Chair’s Status Report

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Agenda

🌟 Achievements

🌟 Press and Organization

🌟 Hints for the Future
Achievements

* IBIS 5.0!
  - PD, EMI and Algorithmic Model support in IBIS are now **real**
  - Parser bid package being distributed - bidding closes March 1

* Quality Task Group completed 3+ document revisions

* ATM Group making progress on IBIS Interconnect SPICE
  - Looking to the first **industry standard** SPICE format

* Touchstone 2.0 nearing completion
  - Expect submission to Open Forum by/in March
  - **Standardized format** for mixed-mode network parameters

* ICMCHK1 updated and distributed
  - All BUGs closed in version 1.1.3
Press & Organization

🌟 Strong Mentions of IBIS in 2008 Press
  – *EE Times* (continuing this week!), blogs, e-zines

🌟 Yet Another Merger
  – April 2008: GEIA merged with the ITAA
  – January 2009: ITAA + AeA -> Technology Association of America
  – GEIA likely to vanish later this year
    🌟 Expect a DAC Summit report from TAA on this

🌟 Late 2008 Events
  – Shanghai & Tokyo Summits successful: 200+ total attendees

🌟 Finances and Membership
  – Closed 2008 with positive budget and membership of 32
Looking Ahead

∗ Summit Planning
  – DATE 2009 in Nice confirmed (April 23)
  – DAC in San Francisco going ahead (July 27) – elections!
  – Asian summits planned, economy permitting. Taiwan?

∗ Expect appeal for IBISCHK5 purchases in Q2
  – Source code license price not yet set
  – License agreement likely similar to that for IBISCHK4

∗ Economic situation will have unknown impact
  – IBIS Open Forum has limited time and resources
  – New task group volunteers greatly appreciated!

Focus is More Important Than Ever This Year
Q/A