Priorities

- Success of FM 2015
- Success of FM 2016

Symposia

The main focus is the successful running of FM2015 and planning of FM 2016. We will be interested in the views of recent chairs, conference participants and FME members on how best to further strengthen the symposium's international reputation.
Responsible: Stefania Gnesi

Coordination of Symposia

We will progress the establishment of an informal grouping of conference organisers in formal methods in order to provide a mechanism for coordination.
Responsible: Ana Cavalcanti and Bernhard Aichernig

Membership

We will develop and implement activities for achieving a sustainable (modestly increasing) level of membership. We will seek ways to make the association more useful to a wider portion of the formal methods community, and we will make sure that the membership reflects the active members of the society.
Responsible: Lars-Henrik Eriksson

Finances and Sponsorship

We do not foresee a need to review our policies fundamentally in the coming year. However, we will review this in the light of performance, and if the current reserves warrant it, invite special initiatives if appropriate.
Responsible: Erik de Vink

External Relations

We will continue our cooperation with BCS-FACS and FMICS. We will continue to support and encourage initiatives including the FormaliSE workshop at ICSE.
Responsible: Ana Cavalcanti

Publications

We will continue to maintain the website as FME's primary medium for disseminating its activities to the general public. We expect to keep the average publication rate of one posting per month.
Responsible: Bernhard Aichernig

Highly influential paper award

We will consider the creation of this new award to recognise the impact of papers published in the past FME symposia. We will discuss the plans with the Awards Committee and the possibility of conferring the first award during FM2016.

Formal Methods LNCS Subline

We will investigate with the membership, Springer, and organisers of conferences in the area the possibility of creation of such a subline and provide the association support as appropriate.