

AASHH

American Association for the Study of Hungarian History

January 2004

NEWSLETTER

Since 1997, the AAASS has required each affiliate to submit an annual report to maintain its affiliation. Below is our submission.

1. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE AASHH FOR 2003

In 2003, two business meetings were organized and five Newsletters were published. As required by our by-laws the first annual meeting was held at the AHA convention in January 2003 in Chicago. The second was held in November at the AAASS Convention in Toronto, CA. At both meetings, the main topic of discussion was the organization and preparations of panels for upcoming conferences.

Our previous organizational efforts have paid off. At the 28th annual conference of the American Hungarian Educators' Association, held in April, twelve members presented papers. Eight panels organized by our members were accepted for the AAASS convention, and over 40 members were present at the conference.

Five books were nominated for the biennial book award. The decision of the Book Award Committee was to give the prize to Nora Berend's *At the Gate of Christendom: Jews, Muslims and 'Pagans' in Medieval Hungary, c. 1000-c. 1300*. (Cambridge Studies in Medieval Life and Thought, number 50.) New York: Cambridge U. Press. 2001. pp. xvii, 340.

One member, Peter Pastor, was recognized by the Hungarian Government for his dedication for his scholarly work in Hungarian history and for building bridges between Hungarian and American scholars. Another member, Stanley Winters, was awarded a medal by the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic.

Based on the information submitted to the secretary, our members published 12 books, 31 articles and 15 book reviews.

Based on the result of the opinion research conducted by the Association, as of March 1, 2004, the organization will change its name from American Association for the Study of Hungarian History to Hungarian Studies Association (HSA). This change reflects the research interests of the diverse group of scholars who are now the members of the association.

As required by the organization's by-laws elections were held in December for the executive board positions becoming vacant in January 2004. The voting was conducted via the internet. All elected members of the AASHH are members of the AAASS.

Finances of the organizations are sound.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Glanz
Secretary/Treasurer

2. Elections

Based on the result of the elections, the directors of the AASHH are as follows:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Affiliation and email address</i>	<i>Term</i>
President:		
Gabor Vermes	retired (gaborver@aol.com)	1/1/2004 – 12/31/2005
VP:		
Katalin Fabian	Lafayette Coll. (fabiank@lafayette.edu)	1/1/2004 – 12/31/2005*
Board members:		
Beverly James	U. of New Hampshire (bajames@christa.unh.edu)	1/1/2004 – 12/31/2005
Mario Fenyo	Bowie State U. (mario.fenyo@bowiestate.edu)	1/1/2004 - 12/31/2005
Béla Bodó	U. of S. Florida (bbodo@chumal.cas.usf.edu)	1/1/2003 - 12/31/2004
John Swanson	Utica Coll. (jswanson@utica.edu)	1/1/2004 – 12/31/2004**
Secretary/Treasurer:		
Susan Glanz	St. John's U. (glanzs@stjohns.edu)	1/1/2004 - 12/31/2005

*According to our by-laws, *Katalin Fabian* will automatically assume the role of the president on 1/1/2005 and will serve in that position until 12/31/2006.

** John Swanson will serve in Katalin Fabian's executive board position for one year.

3. Treasurer's report

Balance on 11/17/2002	\$ 3,023.45
Deposits	440.00
Interest	3.70
Subtotal	\$ 3,467.15
Expenses	426.45
Balance on 12/21/2003	\$ 3,040.70

4. Results of the survey conducted in December 2003.

At the November 2003 Business Meeting the issue was raised, that since the current membership in the AASHH represents scholars from all social science fields and the name of the organization should reflect this change. A survey was created and emailed to all our members. The survey had two goals, one to poll our members about the name of the organization, and the other to find out what books and articles could/should be considered for our awards.

The results of the survey:

1. The majority of the respondents voted for a name change, that is, that the name of the AASHH should be changed to **Hungarian Studies Association**. (HSA)
(I requested that the bank change the name on the organization's account as of March 1, 2004.)
2. The article/book prize should be given to the best article/book written in English, in the field of Hungarian studies. The prize should be given to N. American scholars published by English language presses.

5. Miscellaneous

a. Enikő Pittner has generously offered to help us with our website. As you may remember, previously it was hosted by the *H-Net*. The problem with this hosting was that we had no control over it, and could not update the site. Enikő has offered to maintain the site and thus we can keep it current. The new and updated website's address is <http://www.ngctech.com/naahs>.



b. Publication by our members:

Federigo Argentieri reviewed Béla Lipták's *A Testament of Revolution* in the *Journal of Cold War Studies* - Volume 5, Number 3, Summer 2003, pp. 143-145.

_____, "A régi és az új Európa", lecture on March 20, 2003, in Budapest for the *Magyarországi Európa Társaság*.

Johanna Granville reviewed Csaba Békés, Malcolm Byrne, János Rainer, eds. *The 1956 Hungarian Revolution: A History in Documents*. National Security Archive Cold War Readers. Budapest and New York: Central European University Press, 2002. L + 598 pp. on **H-net's Habsburg** at <http://www.h-net.org/reviews/showrev.cgi?path=311941073606049>.

Béla Király's reported the following accomplishments for the past year.

Co-editor and author with Lee W. Congdon, *The Ideas of the Hungarian Revolution, Suppressed and Victorious, 1956–1999* (New York, 2002).

Ibid. in Hungarian, *A magyar forradalom eszméi. Eltípusuk és győzelmük (1956–1999)* (Budapest, 2002).

Author with editors Piroska Balogh and Tamás Vitek, *Art of Survival. Hungarian National Defense and Society in Modern Times* (New York, 2003).

Author with editors Piroska Balogh and Tamás Vitek, *Iratok az emigrációról, 1957–1990* (Budapest, 2003).

Ibid., *A forradalom folytatása Ázsiában, 1961* (Budapest, 2003).

"A forradalom, az ENSZ és a forradalmi emigráció első akciói," in Miklós Horváth ed., *Tizenhárom nap, amely... Tanulmányok az 1956-os forradalom és szabadságharc történetéből* (Budapest, 2003).

"Ten Truths of the Hungarian Revolution of 1956" in *AARMS Academic and Applied Research in Military Science* (Budapest, 2002) vol. I: pp. 145–171.

"Kétszáz éve született Deák Ferenc. Kehidától a kiegyezésig. Király Bélával, az 1956-os Nemzetőrség főparancsnokával, a Deák Ferenc-monográfia szerzőjével Ablonczy Bálint beszélget," *Szépirodalmi Figyelő* 5 (2003): 72–76.

"A Szent Istváni gondolat folyamatossága. Kivonat Király Béla *Forradalomtól–Forradalomig* című könyvéből," *Amerikai Magyar Szó* (August 26, 2003): 5.

"Az 1956-os forradalom tíz igazsága," *Fejér Megyei Hírlap* (October 22, 2003): 6–7.

"Deák Ferenc, a liberális politikus," *Népszava* (October 18, 2003): 7.

"Az 1956-os győztes forradalom és a szovjet agresszió," *Népszava* (October 22, 2003): 7.

Robert Nemes' "The Uncivil Origins of Civil Marriage: Hungary" in *Culture Wars: Secular-Catholic Conflict in Nineteenth Century Europe*, ed. by C. Clark and W. Kaiser (Cambridge U. Press, 2003)

Steven B. Várdy reported the publication of a major book on ethnic cleansing.

Ethnic Cleansing in Twentieth-Century Europe, ed. S. B. Várdy, T. H. Tooley, and A. H. Várdy; introduced by Otto von Habsburg (New York: East European Monographs, Columbia University Press, 2003), 862 pp.

This pioneer work on "ethnic cleansing" is the result of an international conference organized by

Professors S. B. Várdy (Duquesne University) and T. H. Tooley (Austin College) at Duquesne University, in November 2000. The conference drew about sixty scholars from eight different countries, including the United States, Canada, Britain, Germany, Hungary, Poland, Slovakia, and Switzerland. The resulting volume contains studies and essays by forty-five scholars and survivors, with an introduction by Archduke Otto von Habsburg, and a recommendation by President George W. Bush.

As used in this volume, the term “ethnic cleansing” — which is derived from Serbo-Croatian — is equated with the forced removal of people or nations from their traditional homelands. It is, however, not equated with “genocide” as manifested, among others, in the Jewish Holocaust.

The people treated in this volume who have suffered forced dislocations include the Hungarians, Poles, Rusins, Ukrainians, Serbs, Croats, Bosnian Muslims, Kosovar Albanians, Armenians, Greeks, Turks, Pomaks or Turks of Bulgaria, Crimean Tatars, Chechens, as well as such German speaking peoples as the Danubian Swabians, Sudeten Germans, Silesians, Pomeranians, Prussians, and Baltic Germans. Various chapters in this volume also deal with the cultural, sociological and legal ramifications of ethnic cleansing.

Since its publication, the book has been officially presented three times: in Pittsburgh (Duquesne University), in Budapest (Batthyány Alapítvány), and in Cleveland (Hungarian Congress).

He also reported the following publications for 2003

I. SCHOLARLY ARTICLES, BOOK CHAPTERS, REVIEW ARTICLES

1. “Archduke Otto von Habsburg and American Hungarian Emigrés during and after World War II,” in *East European Quarterly*, vol. 36, no. 4 (January 2003), pp. 441-463.

2. “Kossuth’s Efforts to Enlist America into the Hungarian Cause,” in *Hungarian Studies* (Budapest-Bloomington), vol. 16, no. 2 (2002), pp. 237-252.

3. “Hungarian-Americans during World War II: Their Role in Defending Hungary’s Interests,” in *Ideology, Politics, and Diplomacy in East Central Europe: Studies in Honor of Professor Piotr S. Wandycz* (Rochester, NY: University of Rochester Press, 2003), pp. 120-146.

4. “Ethnic Cleansing in History,” in Várdy-Tooley-Várdy, *Ethnic Cleansing in Twentieth-Century Europe*, pp. 1-10. (See above.)

5. “Az amerikai rabszolgakérdés hatása Kossuth Lajos amerikai körútjára 1851-1852-ben” [The Impact of the American Slavery Question upon Louis Kossuth’s Tour of America in 1851-1852], in *XLII Magyar Találkozó Krónikája* [Proceedings of the Forty-Second Hungarian Congress], ed. Lél F. (Somogyi. Cleveland, Ohio: Árpád Könyvkiadó Vállalat, 2003), pp. 137-150.

6. “Egy ismeretlen amerikai-magyar építész. Bobula Titusz életpályája, 1878-1961,” [An Unknown Hungarian American Architect. The Life of Titus de Bobula, 1878-1961], in *Kapu* (Budapest), vol. 16, no. 9 (September 2003), pp. 70-71.

7. “Images, Perceptions, Individuals,” in *Hungarian Quarterly*, vol. 44, no. 170 (Summer 2003), pp. 104-108.

8. “Kossuth Lajos állítólagos amerikai leszármazottai” [Kossuth’s Alleged American Descendants], in *Valóság* (Budapest), vol. 46, no. 11 (November 2003), pp. 39-46.

II. SHORT ARTICLES AND OBITUARIES

9. “Kossuth Lajos viszonya gróf Dembinszkyé Hogl Emíliához” [Louis Kossuth’s Relationship to Countess Dembinszky, Emilia Hogl], in *Amerikai Magyar Népszava - Szabadság*, vol. 113, no.3 (January 17, 2003), pp. 12-13.

10. “Ethnic Cleansing with Archduke Otto von Habsburg’s Preface,” in *IGAR News*, vol. 14, nos. 1-3 (January 2003), pp. 1-2.

11. “Celebrating the book on ‘Ethnic Cleansing in Twentieth-Century Europe’ at Duquesne University,” in *IGAR News*, vol. 14, nos. 4-6 (April 2003), p. 1.

12. “Wass-kor: A czegei Wass-család krónikája” [The Wass Age: Chronicle of the Wass Family of Czege], in *Valóság*, vol. 46, no. 4 (April, 2003), pp. 109-111.

13. “Ferenc József császár és király ‘örököse’: Az amerikai ‘whiskeykirály’” [Emperor-King Francis Joseph’s ‘Heir’: The American ‘Whiskey-King’], in *American Hungarian Panorama*, vol. 5, no 2 (May-June, 2003), p. 55.

14. "Dr. Szendrey Tamás történészprofesszor élete és korai halála" [The Life and Untimely Death of History Professor, Dr. Thomas Szendrey], in *Amerikai Magyar Népszava - Szabadság*, vol. 113, no. 24 (June 13, 2003), pp. 14-16.
15. "Bobula Titusz, amerikai-magyar építész titokzatos élete, 1878-1961" [The Mysterious Life of the Hungarian-American Architect, Titus de Bobula], in *Amerikai Magyar Népszava - Szabadság*, vol.113, no. 28 (July 11, 2003), pp. 16-17.
16. "Ki volt az első magyar Amerikában? Tyrker a vikingek között – Budai Parmenius István, aki életét adta az Újvilágért?" [Who was the first Hungarian in America? Tyrker Among the Vikings - or Stephen Parmenius of Buda, who Gave his Life to the New World?], in *American Hungarian Panorama*, vol. 5, no. 3 (July-August 2003), p. 52.
17. "A Passaui Magyar Gimnázium mint a magyar jövő iskolája, 1945-1951" [The Hungarian Prep School of Passau, as the School of the Hungarian Future, 1945-1951], in *Amerikai Magyar Népszava - Szabadság*, vol. 113, no. 45 (November 14, 2003), pp. 14-15.
18. "Magyarország a nagyhatalmak játékterében" [Hungary on the Playing Field of the Great Powers], in *Kapu*, vol. 16, nos. 11-12 (Nov.-Dec. 2003), pp. 47-49.

III. BOOK REVIEWS

19. *Freemasonry on Both Sides of the Atlantic. Essays Concerning the Craft in the British Isles, Europe, the United States, and Mexico*, ed. R. William Weisberger, Wallace McLeod, and S. Brent Morris. Boulder-New York: East European Monographs, Distributed by Columbia U. Press, 2002, pp. 941, 9 p. of illustrations. Reviewed in *Kosmas*, vol. 16, no. 2 (Spring 2003), pp. 152-154.
20. Sándor Szilassy. *Magyarország a szakadék szélén* [Hungary on the Brink of an Abyss]. Kaposvár: Magyar Nemzeti Történeti Társaság., 1997. pp. 96; and its earlier English version: *Revolutionary Hungary, 1918-1921*. Astor Park, Florida: Danubian Press Inc., 1971. pp. 143. Reviewed in *SFU III* (1999-2001), pp. 277-278.
21. Emil Niederhauser. *Kelet-Európa története* [History of Eastern Europe]. Budapest: História - MTA Történettudományi Intézete, 2001. Pp. 350. Selected Bibliography. Name Index. Eight colored maps. Paper bound. Reviewed in *Slavic Review*, vol. 62, no. 4 (Winter 2003), pp. 826-827.

IV. PAPERS AND PUBLIC LECTURES

1. "Etnikai Tisztogatások történelmi távlatban" [Ethnic Cleansing in Historical Perspective]. Presented at the Batthyány Foundation, Budapest, Hungary, June 19, 2003. (With A. H. Várdy.)
2. "Érdekességek az amerikai magyarság múltjából" [Highlights from the Hungarian-American Past.]" Presented at the Teachers' College of Nyíregyháza, Hungary, June 24, 2003.
3. "Kossuth Lajos beszédei és állítólagos amerikai leszármazottjai" [Louis Kossuth's Speeches and His Alleged American Descendants]. Presented to the Kossuth Club of Debrecen, Hungary, June 25, 2003. (In the process of publication.)
4. "The Hungarian American History: A Reassessment." Presented at the Hungarian World Federation, Budapest, Hungary, November 5, 2003.
5. "Ethnic Cleansing in the History of Central Europe." Presented at the Forty-Third Hungarian Congress, Cleveland, Ohio, November 29, 2003.

Agnes Huszár Várdy's publications, conference papers, and public lectures for the Year 2003

I. ARTICLES AND BOOK CHAPTERS

2. "Elhurcolt magyar nők: Kényszermunkán a Szovjetunióban, 1944-1949" [Deported Hungarian Women: Forced Labor in the Soviet Union, 1944-1949], in *Amerikai Magyar Népszava - Szabadság*, vol. 113, no. 5 (January 31, 2003), p. 12;
"Idem," Part II: *Amerikai Magyar Népszava - Szabadság*, vol. 113, no. 6 (February 7, 2003), p. 12.
3. "Forgotten Victims of World War II: Hungarian Women in Forced Labor Camps," in Várdy-Tooley-Várdy, *Ethnic Cleansing in Twentieth-Century Europe*, pp. 503-516. (See above.)
4. "Magyar nők szovjet kényszermunkatáborokban, 1944-1949" [Hungarian Women in Soviet Forced Labor Camps], in *Valóság*, (Budapest), vol. 45, no. 11 (November 2002), pp. 29-35.
5. "Forgotten Victim of World War II: Hungarian Women in Forced Labor Camps," in *Hungarian*

Studies Review, vol. 29, nos. 1-2 (2002), pp. 77-92. (Revised version of #2, above.)

6. "Elhurcolt magyar nők kényszermunkán a Szovjetunióban - 1944-1949". [Deported Hungarian Women on Slave Labor in the Soviet Union], in A XLII. Magyar Találkozó Krónikája, [Proceedings of the Forty-Second Hungarian Congress], ed. Lél F. Somogyi, vol. 42 (2003), pp. 161-171.

7. "Rabszolgák az Uráznál. Magyar nők 'malenkij robot'-on," in *Új Horizont* (Veszprém, Hungary), vol. 31, no. 6 (2003), pp. 92-98.

III. CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PUBLIC LECTURES

1. "Mimi. A Historical and Social Novel of the World War II Period." Presented at Butler Community College, March 28, 2003.

2. "Etnikai Tisztogatások történelmi távlatban" [Ethnic Cleansing in Historical Perspective]. Presented at the Batthyány Foundation, Budapest, Hungary, June 19, 2003. (With S. B. Várdy.)

3. "Magyar Gulag interjúk 2003-ban: Észrevételek és tanulságok" [Gulag Interviews in 2003: Observations and Conclusions]. Presented at the Forty-Third Hungarian Congress, Cleveland, Ohio, November 28, 2003.



c. Other announcements

- **Stanley Winters** was awarded the Palacký Medal by the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic in 2003. He is the second American born scholar to have received this honor. Congratulations. (The award is given for outstanding contributions in the social sciences, particularly in the fields of history, philosophy, law and sociology.)

Congratulations from all of us!



d. Call for papers:

- The Organizing Committee of the 2nd International Conference on **Politics and Information Systems: Technologies and Applications (PISTA '04)**, is pleased to invite you to participate in this international event that will be held in July 21-25, 2004, in Orlando, Florida, USA. Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) are transforming our societies, therefore papers about research results, solutions and problems of the applications of ICT in Politics and Society are highly encouraged. You are also invited to organize a panel or an invited session. Panel sessions with panelists coming from both: ICT researcher/practitioners and political consultants or politicians are highly encouraged. You can find more information about Pista '04, in the society's web site: <http://www.confinf.org/Pista04>

- **Journal of European Integration** publishes articles with a focus on European integration and an interdisciplinary or multidisciplinary perspective, thus integrating politics, economics, law, history, and sociology. European integration is understood as pan-European rather than as merely the EU, though the bulk of contributions might be devoted to the latter. It occasionally presents comparative studies of federalism, other forms of regional integration, and articles dealing with EU external relations, whether in the trade or security policy field. The main purpose of the journal is to serve a wide readership, which implies that articles should be of a general rather than a specific or specialized nature. In other words, whilst the emphasis should be on scholarly work (analysis rather than description), it should provide explanations about the process of integration in a historical and comparative fashion, and avoid specific or highly specialized writings. All submissions will undergo a rigorous peer-group review process. Issues on exclusive subjects and non-specific issues are published in no particular order. Contributions are published in English or French. (www.tandf.co.uk/journals)

Call for papers can be found at www.tandf.co.uk/journals/authrs/rgloauth.asp

I received the following two emails, one from Karolyi Foundation and the other from ICCEES.

a. Angelica Karolyi of the Karolyi Foundation, Paris, is looking for American Foundations willing to share financing of the costs of researchers working in the Foundation's Documentation center in Fehérvárcsurgó, Hungary. If you have any suggestions, contact the Foundation directly.

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In order to inform you about the work of the Foundation, I am including excerpts from their 2003 Annual Report (sent to me).

... Kedves Barátaink!

Az újév kezdetén, amely egyben Alapítványunk 10. születésnapját és Magyarország Európai Unióval való csatlakozását jelenti, fogadják jókívánásainkkal együtt a 2003-as év számadásunkat.

A fehérvárcsurgói kastély helyreállítási munkálatai

Mint ahogy azt már a tavalyi Hírlevelünkben közöltük, a *Kincstári Vagyoni Igazgatóságától (KVI)* és a *Nemzeti Kulturális Örökség Minisztériumától (NKÖM)* közösen kapott 75 millió forintos támogatás segítségével el tudtuk végeztetni a *díszudvari homlokzatok teljes felújítását*, beleértve az igen költséges kő- és nyílászáró munkákat. Ezek a munkák, melyek gyökeresen megváltoztatták a kastély külső megjelenését – közel egy évszázada nem volt ilyen szép – nem csak a műemlék megóvására, hanem az egész projektünkre nézve is rendkívüli szimbolikus jelentőséggel bírnak.

Párhuzamosan megtörtént az egész épület végleges *gombamentesítése*, az összes, külső és belső nyílászárók és kereteik szanálásával. Az *Északi Pavilon* belső munkálatai is befejeződtek, a többek között három új vendégszoba létrehozásával, melyek a Központ szállodai részlegének az első elemeit képezik. Megtörtént a *elektromos áram* végleges bekötése, és elkezdődött a *szívárgó rendszer* építése az épület körül.

Dokumentációs központunkban, francia és magyar gyakornokok segítségével, folytatódott a sajtóanyagok feldolgozása, azonban ezen a területen az év legjelentősebb eseménye *október 9-én a Fejtő Ferenc Könyvtár hivatalos megnyitója* volt, melyet Franciaország budapesti nagykövete *Őexcellenciája Dominique de Combes de Nayves úr* avatott fel ünnepélyes keretek között ...

... Egyéb kulturális tevékenységeink és terveink 2004-re

Szeretnénk a kastélyt a nagyközönség és az iskolások részére, a dokumentációs központot pedig a kutatók számára egyre nyitottabbá tenni. (Látogatóink száma 2002-ben elérte az 1.505-öt, 2003-ban pedig a 3.663 főt!) Vendégszobáink lehetővé teszik, hogy a hangversenyeket követően az érdeklődők számára, illetve lelkigyakorlatozó vagy egyéb kisebb bentlakásos csoportok részére szállást biztosítsunk. ...

.... Amíg saját internetes honlapunk elkészül, addig is a *Kulturális Találkozó Központok Hálózatának* honlapján megtekinthetők az információk (<http://www.accr-europe.org>).



b. World Congress of the International Council for Central and East European Studies (ICCEES) Theme: „Europe – Our Common Home?“ will take place in Berlin, Germany, from July 25th to 30th 2005.

The ICCEES is the umbrella organisation of all scientific communities dealing with the subject of Central and East European studies. The world congress is the most important scientific event in this field of research. The congress takes place every five years hosted by a different country. About 2000 scholars, experts and people interested in Eastern Europe are expected to participate in the conference in Berlin. The ICCEES commissioned the German Society for East European Studies (DGO) to organise the world congress in 2005. With its more than 850 members the DGO is an important network of experts in East European Studies. Since 1913, it serves as a renowned forum for the dialogue between east and west and the inquiry in and discussion of the political, economic and cultural developments in Eastern Europe.

The subjects of the World Congress „Europe – Our Common Home?“ are the chances and perspectives of the enlarged Europe with its ten more member states, the integration of the „new neighbours“, and the common political and economic visions for a Europe that integrates the Eastern part of the continent. Some 15 years after the change of regime in the countries of Central and East Europe, the International Programme Committee (IPC) wants to offer all interested persons an opportunity to study the state of the continent concerning all aspects of European integration processes. It takes into regard that some countries from the former Eastern Bloc will already have joined the European Union. How far has the idea of a „common home Europe“ has already been realised? Which are the new common features and values within Europe, and where are new divides?

We would like to invite you to contribute to the congress especially with proposals for panels and roundtables, but also with proposals for individual papers. The proposals should show results of new research in all fields and disciplines in the study of Central and Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union. Registration forms for panels, roundtables and individual papers can be found on the ICCEES webpage <http://www.iccees2005.de>. The deadline for proposals is **February 29th 2004** and proposals must be submitted in electronic form only. The proposals must be submitted in English, regardless of the language of the panels during the congress.

Thanking you in advance for your contribution to the success of the world congress,
I remain,

Yours sincerely,

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