

Secretariat work report of 6th Council

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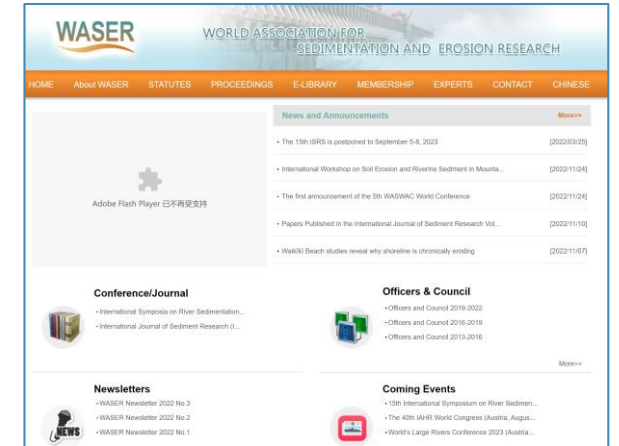
01 / ACTIVITIES DURING 2019-2022



1. WASER website and Newsletter

➤ WASER website

- ✓ WASER and erosion/sedimentation related news
- ✓ IJSR journal
- ✓ ISRS symposia, proceedings, related documents
- ✓ research papers



200 pieces of
news since
2019

27 issues of
Newsletter
since 2015

7 New Year
messages
since 2015

● 2. New members and membership fee

- **26** registered in the **14th ISRS** held in Chengdu 2019
- **8** registered in the **ICEC-2021** held in Shanghai

New
members
recruiting

- **USD 1735** during 2019-2022

Total
received
membership
fees

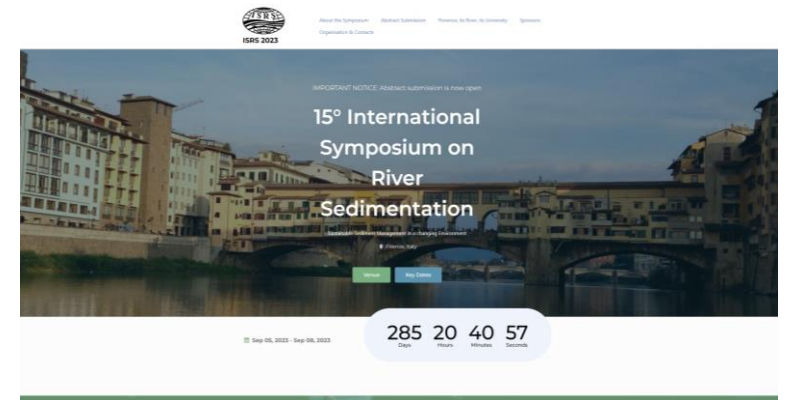
- More than **200** experts from **40** countries and regions

WASER
Community

3. Technical support for the ISRS

15th ISRS

- Florence, Italy in 2023
- Provide technical support for the organization
- Distribute symposium announcement
- Provide mailing lists of previous symposia
- Organizing Chinese participants
- Provide suggestions and other help

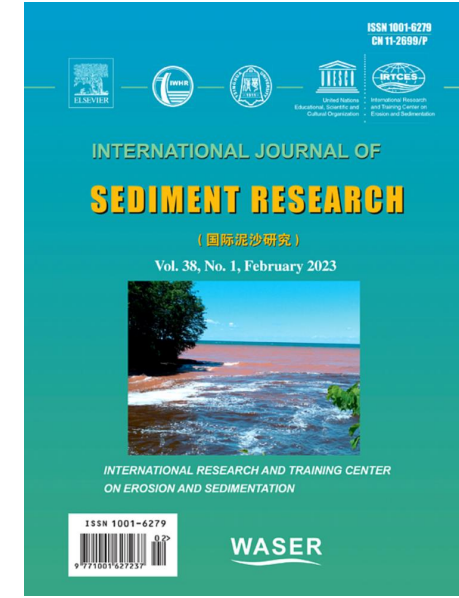


16th ISRS

- Omaha, USA has been selected as the venue

4. Technical support for the IJSR

- Organize the review process
- Recommend reviewers
- Distribute IJSR content lists
- Provide suggestions and other help



Impact
factor

2019

2.577

2020

2.902

2021

3.259

5. Support elections and awards

- Nomination and election of Officers and Council members
- Nomination of Honorary Members
- Nomination of papers and selection for IJSR awards

WASER WORLD ASSOCIATION FOR SEDIMENTATION AND EROSION RESEARCH
World Association for Sedimentation & Erosion Research - WASER

DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL
Election of Officers and Members of WASER Council 2022-2025

We, Guangquan Liu, and Cheng Liu, being the returning officers of WASER, do hereby give notice that the number of votes recorded for each Candidate in the said election was as follows.


No.	Name of Candidate	Country	Position	Votes
1	Habernack, Helmut	Austria	President	162
2	Dey, Subhash	India	Vice President	157
3	Lin, Cheng	China	Vice President	162
4	Wu, Weiming	USA	Vice President	162
5	Bello, Jay	The Netherlands	Council Member	154
6	Gilmore, Valentin	Brazil	Council Member	156
7	He, Qing	China	Council Member	162
8	Mahdavi, Behzad	New Zealand	Council Member	162
9	Minella, Jean	Brazil	Council Member	156
10	Selzer, Lisa	Italy	Council Member	162
11	van der Wal, Benjamin	South Africa	Council Member	161
12	Xu, Mengzhou	China	Council Member	157
Write-in	Patterson, Daniel	UK	Vice President	1
Write-in	Sai, Jingsi	Canada	Council Member	2
Write-in	Mouat, Mohamed	Algeria	Council Member	1
Write-in	Aswathi, K. K.	India	Council Member	1

Total Ballot papers: 200 Valid Ballot papers: 164 Turnout: 82%

Each of the nominated candidates listed on the slate obtained very strong support from the voting members 16 - 91 - 99 % of possible votes. Four additional candidates were suggested by individual voters.

We do hereby declare that the twelve above-mentioned Officers and Members of the WASER Council for 2022-2025 are duly elected.

Dated May 16, 2022

Guangquan LIU, Secretary General Cheng LIU, Executive Secretary General

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6. Support co-organized or co-sponsored conferences and training



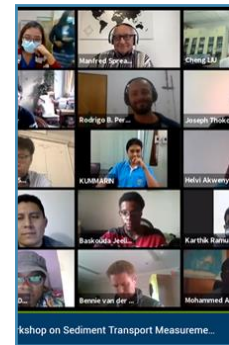
7th International Conference on Estuaries and Coasts (Shanghai China, October 18-21, 2021)



4th World's Large River Conference (August 21 online)



IAHS/ICCE International Symposium on River Sediment Quality and Quantity (Bydgoszcz, Poland, Oct. 17-21, 2022)



UNESCO-ISI Online Training Workshop on Sediment Transport Measurement and Monitoring (July 5-9, 2021 onsite and online)

● 7. Daily routine work and domestic administrative affairs



02 / ACTIVITIES PLANNED 2022-2025

WASER

1. Sponsorship or co-sponsorship of international activities

15th ISRS	University of Florence and the University of Padua, Florence, Italy, 2023
16th ISRS	University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Omaha, USA, 2025
17th ISRS	Venue to be decided prior to 16th ISRS
8th ICEC	Quebec City, Canada, 2024

Other international conferences/workshops

● 2. Participation in relevant international initiatives



WASER should continue its efforts to strengthen cooperation with UNESCO, IAHR, IAHS, World Bank, IHA, WASWAC and ICOLD, and to actively participate in IHP with a focus on ISI, IFI, IDI, WLRI and FRIEND etc.

3. Improved information sharing

Share erosion and sedimentation related news, information, technical publications and other materials through the Association's website and newsletters among WASER members and the sediment community.

The image displays two overlapping screenshots of the WASER (World Association for Sedimentation and Erosion Research) website and its newsletter.

The top screenshot shows the website's header with the WASER logo and the full name of the association. Below the header is a navigation menu with links: HOME, About WASER, STATUTES, PROCEEDINGS, E-LIBRARY, MEMBERSHIP, EXPERTS, CONTACT, and CHINESE. A 'News and Announcements' button is visible on the left. The main content area lists recent news items, including the postponement of the 15th ISRS and an international workshop on soil erosion.

The bottom screenshot shows the cover of the 'WASER NEWSLETTER', Volume 2022 No. 3, dated September 25, 2022. The cover features the title 'World Association for Sedimentation & Erosion Research – WASER' and 'NEWSLETTER' in large blue letters. Below the title, it says 'Reporting WASER news to you regularly'. The cover also includes a table of contents for the issue, listing news items and publications.

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HOME About WASER STATUTES PROCEEDINGS E-LIBRARY MEMBERSHIP EXPERTS CONTACT CHINESE

News and Announcements

News and Announcements Home >> News and Announcements

- The 15th ISRS is postponed to September 5-8, 2023 [2022-03-25]
- International Workshop on Soil Erosion and Riverine Sediment in Mountainous Regions was held success... [2022-11-24]

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World Association for Sedimentation & Erosion Research – WASER

NEWSLETTER

Reporting WASER news to you regularly

2022 No. 3
(Sept. 25, 2022)

IN THIS ISSUE

世界泥沙研究学会简报

本期内容

News

- A new river-specific international journal launched 1
- Publication of the CIS document "Integrated sediment management – Guidelines and good practices in the context of the Water Framework Directive" 1
- Pakistan and China collaborate to protect the Indus Delta against climate change 2
- Recent drop in Lake Powell's storage shows how much space sediment is taking up 3
- Soil erosion keeps declining in China 4
- How the world's rivers are changing 4

Publications

- Papers Published in IJSR, Volume 37, No. 5, 2022 6

新闻

- 新英文学术期刊《江河》发行 1
- 出版物《综合泥沙管理——“水框架指令”下的指南和良好实践》 1
- 中巴两国合作应对气候变化保护印度河三角洲 2
- 鲍威尔水库储量的下降表明泥沙淤积占用了多少库容 3
- 中国土壤侵蚀持续下降 4
- 世界江河正在发生怎样的变化? 4

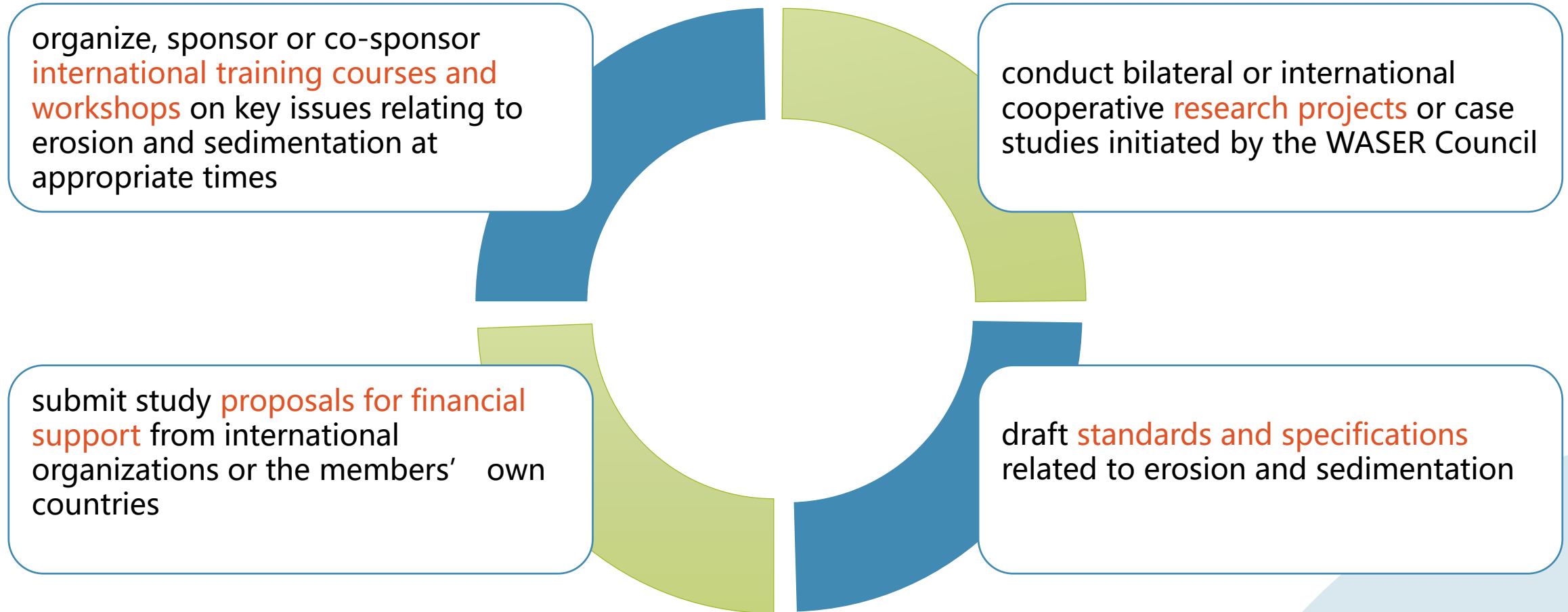
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● 4. Improve the quality of the IJSR journal

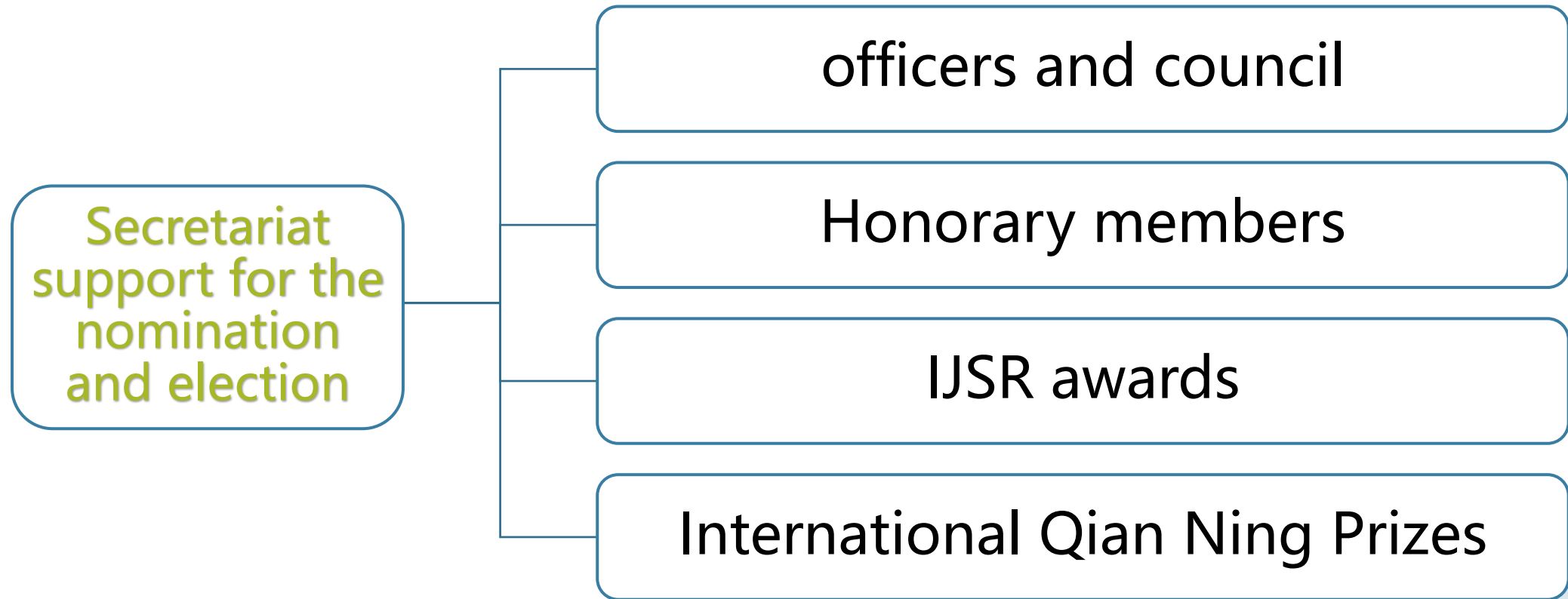
- ◆ Official journal of WASER
- ◆ Sponsored by the IRTCES and WASER
- ◆ Encourage members to submit high-quality manuscripts
- ◆ Expand influence and increase its impact factor



● 5. Training courses, workshop and research project organization

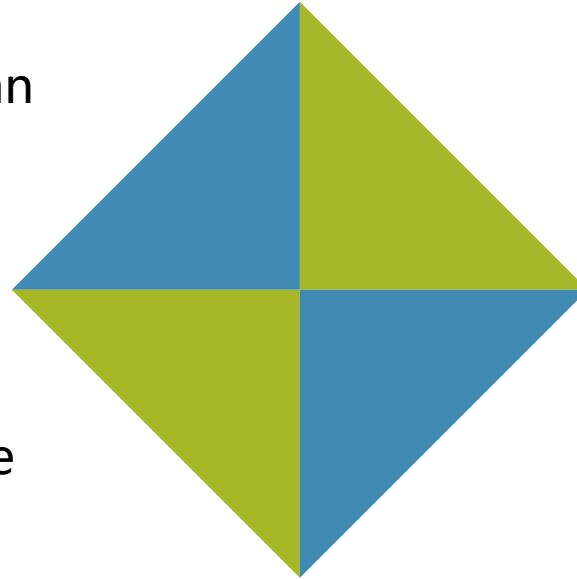


● 6. Council elections, prize and awards



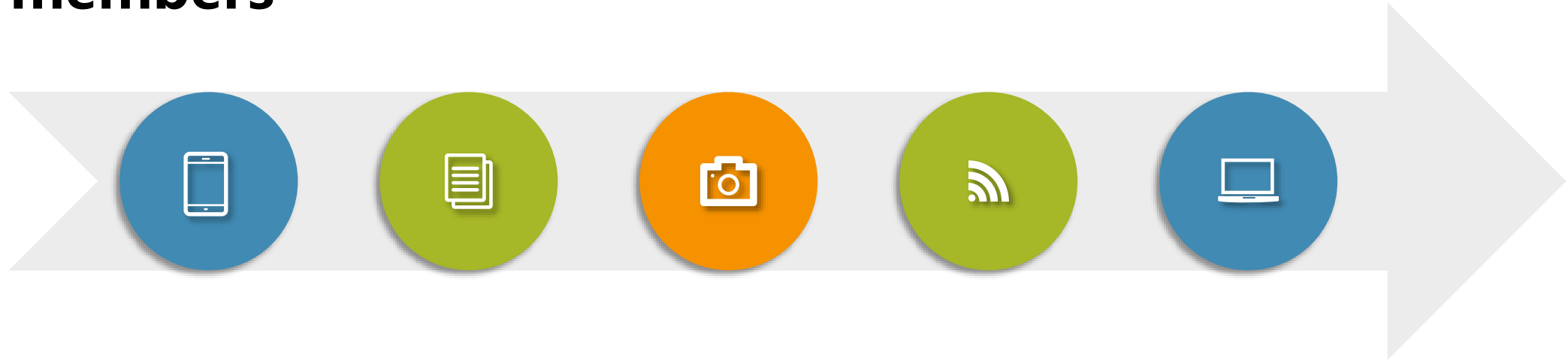
7. New members recruiting

- Council members, existing members, secretariat make an effort to publicize WASER



- Symposia sponsored or co-sponsored by WASER provide 10% discount on registration fees for members
- On-site services for membership registration and information dissemination provided
- Recognition given to those who demonstrate outstanding achievements in recruiting new members

8. Close communicating among council members



Telephone calls

E-mails

**Postal
correspondence**

**Internet
conferences**

WeChat groups

Faxes

● 9. Fund raising

At present

- Contribution from IRTCES/IWHR and Chinese Government

In the future

- Seek to obtain international financial support
- Make use of the corporate expertise of members to generate funds

More financial resources for the Association are needed, in order to build a more influential and stronger association

Thanks!