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**IAI Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC)
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To: Honorable Members, IAI Conference of the Parties

From: Frank Muller-Karger, IAI SAC



Subject: SAC membership renewals and nominations

There is a need to appoint five members to the IAI Science Advisor Committee (SAC) in 2014. Four (4) members will have their terms expire in mid-2014. Two of these are eligible for reappointment to a second term. In addition, there is an unfilled membership in the SAC (the new member appointed by the CoP in 2013 also resigned in 2013 for personal reasons).

The SAC provides the following recommendations to the CoP to fill the upcoming slots in the SAC:

1) Reappoint the two members completing their first term who are eligible for a second term:

-JOSÉ ANTONIO MARENGO ORSINI
-RODOLFO DIRZO

2) Reappoint in an extraordinary manner the following two members for two years to maintain continuity in the SAC

-FRANK E MULLER KARGER (serving at present as SAC Chair)
-WALTER E BAETHGEN

The CVs for these candidates are posted.

3) If the CoP does not agree to the extension of one or both Muller-Karger and/or Baethgen, the CoP may consider one or two of the following alternative candidates:

- GRACIELA L. BINIMELIS DE RAGA
- TREVOR PLATT

The CV's for these candidates are posted.

4) CoP nomination: The CoP needs to nominate and appoint one scientist of their choosing to the SAC to fill the slot that requires a CoP nomination. The following candidates have been recommended by CoP members, to my knowledge:

-CARLOS ALFREDO JOLY
-ROGER S. PULWARTY

The CV's for these candidates are posted.

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