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To: IUVSTA Officers, Councillors, Alternate Councillors, Chairs of Committees and Divisions

Re: ECM 132, Friday 20th - Sunday 22th March, 2020 at Novotel Annecy Centre, Annecy, France.

Dear colleagues,

I hereby invite you to attend ECM-132 which will be held from March 20th to March 22th, 2020 at Novotel Annecy Centre, Annecy, France.

As always, we have to worry about the quorum requirements for an IUVSTA Executive Council meeting which are quite strict. I strongly request all Councillors and/or Alternate Councillors to fill the proxy form and to send it to me (with a copy to Prof. C. Eisenmenger-Sittner, Secretary General) in electronic form via email to safeguard our obtaining a quorum. The proxy form will be cancelled if the Councillor or Alternate Councillor attends the meeting. Please note that proxies can only be given to Councillors, Alternate Councillors and Officers.

Draft schedule and agenda will be distributed and posted soon on the IUVSTA web site. Note that extra scientific and technological activities are also offered to the participants (provided they register in advance): a visit at the Research Laboratory under the Louvre Museum on Thursday March 19, 2020 in Paris and a visit at the Pfeiffer Company in Annecy on Friday 20, 2020 in the morning.

ECM-132 will be the first operative meeting of this triennium. All Committees and Divisions will deal with the planning of all the activities for the present period: discussion about new workshops and schools, new long range planning and educational initiatives, etc. In addition the venue of ECM-134 has to be decided!

Attendance at ECM-132 is very important indeed, thus I look forward to seeing you in Annecy.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Galtayries', with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Anouk Galtayries
IUVSTA President