Minutes
of the Life Section Committee

Sunday, 28th October 2007

Attendance
Felix Arias
Malcolm Campbell
Morten Harbitz
Tomio Murata
Alan Rae
Stuart Wason
Kurt Wolfśdorff
Jesús Zúñiga
Peter Withey

Guests
Maja Benko
James Murphy
Piotr Szlenk
Yoshihiko Tsuji

Apologies
Geraldine Kaye
Chris Lewis
Marc Slutsky
Krzysztof Stroinski
Inge Zeilstra

Agenda

1: Adoption of agenda and minutes of last meeting

2: Organisation of seminars and colloquia
   - Colloquium Stockholm June 10 - 13
   - further colloquia and seminars 2008 - 2010

3: Update of financial budget

4: Bulletin: Co-operation with ASTIN

5: Internet services
Meeting

1 Kurt Wolfsdorf welcomes the participants and opens the meeting.

The minutes of the last meeting on June 11th, 2007 and the agenda of the present meeting are approved.

2 Seminars and Colloquia
   - Stockholm
     Attendance (around 150) was a little disappointing. The scientific program was well received, with 25 papers (including 5 invited keynote speakers) being presented. Financially the event made a small profit, thanks to generous sponsorship of the social and other events.
   - Quebec 17-18th June 2008
     Support has been received from SOA and CIA. The 17th is to be a Life Section day, and the 18th a joint day with the SOA. Call for papers and preliminary program will be released shortly.
   - Amsterdam 2008 (Seminar)
     Still not confirmed.
   - Munich 7-9th September 2009
     The Life colloquium will precede the AFIR colloquium, with the 9th as a common day. Both colloquia will also be joint with the regular autumn meeting of the DAV. There is an upper limit on attendees (primarily for the 9th) of 800. The organising committee is chaired by Kurt Wolfsdorf and scientific committee by Hartmut Milbrodt.
   - Cape Town 2010
     The 2010 colloquium will be part of the IAA 2010 congress in Cape Town
   - 2011
     Possibly in Asia.

3 There is no budget as yet, as Chris Lewis is still awaiting information on probable expenditure.

The accounts for the first half year show a healthy surplus. Dues totalling 34,840 CAD have been received, and as yet no expenditure has been incurred.

4 Andrew Cairns has indicated that the ASTIN Bulletin cannot take responsibility for judging the best article for the Life Section prize. The committee decides that Kurt Wolfsdorf should find an appropriate panel using the members of the scientific committee for Munich 2009 as a starting point.
Stuart Wason indicates that he does not have time to take the internet services project further. Alan Rae is to finish his work on a mortality section and use that as a first starting point.

Alan Rae is proposed as the sections representative on the IAA mortality task force.

A decision on the timing of the next meeting will be discussed by email.
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