



**CFD TECHNICAL COMMITTEE**  
**Monday July 30, 2007**  
**6:30 – 8:00 p.m.**  
**San Diego, CA**

**Meeting Minutes**

Number of Members in attendance: 23

Dave Halt, Chair of the CFDTC, convened the meeting at 6:30 p.m.

1. The minutes of the Committee Meeting at the IMECE 06 in Chicago, IL were unanimously approved.
2. Chair presented announcements from the EC/TC Chairs' meeting:
  - a. Current meeting FEDSM07 has over 500 participants with 460 presentations and representation from 36 countries. Approximately 55% are from Asia (primarily Japan) and 35% from North America.
  - b. Next IMECE in 2007 will be in Seattle, WA with Jim Liburdy as Chair. It will be 4 days in duration as opposed to previous IMECE meetings at 6 days. There are 17 tracks organized by multiple divisions. There are about 2000 presentations expected. There is some difficulty in getting appropriate session organizers to review papers since the web tool is currently not allowing the creation of a session unless there is a minimum of papers allocated to it.
  - c. The next summer meeting is planned for Jacksonville, Florida August 10-14, 2008. It is a joint conference with Heat Transfer, Fluids, Energy, Solar and Nano. Abstract deadline is December 7, 2007. Hotel cost is \$129 per night ASME rate. The expectation is for 1500 attendees with a cross-disciplinary theme.
3. There were no new calls for papers reviewed. The chair reviewed the 5 CFDTC lead symposia scheduled for FEDSM08 with the organizers and confirmed that all were on track to participate in the next summer meeting. The symposia were 1) 9<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Fluid-Structure Interaction and Flow-Induced Noise in Industrial Applications, 2) 13<sup>th</sup> Symposium on Algorithmic Development in CFD, 3) Symposium on DNS, LES, and Hybrid RANS/LES Methods, 4) Symposium on Uncertainty in Large-Eddy Simulations and 5) 8<sup>th</sup> Symposium on Applications in Computational Fluid Dynamics.
4. Ismail Celik, member of honors and awards committee reported that recently there was additional workload for the committee to review for Knapp and Moody awards because there was insufficient data coming from ASME surveys which should have originated from session organizers and chairs.
5. Joe Katz, Editor of JFE reported status of JFE. Joe is looking for Associate editors, primarily in need of experimentalist expertise but also is in need of additional CFD expertise.

6. Bill Morgan suggested as part of Member Concerns that CFD was being misused more in presentations citing a recent example of an author not properly defining the physical problem that was attempting to be modeled.
7. Karman Ghia suggested that we put into future calls for papers the need to follow JFE standards.
8. Karman Ghia suggested that ASME organizers should seek local representation where the ASME meetings are taking place. For instance, at next summer's meeting in Jacksonville Florida, Karman suggested we should enlist Sherif's help (from University of Florida in Gainesville) for local representation.
9. The meeting adjourned at 7:15 pm