

VLDB Endowment Board of Trustees

Membership, Structure and Organization

The VLDB Endowment Board of Trustees has 21 members. The election procedure is documented elsewhere. The Board elects an Executive of 4 from among its members (see below). Some of the Trustees have specific responsibilities (as indicated below). All give their time freely to the management of the Endowment and to serving on special sub-committees for specific (time-limited) purposes.

The VLDB Endowment trustees are the legal guardians of its activities and charters. The trustees are elected among internationally distinguished researchers and professionals in the database field who have contributed to the objectives of the Endowment with dedication and distinction, and who are willing to commit their own time and resources. Trustees are elected for a six-year period, with one third up for election by the trustees every two years. The Endowment makes it a policy to spread the composition of the trustees across all continents. The Endowment does not have individuals as its members, nor does it have as members national computer societies. VLDB is affiliated to the International Federation for Information Processing (IFIP), and co-operates with many national computer societies.

Executive President

Gerhard Weikum

Vice-President

Laura M. Haas

Treasurer

Michael J. Franklin

Members

Amr El Abbadi
Peter M. G. Apers
Paolo Atzeni
Philip A. Bernstein
Elisa Bertino
Peter Buneman
Sophie Cluet
Umeshwar Dayal
Johann Christoph Freytag
H. V. Jagadish
Christian S. Jensen
Renée J. Miller
Shojiro Nishio
Krithi Ramamritham
Raghu Ramakrishnan
Hans-Jörg Schek
Stanley B. Zdonik

Further information on the VLDB Endowment, its role and its activities is available on the World Wide Web at:
<http://www.vldb.org/>

(This information is correct as of June, 2005)