

CLAS SPEAKER COMMITTEE

Representatives:

Annalisa D'Angelo Hadron Spectroscopy

Carlos Muñoz Comacho Deep Processes

Lamiaa El Fassi Nuclear Physics

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Alternates:

Steffen Strauch Hadron Spectroscopy

Michel Garçon Deep Processes

Nathan Baltzell Nuclear Physics

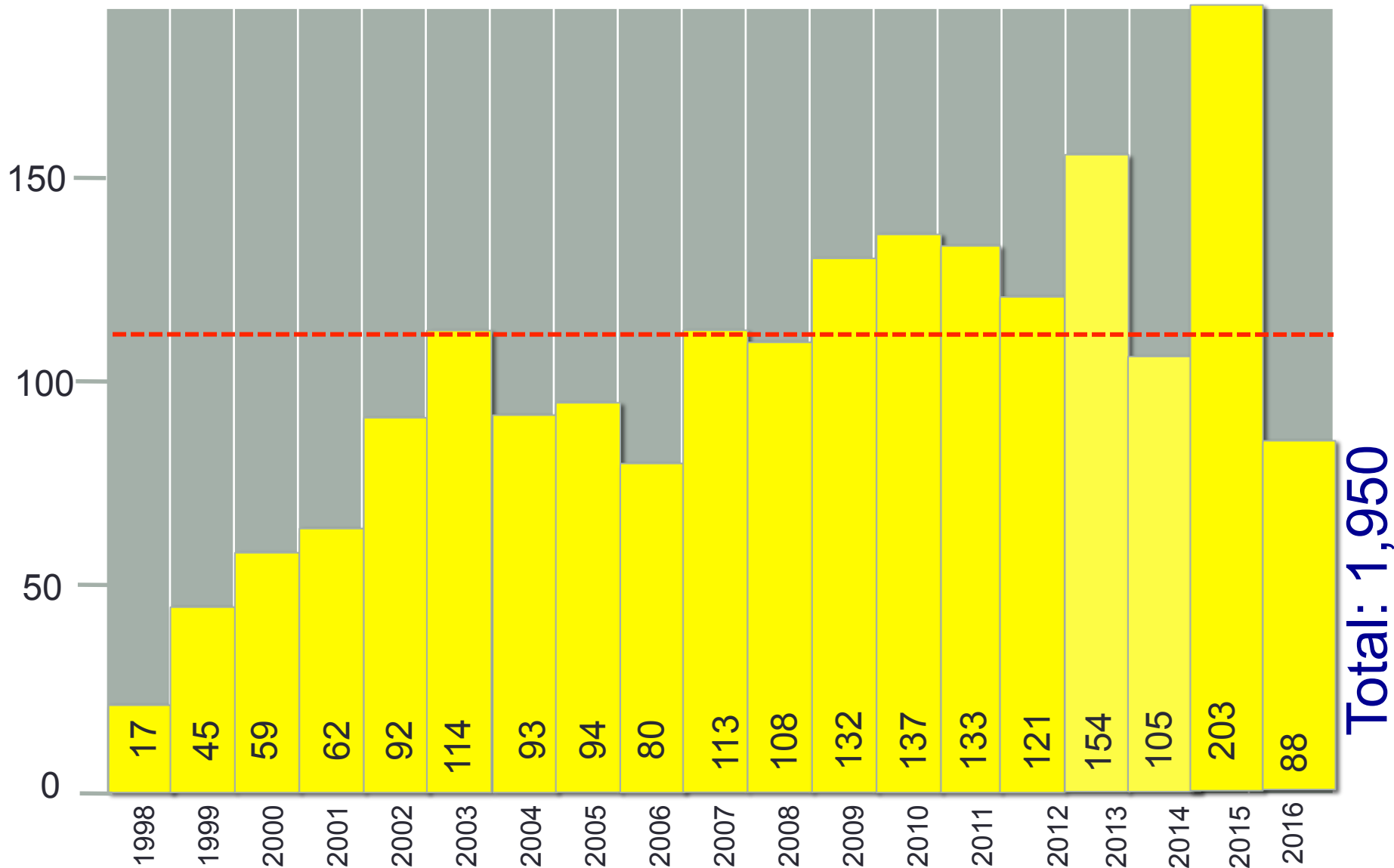
Bryan McKinnon At Large 1

Yordanka Ilieva At large 2

Chair: Annalisa D'Angelo

Secretary: Lamiaa El Fassi

Conference presentations



On-going Activities

1. **Collect** speakers requests/notifications and approve/update them on a **weekly basis**
2. **Update** list of upcoming Conferences on a **monthly basis**
3. **Promote** invitations from Conference Organizers
 - ✓ **Table of Topics suggested** to Conference Organizers
4. **Assign** invited talks to **appropriate CLAS speakers**
5. **Check** past conferences website for not notified/approved talks:
 - ✓ **stimulate** post-submission request/notification
 - ✓ **insert talk** in the database as not notified/approved if no reply is received
6. **Upload talks** in the database
7. **Review** Conference proceedings in **one week timeline**

How are we doing ?

Great work has been done by Lamiaa 88 talks in the database in 2016

—————→ **projected total above average**

How are we improving ?

1. Bi-weekly meetings: Tuesdays at 12:00

continuous activity over the year

2. Promote speakers invitation of collaborators

✓ **List of conferences** to contact to promote speakers invitation

✓ **Send letters to conference organizers** including suggested topics for talks

✓ **Find the appropriate CLAS speaker** for the invited talks

10 Conference contacted since February

5 replied

6 Invited speakers

3. CSC meeting not overlapping with membership committee

What do we need to improve ?

✓ **Need to contact conferences at earlier stages to promote CLAS invited talks – CLAS IAC members could be of help**

✓ **Database of topics and speakers – improved contacts with PWG chairs**

How can you help us?

Encountered problems that are improving

- ✓ High fraction of talks are not notified **30% in 2015 – 25% in 2016**
- ✓ Unpleasant response to solicitations by some speakers – **None in the last six months**

Encountered problems that still need more collaboration

- ✓ Low number of conference proceedings submitted for review
3 in 2016

If you are informed of an upcoming conference at early stage
(one year in advance) **please tell us!**