

MINUTES OF THE TSS MEETING, *DALLAS*

October 27, 1997

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:40pm.

2. Martine Labbé discussed the TSS Dissertation Prize. There were 17 submissions. The committee included Ardekani, Jayakrishnan, Solomon, and van Ryzin. An Honorable Mention was awarded to Kalidas Ashok (MIT) for his work on "Execution and Prediction of Time-Dependant Origin-Destination Flows". Two first prizes were awarded. One to Gregory Glockner (Georgia Tech) for his work on "Dynamic Network Flow with Uncertain Arc Capacity" and the other to Sarah Stock Patterson for her work on "Dynamic Flow Management in Air Transportation".

3. The minutes were approved.

4. There was a discussion with David Simchi-Levy about the new editorial policy at Operations Research.

5. Labbé suggested

6. Crainic suggested that TSS might want to offer several new prizes, including the "Best Practice Paper Prize", the "Best Paper in *Transportation Science* Prize", the "Best Paper in *Transportation* Prize", and the "Best Paper by a Young Researcher".

7. Mahmassani suggested that new awards be introduced slowly.

8. Crainic noted that we will be holding elections for Vice President, Secretary/Treasurer and Council. Nominations are welcome.

9. TSS now ranks 12 out of 28 in terms of membership. There are 410 members in total (including student members) and 292 regular members.

10. Discussions are underway concerning the number of INFORMS meetings that should be held each year. The committee welcomes input.

11. Powell reported that the new Society bylaws have been

14. Thanks were extended to Mahmassani for his efforts in putting coordinating TSS activities at the Dallas meeting.

15. 140 abstracts have been submitted to TRISTAN. Authors will be receiving news shortly.

16. The meeting was adjourned at 7:35.

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that we have a similar discussion with an editor from Management Science at the next meeting.

drafted. A vote may be scheduled for March.

12. There will be two parallel TSS tracks at Montreal, one on ITS and the other on Logistics. In total, TSS will sponsor 29 sessions.

13. Amelia Regan is coordinating TSS activities for the Seattle meeting.

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