

**Meeting of IEEE CAS Society  
Multimedia Systems and Applications Technical Committee**

Date: 10 July 2006 (Monday during ICME 2006)  
Venue: ICME Conference Hotel: Hilton Toronto, Richmond Room  
Time: 12:00pm – 14:00pm

Chairman: Oscar Au  
Secretary: Jar-Ferr (Kevin) Yang

**Attendance** (in order of first name):

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**Agenda**

1. Opening of meeting
2. Introduction and welcome
3. Approval of the meeting agenda
4. Approval of the meeting minutes
5. Introduction and approval of New members
6. Report on recent technical activities (May 2005 to May 2006)
7. Planning of upcoming events and near future activities
8. Adjournment

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**1. Opening of Meeting:**

Oscar Au welcomed everyone and invited everyone to take turns to introduce themselves.

**2. Approval of the Meeting Agenda,**

Oscar Au moved to approve the agenda. Kevin Yang seconded. All approved. Motion carried.

**3. Approval of Past Meeting Minutes,**

For the meeting minutes of ISCAS 2006, Pau-Chu Chung moved to approve. Kevin Yang seconded. All approved. Motion carried.

#### **4. Introduction of New Members:**

Tsuhuan Chen nominated Prof. Howard, Oscar Au nominated Dr. Rongshan Yu, to join the TC. Each nominee was asked to introduce themselves. All approved to accept these two nominees as new members. Other nominations can still be considered through email voting.

#### **5. Report on recent technical activities (May 2005 to May 2006)**

#### **6. Planning of Upcoming Events and Near Future Activities**

- a. It is reported that TC members are interested in participating in the paper review of ISCAS and ICME. To reflect the true multimedia, the MSATC shall invite more people in speech and audio areas.
- b. To help the members, who are unable to attend the meeting, the MSATC will consider setting up teleconference call by using latest internet phone technology. Dr. Sheen as a volunteer will investigate the setup of the conference call for future meeting.
- c. Promoting some other activities: Multimedia Game support conference and support the mini-conference, our TC might take the responsibility to organize the sub-conferences, which are used for the membership promotion and raise the income for the society also.
- d. Consider the different design of conferences as SIGGRAPH, or multipurpose of conference to truly reflect the Expo. In the future, the papers submitted to certain topics should be issued by video demo. From system point of view, the review by the video demo could help to justify the result easily. If we could give the more honor (benefit) for such special sessions:: Jin Li, Oscar Au, and Tsuhuan Chen will be interested in organizing such special sessions. Rongshan Yu will be interested in organization of audio demo related special sessions.
- e. Adding another obligation: helping review of conference papers.
- f. On March, the Secretary should inform all the TC members to submit the reports.
- g. TMM Issue– EIC of IEEE Trans. on Multimedia takes terms for 4 societies. The issues of the TMM include:
  - Steering Committee:
  - New AE being nominated
  - Scope of TMM u
  - Special issue
  - New EIC
- h. Members are reminded to propose special session and tutorials for ISCAS 2006.

#### **7. New Business:**

Cha-Wen Lin as the substitution of Chin-Yung Lin (Program Chair) presented the proposal for bidding the ICME 2009, which will be held in Cancun Mexico. The MSATC approved the motion to support this proposal. Oscar Au motioned, Jacky Shen seconded, All approved. Motion carried.

#### **8. Adjournment**

The TC meeting was adjourned at 1:28pm.

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Oscar Au, Chair

Kevin Yang, Secretary