

IEEE AP-S Region 10 Chapter Chairs' Meeting

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The IEEE AP-S Region 10 Chapter Chairs' Meeting was held at Hotel Nikko Niigata on 22 August 2007 during 2007 International Symposium on Antennas and Propagation (ISAP2007) in Niigata Japan. The following Chairs and correspondent as seen in Fig. 1 attended the meeting (Alphabetical order of Chapters):

Prof. Bhaskar Gupta (Calcutta Chapter)

Prof. Taguchi (Fukuoka Chapter)

Prof. Morishita (Japan Chapter)

Prof. Maekawa (Kansai Chapter, on behalf of Prof. Kominami)

Prof. Esa (Malaysia Chapter)

Prof. Inagaki (Nagoya Chapter)

Prof. Zhang (Nanjing Chapter)

Prof. Myung (Korea Chapter)

Prof. Li (Singapore Chapter, on behalf of Prof. Alphones)

Prof. Chen (Tainan Chapter)

Prof. Chang (Taipei Chapter, on behalf of Prof. Kiang)

Prof. Akkaraekthalin (Thailand Chapter)

In addition, the following AP-S Members were allocated as observers:

Prof. Nakano (AP-S Asian Representative)

Prof. Ito (AP-S AdCom Member)

Dr. Stone (Magazine Editor-in-Chief)

Dr. Teshirogi (ISAP International Steering Committee (ISC) Representative)

Prof. Ando (ISAP2007 Chairperson)

Dr. Cho (Secretary, Japan Chapter)

Dr. Michishita (Treasurer, Japan Chapter)

At first, Prof. Morishita of Japan Chapter gave welcome message. Then, Dr. Stone gave a greeting from AP-S and gave a brief introduction of the next AP-S Symposium. After everyone attending the meeting introduced himself or herself, recent Chapter activities were presented by each Chapter. We had good discussions regarding future collaborations of Region 10 Chapters as seen in Fig. 2. Following that, Prof. Nakano summarized recent major activities in Asia-Pacific region, thanked for and encouraged the Chapter's devoted efforts. Finally, Dr. Teshirogi introduced the recent status of

ISAP including the administrative system and future plans. The next AP-S Region 10 Chapter Chairs' meeting is agreed to be held during ISAP2008 in Taipei, Taiwan hosted by Prof. Chang, and all the Region 10 Chapter Chairs are welcome. After the meeting, the photograph of all attendees was taken as seen in Fig. 3.



Fig. 1 Attendees of the AP-S Region 10 Chapter Chairs' Meeting: (upper l-r) Prof. Nakano, Dr. Stone, Prof. Morishita, Prof. Ando, (middle l-r) Prof. Esa, Prof. Inagaki, Prof. Gupta, Prof. Ito, Prof. Zhang, Prof. Li, (bottom l-r) Prof. Chang, Dr. Teshirogi, Prof. Maekawa, Prof. Akkaraekthalin, Prof. Myung, Prof. Chen



Fig. 2 Discussion at the Meeting



Fig. 3 Memorial photograph of all attendees: (l-r) Dr. Michishita, Prof. Akkaraekthalin, Prof. Ito, Prof. Chen, Prof. Inagaki, Prof. Esa, Dr. Teshirogi, Prof. Chang, Prof. Zhang, Prof. Nakano, Dr. Stone, Prof. Morishita, Prof. Myung, Prof. Li, Prof. Ando, Prof. Gupta, Dr. Cho, Prof. Maekawa, Prof. Taguchi