

# International Mathematical Union



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**IMU AO Circular Letter 5/2013**

To: IMU Adhering Organizations

From: Martin Grötschel, IMU Secretary

## **32nd General Assembly of ICSU in 2017**

Dear colleagues,

I am forwarding to you another request from ICSU. ICSU is looking for a location willing to host the ICSU General Assembly in 2017.

The e-mail below and the document in the attachment describe the associated details.

May I ask you to forward this information to an organization/institution in your country that may be interested in hosting this event?

Best regards

Martin Grötschel

**Von:** Tish BAHMANI FARD [<mailto:tish@icsu.org>]

**Gesendet:** Montag, 26. August 2013 12:15

**An:** [icsu-imu@mathunion.org](mailto:icsu-imu@mathunion.org)

**Betreff:** 32nd General Assembly of ICSU

To: National Members of ICSU

c.c. ICSU Scientific Unions for information

Further to my message of 16 May 2012 (please see below), we have to date not received any firm offers to host the 32<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly of ICSU in 2017. The Executive Board has, therefore, decided to reiterate this call and we would appreciate receiving at least preliminary indications of interest in hosting this by **31 December 2013** at the latest.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Tish Bahmani Fard

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**De :** Tish BAHMANI FARD

**Envoyé :** mercredi 16 mai 2012 18:49

**À :** Tish BAHMANI FARD

**Objet :** 32nd General Assembly 2017

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The 28th General Assembly of in October 2005, recognized "the need to meet in different regions of the world"; and agreed that a six-year planning horizon for General Assemblies was desirable.

Since 1990 ICSU has held, or will hold, General Assemblies in the following locations:

31st GA New Zealand	August-September 2014
30th GA Rome, Italy	September 2011
29th GA Maputo, Mozambique	October 2008
28th GA Suzhou/Shanghai, China	October 2005
27th GA Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	September 2002
26th GA Cairo, Egypt	September 1999
25th GA Washington DC, USA	September 1996
24th GA Santiago, Chile	October 1993
23rd GA Sofia, Bulgaria	October 1990

Offers are now solicited to host the 32nd General Assembly in 2017 and I attach a brief description of the Assembly and the practical requirements necessary for its functioning.

We would appreciate receiving expressions of interest to host this Assembly, preferably electronically, no later than 31 December 2012 in order that the Executive Board may consider them at its meeting in early 2013. Decisions on the venue of General Assemblies are normally-made by the General Assembly and would be on the Agenda of the Assembly in 2014 in New Zealand.

Please send expressions of interest to <[tish@icsu.org](mailto:tish@icsu.org)> and do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries.

With kind regards.

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