FIG WORKING WEEK 2019
22–26 April, Hanoi, Vietnam

“Geospatial Information for a Smarter Life and Environmental Resilience”
The FIG Foundation: Building a Sustainable Future

Report on 2018 Activities of the FIG Foundation
2019-2020 Work Plan

John D. Hohol, President- FIG Foundation
The FIG Foundation is located in and administered by the FIG Office
In Copenhagen, Denmark

A Board of Directors chaired by the President of the FIG Foundation
makes the decisions of the Foundation.

The Board of Directors for 2018 was as follows:

▪ John Hohol, President of the FIG Foundation (USA)
▪ Prof. Michael Barry, Director (Canada)
▪ FIG Vice President Orhan Ercan, (Turkey)
▪ Ms Winnie Shiu, Director (PR China)
▪ Mr Daniel Steudler, Director (Switzerland)
Programmes with Corporate Members

Charter Foundation Partner Trimble Navigation continues to support the FIG Foundation by sponsorship of the FIG Foundation Dinner since 2010 and providing other support directly through the Foundation.
The board held its official meeting in Istanbul, Turkey during the 2018 congress week. The board has also been in frequent contact through emails.
For 2018, two different grants were offered, an Academic Research Grant and a PhD Scholarship.

For the academic research grant FIG Foundation received four applications, however they were all rejected due to the fact that they did not fulfil the requirements.
FIG Foundation received four applications for PhD. grant, of which one was accepted: Mr Bruno Lot Tanko, Nigeria, for his research project on “Roadmap for Implementing Value Management (VM) in the Nigerian Construction Industry”.

Mr Bruno Lot Tanko has received EUR 4,000 and is eligible to receive an additional grant of EUR 3,000 to enable him attend and present his published paper if it will be accepted as peer review paper.
In 2018 the FIG Foundation awarded grants totalling 14,234 EUR to 5 Young Surveyors to participate in the FIG Congress Week in Istanbul, Turkey.

The Young Surveyors were:
- Jean Pierre Habiyaremye (Rwanda)
- Ana Julia Herrera Gonzalez (Costa Rica)
- Mudit Kapoor (India)
- James Quick (United Kingdom)
- Cemre Şahinkaya (Turkey)
Grants 2018

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Cemre Şahinkaya (Turkey)

Mudit Kapoor (India)
Julia Herrera (Costa Rica)
Jean Pierre Habiyaremye (Rwanda)
Ms. Melissa Robert, Uruguay was approved a grant in 2018 of 8.835 EUR to support her attendance at five conferences in which she has promoted and informed about FIG and FIG Young Surveyors. At the same time FIG and FIG Foundation extend a special thanks to Melissa for her work on the promotion of FIG in the Latin America area.
CLGeGL, Italy has received a grant of 5,000 EUR as support for their International Summer School.
Together with UN-Habitat/Global Land Tool Network (GLTN) the FIG Young Surveyors introduced a new pilot programme in 2017 – Volunteer Community Surveyor program (VCSP). This programme made it possible for young surveyors to apply for an exchange and to contribute to projects that GLTN is involved in at country levels implementing land tools. This project was supported by FIG Foundation of 5,000 EUR. Expenses were included in the 2017 accounting, however most of the expenses were held in 2018.
Grants 2018

Three Young Surveyors Network Regional meetings were supported by FIG Foundation.
- The 2nd FIG YSN Asian-Pacific meeting in Japan
- The 3rd FIG YSN North American meeting in USA
- The 1st FIG YSN meeting in Africa, Botswana

Two participants/volunteers were supported to attend the Esri User conference co-sponsored by Young Surveyors and FIG Foundation.
Finally, at its meeting in 2017 FIG Foundation agreed to invest in a video performance on how to apply for applications. Too many applications have been received that did not fulfil the criteria and it is the hope that this video can help and inspire to receive better applications to the Foundation, but also to help in general with grant application writing. Part of the costs were covered in 2017 and the rest in 2018. The videos are posted on the FIG Foundation web site and available on the FIG Youtube channel. At the same time a general intro video about FIG was made.
FIG Foundation Grants 2002-2018

- Africa: 32%
- Asia: 32%
- Europe: 19%
- Oceania: 7%
- North America: 6%
- South America: 4%
## Accounting 2018

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<tr>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Amount</th>
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<td>Registrations Congress + donation and charity run</td>
<td>21,650.00 EUR</td>
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<td>Voluntary donations at the Congress</td>
<td>350.00</td>
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<td>Other donations/Trimble</td>
<td>10,000.00</td>
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<td>Personal donations</td>
<td>682.00</td>
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<td>Total income in 2018</td>
<td>30,702.00 EUR</td>
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<td>Expenses 2018</td>
<td>51,898.00</td>
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<td>Net result 2018</td>
<td>(21,196) EUR</td>
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<td>Total assets 2018</td>
<td>239,749.00</td>
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These donations were given by:
- Jürgen Dold, Vice President Hexagon
- Teo CheeHai, FIG Honorary President
- Bob Foster, FIG Honorary President

The total income in 2018 was 30,702 EUR and expenses 51,898 which gives the net result of (21,196) EUR.
The total assets are 239,749 EUR.
The FIG Foundation would like to sincerely thank all those who have generously donated in 2018 in support of the FIG Foundation.

The FIG Foundation would also like to sincerely thank Trimble Navigation for their generous contribution and support of the FIG Foundation over these many years.
In total FIG Foundation received donations of in total 350 EUR made through the registration to the Congress. Thanks to:

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Winston Ainee (Nigeria), Director
Mike Barry (Canada), Director
Jixian Zhang (China), FIG Vice President, Director
David Mitchell (Australia), Chair- Commission 2, Director
Enrico Rispoli (Italy), Director
• Promotion of continuing grant initiatives: Academic Research Grant / PhD Scholarship
• Initiate new Aubrey Barker Fund/FIG Foundation Course Development Grant in collaboration with the Aubrey Barker Fund (UK)
• Support FIG Commission activities through current grant offerings and new initiatives
• Support Young Surveyor activities
• Explore other grant initiatives
• Develop and clarify requirements for each specific type of grant consideration
• Update Foundation literature
• Continued cooperation with Trimble and all FIG Corporate Members
• Explore and initiate new opportunities to raise funds to increase Foundation resources
Thank you!