



Welcome

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Virtual Meetings
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Presidents of Member Societies and Regional Groupings
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New legal structure



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countries
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Conferences



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Christy Blevins

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Agenda

- IFORS2020
- IFORS President and Vice President
- Financial report
- IFORS events in 2020
- New journal
- Joint conferences
- IFORS2023 / IFORS2026
- Question & Answer and Open Discussion





IFORS 2020

The 22nd Conference of
the International Federation of Operational Research Societies

**IFORS 2020 has been rescheduled and will take place
in Seoul, August 22-27, 2021 at Hanyang University
Business School.**

**We are confident that, in more than a year from now,
we will be able to travel again and enjoy a wonderful
conference, meeting friends and colleagues in person.**



IFORS President and Vice President (2022-24)

Nominating Committee (3 former IFORS Presidents)

Michael Trick
Nelson Maculan
Dominique de Werra





President
Janny M.Y. Leung
University of Macau



Vice President
Frits C.R. Spieksma,
Eindhoven University of
Technology



Next Steps

- **Additional nominations**, each supported by at least three Members, may be made, provided they are received by the Secretary at least a year before 1 January of a year exactly divisible by three. **(By December 31, 2020)**
- Elections to the offices of President and IFORS Vice President will be by means of a **three-month ballot** and shall take place early in the year preceding the start of the term of office. If no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast on the first ballot, then a second three-month ballot will be held immediately between the top two candidates.
 - [If no additional candidates are nominated by the Member Societies, the candidates nominated by the Nominating Committee assume office on 1 January 2022.]
- The **Regional Vice Presidents** will be chosen by the regional groupings by such processes as the regional groupings may determine and as shall be approved by the Administrative Committee, and on a schedule concurrent with the election of the President and the IFORS Vice President(s).



Financial report

Income:

Member societies dues
IAOR
ITOR
Conferences

Recent event:

We lost income from IAOR
(it was 55,000\$ in 2012; 35,000\$ recently)

Expenses:

Office and Secretary
Web manager
ITOR
Newsletter
Preparation of new legal structure
Developing Countries Committee
IFORS Distinguished Lecturers, Schools
Administrative Committee



Financial report

Income from triennial conference- very volatile

Quebec City (2017) 170,000\$

Barcelona (2014) 240,000\$

Melbourne (2011) barely broke even

Sandton (2008) barely broke even

2018: Expenses ~ 146,000\$ Income ~ 87,000\$

2019: Expenses ~ 146,000\$ Income ~ 81,000\$

Over 3 years: Expenses ~ 438,000\$ Income ~ 255,000\$

We would need from a triennial conference ~ 183,000\$

Savings ~ 1,4 Million \$



Within the Administrative Committee

How can we contribute to a better future for IFORS?

What can IFORS do for the global OR community?



IFORS events in 2020

IFORS Global Webinars

- ALIO – July 2020
- APORS – September 2020
- EURO – November 2020
- NORAM – January 2021

Schedule and speakers to be determined



New Journal

The new journal will be looking at quantitative challenges in sustainability from an Operations Research and Analytics point of view. A special emphasis will be given to the 17 sustainable development goals (SDGs) stated by the UN.



New Journal

Sustainability Analytics and Modeling (SAM)

- Currently in negotiation with Publishers
 - Open Access Journal



Joint Conferences



IFORS is interested in exploring with Member Societies or Groupings on potential joint conferences.



Upcoming Triennial Conferences

2023 Santiago (Chile)

- Program and Organizing Committee Chairs being finalized

2026 Location to be determined

- 3 letters of intent have been submitted – Austria, Greece, Poland
- Complete proposals due by 31 October 2020
- If accepted by IFORS AC, voting to take place by member societies in early 2021



Topics raised by you

- Frequency of meetings
- Effect of pandemic on Societies membership
- Linking practice and academics



Question & Answer and Open Discussion



Use the “Raise Hand” feature or type your question in the Chat Box

