Minutes from the meeting of the Audio Engineering Society Technical Committee on Acoustics and Sound Reinforcement

May 13, 2001, 4:50 PM

RAI Convention Center, Amsterdam.

Attending:

Mendel Kleiner (chairman AES TCASR): mk@ta.chalmers.se Peter Mapp (AES TCASR member): petermapp@btinternet.com Jiri Tichy (AES TCASR member): tichy@sabine.acs.psu.edu Jan Voetmann (AES TCASR member): jv@delta.dk Lise-Lotte W. Tjellesen: lwt@delta.dk

The chairman thanked the TCASR member Jan Voetmann for arranging the repeat workshop on small room acoustics at the Amsterdam convention. The chairman also thanked professor Jiri Tichy for his tutorial at the session.

The request for input by the New York AES 110 convention committee was discussed.

After a call for ideas over e-mail to the group members, two members e-mailed the chairman. Neil Shaw offered to volunteer for anything that was suggested and Jan Voetmann suggested that the technical committee arrange a workshhop on arrays using the same format as that used at the present meeting, i.e. a tutorial + various papers.

At the LA meeting in September 2000, Bruce Olson offered to try to arrange a technical tour on theater sound systems for the AES convention in New York 2001. No new information on the progress of this task was been submitted as yet however.

Also at the meeting in September 2000, Kurt Graffy and Paul Bauman volunteered to arrange a workshop on linear arrays for the AES convention in New York 2001. No new information on the progress of this task was been submitted as yet either. Peter Mapp volunteered to arrange a workshop on theory and application of flat loudspeaker panel technology for Munich AES convention 2002.

Peter Mapp also suggested a paper or workshop on subjective and objective assessment of the performance of installed sound systems to be held at the Los Angeles AES convention 2002.

Jiri Tichy suggested a workshop on loudspeaker component non-linearity to be arranged at the Los Angeles AES convention 2002.

Jan Voetmann suggested a session or workshop on new trends in assessment and measurement of speech intelligibility & quality to be arranged at the Amsterdam AES convention 2003.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted

Mendel Kleiner Chair AES TC Acoustics and Sound Reinforcement

Summary of action items:

NEW YORK AES 111: Bruce Olson / Technical tour to and including a off-site workshop on theater sound at site of a particular theater in New York

NEW YORK AES 111: Kurt Graffy / Paper session "Line array technology"

MUNICH AES 112: Peter Mapp / Paper or workshop "Theory and application of flat loudspeaker panel technology"

MUNICH AES 112: ?? / Paper or workshop "Subjective and objective assessment of the performance of installed sound systems"

MUNICH AES 112: Wolfgang Ahnert / Paper session "Multinational sound reinforcement" LOS ANGELES 113: ?? / Workshop "Loudspeaker component non-linearity"

AMSTERDAM AES 114: ?? / Session or workshop "New trends in assessment and measurement of speech intelligibility & quality"