

**COUNCIL CHAIRPERSONS FOR THE IHD AND THE IHP
(1965 - 2012)**

**INTERNATIONAL HYDROLOGICAL DECADE
(1965 – 1975)**

| | | |
|-------------|-----------------|-------------|
| P.R. Ahuja | India | 1965 – 1967 |
| I. Cheret | France | 1967 – 1969 |
| I. Cheret | France | 1969 – 1971 |
| A. Volker | The Netherlands | 1971 – 1973 |
| M. Mozayeny | Iran | 1973 – 1975 |

**INTERNATIONAL HYDROLOGICAL PROGRAMME
(1975 – present)**

| | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| M. Slivitzky | Canada | 1975 – 1977 |
| D. Kraemer Malinowsky | Mexico | 1977 – 1979 |
| N.B. Ayibotele | Ghana | 1979 – 1981 |
| G. Kovacs | Hungary | 1981 – 1984 |
| H. Zebidi | Tunisia | 1984 – 1986 |
| A. Arbabhirama | Thailand | 1986 – 1988 |
| G. Young | Canada | 1988 – 1989 |
| A.C. Tatit-Holtz | Brazil | 1989 – 1991 |
| I. Shiklomanov | Russia | 1992 – 1995 |
| I. Muzila | Botswana | 1995 – 1996 |
| M. Abu-Zeid | Egypt | 1996 – 1998 |
| K. Takeuchi | Japan | 1998 – 2000 |
| R. Feddes | The Netherlands | 2000 – 2002 |
| V. Pochat | Argentina | 2002 – 2004 |
| O. Bonacci | Croatia | 2004 – 2006 |
| A.M.S. Shagari ¹ | Nigeria | 2006 – 2007 |
| B. Braga | Brazil | 2007 – 2008 |
| A. Salih | Sudan | 2008 – 2010 |
| Soontak Lee | Republic of Korea | 2010 – 2012 |

¹ Following a change in government in Nigeria, Mr Shagari, the former Minister of Water Resources, exited cabinet, therefore ceasing his functions as Chairperson of the IHP Intergovernmental Council and as representative of Nigeria to the IHP. In accordance with Article IV, item 6(2) of the Rules of Procedure of the IHP Intergovernmental Council, Mr Benedito Braga (Brazil), Vice-Chairperson, became Chairperson for the unexpired portion of the term of office of the outgoing Chairperson.

COMPOSITION OF THE IHP BUREAU
1975 – 2012

(● Chairperson for the given period)

1975 – 1976

| | | |
|-----------------------|----------|------------|
| M. Slivitzky ● | Canada | Group I |
| V.I. Korzoun | USSR | Group II |
| D. Kraemer Malinowsky | Mexico | Group III |
| Cheong Chup Lim | Malaysia | Group IV |
| N.B. Ayibotele | Ghana | Group (Va) |

1977 – 1978

| | | |
|---------------------------|----------------|------------|
| D. Kraemer Malinowsky ● | Mexico | Group III |
| J. Vasa | Czechoslovakia | Group II |
| D.N. Body | Australia | Group IV |
| S. Nejand | Iran | Group IV |
| M.S.E. Shalash/A.A. Kamel | Egypt | Group V(b) |

1979 – 1980

| | | |
|------------------|----------|------------|
| N.B. Ayibotele ● | Ghana | Group V(a) |
| P. Cohen | USA | Group I |
| P. Penchev | Bulgaria | Group II |
| A. Diaz-Arenas | Cuba | Group III |
| Yan Kai | China | Group IV |

1981 – 1983

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| G. Kovacs ● | Hungary | Group II |
| H.J. Liebscher | Germany | Group I |
| M.C. Fuschini-Mejia | Argentina | Group III |
| Yan Kai | China | Group IV |
| M.C. Safadi | Syria | Group V(b) |
| N.B. Ayibotele (past Chairperson) | Ghana | Group V(a) |

1984 – 1985

| | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| H. Zebidi ● | Tunisia | Group V(b) |
| B. Wingard | Norway | Group I |
| N. de Franca | Brazil | Group III |
| A. Arbabhirima | Thailand | Group IV |
| F. de Menezes | Sao Tome & Principe | Group V(a) |
| G. Kovacs (past Chairperson) | Hungary | Group II |

1986 – 1987

| | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| A. Arbabhirima ● | Thailand | Group IV |
| A. Volker | The Netherlands | Group I |
| Z. Mikulsky | Poland | Group II |
| A.C. Tatit-Holtz | Brazil | Group III |
| P.O. Kahangire | Uganda | Group V(a) |
| H. Zebidi (past Chairperson) | Tunisia | Group V(b) |

1988 – 1989

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|
| G. Young ● | Canada | Group I |
| S. Jovanovic | Yugoslavia | Group II |
| M.C. Fuschini-Mejia | Argentina | Group III |
| U. Kawu | Nigeria | Group V(a) |
| R. Al-Debbagh | Iraq | Group V(b) |
| A. Arbabhirima (past Chairperson) | Thailand | Group IV |

1990 – 1991

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|------------|
| A.C. Tatit-Holtz ● | Brazil | Group III |
| L. Molnar | Czechoslovakia | Group II |
| Y. Takahasi | Japan | Group IV |
| W.N. Thitai | Kenya | Group V(a) |
| M.R. Kallel | Tunisia | Group V(b) |
| G. Young (past Chairperson) | Canada | Group I |

1992 – 1995

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|------------|
| I. Shiklomanov ● | Russia | Group II |
| A. Mercado | Israel | Group I |
| Liang Ruiju | China | Group IV |
| N. Kindudi | Angola | Group V(a) |
| M. Bacha | Tunisia | Group V(b) |
| A.C. Tatit-Holtz (past Chairperson) | Brazil | Group III |

1995 – 1996

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| I. Muzila ● | Botswana | Group V(a) |
| R. Lemmelä | Finland | Group I |
| H. Peña Torrealba | Chile | Group III |
| B. Machbub | Indonesia | Group IV |
| M.B.A. Saad | Egypt | Group V(b) |
| I. Shiklomanov (past Chairperson) | Russia | Group II |

1996 – 1998

| | | |
|------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| M. Abu-Zeid ● | Egypt | Group V(b) |
| M. Spreafico | Switzerland | Group I |
| P. Serban | Romania | Group II |
| V. Pochat | Argentina | Group III |
| S.M. Seth | India | Group IV |
| I. Muzila (past Chairperson) | Botswana | Group V(a) |

1998 – 2000

| | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| K. Takeuchi ● | Japan | Group IV |
| R. Feddes | Netherlands | Group I |
| W. Strupczewski | Poland | Group II |
| M. Endara S. | Panama | Group III |
| A. Afouda | Benin | Group V(a) |
| M. Abu-Zeid (past Chairperson) | Egypt | Group V(b) |

2000 – 2002

| | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| R. Feddes ● | Netherlands | Group I |
| W. Strupczewski | Poland | Group II |
| M. García de Mejía | Colombia | Group III |
| A. Afouda | Benin | Group V(a) |
| M. Benbibia | Morocco | Group V(b) |
| K. Takeuchi (past Chairperson) | Japan | Group IV |

2002 – 2004

| | | |
|------------------------------|--------------|------------|
| V. Pochat ● | Argentina | Group III |
| G. Holló | Hungary | Group II |
| R. Ardkanian | Iran | Group IV |
| J.A. Hanidu | Nigeria | Group V(a) |
| A.B.S. Altokhais | Saudi Arabia | Group V(b) |
| R. Feddes (past Chairperson) | Netherlands | Group I |

2004 – 2006

| | | |
|------------------------------|-----------|------------|
| O. Bonacci ● | Croatia | Group II |
| S. Demuth | Germany | Group I |
| Liu Heng | China | Group IV |
| M.H. Ibrahim | Nigeria | Group V(a) |
| M.R. Almomani | Jordan | Group V(b) |
| V. Pochat (past Chairperson) | Argentina | Group III |

2006 – 2008

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|------------|
| A.M.S. Shagari ● ² | Nigeria | Group V(a) |
| A. Jenkins | UK | Group I |
| B. Braga ● | Brazil | Group III |
| K. Abdullah | Malaysia | Group IV |
| M. Al-Rashed | Kuwait | Group V(b) |
| O. Bonacci (past Chairperson) | Croatia | Group II |

2008 – 2010

| | | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|------------|
| A. Salih ● | Sudan | Group V(b) |
| J. Cullmann | Germany | Group I |
| P. Miklanek | Slovakia | Group II |
| K. Takara | Japan | Group IV |
| M. Nepfumbada | South Africa | Group V(a) |
| B. Braga (past Chairperson) | Brazil | Group III |

2010 – 2012

| | | |
|---|-------------------|------------|
| Soontak Lee ● | Republic of Korea | Group IV |
| M. Larsen | USA | Group I |
| J. Despotovic | Serbia | Group II |
| P. Martinez-Austria | Mexico | Group III |
| J. Omondi | Kenya | Group V(a) |
| A. Salih (past Chairperson), replaced by M.E. Eltayeb Elhag in August 2011 ³ | Sudan | Group V(b) |

² See footnote 1

³ Pursuant his appointment on 4 September 2011 by the UNESCO Director-General as Director of the Division of Water Sciences and Secretary of the International Hydrological Programme (IHP), and serving in this capacity until the recruitment for the Director and Secretary post is completed, Mr A. Salih was replaced by Mr M.E. Eltayeb Elhag for the unexpired portion of the term of office of the past Chairperson (ex officio).

**MEMBER STATE REPRESENTATION BY ELECTORAL GROUPS⁴
ON THE BUREAU OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL COUNCIL OF THE IHP
(1975 – 2012)**

(● denotes that the representative served as Chairperson for the given period)

GROUP I

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Canada ● | M. Slivitzky | 1975 – 1976 |
| USA | P. Cohen | 1979 – 1980 |
| Federal Republic of Germany | H.J. Liebscher | 1981 – 1983 |
| Norway | B. Wingard | 1984 – 1985 |
| The Netherlands | A. Volker | 1986 – 1987 |
| Canada ● | G. Young | 1988 – 1989 |
| Canada | G. Young | 1990 – 1991 |
| Israel | A. Mercado | 1992 – 1994 |
| Finland | R. Lemmelä | 1995 – 1996 |
| Switzerland | M. Spreafico | 1996 – 1998 |
| The Netherlands | R. Feddes | 1998 – 2000 |
| The Netherlands ● | R. Feddes | 2000 – 2002 |
| The Netherlands | R. Feddes | 2002 – 2004 |
| Germany | S. Demuth | 2004 – 2006 |
| UK | A. Jenkins | 2006 – 2008 |
| Germany | J. Cullmann | 2008 – 2010 |
| USA | M. Larsen | 2010 – 2012 |

GROUP II

| | | |
|----------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| USSR | V.I. Korzoun | 1975 – 1976 |
| Czechoslovakia | J. Vasa | 1977 – 1978 |
| Bulgaria | P. Penchev | 1979 – 1980 |
| Hungary ● | G. Kovacs | 1981 – 1983 |
| Hungary | G. Kovacs | 1984 – 1985 |
| Poland | Z. Mikulsky | 1986 – 1987 |
| Yugoslavia | S. Jovanovic | 1988 – 1989 |
| Czechoslovakia | L. Molnar | 1990 – 1991 |
| Russian Federation ● | I. Shiklomanov | 1992 – 1994 |
| Russian Federation | I. Shiklomanov | 1995 – 1996 |
| Romania | P. Serban | 1996 – 1998 |
| Poland | W. Strupczewski | 1998 – 2000 |
| Poland | W. Strupczewski | 2000 – 2002 |
| Hungary | G. Holló | 2002 – 2004 |
| Croatia ● | O. Bonacci | 2004 – 2006 |
| Croatia | O. Bonacci | 2006 – 2008 |
| Slovakia | P. Miklanek | 2008 – 2010 |
| Serbia | J. Despotovic | 2010 – 2012 |

GROUP III

| | | |
|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| Mexico | D. Kraemer Malinowsky | 1975 – 1976 |
| Mexico ● | D. Kraemer Malinowsky | 1977 – 1978 |
| Cuba | A. Diaz-Arenas | 1979 – 1980 |
| Argentina | M.C. Fuschini-Mejia | 1981 – 1983 |
| Brazil | N. de Franca | 1984 |
| Brazil | A.C. Tatit-Holtz | 1986 – 1987 |
| Argentina | M.C. Fuschini-Mejia | 1988 – 1989 |
| Brazil ● | A.C. Tatit-Holtz | 1990 – 1991 |
| Brazil | A.C. Tatit-Holtz | 1992 – 1994 |
| Chile | H. Peña Torrealba | 1995 – 1996 |
| Argentina | V. Pochat | 1996 – 1998 |
| Panama | M. Endara S. | 1998 – 2000 |
| Colombia | M. García de Mejía | 2000 – 2002 |
| Argentina ● | V. Pochat | 2002 – 2004 |
| Argentina | V. Pochat | 2004 – 2006 |
| Brazil ● | B. Braga | 2006 – 2008 |
| Brazil | B. Braga | 2008 – 2010 |
| Mexico | P. Martinez-Austria | 2010 – 2012 |

⁴ Groupings of Member States for the purpose of elections to the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP (same groupings for the purpose of elections to the UNESCO Executive Board)

GROUP IV

| | | |
|---------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| Malaysia | Cheong Chup Lim | 1975 – 1976 |
| Australia | D.N. Body | 1977 – 1978 |
| Iran | S. Nejand | 1977 – 1978 |
| China | Yan Kai | 1979 – 1983 |
| Thailand | A. Arbhabhirima | 1984 – 1985 |
| Thailand ● | A. Arbhabhirima | 1986 – 1987 |
| Thailand | A. Arbhabhirima | 1988 – 1989 |
| Japan | Y. Takahasi | 1990 – 1991 |
| China | Liang Ruiju | 1992 – 1994 |
| Indonesia | B. Machbub | 1995 – 1996 |
| India | S.M. Seth | 1996 – 1998 |
| Japan ● | K. Takeuchi | 1998 – 2000 |
| Japan | K. Takeuchi | 2000 – 2002 |
| Iran | R. Ardakanian | 2002 – 2004 |
| China | Liu Heng | 2004 – 2006 |
| Malaysia | K. Abdullah | 2006 - 2008 |
| Japan | K. Takara | 2008 – 2010 |
| Republic of Korea ● | Soontak Lee | 2010 – 2012 |

GROUP V(a)

| | | |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Ghana | N.B. Ayibotele | 1975 – 1976 |
| Ghana ● | N.B. Ayibotele | 1979 – 1980 |
| Ghana | N.B. Ayibotele | 1981 – 1983 |
| Sao Tome and Principe | F. de Menezes | 1984 – 1985 |
| Uganda | P.O. Kahangire | 1986 – 1987 |
| Nigeria | U. Kawu | 1988 – 1989 |
| Kenya | W.N. Thitai | 1990 – 1991 |
| Angola | N. Kindudi | 1992 – 1994 |
| Botswana ● | I. Muzila | 1995 – 1996 |
| Botswana | I. Muzila | 1996 – 1998 |
| Benin | A. Afouda | 1998 – 2000 |
| Benin | A. Afouda | 2000 – 2002 |
| Nigeria | J.A. Hanidu | 2002 – 2004 |
| Nigeria | M.H. Ibrahim | 2004 – 2006 |
| Nigeria ● ⁵ | A.M.S. Shagari | 2006 - 2008 |
| South Africa | M. Nepfumbada | 2008 – 2010 |
| Kenya | J. Omondi | 2010 – 2012 |

GROUP V(b)

| | | |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Egypt | M.S.E. Shalash/A.A. Kamel | 1977 – 1978 |
| Syria | M.C. Safadi | 1981 – 1983 |
| Tunisia ● | H. Zebidi | 1984 – 1985 |
| Tunisia | H. Zebidi | 1986 – 1987 |
| Iraq | R. Al-Debbagh | 1988 – 1989 |
| Tunisia | M.R. Kallel | 1990 – 1991 |
| Tunisia | M. Bacha | 1992 – 1994 |
| Egypt | M.B.A. Saad | 1995 – 1996 |
| Egypt ● | M. Abu-Zeid | 1996 – 1998 |
| Egypt | M. Abu-Zeid | 1998 – 2000 |
| Morocco | M. Benbiba | 2000 – 2002 |
| Saudi Arabia | A.B.S. Altokhais | 2002 – 2004 |
| Jordan | M.R. Almomani | 2004 – 2006 |
| Kuwait | M. Al-Rashed | 2006 - 2008 |
| Sudan ● | A. Salih | 2008 - 2010 |
| Sudan ⁶ | A. Salih M.E. Eltayeb Elhag | 2010 – Aug 2011 Aug 2011 - 2012 |

⁵ See footnote 1

⁶ See footnote 3

**COMPOSITION OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL COUNCIL OF THE IHP
(1975 – 2013)**

[in brackets = information on Chairperson and Bureau Members for the given period]

1975 – 1976

Algeria
Argentina
Australia
Bangladesh
Brazil
Canada [Chair]
China
Egypt
France
Fed Rep of Germany
Ghana [Bureau]
India
Indonesia
Iran
Italy
Japan
Malaysia [Bureau]
Mauritania
Mexico [Bureau]
Netherlands
Niger
Nigeria
Pakistan
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Tanzania
USA
USSR [Bureau]
Yugoslavia

1977 – 1978

Australia [Bureau]
Belgium
Benin
Brazil
Central African Rep
Cuba
Czechoslovakia [Bureau]
Egypt [Bureau]
Finland
Fed Rep of Germany
Ghana
Indonesia
Iran [Bureau]
Iraq
Jamaica
Japan
Kenya
Madagascar
Malaysia
Mexico [Chair]
Morocco
Pakistan
Panama
Switzerland
Syria
Turkey
USSR
United Kingdom
Upper Volta
Yugoslavia

1979 – 1980

Algeria
Argentina
Austria
Bangladesh
Brazil
Bulgaria [Bureau]
Central African Rep
China [Bureau]
Cuba [Bureau]
Denmark
Egypt
France
Gabon
German Democratic Rep
Fed Rep of Germany
Ghana [Chair]
Greece
India
Iran
Japan
Lybia
Mauritania
Mexico
Panama
Senegal
Spain
Syria
USSR
USA [Bureau]
Upper Volta

| 1981 - 1983 ⁷ | 1984 - 1985 | 1986 - 1987 |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Algeria | Argentina | Argentina |
| Argentina [Bureau] | Australia | Australia |
| Austria | Austria | Brazil [Bureau] ⁸ |
| Brazil | Brazil [Bureau] ⁸ | Canada |
| Central African Rep | Chile | Central African Rep |
| Chile | China | China |
| China [Bureau] | Cuba | Costa Rica |
| Cuba | Egypt | Cuba |
| Denmark | Fed Rep of Germany | Egypt |
| France | Hungary [Bureau] ⁹ | Fed Rep of Germany |
| German Democratic Rep | Ivory Coast | Guinea |
| Fed Rep of Germany [Bureau] | Jordan | Iraq |
| Hungary [Chair] | Nepal | Japan |
| Iran | Netherlands | Dem People's Rep of Korea |
| Ivory Coast | Niger | Malaysia |
| Jordan | Norway [Bureau] | Netherlands [Bureau] |
| Mexico | Pakistan | Norway |
| Nepal | Poland | Poland [Bureau] |
| Netherlands | Sao Tome & Principe [Bureau] | Sao Tome & Principe |
| Niger | Spain | Lybia |
| Pakistan | Sudan | Spain |
| Senegal | Syria | Syria |
| Lybia | Thailand [Bureau] | Thailand [Chair] |
| Spain | Tunisia [Chair] | Tunisia [Bureau] ¹⁰ |
| Sudan | Uganda | Uganda [Bureau] |
| Syria | USSR | United Kingdom ¹¹ |
| USSR [Bureau] | USA | USSR |
| Upper Volta | Venezuela | Venezuela |
| USA | Viet Nam | Yugoslavia |
| Viet Nam | Zambia | Zambia |

⁷ Due to a change in the Council rules, the representative of Ghana remained on the Bureau as "past Chairperson" although Ghana was not re-elected to the Council.

⁸ 1984 only
⁹ past Chairperson

¹⁰ past Chairperson

¹¹ UK was elected at the twenty-third session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1985 as member of the IHP Council but lost its membership as a consequence of withdrawal from UNESCO on 31 December 1985.

1988 - 1989¹²

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the twenty-fourth session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1987)

Argentina [Bureau]

Belgium ●

Brazil ●

Cameroon ●

Canada [Chair]

Central African Rep

Chile ●

China

Costa Rica

Czechoslovakia ●

Fed Rep of Germany

Ghana ●

Guinea

India ●

Iraq [Bureau]

Japan

Dem People's Rep of Korea

Lybia

Malaysia

Morocco ●

Netherlands

Nigeria ● [Bureau]

Peru ●

Portugal ●

Qatar ●

Sweden ●

Switzerland ●

Tunisia ●

USSR ●

Yugoslavia [Bureau]

1990 - 1991¹³

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the twenty-fifth session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1989)

Argentina ●

Bangladesh ●

Belgium

Brazil [Chair]

Cameroon

Chile

China ●

Czechoslovakia [Bureau]

Gabon ●

Ghana

Greece ●

Hungary ●

India

Iraq ●

Japan ● [Bureau]

Kenya ● [Bureau]

Libya ●

Malaysia ●

Mexico ●

Morocco

Nigeria

Peru

Portugal

Qatar

Spain ●

Sweden

Switzerland

Tunisia [Bureau]

Turkey ●

USSR

1992 - 1993¹⁴

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the twenty-sixth session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1991)

Algeria ●

Angola ● [Bureau]

Argentina

Bangladesh

Belgium ●

Bulgaria ●

China [Bureau]

Finland ●

Gabon

Germany ●

Greece

Hungary

Iraq

Israel ● [Bureau]

Jamaica ●

Japan

Kenya

Libya

Malaysia

Mexico

Nepal ●

Qatar ●

Spain

Trinidad and Tobago ●

Tunisia ● [Bureau]

Turkey

Uganda ●

Uruguay ●

USSR ● [Chair]

Zambia ●

¹² The representative of Thailand continued to be a member of the Bureau, as past Chairperson, although Thailand was not re-elected to the Council.

¹³ The representative of Canada continued to be a member of the Bureau, as past Chairperson, although Canada was not re-elected to the Council.

¹⁴ The representative of Brazil continued to be a member of the Bureau, as past Chairperson, although Brazil was not re-elected to the Council.

1994 - 1995

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the twenty-seventh session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1993)

Algeria
Angola
Australia ●
Belgium
Botswana ● [Chair]
Bulgaria
Cameroon ●
Chile ● [Bureau]
Egypt ● [Bureau]
Finland [Bureau]
Germany
Hungary ●
Indonesia ● [Bureau]
Iran ●
Israel
Italy ●
Jamaica
Japan ●
Morocco ●
Nepal
Peru ●
Qatar
Russia [Bureau]¹⁵
Switzerland ●
Trinidad & Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey ●
Uganda
Uruguay
Zambia

1996 - 1997

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the twenty-eighth session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1995¹⁶)

Algeria ●
Argentina ● [Bureau]
Australia
Botswana [Bureau]¹⁷
Cameroon
Chile
China ●
Colombia ●
Costa Rica ●
Côte d'Ivoire ●
Denmark ●
Egypt [Chair]
France ●
Germany ●
Ghana ●
Hungary
India ● [Bureau]
Indonesia
Iran
Italy
Japan
Macedonia (Former Yugoslav Rep of) ●
Malaysia ●
Mauritania ●
Morocco
Namibia ●
Netherlands ●
Oman ●
Panama ●
Peru
Romania ● [Bureau]
Russia ●
Switzerland [Bureau]
Syrian Arab Rep ●
Turkey
Zambia ●

1998 - 1999¹⁸

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the 29th session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1997)

Algeria
Argentina
Australia ●
Austria ●
Benin ● [Bureau]
Chile ●
China
Colombia
Costa Rica
Côte d'Ivoire
Denmark
France
Germany
Ghana
India
Indonesia ●
Italy ●
Japan ● [Chair]
Kenya ●
Macedonia (Former Yugoslav Rep of)
Malaysia
Mauritania
Morocco ●
Namibia
Netherlands [Bureau]
Norway ●
Oman
Panama [Bureau]
Paraguay ●
Poland ● [Bureau]
Romania
Russia
Syrian Arab Rep
Sudan ●
Thailand ●
Zambia

¹⁶Following the amendment to the Statutes of the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP, as adopted by the twenty-eighth session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1995, the composition of the Council was increased to 36 seats (formerly 30 seats).

¹⁷past Chairperson

¹⁸The representative of Egypt continued to be a member of the Bureau, as past Chairperson, although Egypt was not re-elected to the Council.

2000 - 2001

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the 30th session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 1999)

Angola ●
Argentina ●
Azerbaijan ●
Australia
Austria
Benin [Bureau]
Cameroon ●
Canada ●
Chile
China ●
Colombia ● [Bureau]
Costa Rica ●
Egypt ●
El Salvador ●
France ●
Germany ●
Hungary ●
India ●
Indonesia
Italy
Japan [Bureau]¹⁹
Kenya
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya ●
Malaysia ●
Morocco [Bureau]
Netherlands ● [Chair]
Nigeria ●
Norway
Paraguay
Poland [Bureau]
South Africa ●
Sudan
Thailand
Tunisia ●
Ukraine ●
Yemen ●

2002 – 2003

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the 31th session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 2001)

Angola
Argentina [Chair]
Azerbaijan
Cameroon
Canada
China
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba ●
Egypt
El Salvador
Ethiopia ●
France
Germany
Hungary [Bureau]
India
Iran (Islamic Rep of) ● [Bureau]
Italy ●
Japan ●
Jordan ●
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
Malawi ●
Malaysia
Netherlands [Bureau]²⁰
Nigeria [Bureau]
Panama ●
Rep of Korea ●
Romania ●
Saudi Arabia ● [Bureau]
South Africa
Sri Lanka ●
Sweden ●
Switzerland ●
Tunisia
Ukraine
Yemen

2004 – 2005²¹

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the 32nd session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 2003)

Algeria ●
Bolivia ●
Brazil ●
Bulgaria ●
Chile ●
China ● [Bureau]
Congo ●
Côte d'Ivoire ●
Croatia ● [Chair]
Cuba
Egypt ●
Eritrea ●
Ethiopia
Germany ● [Bureau]
Iceland ●
India ●
Iran (Islamic Rep of)
Italy
Japan
Jordan [Bureau]
Malawi
Malaysia ●
Mexico ●
Morocco ●
Netherlands ●
Nigeria ● [Bureau]
Panama
Rep of Korea
Romania
Russian Federation ●
Saudi Arabia
Sri Lanka
Sweden
Switzerland
Turkey ●
Yemen ●

¹⁹ Past Chairperson

²⁰ Past Chairperson

²¹ The representative of Argentina continued as member of the Bureau, as past Chairperson, although Argentina was not re-elected to the Council.

2006 – 2007

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the 33rd session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 2005)

Algeria
Australia ●
Benin ●
Bolivia
Brazil [Chair]
Bulgaria
Chile
China
Congo
Costa Rica ●
Côte d'Ivoire
Croatia [Bureau]²²
Egypt
Eritrea
Germany
Haiti ●
Iceland
India
Italy ●
Japan ●
Kazakhstan ●
Kuwait ● [Bureau]
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya ●
Malaysia [Bureau]
Mexico
Morocco
Nepal ●
Netherlands
Nigeria [Chair]²³
Russian Federation
Slovakia ●
South Africa ●
Switzerland ●
Turkey
United Kingdom ● [Bureau]
Yemen

2008 – 2009

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the 34th session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 2007)

Australia
Benin
Brazil ● [Bureau]²⁴
Bulgaria ●
Chile ●
China ●²⁵
Costa Rica
Finland ●
Germany ● [Bureau]
Ghana ●
Haiti
Hungary ●
India ●²⁶
Indonesia ●²⁷
Italy
Japan [Bureau]
Kazakhstan
Kenya ●
Kuwait
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
Netherlands ●
Nepal
Oman ●
Paraguay ●
Peru ●
Russian Federation ●
Senegal ●
Slovakia [Bureau]
South Africa [Bureau]
Sudan ● [Chair]
Switzerland
Tunisia ●
Turkey ●
United Arab Emirates ●
United Kingdom
United Republic of Tanzania ●

2010 – 2011

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the 35th session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 2009)

Brazil
Bulgaria
Chile
Cuba ●
Democratic People's Republic of Korea²⁸
Finland
Germany
Ghana
Hungary
Iran (Islamic Republic of) ●
Italy ●
Japan ●
Jordan ●
Kenya [Bureau]
Malaysia ●
Mexico ● [Bureau]
Morocco ●
Netherlands
Nigeria ●
Oman
Pakistan²⁹
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines³⁰
Portugal ●
Republic of Korea ● [Chair]
Russian Federation
Senegal
Serbia ● [Bureau]
Sudan [Bureau]³¹
Tunisia
Turkey
Uganda ●
United Arab Emirates
United Republic of Tanzania
United States of America ● [Bureau]

²² Past Chairperson

²³ Seat-sharing arrangement with Pakistan, with China taking the first 2 years of mandate

²⁴ Seat-sharing arrangement with DPR of Korea, with India taking the first 2 years of mandate

²⁵ Seat-sharing arrangement with the Philippines, with Indonesia taking the first 2 years of mandate

²⁶ Seat-sharing arrangement with India, with DPR of Korea taking second 2 years of mandate

²⁷ Seat-sharing arrangement with China, with Pakistan taking second 2 years of mandate

²⁸ Seat-sharing arrangement with Indonesia, with Philippines taking second 2 years of mandate

²⁹ Past Chairperson

²² Past Chairperson

²³ See footnote 1

2012 – 2013

(● indicates election to a four-year term at the 36th session of the General Conference of UNESCO in 2011)

Australia ●
Azerbaijan ●
Chile ●
Côte d'Ivoire ●
Cuba
Dominican Republic ●
Germany ●
Haiti ●
Iran (Islamic republic of)
Italy
Japan
Jordan
Kenya ●
Kuwait ●
Madagascar ●
Malaysia
Mali ●
Mexico
Mongolia ●
Morocco
Netherlands ●
Nigeria
Pakistan ●
Poland ●
Portugal
Republic of Korea
Russian Federation ●
Serbia
Sudan ●
Sweden ●
Switzerland ●
Syrian Arab Republic ●
Uganda
United States of America
Uruguay ●
Yemen ●

MEMBER STATE REPRESENTATION BY ELECTORAL GROUPS³² IN THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL COUNCIL OF THE IHP 1975 – 2015

(NC = National Committee for the IHP / FP = Focal Point for the IHP)

GROUP I

(Western Europe and Northern America)

| Member State | NC | FP | 75/76 | 77/78 | 79/80 | 81/83 | 84/85 | 86/87 | 88/89 | 90/91 | 92/93 | 94/95 | 96/97 | 98/99 | 00/01 | 02/03 | 04/05 | 06/07 | 08/09 | 10/11 | 12/13 | 14/15 | |
|-----------------------|----|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---|
| Andorra | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Austria | ✓ | | | | * | * | * | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium | ✓ | | | * | | | | | * | * | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Canada | ✓ | | * | | | | | * | * | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | |
| Cyprus | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denmark | ✓ | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | |
| Finland | ✓ | | | * | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | * | * | | |
| France | ✓ | | * | | * | * | | | | | | | | * | * | * | * | | | | | | |
| Germany ³³ | ✓ | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Greece | ✓ | | | | * | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Iceland | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | |
| Ireland | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Israel | ✓ | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Italy | ✓ | | * | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Luxembourg | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | |
| Malta | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Monaco | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Netherlands | ✓ | | * | | | | * | * | * | | | | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Norway | ✓ | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | |
| Portugal | ✓ | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | |
| San Marino | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Spain | ✓ | | * | | | * | * | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sweden | ✓ | | * | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Switzerland | ✓ | | * | * | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | | | * | * | | | | * | * |
| Turkey | ✓ | | | * | | | | | | * | * | * | * | * | | | | | * | * | * | * | |
| UK ³⁴ | ✓ | | | * | | | | * | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | |
| USA ³⁵ | ✓ | | * | | * | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | |

³² Groupings of Member States for the purpose of elections to the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP (same groupings for the purpose of elections to the UNESCO Executive Board)

³³Federal Republic of Germany until 1990.

³⁴Withdrew from UNESCO on 31 December 1985 / Re-joined UNESCO July 1997.

³⁵Withdrew from UNESCO on 31 December 1984 / Re-joined UNESCO October 2003.

GROUP II
(Central and Eastern Europe)

| Member State | NC | FP | 75/76 | 77/78 | 79/80 | 81/83 | 84/85 | 86/87 | 88/89 | 90/91 | 92/93 | 94/95 | 96/97 | 98/99 | 00/01 | 02/03 | 04/05 | 06/07 | 08/09 | 10/11 | 12/13 | 14/15 |
|-----------------------------|----|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Albania | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Armenia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Azerbaijan | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | | ★ | ★ |
| Belarus | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bosnia & Herzegovina | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bulgaria | ✓ | | | | | ★ | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | |
| Croatia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | |
| Czech Rep. | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Estonia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Georgia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hungary | ✓ | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | | ★ | ★ | | | ★ | ★ | |
| Latvia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lithuania | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Montenegro | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Poland | ✓ | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | | ★ | ★ |
| Rep of Moldova | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Romania | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | ★ | ★ | | | | |
| Russian Fed | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ |
| Serbia ³⁶ | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | |
| Slovakia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | |
| Slovenia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tajikistan | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FYR of Macedonia | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | | | |
| Ukraine | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | |
| Uzbekistan | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Czechoslovakia (until 1992) | ✓ | | | | ★ | | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | | | | |
| German DR (until 1990) | ✓ | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Yugoslavia (until 1992) | ✓ | | ★ | ★ | | | | | | | | ★ | ★ | | | | | | | | | |
| USSR (until 1991) | ✓ | | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | ★ | | | | | | | |

³⁶ The former Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia became a Member State on 31 March 1950. The participation of Yugoslavia in meetings of governing bodies and conferences of UNESCO was suspended following Resolution 47/1 adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 22 September 1992, which stated that the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) could not continue automatically the membership of the former Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (SFRY). Accordingly, the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, which became a Member State on 20 December 2000, could not automatically succeed the former SFRY as a member of the Organization.

Following the adoption of the Constitutional Charter of Serbia and Montenegro by the Assembly of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia on 4 February 2003, the name of the State of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia has been changed to 'Serbia and Montenegro'.

Further to the Declaration of Independence adopted by the National Assembly of Montenegro on 3 June 2006, UNESCO has been informed that the membership of the State Union Serbia and Montenegro in UNESCO is continued by the Republic of Serbia on the basis of Article 60 of the Constitutional Charter of Serbia and Montenegro.

GROUP III
(Latin America and the Caribbean)

| Member State | NC | FP | 75/76 | 77/78 | 79/80 | 81/83 | 84/85 | 86/87 | 88/89 | 90/91 | 92/93 | 94/95 | 96/97 | 98/99 | 00/01 | 02/03 | 04/05 | 06/07 | 08/09 | 10/11 | 12/13 | 14/15 |
|------------------------------------|----|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Antigua & Barbuda | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Argentina | ✓ | | * | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | | * | * | * | * | | | | | | |
| Aruba ³⁷ | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bahamas | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Barbados | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belize | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bolivia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | |
| Brazil | ✓ | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | | | | | | * | * | * | * | * | |
| British Virgin Is ³⁸ | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cayman Is ³⁹ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chile | ✓ | | | | | * | * | | * | * | | * | * | * | * | | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Colombia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | * | * | | | | | | | |
| Costa Rica | ✓ | | | | | | | | * | * | | * | * | * | * | | * | * | | | | |
| Cuba | ✓ | | | * | * | * | * | * | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | * | * |
| Dominica | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dominican Rep | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * |
| Ecuador | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| El Salvador | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | |
| Grenada | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Guatemala | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Guyana | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Haiti | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | * | * |
| Honduras | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jamaica | ✓ | | | * | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | |
| Mexico | ✓ | | * | * | * | * | | | | | * | * | | | | | | * | * | | * | * |
| Netherlands Antilles ⁴⁰ | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nicaragua | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Panama | ✓ | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | * | * | | | | |
| Paraguay | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | * | * | |
| Peru | ✓ | | | | | | | | * | * | | * | * | | | | | | | * | * | |

³⁷ Associate Member

³⁸ Associate Member

³⁹ Associate Member

⁴⁰ Associate Member

GROUP IV
(Asia and the Pacific)

| Member State | NC | FP | 75/76 | 77/78 | 79/80 | 81/83 | 84/85 | 86/87 | 88/89 | 90/91 | 92/93 | 94/95 | 96/97 | 98/99 | 00/01 | 02/03 | 04/05 | 06/07 | 08/09 | 10/11 | 12/13 | 14/15 |
|-------------------|----|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Afghanistan | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Australia | ✓ | | * | * | | | * | * | | | * | * | * | * | | | | * | * | * | * | * |
| Bangladesh | ✓ | | * | | * | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bhutan | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Brunei Darussalam | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cambodia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| China | ✓ | | * | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * 41 | |
| Cook Islands | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| DPR of Korea | ✓ | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | | * 31 | |
| Fiji | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| India | ✓ | | * | | * | | | | * | * | | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * 42 | |
| Indonesia | ✓ | | * | * | | | | | | | | * | * | * | * | | | | | | * 43 | |
| IR of Iran | ✓ | | * | * | * | * | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | * | * |
| Japan | ✓ | | * | * | * | | | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Kazakhstan | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * |
| Kiribati | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kyrgyzstan | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lao PDR | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Malaysia | ✓ | | * | * | | | | | * | * | * | * | | * | * | * | * | * | * | | * | * |
| Maldives | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Marshall Is | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Micronesia | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mongolia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * |
| Myanmar | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nauru | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nepal | ✓ | | | | | * | * | | | | | * | * | | | | | | * | * | | |
| New Zealand | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Niue | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pakistan | ✓ | | * | * | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | | * 30 | * | * |
| Palau | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Papua New Guinea | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Philippines | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * 32 | | |
| Rep of Korea | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * |
| Samoa | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Singapore | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Solomon Is | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sri Lanka | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thailand | ✓ | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | |
| Timor Leste | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

⁴¹ Seat-sharing arrangement between China and Pakistan, with China taking the first 2 years (2008-2009), and Pakistan the second 2 years (2010-2011)⁴² Seat-sharing arrangement between India and the DPR of Korea, with India taking the first 2 years (2008-2009), and DPR of Korea the second 2 years (2010-2011)⁴³ Seat-sharing arrangement between Indonesia and the Philippines, with Indonesia taking the first 2 years (2008-2009), and the Philippines the second 2 years (2010-2011)

GROUP V(a)
(Africa)

| Member State | NC | FP | 75/76 | 77/78 | 79/80 | 81/83 | 84/85 | 86/87 | 88/89 | 90/91 | 92/93 | 94/95 | 96/97 | 98/99 | 00/01 | 02/03 | 04/05 | 06/07 | 08/09 | 10/11 | 12/13 | 14/15 |
|---------------------|----|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Angola | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | | | | | | |
| Benin | ✓ | | | * | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | | | |
| Botswana | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | |
| Burkina Faso | ✓ | | | * | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Burundi | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cameroon | ✓ | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | | * | * | | | | |
| Cape Verde | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Central African Rep | ✓ | | | * | * | * | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chad | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Comoros | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Congo | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | |
| Côte d'Ivoire | ✓ | | | | | * | * | | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | | | * | * |
| DR of the Congo | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Djibouti | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Equatorial Guinea | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Eritrea | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | |
| Ethiopia | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | |
| Gabon | ✓ | | | | * | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gambia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ghana | ✓ | | * | * | * | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | | | | | * | * | |
| Guinea | ✓ | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Guinea-Bissau | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kenya | ✓ | | | * | | | | | | * | * | | | | * | * | | | | * | * | * |
| Lesotho | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Liberia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Madagascar | ✓ | | | * | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | |
| Malawi | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | |
| Mali | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | |
| Mauritius | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mozambique | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Namibia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | |
| Niger | ✓ | | * | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nigeria | ✓ | | * | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | * | * | | * | * | |
| Rwanda | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sao Tome & Principe | ✓ | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Senegal | ✓ | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | |
| Seychelles | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sierra Leone | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Somalia | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Africa | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | | |

GROUP V(b)
(Arab States)

| Member State | NC | FP | 75/76 | 77/78 | 79/80 | 81/83 | 84/85 | 86/87 | 88/89 | 90/91 | 92/93 | 94/95 | 96/97 | 98/99 | 00/01 | 02/03 | 04/05 | 06/07 | 08/09 | 10/11 | 12/13 | 14/15 |
|-------------------------------------|----|----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Algeria | ✓ | | * | | * | * | | | | * | * | * | * | | | * | * | | | | | |
| Bahrain | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Egypt | ✓ | | * | * | * | | * | * | | | * | * | | | * | * | * | * | | | | |
| Iraq | ✓ | | | * | | | | * | * | * | * | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Jordan | ✓ | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | * | |
| Kuwait | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | * | * | * |
| Lebanon | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Libya | ✓ | | | | * | * | | | * | * | * | * | | | | * | * | | * | * | | |
| Mauritania | ✓ | | * | | * | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | | | |
| Morocco | ✓ | | | * | | | | | * | * | | * | * | * | * | | * | * | | * | * | |
| Oman | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | * | * | | |
| Palestinian Authority ⁴⁴ | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Qatar | ✓ | | | | | | | | * | * | * | * | | | | | | | | | | |
| Saudi Arabia | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | | | |
| Sudan | ✓ | | | | * | * | | | | | | | | | * | * | | | * | * | * | * |
| Syrian Arab Republic | ✓ | | | * | * | * | * | * | | | | | | * | * | | | | | * | * | |
| Tunisia | ✓ | | | | | | * | * | * | * | * | * | * | | | * | * | | | * | * | |
| United Arab Emirates | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | | |
| Yemen | | ✓ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | * | * | * | * | | * | * |

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**COMPOSITION OF THE IHP FINANCE COMMITTEE
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September 1996

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| F. Zuidema (Chair) | Netherlands | Group I |
| O. Starosolszky | Hungary | Group II |
| C. Salazar | Chile | Group III |
| A. Jahani | Iran | Group IV |
| G. Van Langenhove | Namibia | Group Va |
| B. Hadid | Syria | Group Vb |

13th session of the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP
June 1998

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| F. Zuidema (<i>ex-officio</i>) | Netherlands | Group I |
| A. Maximov | Russia | Group II |
| H. Peña (Chair) | Chile | Group III |
| A. Keizrul | Malaysia | Group IV |
| J. Masunga | Kenya | Group Va |
| A. Sajwani | Oman | Group Vb |

14th session of the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP
June 2000

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| K. Hofius (Chair) | Germany | Group I |
| I. Shiklomanov | Russia | Group II |
| Xu Anxiong | China | Group IV |
| S. Kioni | Kenya | Group Va |
| D. El Batti | Tunisia | Group Vb |
| H. Peña (<i>ex-officio</i>) | Chile | Group III |

15th session of the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP
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| K. Hofius (<i>ex-officio</i> and Chair) | Germany | Group I |
| P. Stanciu | Romania | Group II |
| S. Angulo Perez | Cuba | Group III |
| Xu Anxiong | China | Group IV |
| H.R. Van Vliet | South Africa | Group Va |
| D. El Batti | Tunisia | Group Vb |

16th session of the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP
September 2004

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|---------------------|--------------|-----------|
| L. Ubertini (Chair) | Italy | Group I |
| P. Stanciu | Romania | Group II |
| S. Angulo Perez | Cuba | Group III |
| R. Jha | India | Group IV |
| H.R. Van Vliet | South Africa | Group Va |
| A. K. Al Fusail | Yemen | Group Vb |

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July 2006

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|---------------------|--------|-----------|
| L. Ubertini (Chair) | Italy | Group I |
| O. Gorelits | Russia | Group II |
| E. Emmanuel | Haiti | Group III |
| R. Jha | India | Group IV |
| A. Afouda | Benin | Group Va |
| A. K. Al Fusail | Yemen | Group Vb |

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June 2008

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| H. Özgüler | Turkey | Group I |
| O. Gorelits | Russia | Group II |
| E. Emmanuel | Haiti | Group III |
| T. Daniell (Chair) | Australia | Group IV |
| A. Afouda | Benin | Group Va |
| A. Murad | United Arab Emirates | Group Vb |

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|--------------------|----------------------|-----------|
| H. Özgüler | Turkey | Group I |
| O. Gorelits | Russia | Group II |
| A. Brasil da Silva | Brazil | Group III |
| T. Daniell | Australia | Group IV |
| M. Nepfumbada | South Africa | Group Va |
| A. Murad (Chair) | United Arab Emirates | Group Vb |



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10th session of the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP
July 1992

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|--------------------|-----------|-----------|
| R. Lemmelä (Chair) | Finland | Group I |
| A. Tarnoy | Hungary | Group II |
| J.C. Fossati | Argentina | Group III |
| Abdullah | Malaysia | Group IV |
| J.M. Maina | Kenya | Group Va |
| A.A. Khamis | Qatar | Group Vb |

11th session of the Intergovernmental Council of the IHP
January/February 1995

| | | |
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| K. Hofius | Germany | Group I |
| J. Hladny | Czech Republic | Group II |
| A. Picasso Oyague | Peru | Group III |
| T. Falkland (Chair) | Australia | Group IV |
| M. Ben Biba | Morocco | Group Vb |
| I. Meutcheye | Cameroon | Group Va |

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September 1996

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|---------------------|---------------|-----------|
| P. Hubert | France | Group I |
| A. Maximov | Russia | Group II |
| A. Lorlesse | Panama | Group III |
| T. Falkland | Australia | Group IV |
| M. Sakho (Chair) | Côte d'Ivoire | Group Va |
| B. Ahmed Al Morgabi | Oman | Group Vb |

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| | | |
|-------------------|---------------|-----------|
| P. Nachtnebel | Austria | Group I |
| P. Serban | Romania | Group II |
| H. Quintero | Colombia | Group III |
| L. Xinren | China | Group IV |
| M. Sakho | Côte d'Ivoire | Group Va |
| A.M. Adam (Chair) | Sudan | Group Vb |

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| S. Simonovic (Chair) | Canada | Group I |
| M. Brilly | Slovenia | Group II |
| A. Gonzalez | Argentina | Group III |
| T. Daniell | Australia | Group IV |
| J. Hanidu | Nigeria | Group Va |
| M.B.A. Saad | Egypt | Group Vb |

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|---------------------|--------------|-----------|
| M. Spreafico | Switzerland | Group I |
| V. Manukalo | Ukraine | Group II |
| C. Anguizola | Panama | Group III |
| Lee Soontak (Chair) | Rep of Korea | Group IV |
| M. Moges Tekle | Ethiopia | Group Va |
| M.B.A. Saad | Egypt | Group Vb |

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| A. Snorrason (Chair) | Iceland | Group I |
| K. Tsankov | Bulgaria | Group II |
| J. Aparicio Mijares | Mexico | Group III |
| K. Takara | Japan | Group IV |
| W. Nomquphu | South Africa | Group Va |
| M.B.A. Saad | Egypt | Group Vb |

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| K. Einarsson | Iceland | Group I |
| P. Miklanek | Slovakia | Group II |
| A. Aldama (Chair) | Mexico | Group III |
| I. Severskiy | Kazakhstan | Group IV |
| M. Nepfumbada | South Africa | Group Va |
| M.B.A. Saad | Egypt | Group Vb |

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| M. Larsen (Chair) | USA | Group I |
| K. Tsankov | Bulgaria | Group II |
| E. Benítez | Paraguay | Group III |
| R.D. Singh | India | Group IV |
| G. Ndiaye | Senegal | Group Va |
| M. Al-Rashed | Kuwait | Group Vb |

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| M. van der Valk (Chair) | The Netherlands | Group I |
| S. Dakova | Bulgaria | Group II |
| B. Jimenez | Mexico | Group III |
| L. Liongan | Philippines | Group IV |
| T. Kimaro | United Republic of Tanzania | Group Va |
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| M. van der Valk (Chair) | The Netherlands | Group I |
| S. Dakova | Bulgaria | Group II |
| G. Soto | Chile | Group III |
| A. Daemi | I.R. of Iran | Group IV |
| A. Seck | Senegal | Group Va |
| A. Ahmed | Sudan | Group Vb |