



## **Election of Officers and Ordinary Members of Council**

### **Officers of Council**

Nominations are invited for the following two Officers for the session commencing after the Annual General Meeting to be held in October 2013: one Vice-President and one President-Elect.

*Note:* According to Paragraph 34(i) of the AustMS Constitution, after the AGM in October 2013, Professor P.J. Forrester will continue in office as the President, and Professor P.G. Taylor steps down as Immediate-Past-President, and is not eligible for immediate re-election as a Vice-President.

According to Paragraph 34(ii), Professor K.A. Smith-Miles steps down as Elected Vice-President, and is not eligible for immediate re-election to that office.

According to Paragraph 34(iii), the positions of Secretary and Treasurer will be appointed by Council at its September 2013 meeting.

The present Officers of the Society are:

President: P.J. Forrester  
Immediate-Past-President: P.G. Taylor  
Vice-President: K.A. Smith-Miles  
Secretary: P.J. Stacey  
Treasurer: A. Howe

### **Ordinary Members of Council**

The present elected Ordinary Members of Council are:

1. Members whose term of office expires after the AGM in October 2013  
F. Larusson  
M. O'Reilly
2. Members whose term of office expires after the AGM in December 2014  
J. Bamberg  
N. Boland  
A.R. Francis
3. Members whose term of office expires after the AGM in September 2015  
J. Filar  
A. Glen  
D. Mallet

Accordingly, nominations are invited for two positions as Ordinary Members of Council, who shall be elected for a term of three consecutive sessions. Note that according to Paragraph 34(iv) of the Constitution, F. Larusson and M. O'Reilly are not eligible for re-election at this time as Ordinary Members. Paragraph 35 of the Constitution requires that the elected Officers and elected members of Council

shall include residents from all the States and the ACT. Accordingly, nominations for the two Officers and two Ordinary Members must include a member from Tasmania, to satisfy this.

To comply with the Constitution (see Paragraphs 61 and 64), all nominations should be signed by two members of the Society and by the nominee who shall also be a Member of the Society.

Nominations should reach the Secretary (whose name and address appear inside the back cover of the *Gazette*) no later than *Friday 21 June 2013*.

*Alternatively*, members are encouraged to send informal suggestions to the Nominations and Publications Committee, by emailing the Secretary at [Secretary@austms.org.au](mailto:Secretary@austms.org.au).

For the information of members, the following persons are presently *ex-officio* members of Council for the Session 2012–2013.

Vice President (Chair of ANZIAM):	P. Broadbridge
Vice President (Annual Conferences):	S.O. Warnaar
Representative of ANZIAM:	J. Piantadosi
Public Officer of AustMS and AMPAI:	P.J. Cossey
Chair, Standing Committee on Mathematics Education:	L. Wood
AustMS member elected to Steering Committee:	N. Joshi

Editors: S.A. Morris and D.T. Yost (Gazette)  
 G.L. Cohen (Bulletin)  
 R.R. Moore (Electronic Site)  
 J.M. Borwein and G.A. Willis (Journal of AustMS)  
 C.E. Praeger (Lecture Series)  
 A.P. Bassom and G. Hocking (ANZIAM Journal)  
 A.J. Roberts (ANZIAM Journal Supplement)

The Constitution is available from the Society's web pages, at <http://www.austms.org.au/Constitution>

### **The 2014 ANZIAM Medal: call for nominations**

Nominations are now sought for the ANZIAM Medal, which is the premier award of ANZIAM, a division of the Australian Mathematical Society.

Closing date: 8 November 2013.

Nominations for the Award can be made by any member of ANZIAM other than the nominee. A nomination should consist of a brief CV of the nominee together with the nominee's list of publications and a one-page resume of the significance of the nominee's work. Nominations should be forwarded in confidence, electronically, to the Chair of the Selection Panel, Dr Robert Anderssen ([Bob.Anderssen@csiro.au](mailto:Bob.Anderssen@csiro.au)).

Further details of the application process and the award criteria are on the ANZIAM website: [www.anziam.org.au/The+ANZIAM+medal](http://www.anziam.org.au/The+ANZIAM+medal).

### **The 2014 J.H. Michell Medal: call for nominations**

Nominations are now sought for the J.H. Michell Medal, an award given in honour of John Henry Michell, by ANZIAM, a division of the Australian Mathematical Society. The award is for outstanding new researchers in applied and/or industrial mathematics.

Closing date: 8 November 2013.

Nominations for the Award can be made by any member of ANZIAM other than the nominee. A nomination should consist of a brief CV of the nominee together with the nominee's list of publications and a one-page resume of the significance of the nominee's work. Nominations should be forwarded in confidence, electronically, to the Chair of the Selection Panel, Associate Professor Mary Myerscough ([marym@maths.usyd.edu.au](mailto:marym@maths.usyd.edu.au)).

Further details of the application process and the award criteria are on the ANZIAM website: [www.anziam.org.au/The+JH+Michell+Medal](http://www.anziam.org.au/The+JH+Michell+Medal).

### **AustMS support for Special Interest Meetings**

Applications are now considered twice a year, at the start of June and the start of December. For 2013, closing dates are 5 June and 4 December.

If funding is being sought from both AustMS and AMSI, a single application should be made at <http://www.amsi.org.au/component/content/article/881>.

If funding is not being sought from AMSI, please use the application form available at <http://www.austms.org.au/Special+Interest+Meetings> and send it to the secretary at [Secretary@austms.org.au](mailto:Secretary@austms.org.au).

### **AustMS Accreditation**

Dr Peter Hochs of the University of Adelaide and Dr Tony Scoleri of DSTO have been accredited as an Accredited Members (MAustMS).

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AustMS Secretary  
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Peter Stacey joined La Trobe as a lecturer in 1975 and retired as an associate professor at the end of 2008. Retirement has enabled him to spend more time with his family while continuing with some research and some work on secondary school education. He took over as secretary of the Society at the start of 2010.