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INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR WEIGH IN MOTION (ISWIM) ELECTS NEW BOARD

Founded in 2007 and legally incorporated in Switzerland, the International Society for Weigh in Motion (ISWIM) is an international non-profit organisation. It is an International network of and for people and organisations active in the field of weigh-in-motion (WIM) (inclusive of on-road and on-vehicle). ISWIM has over 700 individual members from 70 countries and 16 vendors as corporate members.

In November 2016, the General Assembly elected Board members, comprising of 15 Directors with an executive of six. Mr. Chris Koniditsiotis of Transport Certification Australia (TCA) was elected President.

Executive Board:

- Chris Koniditsiotis – TCA, Australia - President
- Deborah Walker - FHWA, United States of America - General Secretary
- Lily Poulikakos - Empa, Switzerland - Treasurer
- Bernard Jacob - IFSTTAR, France - Vice-President (Science)
- Andy Lees - Q-Free UK - Vice-President (End-users)
- Aleš Žnidarič - Slovenian National Building and Civil Engineering Institute, Slovenia - Information Officer.

Board Members:

- Anne-Marie McDonnell, Transportation Engineer, Connecticut Department of Transportation, Newington, Connecticut, United States of America
- Chia-Pei Chou, Professor, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan
- Eugene O'Brien, Head of Civil Engineering, University College Dublin, Dublin, Ireland
- Hans Van Loo, Owner, Corner Stone International Sagl., Claro, Switzerland
- Hui Li, Professor, Tongji University, Shanghai, China
- Javier Alejandro Jorge, Development Engineer, INTI - Instituto Nacional de Tecnología Industrial, Córdoba, Argentina
- Jonathan Regehr, Assistant Professor, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada
- Tomas Pospisek, Sales Manager, Kistler Instrumente AG, Winterthur, Switzerland
- Valter Zanela Tani, Project Manager, Fundação de Amparo a Pesquisa e Extensão Universitaria - FAPEU/UFSC, Florianópolis, Brazil

Mr Koniditsiotis said, "I am honoured to accept the position and to support ISWIM in its goal to advance WIM technologies, standardisation and the application and use of WIM data. ISWIM is a community of users, researchers, experts and vendors. We will actively assist ISWIM to ensure the diverse groups have a healthy, communicative, sharing relationship with each other in order to facilitate innovation and growth. I know that the Board as a whole has a strong position towards innovation and growth of the industry and bringing all members of the community on the journey."

The Board created a new position of Vice-President (End-Users). Andy Lees who was elected into this position has previously commented that "A major need in this mature market is for users to push the envelope for new applications, without which the equipment suppliers will continue to provide products which meet only those applications that are already being satisfied." You can read the article [here](#)

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