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Memorandum

From: Andrew Sharpe

To: IARIW Members

Date: June 26, 2006

Subject: Election for IARIW Council Members, 2006-2012

Every two years the IARIW membership elects three new members to serve on the Council for a six year term. This year we have received nine nominations for the three positions. IARIW members in good standing (i.e. paid-up members for 2006) are invited to vote for up to three individuals. Bios of the candidates are posted at http://www.iariw.org/councilnomrec.asp.

In the past, members could vote for Council members at the General Conference. This resulted in confusion, and uncertainly about who the new Council members would be. Consequently, it has been decided to impose a deadline for receipt of ballots by the IARIW secretariat of August 15, 2006. Voting will no longer be permitted at the General Conference. The new Council members will be announced at the members meeting on August 22, 2006.

The ballot is posted below and attached as a Word file. I look forward to a high turnout.

I would like to inform IARIW members of three other items. First, members attending the 29th General Conference in Joensuu, Finland August 20-26, 2006 are asked to register by July 1. Accommodation is not guaranteed after that date.

Second, as pursuant of the IARIW bylaws, notice is hereby given the biennial members meeting of the Association will take place at 20:00 on Tuesday, August 22, 2006 at the 29th IARIW General Conference in Joensuu, Finland. The agenda for the meeting is posted at www.iariw.org/agenda2006.pdf.

Third, members are reminded that session proposals for the 30th IARIW General Conference which will take place in Slovenia in August 2008 are now being received by the secretariat and will continue to be received until noon on Tuesday, August 22. These proposals will be distributed and debated at the members meeting.

I look forward to seeing as many members as possible in Finland in just over two months.

Ballot for the Election of IARIW Council Members, 2006-2012

IARIW members in good standing are asked to vote for up to three of the following individuals to serve as members of the IARIW Council for the 2006-2012 term. Please email, fax or mail the ballot to the IARIW secretariat by August 15, 2006. The results will be announced at the annual meeting of the Association to be held at the 29th General Conference in Joensuu, Finland August 20-26.

Bios the candidates are posted at http://www.iariw.org/councilnomrec.asp.

Ole Berner	
Miles Corak	
Barbara Fraumeni	
Markus Jäntti	
Robin Lynch	
Joachim Merz	
Panos Tsakloglou	
Ed Wolff	
Harry Wu	

Please email ballot to <u>info@iariw.org</u> or fax to 1-613-233-8250, or mail to IARIW, 500-111 Sparks Street, Ottawa, Canada K1P 5B5