

## **Statement of Support from the Spanish Mathematics Committee for the candidacy of Dublin and Glasgow to host the IMU General Assembly and the ICM in 2030**

The Spanish Mathematics Committee, representing Spain as an adhering organization of the International Mathematical Union (IMU), expresses its full support for the joint bid of Dublin and Glasgow to host the IMU General Assembly in 2030, followed by the International Congress of Mathematicians (ICM).

We acknowledge the exceptional work done by the Advisory Board in preparing this bid, which draws on the expertise of organizers from past ICM editions. This experience guarantees a well-organized and successful event.

Both the United Kingdom and Ireland have a rich tradition in mathematical science, and their strong track record in organizing major scientific events is a solid foundation for the success of this bid. We are confident that their combined capabilities will ensure the smooth running of both the General Assembly and the ICM.

Furthermore, we believe it is time to bring the ICM back to Europe after more than two decades since the last European edition, held in Madrid in 2006. With more than seventy years having passed since the last ICM in the United Kingdom (1958), this bid represents a timely opportunity to highlight European mathematical achievement on a global stage.

In addition to the strong mathematical infrastructure, Dublin and Glasgow offer a rich cultural experience and an inviting climate in July, making this bid not only academically compelling but also an attractive destination for delegates and participants.

For all these reasons, the Spanish Mathematics Committee wholeheartedly supports the Dublin-Glasgow bid and is committed to assisting in its success. A successful event in 2030 will be a great achievement for European mathematics as a whole.

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