

**1. This year's meeting, Evolution 2022**

- a. We have 875 in person and 492 virtual participants
- b. Meeting organization is a pain in the butt
- c. There is a shortfall of money that the three societies will have to make up ~\$135,000
- d. The shortfall has to do with overestimating attendance (1600 people)
- e. Howard Rundle is stepping down, we have added two co-organizers Alex Wong and Brian Hollis, and one more will be added

**2. 2023 Albuquerque June 21-25**

- a. If next year is the size of this year we should be fine
- b. Expecting 1200-1300 attendees for finances, could handle 900-1000 without losing lots of money
- c. Current planning for attendance is "halfway between 2022 and normal"

**3. Input needed for a decision for 2023 format**

- a. We need to reflect on the experiences in 2021 (virtual) and 2022 (hybrid) and make a recommendation for 2023
- b. Hybrid expensive and engagement was limited; 2 day virtual + in person too great a commitment for many; Faux-live may not be engaging
- c. Options:
  - i. Same as this year
  - ii. Cheaper virtual meeting format (zoom volunteers); This worked well for ASN and was cheap ~\$2500
  - iii. Separate virtual meeting
  - iv. Fully integrated meeting - virtual people come into actual meeting - people don't seem to be into this

**4. Future meetings**

- a. **2024 Montreal**
  - i. Current plan is to not reduce hotel or CC space
  - ii. Proposal: 60% contributed talks, 40% contributed talks
  - iii. Hybrid meeting format
  - iv. During reg you can apply to one or several symposia. If you don't get selected you are transferred to a general session on a first-come first-served basis
  - v. Can have virtual talks as a "spillover"
  - vi. Some or all of "regular" Evol symposia could happen alongside this
  - vii. Meeting format approved this year
- b. **2025 Athens** - Not locked into any particular numbers, can just leave it as it is with no risk
- c. **2026 Cleveland** - we can cancel if we like for a cost that is between small and \$200,000