

EPC Operations Committee Meeting Minutes

Time: 1:00 - 2:30 pm

Date: 10/26/16

Location: Virtual

Attendance: Richard Rolke, Patty Summers, John Spell, Jeff Elam, David Dutschmann, Jagdish Prajapati, Carl Harry, Allan, Hatami, Claire Cagnolatti and Muhammad Imran

Agenda:

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| 1) | Read Anti-trust statement | Richard |
| 2) | Update on main committee business | Richard |
| 3) | Review submitted abstracts | Richard/Patty |
| 4) | Set next committee meeting timing | All |

Anti Trust Statement:

“No activity of the Committee shall involve the exchange, collection or dissemination of information among competitors for the purpose of bringing about or attempting to bring about any understanding or agreement, written or oral, formal or informal, express or implied, among competitors with regard to costs, prices or pricing methods, terms or conditions of sale, distribution, production quotas or other limitations, on either the timing, or volume of production, or sales, or allocation of territories or customers.”

Meeting Minutes:

- Reviewed anti-trust statement
- Reviewed abstracts submitted so far; 6 total. Assigned sponsors to each abstract.
- Reviewed current status of spring conference
- Set date for the next meeting. Nov. 28th. Will be virtual
- Following meeting will be 3/4th week of Jan. Jagdish has agreed to host at the Linde Houston office located on the Energy Corridor.

Submitted Abstracts:

Paper 1: Big Data by Ingenero Sponsor – Carl Harry

Presenting Author: Pratap Nair

Paper 2: Compressor Fouling by Baker Hughes Sponsor – Patti Summers

Presenting Author- Roger Metzler

Second Author - Hua Mo

Paper 3: Acetylene Catalysts Operating Unstable Catalyst - What We've Learned Sponsor – R Rolke

Presenting Author - Jane Liang-Weissgerber

Presenting Author - Jonathan Lunn

Paper 4: Flare Noise by Zeeco Noise Testing and Prediction Methods for Multipoint Ground Flares

Sponsor- J Edwards

First Author - Scot Smith

Paper 5: Dryer Valves by Lyondell To Err is Human: Mitigating the Hazards of Dryer Switching Operations Sponsor – Carl Harry

Author- Rob D. Fox, Equistar Chemicals, LP

Paper 6: UOP Tutorial under development Sponsor Alan H.

Follow-up actions:

- Schedule next Operations meeting – Richard

Website:

<http://www.aiche.org/conferences/aiche-spring-meeting-and-global-congress-on-process-safety/2017>
submit abstract to Operations sessions. Should be a short paragraph describing the proposed paper.

Conference Timeline:

Call for abstracts: May 23, 2016

Call for abstracts closes: Oct 24, 2016

Papers Accepted/Rejected: Nov 21, 2016

Online registration begins: Dec 14, 2016

AICHE draft paper due: Feb 22, 2017

AICHE final papers due: Mar 1, 2017

AICHE draft slides due: Mar 13, 2017

EPC Conference San Antonio

Location: Hyatt

March 26th – 30th