

Treasurer's report for the IASI Annual Meeting Brasilia, Brazil 25 - 27 April, 2006

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Financial operations

The financial operations of IASI during the working period of 1 March 2005 – 28 February 2006 were audited on 6 April 2006 by the Auditors Ms. Vappu Kiiski from the LIKES Research Center and Ms. Mirja Laitinen from the Jyväskylä University Library (see the report of the Auditors). According to the reports "IASI Financial Balance on 28 February 2006" and "IASI Budget Plan: Guidelines for 2006", approx. 16.500 USD is available for the planning of the next working period from 1 March 2006 on.

The membership renewal invoices for 2006 (117 institutional and 34 personal) were mailed in February 2006.

Membership Register

The membership list was edited twice, in March and June 2005 and published on the website. A membership register update form was again attached to the membership renewal invoices in order to get all the missing and changed contact information of the members. There are 67 institutional, 3 patron institutional, and 18 personal paid members (period 1.1.2005 – 31.3.2006) as well as 12 honorary members in IASI. Last year the total number of institutional members was the same 70 and number of personal members 14 and honorary members 12. The total number of IASI memberships is quite the same around 100 as a year ago.

Major tasks for the next working period

- ~~///~~ Converting the bookkeeping to a machine-readable form.
- ~~///~~ Finding better bank rate for the IASI reserve fund
- ~~///~~ Minimising the very high bank charges, e.g. by studying again the possibility of credit card payments

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