

The International Union of Geological Sciences (IUGS) Nominating Committee Finalized the Slate for the IUGS EC and NC Elections.

The International Union of Geological Sciences (IUGS) Nominating Committee had its fifth meeting on March 19th-20th, 2024, at Sun Yat-Sen University (Zhuhai Campus) in Guangdong Province.

Under the chairmanship of NC Chair, Professor Qiuming Cheng, and with the participation of esteemed NC members from Colombia, Germany, Namibia, Spain, and the USA, the committee convened to finalize the slates for the upcoming IUGS Executive Committee (EC) and Nominating Committee (NC) nominations.

Throughout the meeting, the Nominating Committee rigorously reviewed the nominations received following the second Call for Nominations for the 2024-2028 term. Adhering to the statutes and bylaws of the IUGS, the committee meticulously evaluated each nominee's eligibility, scientific record, international network, geographical distribution, gender balance, motivation, and potential preparedness to serve the IUGS.

Following comprehensive deliberation, the Nominating Committee crafted a slate for the IUGS Executive Committee (EC) comprising 3 candidates for President, 2 for Secretary-General, 2 for Treasurer, 6 for two Vice Presidents, 6 for two Councilors (2024-2028), and 5 for two Councilors (2026-2030). Additionally, the NC slate consists of 7 candidates.

The Nominating Committee will promptly notify the candidates to update their campaign materials and submit the finalized slates to the IUGS Executive Committee.

The NC expresses its gratitude to all nominees and nominating organizations for their participation and support throughout this process. Your dedication and commitment to serving the IUGS community are commendable and greatly appreciated.

We look forward to the upcoming election process and the continued advancement of geological sciences under the leadership of the newly elected officials.