

Notes from the 8th IGAC Southern Hemisphere Working Group meeting, 23rd January 2019.

Action items in bold.

Progress towards our steering committee:

1. We decided on a Steering Committee format of 3 co-chairs, 1 each from approx. regions of Australasia, Southern Africa and South America.
The initial 3 co-chairs will be:
(a) Clare Murphy (Paton-Walsh) – Australasia
(b) Pieter van Zyl - Southern Africa
(c) Nicholas Huneeus – South America
2. There will also be a secretary to organise the Zoom meetings and take care of the email listing and libraries etc. This is of course Gustavo Olivares (who has been doing this for us from the start) – thanks Gustavo ☺.
3. We are also looking for 1-2 other steering committee members per region and so far have Kathryn Emmerson (Australasian rep) and Egide Kalisa (Sub-Saharan African rep).
4. **Please consider nominating yourself!!** – we especially need more representation from South America.
5. We are looking to formalise the working group and seek recognition by IGAC at the next SSC meeting in September.

Progress on the positioning paper:

1. There has been some progress on the biogenics chapter (as reported by Kathryn Emmerson)
2. The sub-Saharan urban air pollution chapter is near completion. If you are interested to give feed back to Egide Kalisa on the chapter then please send him your email address (at kalisa.egide@gmail.com) so that he can share the document with you when ready.

Next Meeting:

Please use the doodle poll <https://doodle.com/poll/9wmnpdy3bs4s7vfy>

Cheers,

Clare.

P.S. Don't forget:

There is a google drive with the files including the activities document and the positioning paper https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1Or_bY6wJOY5XdL1WrZfGFtnGklf8cL6N?usp=sharing

- We are (slowly) collating a bibliography of published papers on the Southern Hemisphere atmosphere, see:

https://www.zotero.org/groups/2185852/sh_atmoschem_library