

Commission B3 Report (Mar 2022 - Mar 2023)

The commission members met multiple times during the year to discuss activities for the commission and its participants.

The monthly seminar series that was started the previous year in collaboration with IAA has been going strong. The talks are recorded and made available so that participants from all time zones can access the talks at times convenient to them. Details can be found here: <https://sites.google.com/view/iau-iaaseminar-new>.

We have been running a pseudo newsletter with some links to opportunities, conferences etc. as well as niche short informational articles (for instance on a transient event broker).

The commission supported Symposium 368 at the GA and helped with its organization. The meeting was a resounding success with an engaged and interactive audience and with talks from senior professors to undergraduate students, with many detailed panel discussions being the highlight.

The commission is supporting a remote meeting on 6/7 July titled 'Astroinformatics for Sustainable Development' under the S20 theme of 'Science and Society'.

Commission members continue to support pedagogic activities, teaching at various astroinformatics courses, contributing to IVOA activities, interacting with other astroinformatics and astrostatistics societies, and also being part of journals encouraging Astroinformatics and Astrostatistics articles.

Current commission members are: Ashish Mahabal (President), Stefano Andreon (Vice President), Didier Fraix-Burnet (Secretary), Tanuka Chattopadhyay, Alberto Krone-Martins, Francesca Panessa, Petr Skoda, Ricardo Vilalta.