

To Whom It May Concern,

Subject: Letter regarding nomination as potential treasurer for AOGS

Singapore, December 17th, 2018

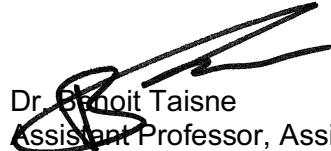
Dear colleagues, I'm honoured to be nominated as a potential treasurer for AOGS. Through my appointment at the Nanyang Technological University and the Earth Observatory of Singapore I've come to focus my research in SE-Asia a region I now call home. I'd be truly honoured to contribute to the further success of AOGS in promoting exchange and collaboration throughout the region.

For the last 7 years I've been managing research projects, adding-up to several millions dollars, dealing with a wide range of expenses, from simple equipment and logistics to organising international workshops. Through my teaching and the research projects I've been able to collaborate with colleagues and students across the ASEAN region and throughout the world.

My experience in Asia has lead me to appreciate the complexity of multi-cultural environments and complex geopolitical systems. This background has a clear influence on how I manage projects. I am well aware of the intricacies of operating across borders in Asia and I assure the members of AOGS I will strive to make good decisions on the use of member contribution to the AOGS annual budget.

I truly believe that I can be valuable active member of the AOGS community.

Yours sincerely,



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