Minutes of Zone 2 meeting

Date and time: September 17th, 2025 13:00-15:30 UTC+2

Place: Le Palais des Festivals et des Congrès: Auditorium C (Cannes, France), and online meeting

(Teams)

Participants: See appendix

Agenda

1. Opening Remarks

Matsumoto, the Chair of Zone 2 Societies.

2. Approval of Previous Minutes

Minutes from the June 2025 Zone 2 meeting were reviewed and approved.

3. Progress Update: IFSCC 2026 (Australia)

Due to the impact of COP31, the conference venue has been changed from Adelaide to Perth.

4. Progress Update: ASCS 2027 (China)

The ASCS 2027 conference is scheduled to be held in Guangzhou.

5. Presentations and Voting: ASCS 2029 Host Country

Presentations were given by Thailand, Singapore, and Malaysia.

Outcome: Singapore was selected as the host country for ASCS 2029.

6. Presentations and Voting: IFSCC 2032 Host Country

Presentations were given by China and Korea.

Outcome: China was selected by Zone 2 as the preferred host for IFSCC 2032. Final decision to be made by the IFSCC Board.

7. Closing

Appendix: list of Attendees

| | Katsunori Yoshida | |
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| Japan | Shunsuke Matsumoto | |
| | Tomoko Sekine | |
| | Shigetoyo Sawaki | |
| | Akihiro.Ishino | in person |
| | Ryo Sekine | |
| | Masumi Kurasawa | |
| | Iddamalgoda Arunasiri | |
| | Len Ito | |

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| China | Fan Yang | in person |
| | Cecily Wang | |
| | Sam Zhang | |
| | Emma Huang | |
| | Lisa Yuan | |
| Malaysia | Toh Mong Sah | in person |
| | Ng Khan Loon | |
| | Lee Ka Heng | |
| | Ursula Chong. | |
| Taiwan | Samuel Lin | in person |
| Singapore | Tan Ming Jie | in person |
| Korea | Jae Sung Hwang | in person |
| | Sungho Lee | |
| Australia | Amaryllis Aganahi | in person |
| | Stephanie Cavar | |
| | Marianne Coeur | |
| | Samy Hamada | |
| | Michelle Kane | |
| | Robert McPherson | |
| | Helen Pearce | |
| Hong Kong | Francis Kwan | in person |
| India | Monisha Mullick | web |
| Philippines | Precious Joy B. Abdeleda | web |
| Thailand | Theeraya Krisdaphong | web |
| Indonesia | Bpk Sutriyo | web |
| New Zealand | Merve Samur | absent |
| The Middle | Mohammad Baghaei | absent |
| East | | |