

## 2017 Annual General Meeting of the Society for Conservation Biology (Oceania) SCBO INC 1500315 at ICCB 2017 in Cartagena, Colombia July 25th, 6.30pm, Secretaria General meeting room, Cartagena de Indias Convention Center Centro Histórico, Getsemaní Calle 24 #8A-344 Cartagena de Indias, Colombia

## **Meeting minutes**

Meeting open 6:45pm

Present: 33 members (file:Attendees\_SCB Oceania 2017 AGM.xlsx)

- Opening and Presidents report;
  - 1. Minutes from AGM 2016 (file SCBO\_2016\_AGM\_minutes.pdf). Accepted as true and accurate record.
  - 2. Ex-president's report
    - a. MOU with SCB Global
    - b. Partnerships with other organisations need to be more forward thinking so we can realise opportunities between partners e.g looking 4 years ahead
- Treasurers report (file: SCBO\_Financial-Summary\_2016.pdf)
  - Motion: Vanessa Adams
  - Seconded: Richard Kingsford
- Confirm new Board members and roles;
  - New members: Emily Elston and Shannon Rivera. Megan Evans now Treasurer.
    - Motion: Vanessa Adams
    - Seconded: April Reside
- Committee activities;
  - Science and education
    - Identifying research priorities in Oceania
    - Training/mentoring
    - Supporting chapter events
- SCBO Wellington Conference;
- Student awards teaser;
  - Paper winner: Jessica Rowland
  - Close and Socialize with Oceania members.

Meeting ended at 7:20pm