



## International League of Dermatological Societies

### *New Members of the International League of Dermatological Societies' Management Board 2002 - 2007*

During the 20<sup>th</sup> World Congress of Dermatology in Paris, July 1–5, 2002, six new members were elected to the ILDS Management Board, which is known as the International Committee of Dermatology. The election process began with requests to the Member and Affiliate Member Societies of the ILDS to submit nominations. From the 48 names received, the ILDS leadership group proposed 14 individuals as candidates based on geographic distribution, gender, international activities, reputation and experience. Additional considerations included international reputation, personal experience in congress matters, and scientific achievement.

At the first meeting of the Assembly of Delegates on July 2, brief biographical information about each of the 14 candidates was distributed to Delegates. During the July 4 Assembly of Delegates votes were cast via paper ballots which were counted by members of the leadership group with randomly selected observers overseeing the count. Based on the following results, Doctors Francisco Camacho-Martinez (Spain), Roderick Hay (U.K.), Robin Marks (Australia), Marcia Ramos-e-Silva (Brazil), Jean-Hilaire Saurat (Switzerland), and Wolfram Sterry (Germany), were elected to serve.

Aka, Pierre-Andre Clement - Ivory Coast	53
Camacho-Martinez, Francisco - Spain	85
Falabella, Rafael - Colombia	53
Gilchrist, Barbara – USA	66
Goh, Chee Leok – Singapore	67
Hay, Roderick – UK	85
Jorizzo, Joseph – USA	42
Kamoun, Mohamed Ridha – Tunisia	44
Karpati, Sarolta – Hungary	52
Kullavanijawa, Preya - Thailand	45
Marks, Robin – Australia	134
Ramos-e-Silva, Marcia – Brazil	99
Saurat, Jean-Hilaire – Switzerland	111
Sterry, Wolfram – Germany	84

Two additional Board members were named as the result of the Assembly's selection of Buenos Aires as the site of the 21<sup>st</sup> World Congress of Dermatology in 2007. The President of the 21<sup>st</sup> congress, **Ricardo Galimberti**, and the Secretary General, **Adrian-Martin Pierini**, will serve as ex-officio members of the Board.

Robin Marks was subsequently named as President. Continuing on the Board are Dr. Georg Stingl (Austria), named as the Secretary-General, and Ana Kaminsky (Argentina), who will serve as Treasurer. Continuing committee members include Benvenuto Giannotti (Italy), Andreas Katsambas (Greece), David McLean (Canada), Kristian Thestrup-Pedersen (Denmark), and as ex-officio members, Stephen I. Katz (U.S.A.), Takeji Nishikawa (Japan), Jean-Paul Ortonne and Jean Revuz (France).

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