PAGES EXCOM Meeting Minutes 29 January 2014 Paris, France

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1. New SSC members to join in 2015

Darrel Kaufman (Northern Arizona University, USA) and Blas Valero-Garcés (Instituto Pirenaico de Ecologia, Spain) were elected by the EXCOM and by SSC vote respectively. Their nominations will be submitted to IGBP for approval.

2. Supported Workshops

EXCOM determined that support would be granted for the following workshops, subject to meeting specific conditions:

PAGES Working Group workshops	Date	Applicant	Focus
PAGES Asia2k Beijing, China	26-27 May 2014	Zhixin Hao	2
PALSEA2 Lochinver, Scotland	15-20 Sep.14	Antony Long	1
Sea Ice Proxy WG Bremerhaven, Germany	23-25 June 2014	Rainer Gersonde	F1/ CCT2
CLIVAR-PAGES Paris, France	Spring/ Summer 2014 (postponed to 2015)	Valérie Masson- Delmotte	2
ACCSP – PAGES Aus2k 3 rd Workshop Melbourne, Australia	26-27 June 2014	Joelle Gergis	2

Open Call workshops	Date	Applicant
Past as Prologue: Holocene Climate as Context for Future Climate Change Portland, USA	13-16 Oct. 2014	Shaun Marcott
Scaling forest insect and pathogen disturbances Taos, USA	30-31 March 2015	Jesse Morris
Late Pleistocene & Holocene climate in the Carpathian-Balkan Suceava, Romania	31 Oct - 2 Nov 2014	Marcel Mindrescu
Volcanoes, Climate, and Society: Bicentenary of Tambora Bern, Switzerland	7-10 April 2015	Stefan Brönnimann

Educational workshops	Date	Applicant
Quaternary palaeoecology: Reconstructing past environments Mar del Plata, Argentina	4-15 August 2014	Sonia Fontana