



3-IASA General Membership Meeting September 15, 2012

Present: Patricia Crittenden (Chair), Andrea Landini, Lane Strathearn, Martin Stokowy, Airi Hautamaki, Franco Baldoni, Nicole Letourneau, Bente Nilsen, and Sabrina Bowen and 23 members.

Patricia Crittenden explained the organizational structure of IASA.

Board Members updated members on their tasks over the past year:

Bente Nilsen reported on her work with updating board meetings minutes in collaboration with Pat Crittenden and posting them on the IASA website. In addition she reported on her work with conference promotion.

Lane Strathearn reviewed the budget (projected expenses). Lane also was part of the program committee for the IASA conference.

Nicole Letourneau updated members on her DMM News tasks. Two issues published, one in 2011 and one in 2012. A 3rd is in preparation. Web-version of DMM News established. Nicole is also responsible for IASA's Grants & Scholarships. Every IASA member can apply to be a scholarship/grant recipient. Information will be passed to members.

Franco Baldoni is responsible for DMM News Foreign Editions. He is administrating the translation into Spanish, French, German, Italian, Russian and Portuguese.

Patricia Crittenden informed members on her leadership role/task. Pat also was part of the conference program committee and oversaw the weekly coordination by Skype meetings.

Andrea Landini informed members on Membership tasks and Members-Only Bulletin. Andrea also was in charge of the conference budget and all financial aspects of the conference. Andrea has also planned the assessment series of the conference.

Martin Stokowy & Nicola Sahhar updated members on the process of the conference planning as they were the conference venue co-chairs.

Airi Hautamaki was in charge of conference submissions, posters, the student poster award & the poster symposium.

Board nominations

Franco Baldoni was nominated and officially approved as permanent board member.

Announcing

IASA's next conference will take place in Miami (2015)

New IASA initiatives

IASA will arrange Regional conferences between our international conferences.

IASA will explore how to arrange Webinars.

Future needs for IASA

IASA needs Latin American board members, conference assistance (program and promotion), more basic research, DMM regional reports (UK, Germany, Nordic Countries, Latin America, Canada, USA. Volunteers are encouraged to email admin@iasa-dmm.org

Requests or questions from members

None

End of Meeting.