

Working Groups

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The Group held one session gathering sixteen members from eleven different countries: Bulgaria, Canada, China, France, Korea, Norway, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and USA. Nine of the attendees were former members to the WG. Election of a new animator and a new vice animator:

- Animator: Jenny Yan (China), if elected at ITA-Board, Gerard Seingre will stay 2-3 years more
- Vice Animator: Magali Schivre (France)

The **WG Report on Adits** (access galleries and shafts) was successfully published this year. The Animateur would like to thank all contributors and reviewers, as well as the ITA-general secretary staff.

It is already translated into Chinese.

Proposal of a Chinese subgroup: needs of translation support

Presentations on projects and review of state of advancement of exiting project. Proposal for the next goal of WG 17:

- TBM in squeezing – buckling – spalling and swelling rock
- Pre grouting and TBM