

Secretary's Report
Business Meeting
June 2023

1. This year's elections occurred in mid-April. We received votes from 99 members through the Qualtrics platform. We thank Marcel Boumans and Tom Stapleford for their service and welcome Maria Cristina Marcuzzo (Vice President) and Maxime Desmarais-Tremblay (at-large member) to the Executive Committee.
2. There has been a significant drop in membership from last year. This is partly the result of smaller than expected attendance at the Vancouver conference. We may also be seeing some unintended effects of the change from calendar-year to 365-day memberships.

Year	Conference Location	End-of-May Membership	Year-End Membership
2015	East Lansing, MI	?	229
2016	Durham, NC	186	290*
2017	Toronto	197	202
2018	Chicago	266	284
2019	New York City	247	265
2020	Virtual	219	223
2021	Utrecht (Virtual)	188	263
2022	Minneapolis	270	276
2023	Vancouver	196	

* 290 is likely an overestimate as this was the year that we switched from CUP to managing membership through our own website. Several shadow accounts were created to test aspects of the website.

3. The Society will organize a cocktail reception off the conference grounds during the ASSA meetings in San Antonio (Jan 5-7, 2024), to experiment with a less expensive model. Further details will be circulated closer to the event.