

POLICY, DECISION MAKING, AND ADMINISTRATION

The Director-General oversees the operation of the NIBB assisted by the Advisory Committee for Programming and Management. The Advisory Committee, comprised of professors within the NIBB and an equal number of leading biologists outside the NIBB, advises the Director-General on important matters such as planning joint research programs as well as on the scientific activities of the NIBB. The Director-General Selection Committee makes a nomination for

Director-General to the President after hearing the recommendation from the Advisory Committee. The Advisory Committee makes recommendations on the Director-General, faculty appointments, the NIBB's annual budget and future prospects.

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