

ISI General Assembly Marrakech, Morocco Report

The General Assembly presentation can be viewed [here](#).

The ISI General Assembly took place in Marrakech, Morocco on Thursday, 20 July 2017, from 17.15 – 19.15 hrs. The meeting was attended by 170 ISI members.

The General Assembly started with acknowledgement of achievements and remembrance through applause from the attendees in tribute to ISI members who passed away during the last two years.

President Pedro Silva presented the **President's Report**, highlighting the activities and achievements over the last two years.

Vice-President Steve Penneck introduced the **ISI Strategy 2017-2021**, its objectives and strategic priorities. The General Assembly approved the ISI Strategy 2017-2021 by acclamation.

President Pedro Silva provided information on **ISI Finances** including summaries of the reports from the Member Auditors and the Finance Committee. The General Assembly approved the financial report by acclamation.

ISI Director Ada van Krimpen introduced the **Annual Report 2016** a copy of which had earlier been sent for opinion to the ISI members. The General Assembly formally approved the Annual Report for 2016 by acclamation.

President-Elect Helen MacGillivray presented the outcome of the **Election of ISI Officers** (Executive Committee and Council) for 2017-19/21. The General Assembly formally confirmed the outcome by acclamation.

The Presidents (or their representatives) of the following **ISI Associations** summarized their societies' activities over the year 2016:

- Bernoulli Society
- IAOS
- IASC
- IASE
- IASS
- ISBIS
- TIES

Through a speech and a video, Dr Mohd Uzir Mahidin, Chief Statistician of Malaysia formally issued the invitation to the ISI to participate in the **62nd ISI World Statistics Congress**, which will be held from 18-23 August 2019 in Malaysia. The General Assembly formally accepted the invitation by acclamation.

Under matters arising a representative from Oman asked the EC to elaborate in future on the outcomes of the activities and encourage members to comment on the Annual Report.

A representative from Ireland, Mr Gerry O'Hanlon, asked the floor to alert the membership about the serious situation which has arisen with the trials Mr Andreas Georgiou, former ELSTAT President, is facing. He asked the ISI and the members to support Mr Andreas Georgiou by all possible means.

President Silva closed the meeting.

The Hague, 7 August 2017

ISI President 2015-2017
Pedro Luis do Nascimento Silva

ISI President 2017-2019
Helen MacGillivray

ISI Director
Ada van Krimpen