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To: Prof. Kirill Novoselskiy, Reinhold Glière Memorial Museum, Moscow, Russian Federation.

Subject: Decision by SCUFN on the naming of an undersea feature: *Glière Guyot*.

Reference: Decision SCUFN34/VTC03/38 and SCUFN34 Summary Report¹.

To whom it may concern

It is my personal pleasure to report on the recent decision (Reference) made by the IHO-IOC GEBCO² Sub-Committee on Undersea Feature Names (SCUFN) at their last meeting in November 2021 (SCUFN34 VTC03).

¹ <https://iho.int/en/scufn>

² The General Bathymetric Chart of the Oceans.

The naming proposal for “*Glière Seamount*”,

made by Professor Kirill Novoselskiy, supported by PhD Evgeny Borodin, Museum of the World Ocean, Kaliningrad, Russia Federation and Dr. Nataliya Turko & PhD Yulia Zarayskaya, Geological Institute, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russian Federation,

has been

ACCEPTED,

with the generic term to be changed as “*Guyot*”, due to the shape of this undersea feature (Decision in Reference).

As a consequence, the

GLIÈRE GUYOT

is now ADOPTED and available in the official GEBCO Gazetteer of Undersea Feature Names.

The screenshot shows the GEBCO Undersea Feature Names Gazetteer website. The search results for 'Glière Guyot' are displayed, including the name, proposer (Prof. K. Novoselskiy), discoverer (Henry W. Menard), last updated date (2021-11-26), and origin of name (Named after Reinhold Glière (1875 - 1956), a prominent Russian / Soviet composer, of German-Polish-French descent). The map shows the location of Glière Guyot in the Atlantic Ocean, near the Ravel Seamount, Sibelius Seamount, Gluck Seamount, and Haydn Seamount. The depth is 2416 meters. The coordinates are 161° 41.64' W, 27° 16.57' N. The website also features a search filter on the left and a navigation menu at the top.

Congratulations for your hard team’s work and commitments, for more than two years, to reach this well-deserved recognition of such a prominent composer: Mr **Reinhold Glière**.

Yours sincerely,

For Dr Hyun-Chul HAN
Chair of SCUFN,

Yves GUILLAM, SCUFN Secretary
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