

International Brachypodium Steering Committee (IBSC) election results 12-7-2015

Fourteen scientists stood for a position on the IBSC and 241 scientists cast votes. The seven elected IBSC members and the regions they represent are:

Asia:

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Europe:

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North America:

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Australia & the Pacific, Africa, and the Middle East:

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The IBSC will develop formal procedures and define its role over the coming weeks. If you have any questions feel free to contact a representative from your area or if you would like to reach the whole IBSC you can email to: brachycommittee@gmail.com. Periodic updates will be posted at the JGI Brachypodium website: <http://jgi.doe.gov/our-science/science-programs/plant-genomics/brachypodium/>

The IBSC would like to thank Karen Sanguinet for conducting the election, all the candidates who stood for a position on the IBSC, the interim IBSC for their service and those who took the time to cast their votes.

Sincerely,
IBSC