SCAR/SC-AGI Activity Report, July 2017 – June 2018

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SCAR Composite Gazetteer for Antarctica (July 2017 - June 2018).

The Italian National Commission on Antarctic Research (CSNA) supports SCA-GI initiatives for developing new contribution to Antarctic Research (with particular attention to CGA and Map Catalog).

The new Italian commission for Antarctic Place names (CoNoGeA) has been nominated last September.

At the date of 10 June 2017, the number of records (place names) in the CGA was 37,557, referring to 19,810 recognized different features.

At the date of 8 June 2018 (not taking into account the 32 new Bulgarian names), the number of records (place names) in the CGA was **37,631**, referring to **19,844 recognized different features**.

The technical contact for new entries is Mrs Jaqueline Muller for submitting files to the Australian Antarctic Data Centre (Ursula Harris).

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As the Gazetteer is concerned, in the period July 2017-June 2018 the following actions have been carried out:

- Issue recently resolved -> Peter Noble has proposed some changes to four Norwegian names in the SCAR Gazetteer. The Norwegian naming committee has been contacted (Oddveig Øien Ørvoll <oddveig.orvoll@npolar.no). Names inserted in the gazetteer.
• August 2017 – The list of Chilean names in the gazetteer and the format for new names with the feature type names and codes were sent to Ricardo Jana. He was also requested to complete the many missing narratives.

• September 2017 – One new Chilean name was included in the gazetteer (requested by Ricardo Jana on 6 September).

• June 2018 - 32 new Bulgarian names were presented by Lyubomir Ivanov (email of 24 May 2018). The .csv file was sent to Ursula Harris on 8 June 2018.

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