

*From: Sylle Arvidieu*

**1. What is your take on there being several memory associations presenting themselves as being global? Where does the IAM fit in?**

**What is the problem with that?**

**I think this is a strong motivation and a strong opportunity for the IAM to develop from its methodology and ideas in organizing competitions and correcting many of the previous mistakes, notably monopoly and injustice and democratically elected members to allow all athletes to choose their representatives and conduct new tests that did not exist before This difference makes IAM stronger than all these organizations**

**2. What would be your top two ideas to help broaden the memory competitor base?**

**The first idea is marketing memory in different places**

**The second idea is to provide training to those who wish to do so I think this should be a future plan so that we can spread the memory first and then increase the number of competitors**

*From: Lynne Kelly*

**3. Some motivation letters referred to the value of memory sports for education and implied a role for IAM extending beyond sports to promoting the broad benefits of memory training. Do you see this as a role for IAM? If so, to what extent?**

**Of course, IAM has a big role in this. For example, IAM can put some tests that carry the origin of study such as mathematical equations, symbols, dates and maps by the names of countries, which helps to spread the idea more and that the field of**

**memory is not only for the sport that is useless and useless and thus can be persuaded more People join the field of memory**

**4. Some motivation letters talked about the high entry level into the sport. Can you point to some successful efforts in that field and / or ideas you have for making it more accessible?**

**The thing that makes this process faster than my point of view is to link memory to practical and study life, to encourage the practice of this sport and to put forward many other prizes such as the best athlete within each country and the best athlete within Each continent has of course the world and the best sports spirit and others regardless of who won the championship or not**

***From: Kelly Knight***

**5. What is your approach to bringing new members, especially young ones, into the sport?**

**My method is as follows**

- 1. Provide training at a reasonable price to them**
- 2. This training is linked to their studies and also sports and competition with the introduction of the benefits of competitions regardless of gain, such as developing their abilities and dealing with pressure**
- 3. Making unsupported competitions with low costs and paying attention to all of them, especially the unemployed**
- 4. Awarding championships with high records**
- 5. Marketing all these features and presenting them to the public in an attractive manner**

*From: Florian Minges*

**6. What is your opinion on the ongoing digitalisation of memory sports? Yay or Nay? Why?**

The digital changes that occur are very important and useful in terms of the following

1. The opportunity for many athletes to develop themselves quickly, such as what happens on the site of the memory of Liege
  2. The possibility of electronic competitions
  3. Much lower error rate and less regulatory efforts and better control
  4. We can provide transcontinental online contests with the necessary safeguards for integrity such as surveillance cameras
- We can make great use of this great development and employ it to serve the sport in general

**7. The IAM is currently looking for a host for the IAM World Memory Championship 2019. The DL for applications is the 7th of December (so before your answers to these questions will be published). What do you think about the feasibility of organising an IAM World Memory Championship in your country, either next year or sometime in the future? What are the the biggest obstacles? Is there anything that could be done or changed to make it easier / more convenient in order for someone to host it in your country?**

I really dream of this dream for a long time and I'm really planning to host our World Memory Championship, maybe not next year, but I'm very interested in this important and wonderful event and I'll be making a plan for the next period.

**8. The memory sports community has many dedicated volunteers who are contributing to it in many different ways, both internationally and nationally. If you could highlight one such person today (who is not also running for the IAM International Board right now), who would it be, and why?**

**Yes, there are many people who personally helped me organize the Egypt Memory League Championship 2018**

**Mona Saad**

*From: Anonymous*

**9. How do you consider your own potential contribution to the board to be unique, compared to the other candidates?**

**No one can predict that their participation will contribute and will be unique or not but I have many things that will help me contribute**

**1. Experience in organizing competitions, organized by many general competition among trainees, including Egypt Kids and jouniors Memory League Championship 2018, which gave me experience in organizing and planning competitions**

**2. Participate in contests before**

**3. My ability to plan and manage competitions**

**4. I am very close to the field because the memory is my current job and I have been full of it for two years and it is my hobbies and everything for me**

**5. I have the determination and determination to make the field better and bear the difficulties and obstacles and my ability to solve problems in a creative and practical at the same time**

**To: Mohamed Ramadan Basha and Moed Mohamed**

*From: Akash Rupela*

**1. You mention that you look forward to spreading the sport everywhere in Africa? Do you have any details on how you plan to accomplish this feat?**

**Of course yes and I will do so by following**

- 1. Election of a representative for each country familiar with the field of memory**
- 2. Conduct a feasibility study of each representative and study the region, opportunities and challenges within each region**
- 3. Develop a practical plan for each region commensurate with their needs, opportunities and strengths**
- 4. Organizing low-cost competitions within each region and by providing them with appropriate training and their potential**
- 5. Marketing for these competitions and their benefits and how they are useful for developing human abilities**
- 6. Issuing many prizes to encourage young people and children to participate and to reach their best mental potential**

**Of course, answering this question requires many studies and thinking about this matter and work on its implementation and make it a reality and this was some of my thoughts on this matter**