chair: Atalay AYELE (Ethiopia); Wednesday 12 – 13:30, Room 404

Regional Assemblies in 2018

LACSC 3rd General Assembly jointly with SSA
San Juan (Puerto Rico) – April 24 – 26

ESC 36th General Assembly
Valetta (Malta) – Sep 1 – 7

ASC 12th General Assembly
TBD

AfSC 2nd General Assembly
TBD

IASPEI General Assembly in 2019

IASPEI will have its 40th General Assembly in

Montreal, CANADA

JULY 8 – 19, 2019

**The related scientific program will be
discussed on Thursday at 12:00 – 13:30
during an open joint meeting of the Executive
Committee and Commission Chairs
in room 403**

IUGG Centennial Monography

In connection with its 100th year celebration in 2019, IUGG plans to publish a monography with the title:

The International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics: From Different Spheres to a Common Globe

In this monography each Association will have space for about 10 – 12 pages to present their history and major achievements.

IASPEI is seeking volunteers to help with its contribution to this volume.

Grants

- IASPEI together with the LOC, have set aside about USD 40,000 for grants to help participants attending this meeting.
- The allowance grants are distributed by the LOC.

Statutes and By-laws

- IASPEI has approved new Statutes and By-Laws at the General Assembly in Prague in 2015.
- Due to the move of the IASPEI office from Italy to Norway, some minor changes are needed.
- These proposed changes were sent to all National Correspondents by email at the end of June and were posted on the IASPEI Web site <http://www.iaspei.org/>

Statutes and By-laws

- The adoption of these changes will be voted as a block at the Closing Plenary on Friday.
- Last-minute remarks are possible in written form to the SG until Thursday August 3 at 12:00.

Housekeeping – 1

- All ORAL SESSIONS will be held in this Congress Centre.
- Please remember to upload your talk latest before the session of your talk!
- 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 and to the LOC as soon as possible
- If you experience any problems with the projectors and/or computer, there will be technical personnel present.

Housekeeping – 2

- IASPEI office is located on the third floor: Room 303
- LOC is located on the fourth floor: Room 406
- Session rooms are reserved for business meetings 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 LOC or the IASPEI office!
- **IMPORTANT:** All meetings on Thursday should end at 18:30, since the IASPEI Social Dinner starts at 19:00

Housekeeping – 3

POSTER SESSIONS

- In the Kobe Center for Commerce and Industry (neighboring building)
- The afternoon coffee break is at the posters
- Author attendance at the posters from 15:30 – 16:30 (Tue-Thu) and 15:00 – 16:00 (Fri)
- All posters are hanging for two days

Housekeeping - 4

IASPEI Social Dinner

at the “Kobe Animal Kingdom”

Price: JPY 7,000

Tickets are still available at the Reception!

Be fast, only a few tickets are left!

Transportation with Portliner (monorail)

IASPEI Closing Plenary

To be held on

Friday, August 4, at 16:00 – 17:30

In this room!