

Notice of the SAAG Biennial General Meeting

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Feedback

Feedback on SAAG activities

Presented by SAAG President Elizabeth Rudolph

- **Membership**
- **NPO registration**
- **SACNASP VA status**
- **IAG**
- **Activities**
- **Finances**

Presented by SAAG President Elizabeth Rudolph on behalf of SAAG Treasurer David Hedding

- **Social media presence**

Presented by the SAAG Social Media Office, r Abu Nguna

SAYG

Presented by the SAAG ECR representative, Renee Grundling

Voting Matters

Item 1: Amending the Constitution to allow a second Treasurer onto the Council, with the terms as specified in the Constitution

Proposed by: David Hedding

Seconded: Christel Hansen

Argumentation: We propose having a second Treasurer on the Council. This ensures there are always two signatories to the SAAG bank account, greatly simplifying financial matters.

The new Constitution should reflect

Clause 10.1.4: Two Treasurers

Clause 11.5. The term of the Treasurers can be extended beyond the 4-year period as stipulated in Clause 11.1 and 11.2 until a new Treasurer is elected by the Members at a BGM.

Item 2: Providing seed funding for the SAYG from SAAG finances

Proposed by: Renée Grundling

Seconded: Christel Hansen

Argumentation: We propose setting aside an amount of money each year to be considered as 'seed funding' for activities by the SAYG. This amount should be decided upon by the SAAG Council on an annual basis, and not exceed 10% of the bank account balance.

Item 3: Student SAYG members become full members of SAAG

Proposed by: Renée Grundling

Seconded: Christel Hansen

Argumentation: To promote the professional development of young geomorphologists and to ensure membership counts exceed 50, as required for VA SACNASP status, we propose that registered SAYG members who are still students become full members of SAAG, without any membership dues (currently R50 per annum). SAYG members must provide proof of student registration. ECRs that are part of the SAYG are liable for SAAG membership fees.

Item 4: Confirming the President-Elect as President

Confirm [Marike Stander](#) as the new President of SAAG.

Argumentation: Marike Stander has served as President-Elect of SAAG for the 2023-2025 term.

Item 5: Confirming new Council Members

Leaving Council: Elizabeth Rudolph, Christel Hansen, Abuyiselwe Nguna, Suzanne Grenfell, Renee Grundling,

Staying on Council: Marike Stander, David Hedding and Carel Greyling, Thomas Marambanyika, Mthobisi Masilela

Nominated by the Google Form, everyone has accepted the nomination and has been seconded by a SAAG member.

- [Ryan Anderson](#)
- Colby Weiss
- Febe Jansen van Vuuren
- [Edmore Kori](#)

Nominations for Council during the BGM

- To be determined during the BGM.

If there are no objections, then all are members of the Council, including those staying on.

Item 6: Voting for the new President-Elect

The candidates are [Carel Greyling](#).