

World Service Business Conference 2022 IG Rep Talking Points for Meetings

* 22 Countries represented at conference; during business motions there were 218 voting delegates

* New literature approved - The 12 Traditions Workbook of OA - should be available for purchase this year.

* Overeaters Anonymous, 3rd Ed. now available as audiobook from Audible, Amazon, and Apple Books. Next audiobook project is The 12 Steps & 12 Traditions of OA, 2nd Ed. All OA books are available as e-books, as well as 7 pamphlets.

* In 2021, followers on OA's Facebook page grew by 11.5% and OA's Instagram page grew by 68%.

* *Lifeline* magazine has become a blog and will be available at oa.org in May or June 2022 - currently accepting stories from members for inclusion in future *Lifelines*.....check out oa.org/lifeline

* Poland is translating the "Body Image" book, and Latvia is translating For Today and For Today Workbook. Russia, Iran, Norway and Brazil have received money for translation of literature. The *Where Do I Start* pamphlet has been translated into 12 different languages!

* OA Responsibility Pledge included on all conference approved literature, social media, newsletters and bulletins; WSBC suggests that Responsibility Pledge be included on all locally produced literature. "Always to extend the hand and heart of OA to all who share my compulsion: for this, I am responsible."

* "*Where Do I Start*" pamphlet will be available in PDF format to anyone to download and print. The pamphlet will remain available for sale in hard copy.

* The letter of instruction (2/26/22) regarding use of copyrighted OA literature on virtual platforms remains in effect. A reminder to ALL meetings -and in compliance with the traditions, no meeting may be recorded by any member unless there is a group conscious by the meeting and each member has signed a release. No screen shots of meeting may be used or shared - what happens at a meeting stays at the meeting.