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### Dear IAU Division E members,

There are quite a few announcements to make in this, my final newsletter as IAU Division E President. It has been my pleasure to serve in this capacity for the past three years, and I extend my welcome and support to our incoming president, Cristina Mandrini.

# **IAU Division Election Results**

A warm welcome to our newly elected Division E vice president, Toshifumi Shimizu, and our new first term Division E Steering Committee members, Alexander Nindos, Manuela Temmer, and Durgesh Tripathi.

I also welcome our Commission Presidents, Ilaria Ermoli (E1), Manolis Georgoulis (E2), Claire Foullon (E3), as well as the President of our new Commission (E4), Heidi Korhonen, who are ex-officio members of the Division E Steering Committee.

I also welcome the new Commission E1 vice president, Alfio Maurizio Bonanno, and first-term members, Kristof Petrovay, Paul K Rajaguru, and Michal Švanda.

I also welcome the new Commision E2 vice president, R. T. James McAteer, and first-term members, D. Shaun Bloomfield, Rebecca Centeno, Shravan M Hanasoge, and Hannah Jean Schunker.

I also welcome the new Commission E3 vice president, Masumi Shimojo, and first-term members Peter Thomas Gallagher, Weiqun GAN, and David F. Webb.

And finally, I welcome the new Commission E4 vice president, Dibyendu Nandi, and first-term members Rim Fares, Emre Isik, Silva P. Järvinen, and Krisztián Vida.

### Division E Ph.D. Prize winner

I am further happy to announce that Dr. Camilla Scolini has won the <u>IAU Division E Ph.D. prize</u> for her analyses of the evolution of magnetic fields in coronal mass ejections, from Sun to Earth. Congratulations, Camilla!

## Triennium reports (2018-2021)

- Division E
- Commission E1
- Commision E2
- Commission E3
- WG on Impact of Magnetic Activity
- WG on Synoptic Observations
- WG on Solar Eclipses

### IAUS365 - POSTPONED to May 23rd-27th, 2022

Please note that the symposium <u>Dynamics of Solar and Stellar Convection Zones</u> and <u>Atmospheres</u> has been postponed until May 2022.

# IAU Business Meetings, August 23 and August 26, 2021

The XXXI General Assembly had to be postponed to August 2022 as a result of the restrictions imposed by the pandemic. However, the Business Sessions will take place in August 2021 in virtual format on Monday August 23, and on Thursday, August 26, at 3 pm CEST. Please follow the link above for the full agenda, and, closer to the date of the meeting, information about the Zoom link for virtual attendance.

In addition, a short "pre-meeting" session starting at 13:30 CEST on both days is currently being planned. Further information will be forthcoming, but for now, block out the time.

### Passings of colleagues

The following Division E members have passed away recently (see also <a href="https://www.iau.org/science/scientific\_bodies/divisions/E/DeceasedDivisionE/">https://www.iau.org/science/scientific\_bodies/divisions/E/DeceasedDivisionE/</a>):

Baranyi, Tunde (1962-2018) Borovik, Valeriya (1938-2021)

de Jager, Kees (1921-2021)

Hammer, Reiner (1950-2020)

Myroslov, Stodilka (1955-2021)

Steinitz, Raphael (1934-2021)

Stepanian, Natalia Nikolayevna (1931-2018)

Zoblec, Paolo (1939-2019)

All will be missed.

As always, please feel free to contact me with any questions or comments on Division E activities.

Regards,

Sarah