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SOUTH AFRICAN IMMUNOLOGY SOCIETY

Dear SAIS Member

We are happy to inform you that the South African Immunology Society has been shortlisted to host the **ICI 2022 Conference in Cape Town, South Africa!** Should SAIS be successful, this will be the first ICI Conference hosted on African soil!

We believe holding the meeting in Africa for the first time would represent a landmark moment for the global immunology community. Importantly, this bid also incorporates the Federation of African Immunology Societies (FAIS), as we wish to be completely inclusive of immunology on the African continent.

The SAIS president, Dr Clive Gray, Dr Faith Osier (FAIS) and the Cape Town Convention Bureau representative, Mr Adriaan Fourie, will present Cape Town and South Africa to the IUIS Council on 2016 in Melbourne, Australia at the ICI 2016 Conference.

The IUIS Council consist of 21 member from around the world. Please see the list of council members on http://www.iuisonline.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=56&Itemid=58&5a48d87dcdf6fac96a6bc0ffc1b9e64c=3ec8db6c2dc508267d4ffae487a97382

We would like to ask all South African Immunology Society members to assist the committee to promote SAIS, Cape Town and South Africa at the ICI 2016 Congress in Melbourne, Australia.

Other Countries shortlisted for the bid are as follows:

- a. British Society for Immunology
- b. Canadian Society of Immunology
- c. Société Française d'Immunologie
- d. Sociedad Mexicana de Immunologia

Thank you for your assistance.

Yours Sincerely,

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