

COMMISSION INTERNATIONALE  
DE L'ENSEIGNEMENT MATHÉMATIQUE  
(THE INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION  
ON MATHEMATICAL INSTRUCTION)

**Call for nominations for the 2017 ICMI Felix Klein  
and Hans Freudenthal awards**

Since 2003, the International Commission on Mathematical Instruction (ICMI) awards biannually two awards to recognize outstanding accomplishments in mathematics education research: the Felix Klein Medal and the Hans Freudenthal Medal.

<http://www.mathunion.org/icmi/activities/awards/introduction/>

The Klein and Freudenthal Awards Committee consists of a chair (Professor Anna Sfard) nominated by the President of ICMI, and five other members who remain anonymous until their terms have come to an end. The Committee is at this time entering the 2017 cycle of selecting awardees and welcomes nominations for the two awards from individuals or groups of individuals in the mathematics education community.

See practical information at

<http://www.mathunion.org/icmi/activities/awards/call-for-awards-2017/>

All nominations must be sent no later than 15 April 2017.

**The USA–Finland workshop**

The U.S. National Commission on Mathematics Instruction in collaboration with the University of Helsinki held a Workshop on Supporting Mathematics Teachers and Teaching in the United States and Finland a few months ago. The bilateral meeting of U.S. and Finnish mathematics educators was held August 1–2 at the University of Helsinki in Helsinki, Finland and was attended by 30 experts from both nations, and approximately 70 international experts virtually. The workshop was sponsored by Åbo Akademi University, Högskolestiftelsen i Österbotten, the National Science Foundation, and Svensk-Österbottniska samfundet.

Videos of the workshop sessions, presentations (in PDF format for download), and background readings are now available at [http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/biso/ICMI/PGA\\_173314](http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/biso/ICMI/PGA_173314).

## The 69th CIEAEM Conference

The 69th Conference of the Commission Internationale pour l'Étude et l'Amélioration de l'Enseignement des Mathématiques (International Commission for the Study and Improvement of Mathematics Teaching) will take place on July 15–19, 2017, at the Freie Universität Berlin, Germany.

The theme of the event is “Mathematisation: Social process & didactic principle”.

The Call for Papers will be distributed in December 2016. For more details, see [www.cieaem.org](http://www.cieaem.org).

## ICME 14 updates and ICME 15 call for intentions to bid

The next International Congress on Mathematical Education ICME 14 will be held in Shanghai on July 12–19, 2020, see <http://www.icme14.org> and watch for upcoming announcements and further information.

ICMI calls for intentions to bid for ICME 15 to be held in July 2024. Mathematics Education and/or Mathematics Associations of the hosting country are invited to consider hosting the Congress.

Important dates :

- Preliminary declaration of intention of presenting a bid to act as host for ICME-15 should be received by the Secretary-General of ICMI ([abraham.arcavi@weizmann.ac.il](mailto:abraham.arcavi@weizmann.ac.il)) by December 1st, 2017.
- Firm bids should reach the Secretary-General by November 1st, 2018 (in 12 hard copies).

For further details please see :

[www.mathunion.org/icmi/conferences/icme-international-congress-on-mathematical-education/icme-15-2024/](http://www.mathunion.org/icmi/conferences/icme-international-congress-on-mathematical-education/icme-15-2024/)

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