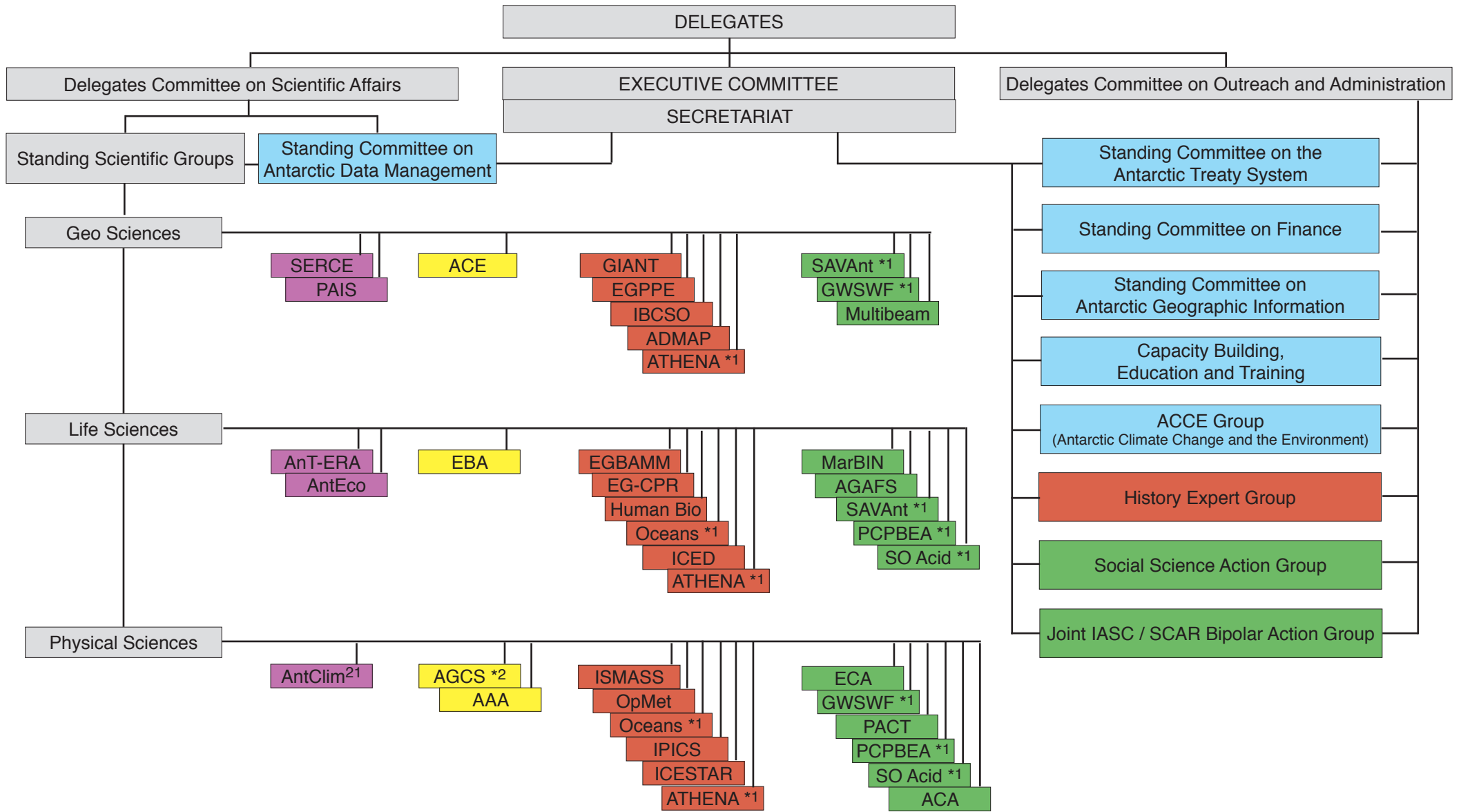


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## Acronym Definitions

AAA	Astronomy and Astrophysics from Antarctica
ACA	Antarctic Clouds and Aerosols
ACCE	Antarctic Climate Change and the Environment
ACE	Antarctic Climate Evolution
ADMAP	Antarctic Digital Magnetic Anomaly Project
AGAFS	Action Group on Antarctic Fuel Spills
AGCS	Antarctica and the Global Climate System
AntClim <sup>21</sup>	Antarctic Climate Change in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century (formerly PACE)
AntEco	State of the Antarctic Ecosystem
AnT-ERA	Antarctic Thresholds - Ecosystem Resilience and Adaptation
ATHENA	Advancing TecHnological and ENvironmental stewardship for subglacial exploration in Antarctica
EBA	Evolution and Biodiversity in the Antarctic
ECA	Environmental Contamination in Antarctica
EGBAMM	Expert Group on Birds and Marine Mammals
EG-CPR	Expert Group on the Continuous Plankton Recorder
EGPPE	Expert Group on Permafrost and Periglacial Environments
GIANT	Geodetic Infrastructure of Antarctica
GWSWF	GPS for Weather and Space Weather Forecasting
Human Bio	Human Biology and Medicine
IASC	International Arctic Science Committee
IBCSO	International Bathymetric Chart of the Southern Ocean
ICED	Integrating Climate and Ecosystem Dynamics in the Southern Ocean
ICESTAR	Inter-hemispheric Conjugacy Effects in Solar-Terrestrial and Aeronomy Research
IPICS	International Partnership in Ice Core Sciences
ISMSS	Ice Sheet Mass Balance and Sea Level
MarBIN	Marine Biodiversity Information Network
Multibeam	Multibeam Bathymetric Data Acquisition
Oceans	Joint SCAR/SCOR Oceanography Expert Group
Op Met	Operational Meteorology in the Antarctic
PACT	Polar Atmospheric Chemistry at the Tropopause
PAIS	Past Antarctic Ice Sheet Dynamics
PCPBEA	Prediction of Changes in the Physical and Biological Environment of the Antarctic
SAVAnt	Seeps And Vents Antarctica
SCOR	Scientific Committee on Oceanic Research
SERCE	Solid Earth Response and Cryospheric Evolution
SO Acid	Southern Ocean Acidification