International Technical Committee Report

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Committee members

Current members:

- Jamaladdin Hasanov (IOI'19)
- Ranald Lam (IOI'20 & IOI'21)
- Wael Ewida (IOI'24)
- Ashar Fuadi (IOI'22)
- Fredrik Niemelä (elected, chair)
- Martin Mareš (elected)
- William Di Luigi (elected)

Purpose of the ITC

The ITC has three main purposes

- Assist the current host Planning and implementation
- Develop and maintain long term tools and systems
 Mailing list, wiki, task development tools, ...
- Transfering knowledge and experience to future hosts
 Observing three years of HTC and ITC work

At this IOI

Cooperation with the host worked very well.

Due to the contest being online, we were a bit more hands off than usual.

ITC Resources

Software available at https://github.com/ioi/:

- Sandbox (Isolate)
- Translation system
- Task preparation system
- Contest utilities
- Network management system

Technical checklist for future hosts: https://wiki.ioinformatics.org/wiki/HostingAnIOI

ITC webpage: https://itc.ioinformatics.org/

Contributions welcome

The IOI Infrastructure

Mailing lists:

- ioi-announce low-volume, moderated, please subscribe
- ioi-discuss general discussion
- ioi-ic, ioi-sc, ioi-tc members of the committees
- ioi-ga members of the GA, temporary list during the IOI
- ioi-training connecting organizers of regional training camps with people interested in teaching
- https://lists.ioinformatics.org/

Other:

- https://wiki.ioinformatics.org/
- Secure drop-box for task submissions
- Internal ISC/ITC systems

Languages at IOI 2021

- Remove Java (as planned & announced last year)
 - Usage at IOI down to 5 contestant this year (1.5%)
 - Survey result down from 2018 to 2019
 - Lack of strong opposition from GA
- Do not add Python
 - Survey result not quite enough and negative trend
 - We will continue to ask about Python in survey

The End

THANK YOU!