

The reports of the committee meeting of the Asian Society for Colloid and Surface Science (ASCASS)

Date: Nov. 25, 2015 at 18:30

Venue: Conference Room (M)-A/B (3F) of Arkas SASEBO (the venue of the ACCIS2015)

Attendee: Jingcheng Hao (China), Limin Qi (China), Pratap Bahadur (India), Sunil Bhagwat (India), Amiya Kumar Panda (India), Masahiko Abe (Japan), Kenji Aramaki (Japan) (secretary), Toyoko Imae (Japan) (Chairperson), Osamu Shibata (Japan), Jong-Duk Kim (Korea), Seong-Geun Oh (Korea), Boris Noskov (Russia), Yurii Shchipunov (Russia), Chien-Hsiang Chang (Taiwan), Li-Jen Chen (Taiwan), Shi-Yow Lin (Taiwan), Tsang-Lang Lin (Taiwan), Sumaeth Chavadej (Thailand), Pramoch Rangsunvighit (Thailand), Rauzah Hashim (Malaysia) (gallery), Hideki Sakai (Japan) (gallery), Musa Kaleem Baloch (Pakistan) (gallery)

1) Confirmation of attendee, secretary and gallery

It was confirmed as the above attendee list.

2) Report of ACCIS2015 by conference chairperson

Prof. Osamu Shibata reported the number of attendee as about 300 people from 20 countries

3) Report of home page

Prof. Toyoko Imae reported that Dr. Paola G. Pittoni (graduated National Taiwan University of Science and Technology) is now managing the ASCASS website. It was decided that the maintenance cost, which is 40 USD for four years from December 23, 2017, will be paid by chairpersons of 2017 and 2019 conferences (20 USD each). The attendee in ACCIS2015 will be "Member" till next conference (ACCIS2017) and Membership will be opened in ASCASS website. Membership fee is free.

4) Election of ACCIS2017

After presentation by candidate countries, committee members voted and decided that the ACCIS2017 will be in Malaysia. Details such as date, registration fee, support for students, etc. will be considered by the possible ACCIS2017 chairperson, Prof. Rauzah Hashim.

5) Confirmation of committee member and decision of new committee country and member

It was approved that Prof. Hideki Sakai (Tokyo University of Science, Japan) substitutes for Prof. Masahiko Abe (Japan). It was also approved that Prof. Masahiko Abe became as an advisor of ASCASS. Korean members will propose a candidate as the substitution for Prof. Moon-Jeong Rang.

It was decided the following person and countries as the new committee members.

- (1) Malaysia: Dr. Rauzah Hashim, Professor, Chemistry Department, Faculty of Science, University of Malaya, rauzah@um.edu.my (recommendation by Toyoko Imae)

(2) Hong Kong: Dr. To Ngai, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, tongai@cuhk.edu.hk (recommendation by Dr. Junbai Li)

However, committee member from Hong Kong is limited two members but not four members.

(3) Nepal: Dr. Lok Kumar Shrestha, MANA Scientist, International Center for Materials Nanoarchitectonics (WPI-MANA), National Institute for Materials Science (NIMS) SHRESTHA.Lokkumar@nims.go.jp (recommendation by Toyoko Imae)

(4) Pakistan: Dr. Musa Kaleem Baloch, Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Sargodha Sub-campus Bhakkar musakaleem2001@yahoo.com (recommendation by Dr. Syed Sakhawat Shah)

Adding Prof. Jagadeesh BHATTARAI (Tribhuvan University, Nepal) as a member will be discussed in the next meeting.

6) Election of new president up to ACCIS2017

Prof. Toyoko Imae was approved as the president until the next meeting.

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