5. Members of EAPRC

As announced in the last issue of this Newsletter we introduce the members of the East-Asian and Pacific Regional Committee. I would like to thank those who have provided a CV and a photo for this purpose.

Chairman of the Committee is **Chii-Ruey Hwang** (crhwang@sinica.edu.tw) who is currently a Research Fellow at the Institute of Mathematics, Academia Sinica in Taipei, Taiwan. In the years 1993-1996 he was Director and in 1986-1993 Deputy Director of the same institute.

He held visiting positions at Brown University, at MIT and IAC in Rome.

Since 1985 he has been editor of the Bulletin of the Institute of Mathematics and since 1986 of the Soochow Journal of Mathematics.

Chii-Ruey Hwang has been a member of the NSC Committee on Mathematical Projects (1988-1991), a member of the NSC Advisory Committee on Mathematical Projects (1993-1996), a member of the Executive Committee of the Mathematical Society of the Republic of China (since 1991) and last but not least a member of the BS Working Committee for the Revival of the EAPRC.

His research interests are the limiting behaviour of Monte Carlo Markov processes and probabilistic problems related to imaging.

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Masatoshi Fukushima

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His research interests are in the relationship of Markov processes and Dirichlet forms, its applications to stochastic calculus, analysis on fractal sets, infinite dimensional analysis, etc.

He was editor of Probability Theory and Related Fields and of the Journal of the Mathematical Society of Japan. He is currently editor of Forum Mathematicum and of Potential Analysis. He is currently also on the Advisory Board of Probability Theory and Related Fields and of the Electronic Journal of Probability.

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Jiading Chen

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Ana Tabunda has been the Vice-President of the U.P. Statistical Center Research Foundation, Inc. since 1993. She was the Vice-President of the Philippine Statistical Association from 1990 to 1995. She has been an Associate Member of the National Research Council of the Philippines since 1992 and was a Board Member of the Philippine Social Sciences Council from 1994 to 1995. She has been a member of the International Association for Statistical Education since 1994 and a member of the American Statistical Association since 1996.

She has research interests in official statistics. However, she is also doing research on Central Limit Theory for mixing sequences.

Wei-Liem Loh