



SC11 New chair of INTOSAI WGEA

Agenda Item Overview

The afternoon session of Thursday, 11 November, is devoted for selecting the new Chair for the INTOSAI WGEA.

Handbook for Committees of INTOSAI instructs that the Chair must nominate its successor for the approval of the INTOSAI Governing Board, without giving any specific guidance how the candidate ought to be selected. Since the Chair aims to make this decision democratically, transparently and receive wider support of the working group, the following process is suggested:

- All the candidates to the WGEA Chair make brief presentations, introducing their offices' capacity for environmental auditing and providing ideas for the future direction of activities of the INTOSAI WGEA;
- The presentations are followed by a round of questions from the Steering Committee members to which the candidates are expected to provide their views on;
- After the round of questions, without the presence of the candidates, each Steering Committee member expresses its well-argued opinion about which candidate it prefers in order to help the Chair make a final decision. This discussion will not be recorded or published. There will be no vote, but the decision will be made based on the consensus (not necessarily unanimity) among the Steering Committee members.
- The Chair shall inform the candidates of its decision immediately after it has been made.