Admin & Memberships

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Membership change – to validate

- Vaishali Naik : Variable Energy Cyclotron Centre (VECC), India

→ Dr. Arup Bandyopadhyay
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Dr. Arup Bandyopadhyay as a new member in IUPAP WG14 to represent India. Dr. Arup is former Head of Accelerator Physics Group and is currently the Raja Rammana Chair Professor at VECC. He has lead the heavy-ion linac development programme in our centre and under his leadership the VECC superconducting cyclotron beam extraction and delivery to users was achieved. He has been teaching Accelerator Physics course to pre-doctoral students and led several committees on Accelerator development and Safety of particle accelerators & medical cyclotrons.

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- Leonid Rivkin PSI/ EPFL, **Switzerland**

→ PD Dr. Daniela Kiselev

Head of the Department of Accelerator Operation and Development (ASA)

- Bridinette Thiodjio Sendja : University of Yaoundé, **Cameroon**

→Thierry d'Almeida : **Benin**; Director General of Sèmè City Institute of Technology and Innovation

→Christian Nuviadenu: **Ghana**; Head of the Accelerator Research Centre at the National Nuclear Research Institute. His work includes ion-beam analysis and accelerator-based research.

→Eusebius Ikechi Obiajunwa: **Nigeria**; Head of the Accelerator Laboratory at the Centre for Energy Research and Development, Obafemi Awolowo University. The laboratory operates a 1.7 MV Pelletron tandem accelerator.

- Swapan Chattopadhyay : Uni. Berkeley, **USA** → 2025

→ Joe Niemela, IT/USA : IUPAP C13; ICTP , APS

Associate Members (ex-officio) (updated yearly)

- Tsuneyuki Ozaki : Institut national de la recherche scientifique (INRS), CA – International Committee on Ultra-High Intensity Lasers, WG7 Chair
- Yuan He: Institute of Modern Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences (IMPCAS) – ICFA Beam Dynamics Panel, Chair
- Pierluigi Campana : Pierluigi Campana, Italy – ICFA Chair
- Ursel Fantz : Max Planck Institute for Plasma Physics, Germany – IUPAP Commission 16 on Plasma Physics, Chair
- Peter McIntosch : Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC) – International Particle Accelerator Conference (IPAC26) Coordination Committee, Chair
- Thomas Roser : Brookhaven National Laboratory, USA – ICFA Panel on Sustainable Accelerators and Colliders, Chair
- Marcelo Gameiro Munhoz : University of San Paolo – C11 Commission on Particles and Fields – Chair
- Add C12 Chair: → Maria Jose Garcia Borge, Spain, (vice-chair Eberhard Widmann, Austria)