

Minutes of ICAT International Steering Committee (ISC) Meeting held on line via Zoom on Monday, December 16, 2024

Date:

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Time:

Orlando (EST, UTC-5): 7:00am
London/Dublin (GMT, UTC+0): 12:00am(noon)
Paris/Bremen (CET, UTC+1): 1:00pm
Cyprus (EET, UTC+2): 2:00pm
Shanghai (CST, UTC+8): 8:00pm
Tokyo/Seoul (JST/KST, UTC+9): 9:00pm
Adelaide (ACDT; UTC+10:30): 10:30pm

Participants:

Kiyoshi Kiyokawa, Mark Billingham, Sabine Coquillart, Despina Michael-Grigoriou, Dirk Reiners, Gabriel Zachmann, Gerd Bruder, Maki Sugimoto, Yoshifumi Kitamura, Hiroaki Yano, Veronica Sundstedt, Ernst Kruijff

Agenda

1. Invitation of Prof. Susumu Tachi to ICAT ISC as Honorary Chair
 - a. Prof. Tachi's case has been unanimously approved
2. Report of ICAT-EGVE 2024 by Prof. Hiroaki Yano, the General Chair
 - a. Main information has been reported
 - i. 92 registrations (2 online) from 7 countries
 1. Japan 71, France 6, Austria 5, Germany 4, USA 1, Poland 1, Sweden 1
 - ii. 50 submissions (32 full papers, 18 short papers), 26 accepted (20 full and 6 short)
 1. Acceptance rate: 62.5% for full, 33.3% for short papers
 - iii. 24 poster submissions, 14 from the paper track and 10 are direct poster submissions, 24 accepted
 - iv. 9 demos, 9 accepted
3. Invitation of Prof. Hiroaki Yano to ICAT ISC as a new member
 - a. Prof. Yano's case has been unanimously approved
4. Interim Report on ICAT-EGVE 2025 by Prof. Veronica Sundstedt, which will be held in Sweden

Hope to see you at ICAT-EGVE 2025
35th ICAT, 30th EGVE :)

**Blekinge Institute of Technology,
Karlskrona, Sweden**



- a. Tentative information has been reported
 - i. Venue: Blekinge Institute of Technology, Karlskrona, Sweden
 - ii. Date: 3-5, December, 2025 (Wed-Fri)
 - iii. Chairs: Veronica Sundstedt and Michael Manzke
 - iv. Registration fee: ~450 EUR?
 - v. Keynote from IKEA?
 - b. ICAT and EGVE will suggest one Program Chair each by the end of this year. Third Program Chair will be looked for by Veronica.
5. Proposal and/or Recommendation for ICAT-EGVE 2026.
- a. Some ideas were exchanged
 - i. Brazil
 - 1. Veronica Teichrieb, <https://voxarlabs.cin.ufpe.br/>
 - 2. Alberto Barbosa Raposo, <https://www.inf.puc-rio.br/en/teacher/@alberto-barbosa-raposo>
 - 3. C.f. <https://interact2025.org>
 - ii. Colombia
 - 1. Pablo Figueroa
 - b. We will look for the Brazil option!