Meeting Minutes

IMEKO TC2–Meeting during 19th IMEKO TC2 Symposium, Hangzhou, China

Topic: Information interchange on TC2 activities

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1 Opening Address

Prof. Pfeifer formally opened the TC2-Meeting

2 Report of the TC2–Chairman

• Prof. Pfeifer gives a short summary about the ongoing TC2 Symposium 2010 in Hangzhou:

There were 9 invited, 29 oral and 13 poster presentations from participants coming from 7 countries (Austria, Canada, China, Czech, Germany, Poland, Singapore). The contributions were mainly in the fields of "Fiber Optics".

Prof. Pfeifer especially thanks the organizing committee in Hangzhou for the Congress, but also remarks that the call for papers should have been earlier announced

 Furthermore, Prof. Pfeifer expresses his satisfaction about the enforcing of the IMEKO TC2 group. The group is improving, in Prof. Pfeifer's opinion photonics is the main technology in the 21st century and getting more and more important.

3 Future activities of TC2

The 20th TC2 Symposium on Photonics in Measurement will be held in Linz, Austria, May 16th – 18th 2011

Gregor Gerstorfer (Johannes Kepler University Linz) invites everybody to this event. For further information see <u>http://www.jku.at/conferences/imeko2011</u>

- The next world congress will be held in 2012 in Korea for further information see <u>http://www.imeko.org</u>
- The 21st TC2 Symposium on Photonics in Measurement may be in Gdansk/Poland, or maybe in Italy, if there are prospective persons. But two years of preparation time should be available!

4 Further Topics

Prof. Pfeifer invites the attending symposium participants to join the IMEKO TC2 as members. Interested prospects are invited by Prof. Pfeifer, two or three members per country are acceptable. Future members could be introduced in Linz and become full members on the next world congress. The requirements for a membership are to be an expert in photonics, the graduation from a university and several publications in the relevant field of research. The duties for members are to take part in the technical committee and meetings, and to show up as often as possible.

5 Next TC2–Meeting

The next TC2–Meeting will take place in Linz, Austria, during the 20^{th} TC2 Symposium, May $16^{th} - 18^{th}$, 2011