



IACA held our Biennial General Meeting on 6 June 2018 at the Estrel in Berlin, Germany during the week long International Congress of Actuaries held only once every four years.

During this meeting **Margaret Tiller Sherwood**, **Ibrahim E. Muhanna** and **Gautam Kakar** rotated off after years of dedicated service to IACA.

Margaret has had over a decade in a leadership role peaking as Chair for 2014 to 2016 and having served as Past Chair for the following two years remains an extremely valuable resource for IACA. She has been Chair of the Strategic sub-committee and is focusing on strategy for IACA's growth as the consulting landscape widens at a good pace and engaging young actuaries is vital for IACA to harness their energy and ideas.

Ibrahim has chaired our Membership sub-committee and has always pushed for business development initiatives that are relevant to our members. Ibrahim brought several good ideas to our Committee. He and Mike Smith are about to implement a ***Tender warehouse*** trial period to offer IACA members access to tenders offered by various agencies. This is accompanied by an expanded membership database providing more details for closer networking and more business prospects. Another idea is group professional indemnity insurance, which has yet to be further developed. Please let us know, if you would be interested in this feature.

Gautam has served on the Committee for four years and we thank him for everything he has done for raising IACA's visibility.

We wish you all to continue being IACA members and join in the many volunteer teams to make IACA attractive to building an international community of consulting actuaries.

We welcome **Klaus Krøier**, **Léon Zijlmans**, **Octavio Rojas**, **Mike Lombardi** and **George Simeonidis** as new Committee members effective June 2018 for 4 years

We are very happy to greet you as newly elected members of the IACA committee and we look forward to working with each of you to build IACA into a thriving association. You all bring a wealth of experience to generate activities that will attract and retain new prospects. We look forward to your volunteering for various tasks, contribution to strategy and marketing.

Regards,

***Cathy & Gerd.***