

**INTERNATIONAL PURCHASING AND SUPPLY EDUCATION AND RESEARCH ASSOCIATION
WELCOME TO THE AUGUST 2014 NEWSLETTER**



Dear IPSERA members,

I am pleased to send you the August 2014 edition of our newsletter. It includes reports on recent events and announcements of ones to come. I hope you will find items of interest.

Members of the executive committee also provide various updates, including on changes to the administration of the website, membership and conference registration. For my part, I'd just like to remind you to send me news, calls for papers, events flyers, announcements, etc to include in future newsletters and/or the website (l.knight2@aston.ac.uk)

Comments and feedback are most welcome – you'll find committee members' roles and contact details at the end of this email.

Louise Knight newsletter editor

PS please forward this email to colleagues who are not (yet!) members of the IPSERA who may be interested in joining our community.

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MESSAGE FROM IPSERA PRESIDENT

Dear IPSERA colleagues,

This is my first message as IPSERA president, and I am really looking forward to serving the IPSERA community for the next few years. I would like to express my thanks to my predecessor Prof Veli-Matti Virolainen, and I am pleased that he will remain on the committee to share his experience.

I would like to thank Prof Hannie Badenhorst and her team for organizing such a successful and unforgettable conference in South Africa. The white lions and gala dinner under the stars will stay in my mind as making an extra special IPSEERA conference. Highlights included the doctoral workshop, now run by Davide Luzzini who has taken over from Erik van Raij. We are very grateful for their excellent stewardship of this event. The first educators conference was run by Donna Marshall and Steve Kelly, and was a real success.

I would like to thank previous members of the executive committee. Peter Laurence, for his unerring support, Jakob Rehme for his sense of fun and long memory of previous discussions, and Boyana Petkova for her exceptional organisational and financial skills. You will all be sorely missed.

I would also like to welcome the following new members to the committee. Kai Foerstl is taking on research and bursaries and Stefano Ronchi is taking care of the website. Many thanks for joining the committee; it is going to be a pleasure working with you.

Looking forward, IPSEERA is being hosted in Amsterdam in 2015, and the website is now open. I am visiting Amsterdam this week, and the plans for the conference and venues look really good.

Looking forward to seeing you in Amsterdam

Helen

Prof Helen Walker

IPSEERA 2014 – A GREAT CONFERENCE AT AN AMAZING VENUE

The IPSEERA conference in April this year was truly memorable. As usual when the conference is held outside Europe, it was an opportunity to welcome many new participants. It also meant that some Europe-based conference regulars could not get there. For those who could not make it, here's a report on the conference (and for first timers, do read on – there's information on IPSEERA 2015 in Amsterdam – we hope to see you there too.)

IPSEERA: SOUTH AFRICA 13-16 APRIL 2014

"Will next year's conference be as good as South Africa?" this question was one of the closing remarks at this year's IPSEERA conference. IPSEERA South Africa was definitely completely different to the European city venue delegates have become accustomed to. Delegates enjoyed the bush atmosphere at a lodge in the Waterberg district of South Africa.

More than 200 delegates representing 21 countries and a number of universities and organisations met in South Africa for the 23rd annual IPSEERA conference hosted by the University of South Africa (UNISA).

A total of 110 papers were received of which 96 were accepted for presentation. These papers reflected on the challenges that organisations in the private and public sectors worldwide face in current economic difficulties and the contribution innovative purchasing and supply management can make to improve value in organisations.

For the first time the IPSEERA conference included an educator's conference. Six papers were accepted for this conference, which included presentations and round-table discussions on the future of purchasing and education. The educator's conference was such a big success we foresee IPSEERA will become a four-day event in future. A special thank you to Donna Marshall and Stephen Kelly for this initiative. *(note from newsletter editor – and a big thank-you to UNISA for their generous sponsorship)*

Thank you also to Davide Luzzini and his team for taking care of the highly regarded PhD workshop and for all the discussants who were willing to participate in it. Feedback from the doctoral students indicated that it was a very rewarding experience.

BEST PAPER AWARDS On behalf of the 2014 organising committee we would like to congratulate all the authors whose papers were accepted for presentation at the conference. In particular we would like to congratulate the authors who received the best paper award, R. Sumo, W. van der Valk and A. van Weele for their paper entitled: *"The effects of performance-based contracts on incremental and radical innovation in inter-organisational relationships."* Also the authors who received the award for the best paper relevant to practice, PF. Johnson, A. Shafiq, A. Awaysheh; M. Leenders for their paper entitled: *"The impact of global sourcing on social responsible practices."*

The evening events were planned to specifically treat out international guest to an African experience. This included a BOMA evening with drumming, where the sounds of the White Lion roars' trumped all plans we

had for music the evening. Monday's evening event was a SHEBEEN-THEMED EVENING with vuvuzelas, a traditional South African braai and gumboot dancing. The conference was concluded with the gala dinner hosted in heart of the bush under African stars.

"It was the best conference ever," many said.

We would like to thank each and every one who came to South Africa and who made hosting the conference so rewarding and worthwhile. We wish the hosts of the 24th Annual Conference in the Netherlands the best of luck with their planning and we are looking forward to seeing you all in Amsterdam next year.

We have created a share folder on dropbox with all the conference photos. If you would like us to add you to this folder, please send an email to ipsera2014@unisa.ac.za

The 2014 organising committee

DOCTORAL WORKSHOPS 2014 AND 2015

The 2014 Ipsera Doctoral Workshop showed great participation. We had ten presenters as well as ten top faculty board members, plus several adjunct discussants from the IPSEIRA community. The feedback collected has been very positive but we are certainly working to make the DW even more useful for young scholars in purchasing and supply management. You can address any idea or request for the upcoming workshop in Amsterdam to Davide Luzzini (davide.luzzini@polimi.it). The conference website is online already, and we also invite all PhDs to the Ipsera LinkedIn sub-group (link: <https://www.linkedin.com/groups/IPSEIRA-Doctoral-Workshop-5161550/about>).

UPDATE ON EDUCATION MATTERS

IPSEIRA EDUCATOR'S CONFERENCE

The 1st **IPSEIRA Educator's Conference in 2014** in South Africa was a great success. Thank you to all who took part especially the co-chair Steve Kelly and our keynote speaker Rene Pellisier. We had over 50 people from 21 different countries taking part and inspiring talks from some of our most innovative educators. We also held two workshops on topics for education research and the challenges of purchasing and supplier management education. We are now looking for contributions to the **forthcoming book** from the conference - 'The Future of Supply Chain Management - The Sky is the Limit'. If you are interested in contributing please let us know.

We have launched the **IPSEIRA Educator's Conference 2015** website <http://www.ipsera2015.com/index.php/educators-conference/> and we would be delighted to review your papers for the conference. The deadlines are the same as for the main conference and papers can include but are not limited to topics such as:

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| -Purchasing and supplier education | -Small group teaching |
| -Challenges in purchasing and supplier education | -Assessment |
| -Best practices in teaching and education | -Teaching theory |
| -Innovation in teaching and education | -Skills-based teaching |
| -Challenges for educating supplier managers | -Problem-based teaching |
| -Continuing professional development | -Undergraduate teaching |
| -Class management | -Postgraduate teaching |
| -Interaction and discussion in class | -Professional development teaching |
| -Managing large groups | |

EDUCATION STRATEGY

Also I am hoping to solicit your ideas for our **Education Strategy**. As education is such a pivotal part of what we do IPSEIRA would like to develop an education strategy that serves the needs of our community. Your views and opinions will help to shape the strategy and provide us with a vision for the future of education in IPSEIRA.

IPSERA NODES ACTIVITIES

WORKSHOP ON PERFORMANCE BASED CONTRACTING

On July 7th and 8th an IPSERA nodes workshop took place at Bundeswehr University Munich. It was co-organized by Jens Roehrich, University of Bath, Kostas Selviaridis, Lund University, Andreas Glas and Michael Essig from Bundeswehr University Munich. More than 20 people from all over Europe discussed various aspects of Performance Based Contracting (PBC).

Nine presentations were given, topics ranging from the role of time in PBC to the development from product through service and solution to performance have been discussed, always introduced by a discussant. The participants agreed that there will be follow-up actions, the next step is the Special Issue of Industrial Marketing Management on PBC. The CFP can be found on the web: <http://www.journals.elsevier.com/industrial-marketing-management/calls-for-papers/performance-based-contracting/>

HORIZON 2020: EU RESEARCH FUNDING

Horizon 2020 is the EU's latest Research and Innovation programme – worth nearly €80 billion for the period 2014-2020 (see <http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/en>).

Many people responded to Michael Henke and Alessandro Ancarini's call (via email June 20) for expressions of interest from colleagues interested in forming an IPSERA related consortium. Michael and Alessandro are currently clustering responses and will provide an overview soon.

UPDATE FROM EDITORS OF JOURNAL OF PURCHASING & SUPPLY MANAGEMENT

BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The *Journal of Purchasing & Supply Management* (JPSM) held its annual board meeting at the 23rd Annual IPSERA Conference in South Africa on April 13, 2014. During the meeting we provided an overview of the journal's performance and directions moving forward. Overall, during 2013 we received 181 submissions and had a 12% acceptance rate. Approximately half of all submissions came from scholars in European Universities. Further, we are continuing to receive additional contributions and interest from other parts of the world, especially Asia, who provided 38% of all submissions during 2013. Our goal as a journal is to continue publishing managerially relevant, methodologically rigorous research that advances knowledge in purchasing and supply management practice and phenomenon.

In addition, during the 2014 IPSERA conference we recognized the best paper and best reviewer for 2013. Dr. Christoph Bode from the University of Mannheim was recognized as the best reviewer for JPSM, and the manuscript "*The Ugly Twins': Failed Low-Wage Country Sourcing Projects and Their Expensive Replacements*" by Phillip Horn, Holger Schiele, and Welf Werner was selected as the best paper for 2013. We wish to congratulate the award winners for their work and contributions to the journal and thank all of the contributors to the *Journal of Purchasing & Supply Management* for their dedicated work in advancing the mission of the journal.

NEW JOURNAL METRICS

Elsevier Publishers recently released their journal metrics for 2013 based on data from SCOPUS. The *Journal of Purchasing & Supply Management* is proud to announce that the most recent metrics for 2013 are as follows: Source Normalized Impact per Paper (SNIP) – 1.385; SCImago Journal Rank (SJR) – 0.924; Impact Factor – 1.609. We would like to thank the editorial board, reviewers, and authors for their work and contributions, which have been instrumental in attaining greater overall worldwide recognition for the journal. Further information associated with journal metrics can be found at (www.journalmetrics.com).

CALL FOR PAPERS – SPECIAL ISSUE ON 'NOVEL METHODS'

We invite manuscripts which deploy research perspectives, methodologies or techniques which are novel in purchasing and supply management (PSM) research. Novel can mean new to (or very rarely used in) PSM research, or it may refer to new combinations of established methods, or it could concern non-traditional perspectives in business scholarship more broadly.

Our goal is to publish a set of papers which both make a contribution to knowledge on their focal PSM topic and make a clear methodological contribution, providing insights for JPSM readers on research process, to promote further innovation in the field. The editorial policy of the Journal of Purchasing and Supply Management has always been methodologically inclusive. This diversity is welcomed and, through this special issue, is exactly what we wish to further promote.

The closing date for submissions is March 2, 2015. The Special Issue will be published in the latter part of 2016. Articles are published online as soon as they are accepted. The guest editors – Louise Knight, Aris Matopoulos, Jo Meehan, Asta Salmi & Wendy Tate – welcome enquiries. For their contact details and further information see the full call at the publisher's website:

<http://www.journals.elsevier.com/journal-of-purchasing-and-supply-management/call-for-papers/call-for-papers-breaking-the-mould-promoting-research-innova/>

COMMUNITY NEWS

PROFESSOR JOE MIEMCZYK VISITING VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY

The newly formed Department of Supply Chain Management and Analytics (<http://business.vcu.edu/scma.html>) at Virginia Commonwealth University, Richmond, Virginia, USA, proudly welcomes Dr. Joe Miemczyk from Audencia University, Nantes, France, as a visiting scholar for the 2014-2015 academic year. Professor Miemczyk will be working with Professor George Zsidisin and Executive-in-Residence Mr. David Berdish investigating socially sustainable supply chain management practices, issues and solutions in sub-Saharan African and other developing countries.

VACANCY AT ERASMUS UNIVERSITY, ROTTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS

Faculty position in Supply Chain Management / Procurement / Logistics / Operations Management

Rotterdam School of Management (RSM), Erasmus University, invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position (preferably at the Assistant Professor level) in the area of Supply Chain Management, Procurement, Logistics and/or Operations Management. We are explicitly looking for candidates with either one of the following two profiles:

1. A candidate who is an expert in analytical methods. This expertise could encompass deterministic or stochastic modelling, simulation, optimization, linear and integer programming.
2. A candidate who is an expert in empirical research methods. This expertise could encompass both large-scale (survey) research, small-scale (qualitative) research and experimental research designs, but also techniques and applications such as econometric analysis, analysis of secondary data, and meta-analysis.

Applicants should have (or expect to complete) a Ph.D. in Supply Chain Management, Logistics, Procurement, Operations Management, or a closely related field by Fall 2015. The candidate should have expertise in one of the areas of specific interest to our group:

- Transportation, distribution management, vehicle routing and scheduling
- Intralogistics (material handling, warehouse management, terminal operations)
- Procurement, sourcing, purchasing & supply management
- Behavioural logistics/operations/procurement
- Service logistics/operations/procurement
- Sustainable logistics/operations/procurement

Please send an e-mail to Dr. Erik van Raaij (eraaij@rsm.nl) for a full description of this job announcement.

UPCOMING EVENTS

PROCUREMENT IN HEALTH CARE: PRACTICE AND RESEARCH - VESZPRÉM

The Department of Supply Chain Management of the Faculty of Business and Economics of the University of Pannonia in Veszprém, in cooperation with the largest University Hospital of the Netherlands – the University Medical Centre of Groningen - and its Procurement Department will organize a special day on **Friday the 10th of October 2014**, reviewing both the state of the art of modern procurement *practice* in hospitals in Western-Europe in the morning and the latest *research findings* in Stakeholder dependent activities like Hospitals, Public Procurement, Humanitarian activities and the Hospitality sector in the afternoon.

Program 10th October: after the opening at 9.00 by the Dean of the Faculty of Business and Economics, Dr. **Lajos Szabó**, speakers will be Prof. Dr. **Dirk-Jan Kamann**, Research Professor at the University of Pannonia, Faculty of Business and Economics: *'Introduction: Shifting Forces'*, **Hans Bax** MBA, Procurement Manager of the UMCG and President of the Dutch Association of Purchasing Dept of Health Care (NEVI Zorg): *'Procurement at the UMCG: challenges and results'*, Prof. Dr. **Ning Qu** (Thorax Surgeon at Tianjin Chest Hospital, International Project Manager at UMCG and Chairman of Sino-European Medical Innovation and Co-operation (SEMICO) *'Sourcing in China for medical devices? Some results.'*, To be announced: *Practice in Hungary*

The afternoon will cover research contributions in procurement in sectors were typically various types of Stakeholders are important: examples we think of are the **health care sector, public sector, the hospitality sector and the humanitarian sector**. We welcome papers on results, proposals and new ideas. **Researchers and PhD students** will be invited to present their work. Expert researchers and practitioners will discuss their work and other new ideas that may arise. Interested practitioners are warmly welcomed to provide us with their views and experiences. Hopefully, a new international network will arise for future cooperation in this field.

The day will receive the support of the International Purchasing and Education Research Association (IPSERA). The costs of participating for will be kept low (max 10.000 ft or 35 euro for the morning; free for the afternoon).

Researchers and Doctoral candidates and Master students interested in attending and/or presenting their projects in the afternoon session should send an extended abstract (5-6 pages) latest by September 15, 2014 to kamann@gtk.uni-pannon.hu or dirkkamann@yahoo.ca. For attending the morning session only, please send an e-mail to the same e-mail address. Deadline for registration is 4th October, 2014.

Veszprém is a wonderful and very lively baroque city of about 66.000 inhabitants, just 125 km from Budapest and not far from Lake Balaton. Low cost carriers like WizzAir fly you from 35 euro return ticket (Eindhoven example) to Budapest. From there, a regular bus service or perhaps a courtesy bus – depending of the arrivals - will bring you to Veszprém. You can combine this Workshop with a wonderful week-end in one of the nicest cities in Europe: Budapest.

This Workshop aims to offer an opportunity to discuss an interesting topic and collect enough material for a special issue on this topic in a major scientific journal.

More information about the program: Prof. Dr. Dirk-Jan Kamann, University of Pannonia, Faculty of Business and Economics, Egyetem Utca 10, H-8200 Veszprém, Hungary, email **dirkkamann@yahoo.ca**

IPSERA 2015: UPDATE ON THE NEXT ANNUAL CONFERENCE

WELCOME TO IPSERA 2015 IN AMSTERDAM

We invite you to join us for the 2015 IPSERA Conference from Sunday 29 March to Wednesday 1 April 2015 in Amsterdam.

In good IPSERA tradition, on Sunday we will kick off with the Doctoral Seminar and the Educator's Conference. The main conference on Monday until Wednesday will be filled with exciting papers, presentations, and discussion panels. Contributions from academics and practitioners (on which we partner with) will form an intellectual buffet to delight everyone's taste. We are pleased to be partnering with the Dutch Purchasing Association, NEVI.

In addition to the daytime program, we offer a variety of social occasions to exchange inspiring ideas, laughter and creativity: the Opening Reception on Sunday in the Amsterdam Museum, a tour of the famous Amsterdam canals by boat followed by buffet dinner and drinks in the 'Zuiderkerk' on Monday, a Conference Dinner in the

beautiful and exquisite Marble Hall of the Royal Tropical Museum, and for those interested a Company visit on Wednesday afternoon.

Registration for the conference will be possible from 1st of October 2014 until 15th of March 2014. We have redesigned the review process to give participants 3 weeks more time for Working Papers after the Notification of the review. In addition, we have removed the submission of the short abstract which used to precede the submission of the Competitive Papers; this gives interested authors more time to prepare their submissions for the conference. Please observe the relevant deadlines and procedures for submitting abstracts (WP and PPs) and papers (CP and accepted WPs) on the conference website.

We provide various bursaries for PhD students that want to attend the Doctoral Workshop and the conference. Please point your talented PhD students to our conference website!

We also want to add a big Thank you. First, we are grateful to the more than 50 academics who were so kind to become part of our Scientific Committee. Second, we are delighted to find a sponsor – NEVI Zorg (Nevi Care) – for *three* additional bursaries in the field of Health Care or Wealth Care *and* another Best Paper award, with a focus on Health Care Procurement – that is, either procurement of Health Care or procurement in the Health Care sector.

Together, we all will hopefully have a great time, in all respects, in Amsterdam! Please check the web-site for more details www.ipsera2015.com

ADMINISTERING IPSERA

FUTURE CONFERENCES: BID BOOK AND CALL FOR EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The Committee has received several expressions of interest for hosting future conferences, and we are actively working with these colleagues to brief them and help them develop bids for further review. To help the process we have developed a bid book.

We welcome more expressions of interest. In the first instance, please contact Helen Walker (WalkerHL@cardiff.ac.uk).

WE WILL SOON HAVE A NEW WEBSITE, MEMBERSHIP & PAYMENT SYSTEM

IPSERA is proud to announce that from September, a new website will be online. The old one would have needed some major modifications to facilitate some features you might expect as a member of a professional organisation. Behind the scenes, the new facility will be much easier for us to update, and will allow us to integrate administration of the website and membership. The biggest innovation from members' point of view is that you will now have just one interface with IPSERA. This will make it much easier to follow our members and to create a real online community. For the upcoming conference in Amsterdam, we will make use of this new online registration and payment system.

This major overhaul of IPSERA systems and processes will provide several benefits

- It will be possible to pay by credit card and this will become the preferred mode of payment
- Registration and payment for the annual conference will be via the new website. Conference organizers will no longer need to set up and run a separate system.
- Organizers of other IPSERA events will also be able to use our new system for registration (free of charge) and payment handling (10 dollarcents per transaction). This is very convenient and very cheap!
- We will integrate membership and conference registration. The conference registration fee will include one year's membership.
- There will of course be an alternative subscription mechanism for those not attending the conference.

We are working on the final details of the transition and will tell you more soon.

ABOUT IPSERA

IPSERA'S MISSION STATEMENT

IPSERA acts as a platform for academics and practitioners to exchange ideas, stimulate discussions and reflect on concepts, theories and educational forms and methods in an open and friendly atmosphere. The topics discussed and issues raised should one way or another improve the professional quality of those active in the field of purchasing and supply.

WHY JOIN? HEAR FROM TWO NEW MEMBERS

From Anders Peder Lysholm Hansen, Ph.d. Student, Center for Industrial Production, Aalborg University, Denmark: Not only was it my first IPSERA conference but also my very first international conference. The conference was an amazing experience for me – the venue, food and parties were absolutely fantastic but more importantly, the atmosphere and interaction with my peers and senior researchers were uniquely positive and constructive. An example of this is that one of the ‘gurus’ within the field actually took his time to print a paper and give it to me after attending my paper presentation, as he thought the paper would be helpful for my research – you will not find that kind of feedback in many conferences. The discussions at both the doctoral seminar and my paper presentation were very interesting and helpful for my future research. My overall impression of the IPSERA community and the 2014 conference is extremely positive both academically and in regards to the people who attended the conference. I look forward to seeing you all again in Amsterdam!

From Ehimen Ejodame, an Information Systems and Supply Chain Management doctoral student at the University of Sheffield, United Kingdom: I heard about IPSERA from my supervisor (Dr Andrea Genovese) and I decided to participate in the 2014 doctoral workshop and conference in South Africa. My experience with the IPSERA community has been profound, right from the point of submitting my research paper for the workshop and all the way through. The doctoral workshop and conference was characterized by a very warm and friendly atmosphere, while still providing extensive and helpful research feedback and contributions. It was encouraging to meet with very experienced researchers and observe them go the extra mile in mentoring upcoming colleagues. The conference organization was remarkable with several interesting activities. It was particularly eventful and memorable for me having won the ‘IPSERA Lelio Raffa Bursary’ award which included support towards attending the conference. The IPSERA community can best be described as a family. As a logistics practitioner with the rank of Wing Commander in the Nigerian Air Force, I reckon with the need to actively associate with a reputable professional body in the course of my career after my PhD. I believe IPSERA is a good choice.

MAKING NEWS, BREAKING NEWS

Please help us to promote purchasing and supply, and network the purchasing and supply community. Send us news for inclusion in future newsletters. Please email Louise Knight (l.knight2@aston.ac.uk), making sure to put ‘IPSERA newsletter’ within the subject line. If appropriate, we may email members and/or post the information to the website.

Suggestions for inclusion:

Academic events	Appointments, promotions, visiting fellows etc	New book publications
Journal Special Issues Call for papers	Doctorate awards	Prizes and awards
Vacancies	Innovations in P&S research and education	Major research grant awards

WHO’S WHO: EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS’ ROLES & CONTACT DETAILS

There have been several recent changes to the IPSERA committee, and one major change is imminent, so here is an update, with contact details and key responsibilities of all members for September 2014 onwards.

Alessandro Ancarini and Jakob Rehme stood down at the last AGM, having served on the committee in various roles over many years. Kai Foerstl and Stefano Ronchi were elected on to the committee. The AGM approved the committee’s nomination of Helen Walker to serve as President of IPSERA from 2014-2016.

We have four to five full committee meetings per year, one at the annual conference, one typically in October and two further meetings by skype. Occasionally members of the team meet in person to sort specific issues (e.g. the new website and finance system), but usually business is conducted by skype and email.

In September, Boyana Petkova will be leaving her post at the VU University Amsterdam to work in the business sector. Sadly this means she will no longer serve as Treasurer of IPSERA. She worked closely with various committee members, especially Lieven Quintens, on the developments described above. We are very grateful for this, and wish her well!

Members of the committee (elected and co-opted) are:

Committee member name	Affiliation	email	Role / Lead for...
Helen Walker	Cardiff University, UK	WalkerHL@cardiff.ac.uk	President
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Dirk-Jan Kamann	University of Pannonia, Hungary	dirkkamann@yahoo.ca	Representing IPSERA 2015 organizing committee
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Veli Matti Virolainen	Lappeenranta University of Technology, Finland	Veli.Matti.Virolainen@lut.fi	Past president

DON'T FORGET / DON'T WAIT:

Send news to include in future IPSERA newsletters to l.knight2@aston.ac.uk

Send it anytime, putting 'IPSERA NEWSLETTER' in the subject line

Thanks and best wishes, Louise

