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- 1962 – Salzburg AUSTRIA



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The 1st Board of the ISRM (1962-1966)

President – Leopold Müller

Vice-Presidents – Hans Leussink

Mario Pancini

Treasurer – Ernst von Gottstein

Secretary – Johann Scheiblaue

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- 1966 – Lisbon PORTUGAL



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The 2nd Board of the ISRM (1966-1970)

President – Manuel M. Rocha

1st Vice-President – William R. Judd (Vice-President for N America)

Vice-President for Africa – Hans G. Denkhauß

Vice-President for Asia – Minoru Yoshida

Vice-President for Australasia – Lance A. Endersbee

Vice-President for Europe – Armin von Moos

Vice-President for S America – António J. da Costa Nunes

Secretary-General – Fernando de Mello Mendes (until 1968)

1968) Ricardo A. M. de Oliveira (since 6

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- 1970 – Belgrade YUGOSLAVIA



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The 3rd Board of the ISRM (1970-1974)

President – Leonard A. Obert

1st Vice-President – Donald F. Coates (Vice-President for N America)

Vice-President for Africa – A. Chaoui

Vice-President for Asia – Boris Aisenstein

Vice-President for Australasia – John C. Jaeger (until 1972)

(since 1972) Alan J. Hargraves

Vice-President for Europe – Branislav Kujundžić

Vice-President for S America – Victor de Mello

Secretary-General – Ricardo A. M. de Oliveira 8

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- 1974 – Denver CO USA



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The 4th Board of the ISRM (1974-1979)

President – Pierre Habib
1st Vice-President – Emanuele Fumagalli (Vice-President for Europe)
Vice-President for Africa – Zdzislaw T. Bieniawski
Vice-President for Asia – Yoshio Hiramatsu
Vice-President for Australasia – Alan J. Hargraves
Vice-President for N America – John W. Handin
Vice-President for S America – Milton A. Kanji
Secretary-General – Arnaldo Silvério

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- 1979 – Montreux SWITZERLAND



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The 5th Board of the ISRM (1979-1983)

President – Walter Wittke
1st Vice-President – T.C. Atchison (Vice-President for N America)
Vice-President for Africa – A. Chaoui
Vice-President for Asia – Minoru Yoshida
Vice-President for Australasia – William E. Bamford
Vice-President for Europe – Santiago Uriel Romero
Vice-President for S America – Oreste Moretto
Secretary-General – Arnaldo Silvério

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- 1983 – Melbourne Vic. AUSTRALIA



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The 6th Board of the ISRM (1983-1987)

President – Edwin T. Brown

1st Vice-President – Sten A.G. Bjurström (Vice-President for Europe)

Vice-President for Africa – Horst Wagner

Vice-President for Asia – Tan Tjong-Kie

Vice-President for Australasia – William E. Bamford

Vice-President for N America – Arturo Bello
Maldonado

Vice-President for S America – Fernando H. Tinoco

Secretary-General – Nuno F. Grossmann

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- 1987 – Montréal QC CANADA



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The 7th Board of the ISRM (1987-1991)

President – John A. Franklin

1st Vice-President – Marc Panet (Vice-President for Europe)

Vice-President for Africa – Oskar K.H. Steffen

Vice-President for Asia – S.L. Mokhashi (until 1988)
T. Ramamurthy (since 1988)

Vice-President for Australasia – Ian W. Johnston

Vice-President for N America – James H. Coulson

Vice-President for S America – Carlos Dinis da Gama

Vice-President at Large – Eugeny J. Shemyakin (since 1988)
Shun-suke Sakurai (since 1988)

Secretary-General – José G. Charrua Graça (until 1990)
José Delgado Rodrigues (since 1990)

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- 1991 – Aachen GERMANY FR



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The 8th Board of the ISRM (1991-1995)

President – Charles Fairhurst
 1st Vice-President – Ove Stephansson (Vice-President for Europe)
 Vice-President for Africa – T. Richard Stacey
 Vice-President for Asia – Koichi Sassa
 Vice-President for Australasia – Michael J. Pender
 Vice-President for N America – Peter K. Kaiser
 Vice-President for S America – Oskar A. Vardé
 Vice-President at Large – Richard Widmann
 Secretary-General – José Delgado Rodrigues

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- 1995 – Makuhari (Tokyo) JAPAN



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The 9th Board of the ISRM (1995-1999)

President – Shun-suke Sakurai
 1st Vice-President – Herbert H. Einstein (Vice-President for N America)
 Vice-President for Africa – Nielen van der Merwe
 Vice-President for Asia – Ou Chin-Der
 Vice-President for Australasia – Garry R. Mostyn
 Vice-President for Europe – Giovanni Barla
 Vice-President for S America – Michel L. van Sint Jan
 Vice-President at Large – John A. Hudson
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 Secretary-General – José Delgado Rodrigues

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- 1999 – Paris FRANCE



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The 10th Board of the ISRM (1999-2003)

President – Marc Panet

1st Vice-President – Chris M. Haberfield (Vice-President for Australasia)

Vice-President for Africa – Güner Gürtunca

Vice-President for Asia – Chung In-Lee

Vice-President for Europe – Pekka Särkkä

Vice-President for N America – Alfredo Sanchez Gomez (until 2001)

Ronald Steiger (from 2001 to 2002)

François Heuzé (since 2002)

Vice-President for S America – Euripedes Vargas Jr

Vice-President at Large – Satochi Hibino

Wulf Schubert (since 2001)

Secretary-General – José Delgado Rodrigues

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- 2003 – Sandton (Johannesburg) S AFRICA



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The 11th Board of the ISRM (2003-2007)

President – Nielen van der Merwe

1st Vice-President – Claus Erichsen (Vice-President for Europe)

Vice-President for Africa – Martin J. Pretorius

Vice-President for Asia – Zhao Jian

Vice-President for Australasia – John St George

Vice-President for N America – François Heuzé

Vice-President for S America – Eda Freitas de Quadros

Vice-President at Large – Luís Ribeiro e Sousa
Qian Qihu

Secretary-General – Luís M. Nolasco Lamas

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- 2007 – Lisbon PORTUGAL



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The 12th Board of the ISRM (2007-2011)

- President – John A. Hudson
- 1st Vice-President – Nuno F. Grossmann (Vice-President for Europe)
- Vice-President for Africa – D. François Malan
- Vice-President for Asia – Abdolhadi Ghazvinian
- Vice-President for Australasia – Anthony Meyers
- Vice-President for N America – C. Derek Martin
- Vice-President for S America – Álvaro J. Gonzales Garcia
- Vice-President at Large – Claus Erichsen
Feng Xia-Ting
- Secretary-General – Luís M. Nolasco Lamas

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- 2011 – Beijing CHINA



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The 13th Board of the ISRM (2011-2015)

President – Feng Xia-Ting

1st Vice-President – António Samaniego (Vice-President for S America)

Vice-President for Africa – Jacques Lucas

Vice-President for Asia – Zhou Yingxin

Vice-President for Australasia – David Beck

Vice-President for Europe – Frédéric Pellet

Vice-President for N America – John Tinucci

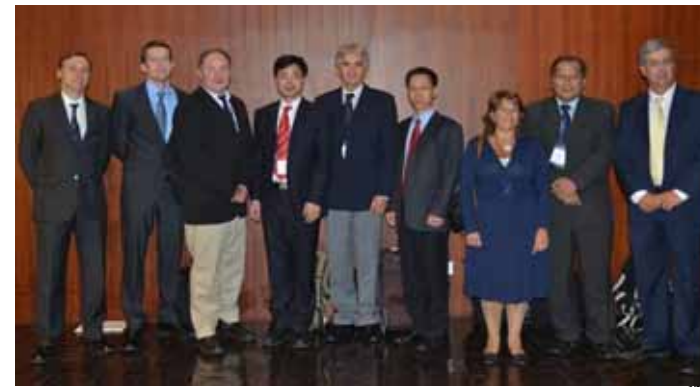
Vice-President at Large – Yuzo Ohnishi

Ivan Vrkljan

Secretary-General – Luís M. Nolasco Lamas

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- 2015 – Montréal QC CANADA



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