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AIAA TCCS(Technical Committee on Communications Systems) Meeting in Reno

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概要

AIAA TCCS(Technical Committee on Communications Systems)が2004年1月5日(月)に米国ネ バダ州リノ市のリノホテル153号室にて開催されました。場所がら実際の参加者は6人で、3人は部分 的に参加、13人は電話での参加となった、私も日本から電話にて参加した。

冒頭に委員長よりVice Chairとして Mr. Rick Hustonが就任されることの紹介があり、次期委員長への就任が内諾されていることが紹介された。又2人の新委員の候補についても紹介された。2004年カリフォルニアモントレーで開催される ICSSC2004 の準備状況の報告では 155 編の論文が集まったが3 篇の不適格なものをリジェクトすることとなった、準備状況としては90%といえるなどの報告がなされた。引き続き2005~2007年の計画などが審議された。

2007年 ICSSC の日本開催の要請に対して、韓国、APSSC 等との共催の可能性を今後検討する意 向を委員会に伝え歓迎された、今後本格的に検討する必要がある。また2004年の AIAA Communications Award の候補推薦が議論された。以下当日の議事次第と議事録抜粋を添付します。

会議出席者:

Dr. Tom Butash Chair for Committee

Messier Ed Elizondo, Chris Hoeber, Rick Houston, Rick Kocinski , John Logrando Laura McGill, Deputy Director of the Information Systems Group (part time) Jim Dieudonne, Deputy Director of the Information Systems Group (part time) Tom Smith, Director of the Information Systems Group (part time)

電話会議での参加者:

Messier Joe Balcewicz, Kul Bhasin, Denis Curtin, Saj Durrani, Jerry Fiedziuszko, Ed Habib, Neil Helm Susumu Kitazume, Rudy Panholzer, Jack Rigley, Ron Smith, Joanne Zook (AIAA) Frank Gargione (Ka and Broadband Utilization Conference)

Ed Elizondo氏作成の議事録の一部分を以下に添付致します。

Subcommittee Reports

Steering Subcommittee (TC Chair Dr.Tom Butash representing previously vacant TCCS Vice-Chair)

Tom welcomed and congratulated Rick Houston as our newly elected Vice-Chair. Rick will assume the position of Steering Subcommittee head effective immediately. Tom indicated that we must find a replacement to take over the duties of Secretary. Our current Secretary, Ed Elizondo, has retired and is planning to move to Florida in a few months. Since he will lack corporate sponsorship to cover his travel expenses, he will be unable to continue attending most of the TCCS meetings in person. Ed indicated that

he is planning to attend ICSSC-2004 and will make an effort to attend ICSSC-2005 in Rome. Tom indicated that our Committee currently has over 35 members, but there is significant lack of participation. About 8-10 members have not attended a meeting in person or by telephone or performed any Committee functions in the last 2 years. Tom recommends that we drop these inactive members from Committee membership. He will review previous meeting minutes, subcommittee membership and e-mails and send a letter to inactive members. AIAA has received 2 nominations for TC membership: Richard G. Cease - Technical Director, Network Centric Systems Northeast Engineering, Raytheon (Marlboro, MA) Alastair Malarky - Staff Scientist, ComDev Ltd. (Cambridge, Ontario, Canada) Both of these candidates seem eminently qualified and Tom will advise AIAA of our formal acceptance. Michael Sherif was proposed as an outstanding addition to our TC. Michael attended our last meeting but is very active in IEEE activities and is somewhat reluctant to add to his volunteer activities. Perhaps he can be persuaded during ICSSC-2004. Rudy Panholzer agreed to try to persuade Michael to join our TC. Rick Houston wants to create and send out a survey to find out how to increase activities and participation in our TC. Tom wants to add side activities to make our TC meetings more interesting to attend. Some suggestions were having tours of local attractions (an example was a tour of the rivers and many bridges in Cleveland), another was a TC dinner before the Conference in a good restaurant (such as in Montreal and Toulouse) and another was to have plant tours where feasible. The question of how to get people with government satellite interest involved with our TC was briefly discussed. Hoeber feels we need to get more involved with architectures.

Chris Hoeber suggested having a backup presentation ready in case of a no-show, such as was done in the last ICSSC. Joanne Zook suggested that a special breakfast be offered to the Keynote and Plenary Speakers. She will arrange for it. Joanne reminded the Committee that all sessions will have a PC projector in the room, including the luncheon room, but no PCs. Rudy Panholzer is trying to arrange the loan of laptops from the Naval Postgraduate School.

Joanne was asked to inquire into the hotel costs of a T1 line to provide Internet access during the conference. Plans are currently to provide "Wi-Fi" wireless access at a location near the conference rooms.

APPENDIX-A

TCCS / ICSSC-2004 Meeting Agenda

5 January 2004 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Pacific Time (16:00–24:00 GMT) Reno Hilton Resort & Casino - Reno, Nevada, USA Room: 153 Teleconference numbers for those who can't be physically present: 1-888-340-5117 (within the US), 1-816-650-0795 (worldwide) (Remote participants must enter the passcode 75415 to join the teleconference)

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Agenda Item	Lead	Time, Pacific
1. Introductions	Tom Butash	9:00 AM
2. TCCS Subcommittee Reports	Tom Butash	9:10 AM
A. Steering . Membership news and concerns		
. Welcome & Congratulations to Rick Houston, as our new Vice-Chair/Chair Elect		
B. Awards	Kul Bhasin	9:20 AM
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C. Exhibits	Raul Rey	9:30 AM
D. Japan Forum	Takashi Iida	9:40 AM
E. Publications	Chris Hoeber	9:50 AM
F. Conference Subcommittees		10:00 AM
1. ICSSC-2004, Monterey, California U	JSA	Chris Hoeber
2. ICSSC-2005, Rome, Italy	Ed Elizondo	
3. ICSSC-2006-2009, Preliminary Site	Tom Butash	
Discussions		
3. TCCS Any Other Business / TAC Elections		
Candidate Campaign Visits	Tom Butash	
	Basil Hassan	
	C. Stephen Kuehl	10:45 AM
4. Computer Systems TC Visit and Presentation		
	Joe Marshall	11:00 AM
5. ICSSC-2004 Meeting (See separate agenda)		
Planning Status Lunch Provided	Chris Hoeber	11:30 AM
6. Adjourn		5:00 PM

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