

MINUTES

IWF ELECTORAL CONGRESS

2025 May 24 – 25, Riyadh, KSA

In-person and online via Zoom

At Head Table:	Electoral Manager:	Mr. Jean-Pierre Morand
	Electoral Commission (EC):	
	Chair:	Mr. Gabriel Nigon
	Members:	Ms. Ana Maria Montoya Ruales and Mr. Nasr El-Din Azzam
	Assistant to the EC:	Ms. Stephanie Ruf

The IWF Electoral Congress took place over two days, May 24 and 25, 2025.

On May 24, 2025, the roll call and distribution of voting cards/verification of attendance online (Roll CallI) took place at 14:00 for both in-person and online delegates:

- Full Members entitled to vote present: 159 from which 1 was AC Rep.
- Full Members entitled to vote online: 15 from which 2 Athletes Commission Representatives
- Athlete commission representative present: 1 present and 2 online

On May 25, 2025 the roll call and distribution of voting cards/verification of attendance online (Roll CallII) took place at 10:00 for both in-person and online delegates.

- Full Members entitled to vote present: 158
- Full Members entitled to vote online: 9 to 16 (number of connected Members fluctuated throughout the Congress) from which 2 Athletes Commission Representatives
- Athlete commission representative present: 1 present and 2 online

The total number of Full Members entitled to vote at the Congress was 175. The applicable quorum *i.e.* 50% + 1 of Full Members entitled to vote, was thus 89. This quorum was exceeded and maintained throughout the Electoral Congress.

Prior to each election, the Electoral Manager called each candidate and asked them one by one whether they maintained or withdrew their candidature.

The candidates who are mentioned in these minutes are the ones who either maintained their candidature or could not be contacted. By default, candidatures were deemed *maintained*.

The following votes took place on 24th May 2025:

1. VOTE TO PERMIT CANDIDATES TO BE ELECTED NOTWITHSTANDING THE AGE LIMIT

One Applicant maintained her corresponding application: Ms Katharina RIMBÖCK-PEYA (AUT)

Required Majority for the application to be approved: 50% + 1 of the total number of the valid votes cast

Total Votes Cast	171
Invalid vote	1
Valid votes	170
Approve	70
Reject	94
Abstain	7

Result: motion was rejected

2. ELECTION OF THE IWF PRESIDENT

Only one candidate maintained his candidature:

Mohammed Hasan Jaloud AL-SHAMMARI (INDIV)

Required majority for the candidate to be elected: Simple Majority

Total Votes Cast	174
Invalid votes	0
<i>Simple Majority</i>	88
Abstention	6
In favour of election	168

Result

Mohammed Hasan Jaloud AL-SHAMMARI was elected 168

3. ELECTION OF THE IWF GENERAL SECRETARY

Only one candidate maintained his candidature:

Jose Carlos QUINONES GONZALEZ (PER)

Required majority for the candidate to be elected: Simple Majority

Total Votes Cast	173
Invalid Votes	0
<i>Simple Majority</i>	88
Abstention	13
In favor of election	160

Result

Jose Carlos QUINONES GONZALEZ was elected 160

4. ELECTION OF THE FIRST VICE PRESIDENT

Required majority for the candidate to be elected: Relative Majority

Total Votes Cast	174
Invalid votes	1
Valid votes	173
<u>Ursula PAPANDREA (USA) W</u>	<u>107</u>
<u>Attila Tamas ADAMFI (HUN) M</u>	<u>66</u>

Result

Ursula PAPANDREA was elected

5. ELECTION OF TWO ADDITIONAL VICE PRESIDENTS

The two candidates were elected by acclamation:

Mohammed Ahmed ALHARBI (KSA)
Chengliang LIU (CHN)

6. ELECTION OF ORDINARY EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS

Required majority for the candidates to be elected: Relative Majority

The 12 candidates who received the most votes were elected.

Total Votes Cast	174
Invalid votes	1
Valid votes	173
<u>Florian SPERL (GER) M</u>	<u>139</u>
<u>Matthew Francis CURTAIN (GBR) M</u>	<u>147</u>
<u>Pyrros DIMAS (GRE) M</u>	<u>156</u>
<u>Satu Karoliina LUNDAHL (FIN) W</u>	<u>141</u>
<u>Sirilak THATMAN (THA) W</u>	<u>150</u>
<u>Wen Hsin CHANG (TPE) W</u>	<u>143</u>
<u>Yassiny ESQUIVEL (CRC) W</u>	<u>139</u>
<u>Shakhrillo MAKHMUDOV (UZB) M</u>	<u>143</u>
<u>Jeremy William WALLWORK (SAM) M</u>	<u>127</u>
<u>Gardencia DU PLOOY (RSA) W</u>	<u>146</u>
<u>Boukar TIKIRE (CMR) M</u>	<u>123</u>
<u>Luis Oswaldo ZAMBRANO ANDRADE (ECU) M</u>	<u>124</u>

The above-mentioned candidates were elected

<u>Juan Lama ARENALES (ESP) M</u>	<u>60</u>
<u>Italo BARATTINI (CHI) M</u>	<u>52</u>
<u>Marwan MAYAN (AFG) M</u>	<u>37</u>

Meeting ended 20:00 p.m. Riyadh, KSA time on 24 May 2025.

The following votes took place on 25th May 2025:

7. ELECTION OF TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Required majority for the candidates to be elected: Relative Majority

The 7 candidates who received the most votes were elected.

Since Mr John Onyango OGOLLA (KEN) and Ms Zukhra ABDULLAEVA (UZB) received the same number of votes on the 8th rank during the first round, a second round of elections was organized between these 2 candidates, in which Mr John Onyango OGOLLA (KEN) obtained the most votes.

	Round 1	Round 2
Total Votes Cast	167	
Invalid votes	1	
Valid votes	166	
<u>Milan MIHAJLOVIC (SRB)</u>	<u>127</u>	
<u>Pedro Jose Jaime SANCHEZ (AUS)</u>	<u>110</u>	
<u>Niwat LIMSUKNIRUN (THA)</u>	<u>105</u>	
<u>Doris Zoraida MARRERO TRAVIESO (VEN)</u>	<u>103</u>	
<u>Mustafa Salih MAHDI (IRQ)</u>	<u>96</u>	
<u>Manareddin Mohamed ESHELLI (LBA)</u>	<u>95</u>	
<u>John Onyango OGOLLA (KEN)</u>	<u>92</u>	<u>97</u>

The above-mentioned candidates were elected

<u>Zukhra ABDULLAEVA (UZB)</u>	92	72
<u>Hiromi SATO (JPN)</u>	43	
<u>Jessica CASTILO (PER)</u>	30	
<u>Delmis Rodriguez PARGA (CUB)</u>	30	
<u>Damjan CANZEK (SLO)</u>	28	
<u>Patrik HELGESSON (SWE)</u>	24	
<u>Kevin James DU PLOOY (RSA)</u>	23	
<u>Italo BARATTINI (CHI)</u>	21	
<u>Katharina RIMBÖCK-PEYA (AUT)</u>	21	
<u>Lech LABUDDA (POL)</u>	20	
<u>Koba OBOLASHVILI (GEO)</u>	12	
<u>Enja SAYED (EGY)</u>	9	
<u>Marwan MAYAN (AFG)</u>	6	

8. ELECTION OF COACHING & RESEARCH COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Required majority for the candidates to be elected: Relative Majority

The 7 candidates who received the most votes were elected

Total Votes Cast (=valid votes) 170

<u>Kyle PIERCE (USA)</u>	<u>134</u>
<u>Jorge Luis BARCELAN SANTA CRUZ (CUB)</u>	<u>131</u>
<u>Lawrence Tom IQUAIBOM (NGR)</u>	<u>118</u>
<u>Sajjad ANOUSHIRAVANI (IRI)</u>	<u>114</u>
<u>Arnaud Gerard Bruno FERRARI (FRA)</u>	<u>108</u>
<u>Song Nam JANG (PRK)</u>	<u>107</u>
<u>Eduards ANDRUSKEVICS (LAT)</u>	<u>104</u>

The above-mentioned candidates were elected

<u>Mohamed Hosny Taha AHMED (EGY)</u>	<u>47</u>
<u>Seiichiro TAKEI (JPN)</u>	<u>40</u>
<u>Michael VATER (GER)</u>	<u>36</u>
<u>Damjan CANZEK (SLO)</u>	<u>35</u>
<u>Mária TAKÁCS (HUN)</u>	<u>34</u>
<u>Shin-Yuan WANG (TPE)</u>	<u>28</u>

9. ELECTION OF MEDICAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Required majority for the candidates to be elected: Relative Majority

The 7 candidates who received the most votes were elected

Total Votes Cast (=valid votes) 163

<u>Ahmed Hassan AL AHMARI (KSA)</u>	<u>126</u>
<u>Victor Hugo CARPIO QUINTANA (PER)</u>	<u>126</u>
<u>Lisimoni KAMI (AUS)</u>	<u>121</u>
<u>Yu Mi KIM (PRK)</u>	<u>116</u>
<u>Wei LI (CHN)</u>	<u>113</u>
<u>Seza TCHOBANIAN (LBN)</u>	<u>110</u>
<u>Wutichai ISARA (THA)</u>	<u>109</u>

The above-mentioned candidates were elected

<u>Mark LAVALLEE (USA)</u>	<u>55</u>
<u>Kihei YONEYAMA (JPN)</u>	<u>52</u>
<u>Yamil GUTIERREZ JORGE (CUB)</u>	<u>49</u>
<u>John WARMANN (GER)</u>	<u>44</u>

10. ELECTION OF DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION COMMISSION MEMBERS

Required majority for the candidate to be elected: Relative Majority

The 5 candidates who received the most votes were elected

Total Votes Cast (=valid votes)	162
<u>Paula ARANDA (USA)</u>	<u>126</u>
<u>Bo MENG (CHN)</u>	<u>116</u>
<u>Kevin James DU PLOOY (RSA)</u>	<u>102</u>
<u>Alexandru Cristian PADURE (ROU)</u>	<u>100</u>
<u>Vahid RABIEI (IRI)</u>	<u>87</u>

The above-mentioned candidates were elected

<u>Zukhra ABDULLAEVA (UZB)</u>	<u>71</u>
<u>Delmis Rodriguez PARGAS (CUB)</u>	<u>43</u>
<u>Felicia Yen-Ling CHANG (TPE)</u>	<u>39</u>
<u>Thomas RIEGER (GER)</u>	<u>35</u>
<u>Damjan CANZEK (SLO)</u>	<u>26</u>

11. ELECTION OF GENDER EQUITY COMMISSION MEMBERS

Required majority for the candidates to be elected: Relative Majority

The 5 candidates who received the most votes were elected

Total Votes Cast (=valid votes)	151
<u>Abdul Ibrahim ALADI (NGR)</u>	<u>122</u>
<u>Delmis RODRIGUEZ PARGAS (CUB)</u>	<u>114</u>
<u>Brunella MAURICCI (PER)</u>	<u>108</u>
<u>Wafaa Mahmoud Mohamed MOUSSA (EGY)</u>	<u>103</u>
<u>Zukhra ABDULLAEVA (UZB)</u>	<u>85</u>

The above-mentioned candidates were elected

<u>Damjan CANZEK (SLO)</u>	<u>69</u>
<u>Felicia Yen-Ling CHANG (TPE)</u>	<u>57</u>

12. ELECTION OF GOVERNANCE COMMISSION MEMBERS

Required majority for the candidates to be elected: Relative Majority

The 2 candidates who received the most votes were elected

Total Votes Cast (=valid votes)	149
<u>Craig WALKER (CAN)</u>	<u>112</u>
<u>Khalid NABINA (QAT)</u>	<u>108</u>

The above-mentioned candidates were elected

<u>Damjan CANZEK (SLO)</u>	<u>23</u>
<u>Mohamed Farouk Hamed MOHAMED (EGY)</u>	<u>19</u>
<u>Anthony SANCHEZ ESTRADA (PER)</u>	<u>18</u>
<u>Tomas CHOVANEC (SVK)</u>	<u>10</u>

Meeting ended 20:00 p.m. Riyadh, KSA time on 25 May 2025.

Done on 23 July 2025.



Jean-Pierre Morand
IWF Electoral Manager