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Dear all,

RE: Continuation of SP 2017 - 2020

Among the agenda points related to October's online GA meetings, you will have noticed the point concerning the UIAA strategy. With this letter we are sending you the draft *UIAA Strategic Plan 2021 – 2024 V5* and inviting you to discuss the plan further in an online meeting **26th September 13:00 – 17:00 CET**.

The overriding theme of the three parts of the SP 2021 – 2024 document is: an invitation to contribute, an invitation to improve and an invitation to enrich the UIAA strategic content.

The first part is the most important one. It contains a proposal of what could be or should be our strategic priorities. It also summarizes the efforts undertaken during the past ten years to further the strategic priorities. Please read the historical one-page summary and provide any constructive improvements to the proposed formulation of our priorities. We ask you to avoid procedural complaints, and to focus on the substance.

The second part contains the most important reference documents by way of background and guidance.

The third part provides a collection of examples of how the UIAA priorities would be converted into specific action. Input from various UIAA Commissions was used to illustrate how the Strategy would find its way into specific Commission action. Please feel free to enhance and improve the parts that concern you with your own rallying, motivating suggestions for action.

I hope this explanatory note helps you to understand what we expect you to improve, to approve or to supplement.

Please send any feedback by **11th September 2020** to office@theuiaa.org, nils.glatthard@theuiaa.org, beckers@lobo.be

Many thanks to all contributors,

The UIAA Executive Board



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