

WSA Exec. Work in Progress report to 2013 WSC meeting October 2012 – May 2013

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WSA Executive Team

The WSA Exec. team consisting of Maxwell, Maya, Hammond and Silvana is grateful for on-going support from Farah Czwiertnia as website content manager mainly for www.subud.org and Osanna Vaughn for news items on www.subudworldnews.com. Also grateful to team of volunteer translators, including Paloma de la Vina (Spanish), Arnaud Delune, Luisa McMin, Isabelle Riar, Martin Stenning (French), Mardiana Situmeang (Indonesian), Marsiya Belinskaja (Russian) for translating documents and letters and the quarterly WSA eNewsletter.

WSA 2012 Accounts and audit

The audit process which began at the end of April is due to be completed before the end of May. For the third consecutive year the WSA's Accounts have been completed on time.

Finance

A Fundraising Campaign led by Stuart Cooke was launched in October 2012. Five countries were selected (Australia, New Zealand, Canada, USA & UK) for a pilot project and letters were followed up with phone calls.

A list of potential donors (individual members) was drawn up and members of the Fundraising Team have begun talking to members on this list and donations, some regular standing orders, some large one off donations, are anticipated as a result of these calls.

A letter from the WSA Treasurer to National Committees reminding them to forward their contributions to WSA as soon as possible was sent out in May 2013 and some funds have begun to arrive as a result.

World Congress 2014

The WCO team met with the WSA Exec in January in Poio and the results of that meeting, which went exceptionally well, have already been posted. There are 15 members of the WCO team and this number will increase as we approach the Congress.

The website and on line registration system, which was much more complicated than anticipated, is now up and running (since May 3 2013) in both English and Spanish, and is a major success. Thank you Lucida Garneau and Maemunah Doran of Canada. Can Council members please share the news and remind everyone that the Earlybird fee runs until November 30th and that there are payment facilities in installments if one pays by credit card.

Council members should register via the invitation you have received so as to get your registration + one meal free. To see the website, go to:

www.subudworldcongress2014.com

In case you are not aware, following the meeting and discussions shortly after, the final choice of the congress logo was made in January and can be seen on the website.

The feed back so far from the on line registration system is extremely positive, people find it attractive and easy to use. For a more complete overview, see Maya's full report in your WSC background papers.

Communications

The Exec team is grateful to be working with Suzanna Dayne and Mardiyah Miller of 'Begin' who's unique over view gained through working with affiliate and partner organisations, is of great value.

- **Quarterly Newsletters**

January 2013 and April 2013 editions of WSA eNewsletter completed, translated and circulated to WSC and National Committees via WSA circulation lists and uploaded to websites.

In addition, paper copies of May and September 2012 editions were printed (in English, Spanish and French) and mailed to individual members with little or no access to internet in Vietnam, Nigeria and Cuba. International Helpers hand delivered copies in French to members in RD Congo on their visit in November 2012.

- **Annual Report**

A first draft of the 2012 Annual Report is almost complete and will be circulated to Council for their approval when financial information, based on the recently concluded audit, has been included.

Subud Materials Project

This project is still on-going.

Various different materials (brochures, leaflets, pamphlets, text from websites etc) used to describe or illustrate Subud were collected from National Committees and individual members and passed on to a Selection Team of 3 International Helpers and one Zone Rep. at WSC meeting in June 2012 in Vancouver. We understand that the Selection Team are in the process of making a short list of suitable materials and may be in a position to make a recommendation at the WSC meeting in June 2013. All materials received have been uploaded to Online Office.

WSA Exec. Functions

Reports for Exec. Functions including WSA Care Support, History of Subud project, Subud Publications International and Translations of Bapak and Ibu Rahayu's talks – Spanish translations are being circulated separately.

In addition to SPI's report, WSA Exec. are working with SPI to enable Bapak's Talks to be available as eBooks downloadable to Kindle and iPad. Volume I has been completed and Volume II is almost complete. SPI recommends that the eBooks are available on their website at no fixed price but with a suggested donation only.

MSF & WSA

MSF has managed the re-mastering digitisation process of the original tapes of WSA's Archive of Bapak's Talks. In reply to a letter from Luke, Ibu Rahayu clearly outlined a working relationship for WSA and MSF. This will be further discussed at the WSC meeting.

WSA Archives

A full report on the WSA Archives will be circulated separately.

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WSA Organisation Working Group

This group, now comprised of Dave, Mauricio, Kumari and Maxwell is being extended to include nominees from several countries. The two principle issues for discussion include “consensus” and WSA membership.

Affiliates and Partner Organisations

Reports from SESI, SICA, SYAI, SIHA and MSF will be circulated separately.

Kalimantan Investment Corporation Trust/Kalimantan Gold Corp. Ltd

Shares have successfully been transferred to individuals. The KIC Trust is to be extended for 12 months so as to sell shares as instructed.

Support for RD Congo

WSA has funded two micro enterprises of members in Kinshasa and progress reports are sent regularly. More information is included in Rida’s Zone 6 report.

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Subud USA (SUSA)

MoU with SUSA was revised incorporating the granting of copyright of the name Subud in the US in April 2012. The revised MoU was signed in October 2012 by Shoshana Margolin, current SUSA National Chair.

WSHPP

Luke, WSA Chair, Maxwell, WSA Exec. Chair and Hadrian, Zone 1 &2 Rep., met with Ibu Rahayu in Cilandak in October 2012 to progress the project and ask advice. Following that advice there are no further activities to report.