

## **IAU Executive Council Meeting 2013**

### **Administration:**

- 1) IAAF, in appreciation of the work being done by the IAU, has increased its financial support.
- 2) Registration in Monaco is almost complete. This development will be an important milestone in the existence of the IAU. Member federations have had special congress in the past to discuss this significant development.

### **Competition and Races:**

- 3) The competition guidelines have been updated by Liesbeth Jansen with minor changes The updated copy will be uploaded on the website.
- 4) Race course measurement (other than trail) would have to be carried out by an AIMS/IAAF measurer for 2014 and beyond.

### **Communication and Athletes:**

- 5) In regards to Communication, IAAF is going to create an IAU page dedicated to ultrarunning. This will be available on the IAAF page in the very near future.
- 6) There is a website subgroup committee that has been formed to update sections and change presentation/ layout of the IAU website.
- 7) Giorgio Calcaterra and Mami Kudo were confirmed by the Executive Council (based on votes by member federations and EC) as the IAU Athletes of the Year 2012.

### **Statistics and Records:**

- 8) Four WABPs were ratified by the EC: Jo Schoonbroot (NED M60 6HoursRoad 78.053km), Gert Thys (RSA M40 50kmRoad 2:48:39), Allen Smalls (GBR M40 6HoursTrack 86.698km) and Simon Schmid (M40 SUI 48HoursRoad 371.475km)

### **Medical Committee:**

- 9) The Medical Committee members were confirmed by the Executive Council.

### **MIAUCs:**

- 10) In regards to frequency of MIAUCs, it was decided that the 100km and 24 Hour World Championships will continue on an annual basis. However, it was concluded that the World Trail Championships and the 50km World Trophy Final will take place in alternate years. 2013 being the year for the Trail Championships.
- 11) The selection races for the 50km World Trophy Final (2014) will encompass races through to June 2014.

- 12) The status of the current championships: 100km European Championships (Belves), 24 Hour World Championships (Steenbergen) and Trail World Championships (North Wales) were discussed.
- 13) Potential Bids/Proposal for the 2013 100km World Championships were discussed.
- 14) 100km World and European Championships for 2014 were awarded to Daugavpils, Latvia.