FIG-Council 2019-2022

Work Plan

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International Federation of Surveyors
Fédération Internationale des Géomètres
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The Vision

Surveying is a modern profession acting worldwide for a better infrastructure for our society and planet earth.

FIG wants to keep, and even improve, its role as the premier non-governmental organisation, that represents the interests of surveyors worldwide.
The Motto of my presidency

Volunteering for the Future!

2 questions ...

➢ Why volunteering??

➢ Volunteering for the future of what ...??
Volunteering for the future!

How to volunteer?

• To **promote** FIG in our personal professional environment

• To **participate** in FIG Working Weeks and Congresses

• To **encourage** and **motivate** others to participate in future FIG events and activities.

• To **contribute** actively to our events by giving presentations, writing publications

• To **participate** actively in the work of our Commissions, Working Groups, Networks, and Task Forces.

• To **assume responsibility** as the Officer of a Commission, Network or Task Force.

• To **support** the next generation of FIG members
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Volunteering for the Future

... of our Federation

is at the same time beneficial for our ...

Profession  Society  Planet
Council identified 2 major targets

Making “Fit - for the future”

Promoting the relevance of our profession together with our partners!
Target 1- FIG – Fit for the Future

TF on Governance
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From 2015-2018: **TF on Commissions** led by VP Mikael Lilje

**succession**

**TF on Governance** not limited to Commissions.

it will investigate the entire structure of our Federation:

*Council – Commissions – Networks - permanent Institutions - ....*

**TF on Governance** led by VP Diane Dumashie

results are expected in 2 years time
Target 1 - FIG – Fit for the Future

TF on Governance

YSN better integrated into FIG!
Special support for a better integration ....

This year the YSN are giving a plenary presentation!

YSN-Charity-dance in Istanbul 2018
Target 1 - FIG – Fit for the Future

- TF on Governance
- YSN better integrated into FIG!
- Development of a long term strategy

FIG 2028
Why ..... **2028** and not **2025** .... or ... **2030** ... or ... **2050** ??

Independent from FIG’s Governance structure,

..... “is FIG fit for the future?”

The related questions are as follows:

- Is the format of our events still up-to-date?
- Is the way how we communicate still valid?
- How to attract the next generation of surveyors?

- Working group led by Council.
- A workshop is planned in 2019 .... INTERGEO in Stuttgart with stakeholders from Commissions, networks, Young Surveyors, Corporate Members, MAs, ...
Target 1 - FIG – Fit for the Future

- Development of a long term strategy
- FIG 2028
- We want to attract more Corporate members!
- YSN better integrated into FIG!
- TF on Governance
Target 1 - FIG – Fit for the Future

Making our events more lively, vital and attractive!

We want to attract more Corporate members!

TF on Governance

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Development of a long term strategy

FIG 2028
FoRB + MA + Regional network

Current situation:  
- **FoRB** does not exist in our statutes  
- initiated by CLGE (Jean-Yves Pirlot and Maurice Barbieri)

**FoRB** was held during the last events with big participation  
**FIG- Regional Capacity Development network**  
**MA-Forum** was not really vital during the last years

**List of Regional Bodies**
- Arab Union of Surveyors (AUS)  
- ASEAN-Federation of Land Surveying and Geomatics (AFLAG)  
- Asociación Panamericana de Profesionales de la Agrimensura y Topografía (APPAT)  
- Comité de Liaison des Géomètres Européen (CLGE)  
- Fédération des Géomètres Francophone (FGF)  
- Mediterranean Union of Surveyors (UMG)

- **Evaluate further formats ...?**

This is an “experiment” in 2019 .. The next steps depend on the outcome !!!
Making our events more lively, vital and attractive!

- Presidents meeting has a topic “How can MAs contribute to FIG”?

- Moved Presidents meeting from Friday morning (9h to 10h30) -> Thursday (15h30-17h00)

  GA can start already at 9h .... finished at 12h30
Target 1 - FIG – Fit for the Future

- Stronger and more active Commissions + networks!
- FIG events should be more attractive!
- We want to attract more Corporate members!
- TF on Governance
- YSN better integrated into FIG!
- Development of a long term strategy
- FIG 2028
Stronger Commissions + networks

Succession Planning

Each Commission has projects on ...

- Short-term
- Mid-term
- Long-term

Commissions + MAs + Council

☑ voting of chair elects for the period 2023 – 2026 not in 2020

the ideal time will be 2021 (ww Accra, Ghana)
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FIG 2028

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2nd Target - Promoting our profession

Promoting the relevance of our profession together with our partners!

Who are our partners?
- UN-FAO
- UN-GGIM
- UN-HABITAT
- UN-OOSA
- World Bank

Who are our sister organisations?
- IAG
- ICA
- IHO
- ISPRS
Task Force on Sustainable Development Goals = SDGs

17 Goals -> 169 targets -> 230 indicators

Declared in 2015 .... Should be achieved by 2030
Task Force on Sustainable Development Goals  = SDGs

TF on SDGs led by Paula Dijkstra (Netherlands)

Identify the Goals were our profession has potentially the biggest impact

coordinate the activities inside FIG

Special Session
Thursday, 25 April, 11:00–12:30 "ESRI ROOM"
Thank you for your attention!