

ACM SIGSAM

Annual General Meeting 2007



August 1, 2007 16:20 – 17:30

University of Waterloo

Room DC1350

Agenda

SIGSAM Annual General Meeting

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- Introduction of new officers (and thank you to the outgoing officers)
- ISSAC 2008 Sponsorship
- Communications in Computer Algebra initiatives
- Outgoing Chair's Report (outgoing Chair – Emil Volcheck)
- Treasurer's Report (outgoing Treasurer – Wayne Eberly)
- Advisory Board Renewal

SIGSAM Executive Committee

As of June 2007

- Emil Volcheck – Chair
- Werner Krandick – Vice-Chair
- Wayne Eberly – Treasurer
- Fabrice Rouillier – Secretary

- Past Chair – Rob Corless

- Austin Lobo – Communications in Computer Algebra Editor
- Ilias Kotsireas – Communications in Computer Algebra Editor
- William Turner – Information Director

Thank you!

SIGSAM Executive Committee

July 2007 – June 2009

- Mark Giesbrecht – Chair
- Peter Paule – Vice Chair
- Daniel Lichtblau – Treasurer
- Wen-shin Lee – Secretary

- Past Chair – Emil Volcheck

- Austin Lobo – Communications in Computer Algebra Editor
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- Daniel Lichtblau will serve as our representative on the ISSAC Steering Committee.

Advisory Board Renewal

- Advisory board is an ad hoc committee of ACM SIGSAM, and has been a useful creation of the previous ACM SIGSAM Chair.
- Proposal is to continue to have 10 members.
 - Two of these (Lichtblau, Paule) are now on the SIGSAM Executive.
- Proposed new members:
 - Jean-Guillaume Dumas
 - Michael Monagan
 - Nominations from the floor?

ISSAC 2008 Sponsorship

The organizers of ISSAC 2008 at RISC, Linz have asked for sponsorship by ACM SIGSAM *in cooperation with* RISC.

- RISC will assume all financial risks and obligations.
ACM SIGSAM gives their sponsorship, endorsement and support of the scientific quality, publication, dissemination and archiving.

In Cooperation with ACM SIGSAM:

- Proceedings published through ACM Press
- Online access for ACM SIGSAM members (Digital Library)
- Discount for SIGSAM members

Communications in Computer Algebra

- Moved to four electronic issues and two printed double issues per year.
- Will be “update to date” by end of 2007.
- Plans for new content:
 - Current conference calls and reports
 - Thesis abstracts
 - Positions advertised
 - Invited reviews
 - ...
- Expanded web content

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Report by Outgoing ACM SIGSAM Treasurer

Report by Outgoing ACM SIGSAM Chair

Closing Remarks