

## EDITORIAL

A number of Irish institutes have changed status and become full universities. More accurately, they have ceased to exist as independent bodies, and have been absorbed into new ones. This is reflected in the institutional affiliations listed for some of the Society's officers, where new acronyms appear. The process has been underway for a couple of years, and may continue. For the benefit of members who may not be aware of this, here are some details:

ATU is the *Atlantic Technological University*, with campuses in Donegal, Sligo, Mayo and Galway. It incorporates the former Sligo IT, Letterkenny IT and Galway-Mayo IT. MTU is *Munster Technological University*, which has six campuses in Cork and Kerry. Its formation involved a merger of Cork IT and Tralee IT, and the end of their separate existence and acronyms.

SETU is the *South-East Technological University*, with campuses in Waterford and Carlow. It embraces the resources of the former Waterford IT and Carlow IT.

TUD is *Technological University Dublin*, with campuses in Dublin and Kildare, including all resources of the former Dublin IT.

TUS is the *Technological University of the Shannon: Midwest*, with six campuses in Westmeath, Tipperary, Limerick and Clare.

This year's Annual Scientific Meeting will be held at TUD on 1 and 2 September. Website: <https://www.tudublin.ie/mathematics/ims-2022>.

The IMS Committee shared the common distress and sympathy with Ukraine, and put a message on our webpage, and cancelled plans to support travel to the ICM. The International Mathematical union decided to cancel the St Petersburg event, and proceed with the International Congress as a virtual event, free to all. To participate in the meeting, from 6-14 July, register at <https://www.mathunion.org/>.

The document *ICM 2022 Section Descriptions*

[https://www.mathunion.org/fileadmin/IMU/Publications/CircularLetters/2019-2020/IMU%20A0%20CL%2012\\_2020\\_ICM2022\\_structure.pdf](https://www.mathunion.org/fileadmin/IMU/Publications/CircularLetters/2019-2020/IMU%20A0%20CL%2012_2020_ICM2022_structure.pdf), prepared by an advisory committee of the IMU, gives a useful up-to-date outline summary of the current state of research right across the whole discipline.

We remind meeting organisers that the normal deadline for reports to the Bulletin is 15 December for the Winter issue.

Correction: In Bulletin 88, on page 87, the solution to problem 86.3 was given, but was mistakenly labelled as the solution to problem 85.3.

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