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China-Hong Kong (1996)
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Secretary: Dr. Jeff Jianfeng Wang
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China-Taipei (1980)
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France (1949)
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Georgia (2000)
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Germany (1950)
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CISM (1970)
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ICHMT (1972)
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International Committee on Rheology
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International Association for Vehicle System Dynamics
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International Society for the Interaction of Mechanics and Mathematics
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ICF (1978)
International Conference on Fracture
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ICM (1982)
International Congress on Mechanical Behaviour of Materials,
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CACOFD (1992-2010)
Caribbean Congress of Fluid Dynamics
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IABEM (1994)
International Association for Boundary Element Methods
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ISSMO (1996)
International Society for Structural and Multidisciplinary Optimization
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HYDROMAG (1996)
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ICA (1998)
International Commission for Acoustics
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ICTS (2002)
International Congresses on Thermal Stresses
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LACCOTAM (2010)
Latin American and Caribbean Conference on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics
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Based on the assessment of IUTAM, the General Assembly agreed in Cambridge, UK (August 2002) to establish nine Working Parties.

A Working Party in a certain subfield of the mechanics is meant to structure the overlapping activities between IUTAM on the one hand and the relevant Affiliated Organizations and sister International Unions on the other. Also, Working Parties should identify important growth areas of the field.

More detailed background information on Working Parties, including their Terms of Reference, is given in the IUTAM Report on Working Parties.

A listing of the Working Parties and their current membership is given below.
WP-1: Non-Newtonian Fluid Mechanics and Rheology  
Members: Prof. L.G. (Gary) Leal, USA (chair); Prof. A.N. (Antony) Beris;  
Prof. J. R. A. (Anthony) Pearson, UK; Prof. T. (Tam) Sridhar, Australia;  
Prof. D. (Dimitri) Vlassopoulos, Greece; Prof. H. (Hirosi) Watanabe, Japan

WP-2: Dynamical Systems and Mechatronics  
Members: Prof. H.Y. (Hiroshi) Yabuno, Japan (chair); Prof. F.L. (Felix) Chernousko,  
Russia; Prof. R.S. (Robin) Sharp, UK; Prof. M. (Masayoshi) Tomizuka, USA

WP-3: Mechanics of Materials  
Members: Prof. O. (Olivier) Allix, France (chair); Prof. C.T. (Carl) Herakovich, USA;  
Prof. T. (Tatsuo) Inoue, Japan; Prof. S. (Stelios) Kyriakides, USA; Prof. Y. (Yulong) Li,  
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WP-4: Materials Processing  
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WP-5: Computational Fluid and Solid Mechanics  
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WP-6: Biomechanics  
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WP-7: Nano- and Micro-Scale Phenomena in Mechanics  
Members: Prof. W. (Wei) Yang, China (chair); Prof. F. (Fernand) Ellyin, Canada;  
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WP-8: Geophysical and Environmental Mechanics  
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13-1 IUTAM Symposium on Vortex Dynamics: Formation, Structure and Function
Fukuoka, Japan, March 10 – March 14, 2013

The IUTAM Symposium on Vortex Dynamics: Formation, Structure and Function was held at the Centennial Hall, Kyushu University School of Medicine, Fukuoka, Japan, during the week of March 10-14, 2013.

a) Scientific Committee
Yasuhide Fukumoto (Japan – Chairman), Darren G. Crowdy (UK), Stephane Le Dizès (France), Stefan Llewellyn Smith (USA), Paul K. Newton (USA), Renzo L. Ricca (Italy), GertJan van Heijst (Netherlands, IUTAM representative).

b) Short summary of scientific progress achieved
This symposium was a continuation, five years on, of the IUTAM symposium "150 Years of Vortex Dynamics", Lyngby, Denmark, organized by the late Professor Hassan Aref. The symposium started with a recollection of the legacy of the late Professors H. Aref and V. Meleshko, who both passed away in 2010. The continuous development of numerical method and new experimental results has stimulated the development of new mathematical methods and theoretical concepts, bringing in novel techniques in vortex dynamics, in such aspects as vortex equilibria, spectra, instability and nonlinear dynamics of vortices in barotropic and baroclinic fluids, chaos, classical and quantum turbulence, and wall turbulence, flow separation and vortex-body interactions. Topical applications include biological locomotion, environmental problems, and Bose-Einstein condensates in condensed matter theory. The symposium registered the successful progress made over the past five years.

Central issues in theoretical, numerical and experimental aspects of vortex dynamics were covered during the Symposium. Some of the topics followed the themes presented in the IUTAM symposium “Topological Fluid Dynamics”, Cambridge, UK, 2012.

i. The dynamics of point vortices in domains of non-trivial topology, its Hamiltonian formulation and new statistical approaches.
ii. 3D instability of vortices, with effects of compressibility and stratification.
iii. Stratified vortices in the atmosphere and oceans and MHD vortices in astrophysics.
v. Numerical methods for calculating separation of vortices and vortex-vortex interactions with their application to fish and insect locomotion and wind turbines.
vi. Vortex structures and the reconnection of turbulence.
vii. Transition of wall turbulence and bursts in turbulent boundary layer.

The symposium started with a session commemorating the legacy of the work of the late Professors H. Aref and V. Meleshko. Both had a great interest in historical aspects of fluid dynamics. Building on this knowledge, Professor Aref revitalized the study of point vortices, investigating integrable and chaotic motion, chaotic advection and N-vortex equilibria. Professor Meleshko’s interests spanned research areas from fluid to solid mechanics. Following Chaplygin’s work, he developed a theory of the interaction of vortex dipoles, with numerical simulations and laboratory experiments.

New directions discussed at the Symposium included:

- **Vortex methods.** Numerical methods discretizing vorticity with Lagrangian particles/panels have been extended to flows with distributed vorticity on rotating spheres, in stratified flows and in the presence of magnetic field.
- **Numerical methods for calculating vortex shedding.** Methods were presented to calculate vortex shedding from a moving or fixed solid body using a variety of techniques with a goal of investigating the unsteady dynamics of flexible bodies with sharp edges over a wide range of Reynolds number.
- **The statistical behavior of systems of point vortices.** Onsager’s conjecture of self-organization of a large number of point vortices, corresponding to negative temperatures, has been numerically tested with high accuracy. It is claimed that, for point vortices on a sphere, the inverse cascade of the energy is halted, contrary to Onsager’s conjecture, possibly because of lack of ergodicity. On the other hand, a solution whose streamfunction blows up at finite points is found to the mean-field equations governing the statistical equilibria of vortices. The implication of the singularity remains to be explored.
- **Topological aspects.** The Jones polynomial invariant of knot theory was interpreted as a new invariant of ideal vortex dynamics. Vortex motion and streamline topology in multiply connected domains were considered together with their braid word description.
- **Superfluid vortex dynamics.** Common features of classical and quantum turbulence, such as vortex interaction and reconnection, were clarified. The inertial range, with a power law for the energy spectrum, was identified for a sample of trapped superfluid Rb atoms. A model of rotational internal structure for quantum vortices was proposed.
- **Visualization of vortical structure.** Advanced experimental techniques for flow visualization have revealed fine structure in the vortex cores of unstable vortex pairs, interacting with a wall, pairing instability of helical vortices, and polygonal patterns of a rotating flow with a free surface. Combined with theory and DNS for the turbulence in a precessing sphere, it was shown that the bright pattern of reflective flakes does not represent the instantaneous flow field.
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- Vortex-wave interaction. Mathematical methods, as exemplified by singular perturbation techniques and complex-function theory, have been developed for dealing with the back reaction of sound, (internal) gravity and inertial waves on two- and three-dimensional dynamics of vortices with distributed vorticity. The ubiquity of radiative instability was clarified.
- Vortex tubes in turbulence. A method was proposed for numerically tracking the evolution of Lagrangian-like vortex-tube structures in turbulence, through the formation to reconnection at later times. Stretching mechanism of turbulent vortex rings, going through recombinations, was shown to be tied with the Kolmogorov law of the energy spectrum.
- Homogeneous shear and wall-bounded turbulence. Solutions representing intermittent bursts were numerically obtained both by DNS and as nonlinear unstable equilibrium solutions. Strong bursts play an important role for energy production in shear flows which are not subject to inflectional instabilities.

c) Countries represented and number of participants
The meeting attracted 133 participants from institutions located in 16 different countries: Algeria, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Germany, India, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Poland, Russia Federation, Spain, UK, Ukraine and USA. More than 50% of the delegates were from overseas, and 25% of the delegates were postgraduate students or postdoctoral researchers.

d) Publication of Proceedings
A contract to publish selected papers in a Special Issue of Fluid Dynamics Research has been signed with IOP Publishing. The expected date of publication is June 2014.

e) Financial support
The following institutions have provided financial support for the Symposium: IUTAM ($6,000), Expo Commemorative Fund (JPY1,634,000), Ministry of Education, Japan (JPY1,083,000), Japan Sci. Tech. Agency (JPY453,000), Kyushu University (JPY274,000).

f) Scientific program
**Sunday 10 March 2013  Main Topic: Legacy of Profs. Aref and Meleshko**
11h00 Paul Newton (USC, USA) – Hassan Aref and the N–vortex problem
11h30 GertJan van Heijst (Eindhoven University of Technology, Netherlands) – Professor Slava Meleshko and his fascination of vortices
14h00 Darren Crowdy (Imperial College, UK) – Hollow vortices: New results for an old model (Invited)
14h40 Yoshifumi Kimura (Nagoya, Japan) – A route through Kelvin–Helmholtz billows in stably stratified turbulence
15h00 Mark Stremler (Virginia Tech, USA) – On point vortex models of bluff body wakes
15h40 Renzo Ricca (Milano–Bicocca, Italy) – The Jones polynomial as a new invariant of topological fluid dynamics
16h00 Stephane Le Dizèes (IRPHE, France) – Radiative instability of vortices
16h20 Stefan Llewellyn Smith (UCSD, USA) – Compressible point vortices
17h00 Luca Zannetti (Politecnico di Torino, Italy) – Models for inviscid wakes past bluff bodies
17h20 Vitalii Ostrovskyi (USC, USA) – Stability of icosahedral point vortex configurations on a sphere
17h40 GertJan van Heijst (Eindhoven University of Technology, Netherlands) – Point vortex motion inside a circular domain – short tribute to Slava Meleshko

Monday 11 March 2013  Main Topic: Vortices in Stratified and Rotating Fluids
09h00 Paul Billant (LadHyX, France) – Towards a theory for vortex filaments in stratified–rotating fluids (Invited)
09h40 Xavier Carton (UBO, France) – Stability of cyclones and anticyclones in a multi–layer quasi–geostrophic model, with application to mediterranean water eddies
10h00 Yue–Kin Tsang (St Andrews, UK) – Ageostrophic effects on the evolution of ellipsoidal vortices
10h40 Hiroshi Niino (Tokyo, Japan) – An idealized numerical experiment on tropical cyclogenesis due to breakdown of intertropical convergence zone
11h00 David Dritschel (St Andrews, Scotland, UK) – Onsager's conjecture of self–organisation and the inverse cascade of inviscid two–dimensional turbulence on a sphere
11h20 Freddy Bouchet (ENS–Lyon, France) – Stochastic averaging, large deviations, and random transitions for the dynamics of 2D and geostrophic turbulent vortices
11h40 Atsushi Mizuta (Kyoto, Japan) – Transition of universality observed in 2D inverse cascade

Main Topic: Topological Vorticity Dynamics
15h20 P. J. Morrison (Texas, USA) – Calculation of vortex states using dissipative structures with Dirac constraint theory (Invited)
16h00 Gregory Baker (Ohio State, USA) – Behavior of the curvature on the boundaries of vortex patches
16h20 Tsutomu Kambe (Tokyo, Japan) – Superfluid flow can be rotational?
17h00 Tom Ashbee (UCL, UK) – Generalized Hamiltonian point vortex dynamics on arbitrary domains using the method of fundamental solutions
17h20 Takashi Sakajo (Hokkaido, Japan) – Streamline topologies for structurally stable vortex flows in multiply connected domains and their word representations
Tuesday 12 March 2013  Main Topic: Stability of Vortices
09h00 Charles H. K. Williamson (Cornell, USA) – Flow phenomena, vortex dynamics and instabilities of vortex pairs (Invited)
09h40 Thomas Leweke (CNRS, France) – Experiments on the pairing instability in helical vortices
10h00 Philippe Meliga (CNRS, France) – A weakly nonlinear mechanism for mode selection in swirling jets
10h40 David Fabre (Toulouse, France) – Instabilities of a swirling flow with a free surface
11h00 Oleg Kirillov (Helmholtz–Zentrum Dresden–Rossendorf, Germany) – WKB instability thresholds of the magnetized cylindrical Couette–Taylor flow in helical magnetic fields
11h20 Takayuki Gau (Tohoku, Japan) – Modal and non–modal stability of two–dimensional Taylor–Green vortices
11h40 Xavier Riedinger (Exeter, UK) – Shear instability in shallow water with a smoothed broken velocity profile

Wednesday 13 March 2013  Main Topic: Vorticity in Turbulence
09h00 D. I. Pullin (Caltech, USA) – Whither vortex tubes? (Invited)
09h40 Robert Kerr (Warwick, UK) – Moment growth and scaling near reconnection
10h00 Bartosz Protas (McMaster, Canada) – Vortices, maximum growth and the problem of finite–time singularity formation
10h40 Atsushi Sekimoto (Universidad Politecnica Madrid, Spain) – Inclined–vortex solutions in homogeneous shear flow
11h00 Javier Jiménez (Universidad Politecnica, Spain) – Bursting in shear flows
11h20 Mikio Hino (Tokyo Institute of Technology, Japan) – The large–scale coherent structure of plant canopy flows
11h40 Saleh Tanveer (Ohio State, USA) – Rigorous analytical approximations for Blasius similarity solution

Main Topic: Environmental and Biological Vorticity Dynamics
15h20 Yuji Ohya (Kyushu, Japan) – Bluff body flow and vortex (Invited)
16h00 Dmitry Kolomenskiy (CERFACS, France) – Vortex shedding from rotating wings
16h20 Scott Kelly (North Carolina at Charlotte, USA) – Self–propulsion of free solid bodies via localized singular vortex shedding in two– and three–dimensional ideal fluids
17h00 Chuijie Wu (Dalian University of Technology, China) – Vorticity dynamics and swimming control of 3D bionic fish
Thursday 14 March 2013  Main Topic: Creation of Vortices and Vortex Methods
09h00 Shigeo Kida (Doshisha, Japan) – Bright pattern of reflective flakes in a precessing sphere (Invited)
09h40 Robert Krasny (Michigan, USA) – A particle/panel method for the barotropic vorticity equation on a rotating sphere
10h00 Monika Nitsche (New Mexico, USA) – Viscous starting flow past flat plates
10h40 Carlo Barenghi (Newcastle, UK) – Turbulent vortex filaments
11h00 Vanderlei Bagnato (Sao Paulo, Brazil) – Quantum turbulence in an atomic trapped superfluid: Main characteristics and the observation of power law in the kinetic energy spectrum
11h20 Eva Kanso (USC, USA) – Dipole lattices
11h40 Alexander Kilin (Udmurt State, Russia) – The dynamics of vortex rings: leapfrogging, choreographies and the stability problem

Main Topic: Equilibria and Statistics of Vortices
13h40 Paolo Luzzatto-Fegiz (Cambridge, UK) – Bifurcation structure and stability of families of two–dimensional, opposite–signed vortex pairs (Invited)
14h20 Zensho Yoshida (Tokyo, Japan) – Unfreezing Casimir invariants — application to a Hamiltonian description of tearing–mode instability
14h40 Daniel Freilich (UCSD, USA) – Sadovskii–type vortex model
15h20 Gavin Esler (UCL, UK) – Statistical fluctuations of the vorticity distribution of a neutral point vortex gas
15h40 Hiroshi Ohtsuka (Miyazaki, Japan) – On some properties of mean fields of equilibrium vortices described by the Hamiltonian of vortices
16h00 Pierre–Henri Chavanis (Laboratoire de Physique Theorique, France) – Statistical mechanics of geophysical flows in the Gaussian approximation

Poster data
A1. Nadezhda Erdakova (Udmurt State, Russia) - On the dynamics of point vortices in an annular region
A2. Marie Farge (ENS, France) - Production of dissipative vortices by solid bodies in incompressible fluid flows: Comparison between Prandtl, Navier–Stokes and Euler solutions
A3. Patrick Folz (UCSD, USA) - Asymmetric vortex interactions in the presence of background shear
A4. Yasuhide Fukumoto (Kyushu, Japan) - Lagrangian approach to weakly nonlinear interaction of Kelvin waves and a symmetry-breaking bifurcation of a rotating flow
A5. Keita Iga (Tokyo, Japan) - Various phenomena on a water vortex in a cylindrical tank over a rotating bottom
A6. Tatiana Ivanova (Udmurt State, Russia) - Numerical and analytical researches on the equilibrium of a liquid self-gravitating elliptic cylinder with internal rotation
A7. Andrzej Kosior (Wrocław University of Technology, Poland) - Influence of the viscosity on vortex tube reconnection using vortex particle method and parallel computations on GPUs
A8. Tomasz Kozlowski (Wrocław University of Technology, Poland) - Numerical study of vortex wake behind the flapping profile
A9. Paul Krueger (Southern Methodist, USA) - On the vorticity distribution in thick-core vortex rings formed by transient jet ejection from a tube
A10. Henryk Kudela (Wrocław University of Technology, Poland) - Self-similar collapse of n-vortices
A11. Yuko Matsumoto (Numazu College of Technology, Japan) - A dynamical system of interacting dipoles in two-dimensional flows
A12. Mikhail Sokolovskiy (Water Problems Institute of RAS, Russia) - Generalized choreographies in vortex problems of geophysical fluid dynamics
A13. Kazuyuki Ueno (Tohoku, Japan) - A density of impulse for incompressible flow fields
A14. John Wells (Ritsumeikan, Japan) - Kinematical and dynamical effects of vorticity at a free surface
A15. Yuichi Yatsuyanagi (Shizuoka, Japan) - Observation of locally different temperature for equilibrium two-dimensional point vortex system
A16. Junshi Ito (Tokyo, Japan) - Formation mechanism of dust devil-like vortices in atmospheric boundary layers
A17. Xavier Perrot (St Andrews, UK) - 3D interaction of vortex in a QG model with buoyancy boundary condition
A18. Francesco Volponi (Tokyo, Japan) - Linear convection and the accretion of nearly Keplerian hydrodynamic discs with full stratification
A19. Yasunori Maekawa (Kobe, Japan) - On the inviscid limit problem for viscous incompressible flows in the half plane
A20. Sherwin Maslowe (McGill, Canada) - Inviscid instability of a trailing vortex with Moore-Saffman velocity profiles
A21. Takahiro Nishiyama (Yamaguchi, Japan) - Algebraic approach to non-integrability of streamlines in a steady Stokes flow
A22. Ken Sawada (Meteorological Col., Japan) - Mean field equation for vortex filament systems in the continuous path model
B1. Tadashi Ohtsuka (Kyushu, Japan) - Performance of an anisotropy-resolving subgrid-scale model for complex turbulence with massive flow separation
B2. Dmytro Cherniy (Kiev Taras Shevchenko, Ukraine) - The vortex model of a viscid wall’s layer
B3. Alexandre Gourjii (National tech. Univ., Ukraine) - Modeling of propagation of a passive impurity on the surface of sea straits
B4. Makoto Iima (Hiroshima, Japan) - Synchronization of two spring-loaded cylinders in a uniform flow
B5. Katsuya Ishii (Nagoya, Japan) - Vortical flow structure of the Taconis oscillations in a closed tube
B6. Taizo Kobayashi (Kyushu, Japan) - Interaction between compressible fluid and sound in a flue instrument.
B7. Hamid Oualli (Ecole Mili. Polytechnique, Algeria) - Taylor vortices destruction using the inner cylinder cross-section variation in presence of flow free surface
B8. Evgeny Ryzhov (V.I. Il’ichev Pacific Oceanological Institute, Russia) - Self-propagating vortex pair passing over delta-shaped submerged obstacle
B9. Junya Yoshida (Tokyo Univ. Agri. and Tech., Japan) - Collision of a vortex ring on the granular layer
B10. Valery Zyryanov (Institute of Waters Problems of RAS, Russia) - Toroidal vortices over submarine obstacles
B11. Yuji Hattori (Tohoku, Japan) - Evolution of localized disturbances in the elliptical flow
B12. Tatsuya Yasuda (Osaka, Japan) - Large-eddy simulation of hyperbolic stagnation-point flow
B13. Yohei Kawazura (Tokyo, Japan) - Structure formation of thermal-driven plasma turbulence
B14. Konstantin Koshel (V.I. Il’ichev Pacific Oceanological Institute, Russia) - Parametric instability of a point-vortex pair in a flow with shear and rotation
B15. Takeshi Matsumoto (Kyoto, Japan) - Stretching and compression dynamics in a turbulent viscoelastic fluid flow
B16. Chihiro Matsuoka (Ehime, Japan) - Nonlinear motion of non-uniform double current-vortex sheets in magnetohydrodynamic flows
B17. Katsunobu Nishihara (Osaka, Japan) - Magnetic field amplification by the Richtmyer-Meshkov instability and dynamics of nonuniform double-current vortex with density stratification
B18. Takayoshi Sano (Osaka, Japan) - Magnetic field amplification associated with the nonlinear growth of Richtmyer-Meshkov instability
B19. Yoichi Sawamura (Nagoya, Japan) - Numerical simulations of vortex generation and evolution around a maple seed using a volume penalization method
B20. Kai Schneider (Aix-Marseille, France) - Self-organization of three-dimensional magnetohydrodynamic flows in confined toroidal geometries
B21. S. Sharma (IIT Bombay, India) - Control of Benard-Karman instability by means of streamwise vortices generated by obliquely segmented blunt trailing edge
B22. Masaki Shimizu (Osaka, Japan) - The splitting of a turbulent puff in pipe flow

Report composed by Y. Fukumoto
The IUTAM Symposium on Nonlinear Interfacial Wave Phenomena from the micro- to the macro-scale was held at the Mediterranean Beach Hotel, Limassol, Cyprus, during the week of April 14–18, 2013.

a) Scientific and Organizing Committee
Onno Bokhove (Netherlands), Thomas Bridges (UK), Paul Christodoulides (Cyprus), Frederic Dias (IUTAM Representative), James Duncan (USA), Mark Groves (Germany), Omar Matar (UK), Touvia Miloh (Israel), Demetrios Papageorgiou (UK – Chair of the Organizing Committee), Yiorgos Smyrlis (Cyprus, Organizing Committee), Jean-Marc Vanden-Broeck (UK, Organizing Committee).

b) Short summary of scientific progress achieved
This symposium brought together researchers working on viscous and inviscid interfacial phenomena with an aim to exchange ideas and knowledge of their respective fields. There are several instances where the mathematical approaches share common tools, including the use of asymptotic analysis to develop reduced models, the use of dynamical systems theory to analyze emerging equations, the use of analytic function theory to solve inviscid or highly viscous flows, and the use of boundary integral or boundary element methods to simulate the flows directly. The symposium as expected succeeded to advance the field by nurturing and supporting interdisciplinary research in nonlinear interfacial waves.

The emergence of new technologies and miniaturization has produced many applications, which can benefit significantly from a fundamental understanding of interfacial waves in complex physical systems. Examples include micro-manufacturing, coating technologies and heat or mass transfer enhancement. Such flows are characterized by small Reynolds numbers and are driven by interfacial forces such as capillarity, Marangoni forces and electrostatic stresses, for instance. Even though viscosity is dominant, nonlinear dynamics can emerge which support coherent structures such as solitary waves, with very intricate mathematical properties and behavior. In addition to waves of permanent form and their interactions, the evolution can terminate in finite time singularities that are a precursor of topological transitions or substrate touchdown. Such structures are of fundamental mathematical and physical interest because they are special solutions of the Navier-Stokes equations in multi-fluid flows.

On the macro-scale interfacial wave phenomena are primarily inviscid and are driven by inertial effects induced by gravitational forces. Applications include
oceanography and metereology. Even though linear phenomena are well understood, their nonlinear counterparts have only recently proven amenable to both rigorous analysis and computation. Many challenging problems exist including the existence and stability of three-dimensional traveling waves in the presence or absence of vorticity.

The Symposium served as a catalyst to bring people working in viscous and inviscid flows to collaborate. Several such synergies were explored and are currently being pursued with examples ranging from inviscid limits of mixed type conservation laws (with applications in multi fluid flows), to viscous effects on the hydrodynamics of pilot wave models.

c) Countries represented and number of participants
The number of registered participants reached 45, 14 of which were graduate students or postdoctoral researchers, from 10 countries, namely Brazil, Cyprus, France, Ireland, Israel, the Netherlands, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, United Kingdom and United States of America.

d) Publication of Proceedings
A contract to publish Proceedings in the online Procedia IUTAM series was signed with Elsevier, with the actual date of publication being February 2014.

e) Financial and other support
The following institutions have provided financial and other support for the Symposium: IUTAM (€3150), Cyprus University of Technology (€2000), University of Cyprus (€2000), Cyprus Mathematical Society (equipment and stationery), Cyprus Tourism Organization (information material).

f) Scientific program

**Monday, 15 April 2013**
09h00 Paul Milewski (University of Bath, UK), Nonlinear three dimensional capillary gravity waves: focussing and breathers
09h30 Andre Nachbin (Instituto Nacional de Matemática Pura e Aplicada, Brazil), A hydrodynamic pilot wave model: generation and propagation
10h00 Wooyoung Choi (Korea Advanced Institute of Technology, Republic of Korea), A theoretical and experimental study of the generation of internal solitary waves in a two-layer system
11h00 Michael Siegel (New Jersey Institute of Technology, USA), A numerical method for induced-charge electro-kinetic flow with deformable interfaces
11h30 Ehud Yariv (Technion–Israel Institute of Technology, Israel), Electrophoresis of bubbles
12h00 Ory Schnitzer (Technion–Israel Institute of Technology, Israel), Taylor-Melcher electrohydrodynamics: a coarse-grained electrokinetic model?
12h30 Soteris Kalogirou (Cyprus University of Technology, Cyprus), The effect of air flow on building an integrated photovoltaic (BIPV)
14h30 James Duncan (University of Maryland, USA), The non-linear response of a water free surface to a pressure distribution moving at constant speed
15h00 Alexander Dyachenko (Novosibirsk State University, Russia), Compact dynamical equation for 2-D water waves
15h30 Ricardo Barros (Instituto Nacional de Matemática Pura e Aplicada, Brazil), Elementary stratified flows with stability at low Richardson number
16h30 Dmitri Tseluiko (Loughborough University, UK), Instabilities in non-local active-dissipative equations arising in the modeling of thin liquid films.
17h00 Yiorgos Smyrlis (University of Cyprus, Cyprus), On the analyticity of certain dissipative-dispersive dynamical systems

Tuesday, 16 April 2013
09h00 Anne Juel (University of Manchester, UK), Oscillatory bubbles induced by geometric constraint
09h30 Nikos Savva (Cardiff University, UK), Contact line dynamics on heterogeneous substrates
10h00 Sergey Shklyaev (Institute of Continuous Media Mechanics–UB RAS, Russia), Marangoni convection in a binary liquid: Modulational instability of perfectly periodic wavy patterns
11h00 David Ambrose (Drexel University, USA), Traveling waves with multi-valued height
11h30 Yehuda Agnon (Technion–Israel Institute of Technology, Israel), Linear and nonlinear complementary mild slope equations (CMSE) for surface waves and interfacial waves
12h00 Zhan Wang (University College London, UK), Flexural-gravity solitary waves in deep water
12h30 Emilian Parau (University of East Anglia, UK), Fully nonlinear hydroelastic solitary waves on deep and shallow water
14h30 Jean-Marc Vanden-Broeck (University College London, London, UK), Non-periodic gravity waves in water of infinite depth
15h00 Frederic Dias (University College Dublin, Ireland & ENS Cachan, France), An analytical model for wave energy converters
15h30 Demetrios Papageorgiou (Imperial College London, UK), Nonlinear interfacial dynamics in stratified multilayer channel flows
16h30 Cleopatra Christoforou (University of Cyprus, Cyprus), Isometric Immersions via Fluid Dynamics
17h00 Paul Christodoulides (Cyprus University of Technology, Cyprus), Microfluidics in microstructure optical fibers: flows and heat flux
Wednesday, 17 April 2013
09h00 Karima Khusnutdinova (Loughborough University, UK), On Kadomtsev-Petviashvili equation in various geometries
09h30 George Kaoullas (University of Cyprus, Cyprus), Trapped continental shelf waves
10h00 Brenny van Groesen, Reconstruction and forecast of ocean and sea waves from radar images
11h00 Claudio Viotti (University College Dublin, Ireland), Emergence of coherent structures in deep-water random seas
11h30 Denys Dutykh (Universite de Savoie, France), Extreme wave run-up on a vertical cliff
12h00 Andreas Anayiotos (Cyprus University of Technology, Cyprus), Head rotation causes geometric changes, reduced flow and altered hemodynamics in the carotid bifurcation
12h30 Katerina Kaouri (Intercollege, Cyprus) Accelerating through the sound speed and other wave problems related to sonic boom research

Report composed by P. Christodoulides and D.T. Papageorgiou
The IUTAM Symposium on Recent Development of Experimental Techniques Under Impact Loading was held at Northwestern Polytechnical University, Xi’an, Shaanxi, P.R. China on May 6-10, 2013.

a) Scientific Committee
Y.L. Li (China–Chair), H. Zhao (France–Co-Chair), M. Langseth (Norway), K.T. Ramesh (USA), D. Rittel (Israel), N. Petrinic (U.K), T. Yokoyama (Japan), B. Freund (IUTAM representative, USA)

b) Short summary of scientific progress achieved
The behavior under impact loading of materials has been a constant research interest in the past decades and the finding in this domain is mainly driven by the development of the experimental techniques. Recently, many new experimental techniques in this domain have been developed to enrich the available experimental data. For example, with the high speed camera, optical or infrared image analysis has been used under impact loading for strain or temperature field measurement. Meanwhile, numerical simulation becomes also a common tool for experimental workers to design and better understand testing results. Therefore, with the aim of bringing together experimental scientists working in the domain of impact loading to exchange their recent innovations, the IUTAM Symposium on Recent Development of Experimental Techniques Under Impact Loading was held at Xi’an, China on May 6-10, 2013.

33 presentations addressed the following topics:
- on the new development of dynamic SHPB technique
- new loading frame and multiaxial loading
- new development on measurement
- Extremely loading environment
- Characterization of new material /structures under impact loading

The details are given in the following:
1) The new development of dynamic SHPB technique is one of the interesting topic on the Symposium, such as presentations “On the use of hopkinson pressure bar devices for analyzing the behavior of concrete at high strain-rates”, “The dynamic tensile behavior of 2D-C-SiC composite under high strain rates at elevated temperatures”, “Experimental and computational study on effects of specimen slenderness ratio and ratio between specimen and pressure bars in the SHPB tests”, “Parametric identification for material of viscoelastic SHPB from wave propagation incorporating geometrical effects”, “Experimental and Numerical investigation of impact behavior of steel sheets depending on the projectile shapes”, “Influence
analysis of specimen’s properties on friction effect at specimen ends in SHPB tests”, “Dynamic tensile failure of MEMS single crystal silicon components”, “Dynamic fragmentation tests of metallic materials using a SHPB based expanding ring technique”.

2) On new loading frame and multiaxial loading, the presentations are: “High strain rate biaxial testing of sheet materials”, “Effect of stress triaxiality on polymer failure under dynamic loading”, “Dynamic behavior of aluminum honeycombs under mixed compression/shear loadings and effects of cells in-plane orientation”, “Impact testing of cellular material under combined hearing-compressive loading”.

3) On the new development on measurement, the related presentations are: “Development of techniques to measure the transient behaviour of plates subjected to close proximity blast loading”, “Recent development of some inverse analyses for experimental investigation on dynamic response of materials under impact loading”, “Impact compressive deformation of synthetic quartz accompanied by electromagnetic waves”, “Dynamic measurements during shock wave loading: synchrotron X-ray diagnostics and high temperature calibration standard”.

4) Extremely loading environment
“Ultrasonic impact loading with an intermediate striker”, “Investigation on constitutive models characterizing fcc and bcc metals over wide temperature and strain rate ranges”, “Transient response of square plates subjected to blast loads: experiments investigating different degrees of confinement”, “CQ-4 pulsed power generator for ramp-wave loading”.

5) Characterization of new material /structures under impact loading
“Response of a cellular rod with varying cross-section under impact”, Spallation behavior of bulk metallic glasses”, “Microscopic observation of damage accumulation in brittle solids subjected to dynamic compressive loading”, “On the dynamically stored energy of cold work in pure single and polycrystalline copper”, “Investigation on hypervelocity impact of 2D plain-woven C/SiC composite”, “On the composite laminates unstability under high speed impact”, “Dynamic behavior of poly (lactic acid)/poly (butylene adipate-co-terephthalate) polymer alloys”, “Modelling of damage and permeability of concrete subjected to dynamic loads”, “Collision and rebounding of circular rings on rigid target”, “Long rod penetration of tungsten-fiber/metallic-glass matrix composite material into steel target”, “Nonlinear waves in rubber: strain-rate and hysteretic effects”.

c) Countries represented and number of participants
The meeting attracted 45 participants, who came from institutions located in 9 different countries: China, France (five participants), Japan (three participants), Singapore (three participants), Israel (one participant), South Africa (two participants), Canada (one participant), UK (one participant) and USA (two participants).
**d) Publication of Proceedings**

A contract to publish Proceedings in the online Procedia IUTAM series has been signed with Elsevier. Submissions to the International Journal of Impact Engineering were due on December 15, 2013.

**e) Financial Support**
The following institutions have provided financial support for the Symposium: IUTAM (USD 2000), 111 project of China (B07050) (RMB 11700), National Natural Science Foundation of China (NSFC) (10932008) (RMB 30000), NWPU (RMB 80000).

**f) Scientific Program**

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| **Session Chairman:** Prof. G.N. Nurick |
| **10:40-11:20** | Dr. Bin Wang, U. K.: Experimental and Numerical investigation of impact behavior of steel sheets depending on the projectile shapes |
| **11:20-12:00** | Prof. G.S. Langdon, University of Cape Town, South Africa: Development of techniques to measure the transient behaviour of plates subjected to close proximity blast loading |

| **Session Chairman:** Prof. Eric Markiewicz |
| **2:00-2:40** | Prof. Fangyun Lu, National University of Defense Technology, P.R. China: Influence analysis of specimen’s properties on friction effect at specimen ends in SHPB tests |
| **2:40-3:20** | Prof. P. Forquin, Lorraine University, France: On the use of hopkinson pressure bar devices for analyzing the behavior of concrete at high strain-rates |

| **Session Chairman:** Prof. Fangyun Lu |
| **3:40-4:20** | Prof. V. Grolleau, Universite de Bretagne Sud, France: High strain rate biaxial testing of sheet materials |
| **4:20-5:00** | Prof. X.W. Chen, China Academy of Engineering Physics, China: Long rod penetration of tungsten-fiber/metallic-glass matrix composite material into steel target |

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**Report composed by Yulong Li**
IUTAM Symposium on Materials and Interfaces under High Strain Rate and Large Deformation
Metz, France, June 17 – June 21, 2013

a) Scientific committee
Co chairs: S. Mercier, University of Lorraine, Metz, France and J.F. Molinari, Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, Lausanne, Switzerland

Members: Prof. G. Kanel, Institute for High temperatures of Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russia, Prof. M. Ortiz, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, USA, Prof. K. T. Ramesh, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, USA, Prof. G. Ravichandran, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, USA, Prof. D. Rittel, Technion Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel

IUTAM representatives: Prof. N.K. Gupta, Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi, New Delhi, India, Prof. O. Allix, LMT Cachan, ENS Cachan, Cachan, France

b) Short summary of scientific progress achieved
The scope of symposium was to present the actual state of the art in terms of response of materials and interfaces under dynamic conditions and large deformation. Materials and interfaces are subject to extreme conditions in numerous applications such as impacts, explosions, high-speed processes and forming. In many of these problems the mechanical response of the bulk materials is intimately related to the behaviour of material interfaces. Physical mechanisms, which govern the response, span length scales that range from the nano-scale to the level of structures. These have been addressed by different means, with a balance between theoretical developments, experimental investigations and numerical simulations.

45 talks were given during the symposium and were organized in five sessions
- Interfaces
- Fracture
- Material Instabilities, Strain Localization
- Material Response
- Waves, Impacts, Shocks

A wide range of novel theories, models, experiments and simulations have been proposed to understand the response of materials and interfaces at high strain rate and large deformation. The talks were of very high quality. The discussions have been very lively which demonstrated that the symposium had reached its goal, i.e. promoting exchanges between the communities involved in the dynamic behavior of materials and the interface response community. Excellent feedback has
been gathered from the participants who also considered that the Symposium had achieved a good balance between generations of scientists.

c) **Countries represented and number of participants**

63 registered delegates from 13 countries: USA(14), Israel(3), Germany(1), Spain(6), Italy(3), UK(1), the Netherlands(3), France(24), Romania(1), Switzerland(4), Japan(1), Russia (1), Turkey (1). In addition to the 63 registered delegates, Ph.D. students and staff members of the LEM3 have attended the conference.

d) **Publication of Proceedings of the Symposium**

After the conference, a special issue of the Journal “Mechanics of Materials” is planned for 2014. Note that the submission of papers is due to end of October 2013. This special issue will be published by the two chairmen of the symposium together with Prof. Daniel Rittel. More than 25 participants have already expressed their intention to contribute to this special issue.

e) **Financial support**

IUTAM, LSMS laboratory (EPFL), LEM3 laboratory (University of Lorraine), Dymat, Région Lorraine, Metz Metropole, CNRS, University of Lorraine, Fédération GI2M provided financial support (total amount of 16500 euros). These grants have been used partially to provide financial support (full or partial) to participants. Full expenses have been supported by the conference for 3 participants. In addition, 22 participants received some grants to support registration fees.

f) **Scientific program**

45 presentations were given during the five days of the conference.

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<td>Molecular tailoring of interfaces using self-assembled monolayers, P.H. Geubelle</td>
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<td>Dynamic behaviour of finite thickness cohesive interfaces, M. Corrado</td>
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### Session Waves, Impacts, Shocks

- Frequency and dispersion of flexural waves in fluid-filled tubes subject to axial impact, K. Inaba
- Shock-induced phase transitions in thermoelastic bars: riemann problems and applications, C. Făciu
- Pulse splitting, bending, and combining in 2d and 3d granular networks, A. Leonard

### Session Material Response

- Understanding the ignition of energetic materials under dynamic loading: a multiscale thermomechanical challenge, H. Trumel
- Dynamic perforation of thermoviscoplastic plates by rigid projectiles and shape effects, A. Rusinek

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**Tuesday, June 18**

### Session Material Response

- The secret lives of twins, K.T. Ramesh
- Rate sensitivity according to discrete dislocation plasticity, P.K. Agnihotri
- Dislocations in prestressed ductile materials, D. Bigoni

### Session Fracture

- Deformation and failure of metals subjected to laser shock loading, M. A. Meyers
- Constitutive behavior of porous ductile materials accounting for micro-inertia and void shape, S. Mercier
- Evidences of material strengthening at very high strain rates – plastic deformation of explosively formed projectiles – charpy energy at high impact velocities, H. Couque

### Session Material Response

- High strain rate response of an elastomer at high pressure, R. Clifton
- The dynamic performance of ultra high molecular weight polyethylene fibre composites, V.S. Deshpande
- Dynamic behavior of polymers and polymer nanocomposites: modeling and simulations, S. Ahzi

### Material Instabilities, Strain Localization

- Dynamic stability of transient states in structures subjected to high strain rate,
N. Triantafyllidis  
Analysis of adiabatic shear banding in machining, X. Soldani  
Instabilities in dynamic fracture, E. Bouchbinder

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High-pressure hugoniot measurements using mach reflections, G. Ravichandran |

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| Numerical implementation and application of a model for plastic porous materials incorporating void shape effects, J.B. Leblond  
New analytic criterion describing the combined effect of pressure and third invariant on yielding of porous aggregates, O. Cazacu  
On characteristic parameters involved in dynamic fragmentation processes, F. Hild |

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| Effect of rate on the statistics of ductile fracture surface roughness, A. Needleman  
Microstructural effects on ductile damage of polycrystalline materials, R.A. Lebensohn  
Some aspects of inertia in porous ductile solids subjected to dynamic loading, N. Jacques |

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| Slip precursors at frictional interfaces, J.F. Molinari  
Effect of deformation of deformation-induced surface roughening on metal-polymer interface integrity, J. van Beeck  
Dynamic crack growth along curved interfaces in composite and bonded polymer materials, D. Coker |

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| On the onset of adiabatic shear failure, D. Rittel  
On the complete extinction of selected imperfection wavelengths in dynamically expanded ductile rings, J. A. Rodríguez-Martínez |
Energy-based variational modelling for adiabatic shear band structure, L. Stainier

16:15 PM – 17:45     Session Fracture

Dynamic fragmentation in ductile materials via optimal transportation meshfree method, A. Pandolfi
Gradient damage models coupled with plasticity, J.J. Marigo
Dynamic vs quasi-static shear failure of high strength metallic alloys: experiment and modeling, P. Longère

Friday, June 21

9:00 AM-10:30 AM     Session Fracture

On bounded rate constitutive model: application to objective failure prediction, O. Allix
Effect of strain rate, stress triaxiality and lode parameter on ductile fracture, D. Mohr
Cohesive zone modelling of dynamic failure in brittle materials, S. Hiermaier

11:00 AM-12:00 PM     Session Interfaces

Study of friction and wear mechanisms at high sliding speed, G. List
Crack propagation through glass-adhesive interface driven by dynamic loading, W. Chen

Report composed by S. Mercier
a) Scientific Committee

- M. Papadrakakis, National Technical University of Athens, Greece (Chairman)
- O. Allix, Ecole Normale Supérieure de Cachan, France (Representative of IUTAM)
- S. Mariani, Politecnico di Milano, Italy
- P.M. Mariano, University of Florence, Italy
- G. Stefanou, National Technical University of Athens, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece
- Weinan E, Princeton University, USA
- X.F. Xu, Beijing Jiaotong University, China

b) Short summary of scientific progress achieved

Over the last few years, the intense research activity at microscale and nanoscale reflected the need to account for disparate levels of uncertainty from various sources and across scales. As even over-refined deterministic approaches are not able to account for this issue, an efficient blending of stochastic and multiscale methodologies is required to provide a rational framework for the analysis and design of materials and structures. The purpose of the Symposium was to promote achievements in uncertainty quantification combined with multiscale modeling and to encourage research and development in this growing field with the aim of improving the safety and reliability of engineered materials and structures.

Special emphasis was placed on multiscale material modeling and simulation as well as on the multiscale analysis and uncertainty quantification of fracture mechanics of heterogeneous media. The homogenization of two-phase random media was also thoroughly examined in several presentations. Various problems of multiscale stochastic mechanics, such as identification of material models, scale coupling, modeling of random microstructures, analysis of CNT-reinforced composites and stochastic finite elements, have been analyzed and discussed. A large number of papers were finally devoted to innovative methods in stochastic structural dynamics.

c) Countries represented and number of lecturers

39 participants from 12 countries: Austria (1), Belgium (2), China (4), Czech Republic (4), Denmark (1), France (4), Germany (6), Greece (9), Italy (3), Japan (1), UK (1), USA (3).

d) Publication of Proceedings of the Symposium

The Proceedings of the Symposium will be published by Springer within 2014.
e) Financial support
The Scientific Committee is indebted to IUTAM for the financial support to some of the participants. Additional sponsorship provided by the Operational Program “Education and Lifelong Learning”, co-financed by the European Social Fund (ESF) and the Greek State, is gratefully acknowledged.

f) Scientific Program
The full scientific program is as follows:

Monday, 9 September
08:45 - 10:45 MULTISCALE MODELING AND SIMULATION
Chair: D. Vandepitte
On Multiscale Simulation for Solving Industrial Problems: The Non-Intrusive Paradigm
Olivier Allix
Multiscale Modeling of Anisotropic Inelastic Effects in Filled Rubbers
Mikhail Itskov, Roozbeh Dargazany, Khiêm Ngoc Vu
Viscoplastic Multiscale Modeling of Carbon Nanotube Reinforced Composites
Vissarion Papadopoulos, Dimitrios Savvas
Multiscale Modeling Of Magnetorheological Elastomers Under Large Deformation
Paul Steinmann, George Chatzigeorgiou, Ali Javili

11:00 - 13:00 DAMAGE AND FRACTURE
Chair: O. Allix
A Framework for the Multiscale Analysis and Uncertainty Quantification of Fracture Mechanics of Heterogeneous Media
Leon Dimas, Tristan Giesa, Markus Buehler
Fracture Simulations of Concrete Using Discrete Meso-Level Model with Random Fluctuations of Material Parameters
Jan Eliáš, Miroslav Vořechovský
Fracture In Quasicrystals: Vistas
Paolo Maria Mariano, Enrico Radi
Sequentially Linear Analysis of Structures with Stochastic Material Properties
George Stefanou, Manolis Georgioudakis, Manolis Papadrakakis

14:15 – 15:15 INVERSE PROBLEMS - IDENTIFICATION
Chair: X.F. Xu
Identification of a Mesoscale Model with Multiscale Experimental Observations
Manh Tu Nguyen, Christophe Desceliers, Christian Soize
Using Experimentally Determined Resonant Behaviour to Estimate the Design Parameter Variability of Thermoplastic Honeycomb Sandwich Structures
Stijn Debruyne, Dirk Vandepitte, Korneel Van Massenhove
15:30 - 18:00 HOMOGENIZATION

**Chair:** P. Steinmann

DLO Prediction of Strength Properties of Matrix-Inclusion Materials Using Random Variables

*Sebastian Bauer, Roman Lackner*

Homogenization of Crack Toughness as a Depinning Transition

*Stéphane Roux, Sylvain Patinet, Damien Vandembroucq*

An Adaptive Strategy for the Stochastic Homogenization and the Multiscale Stochastic Stress Analysis

*Sei-ichiro Sakata*

Homogenization of Random Heterogeneous Media with Inclusions of Arbitrary Shape

*George Stefanou, Dimitrios Savvas, Manolis Papadrakakis, George Deodatis*

FFT-Based Method for Homogenization of Periodic Media: Finite Element Formulation and Reliable Error Bounds on Homogenized Coefficients

*Jaroslav Vondřejc, Jan Zeman, Jan Novák, Ivo Marek*

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**Tuesday, 10 September**

09:00 - 10:30 MULTISCALE STOCHASTIC MECHANICS - I

**Chair:** G. Stefanou

A Coupling Method for Stochastic Continuum Models at Different Scales

*Régis Cottereau, Yves Le Guennec, Didier Clouteau, Christian Soize*

Stochastic Multiscale Coupling

*Hermann Matthies*

A Note on Scale-Coupling Mechanics

*Xi Frank Xu*

10:45 - 12:45 MULTISCALE STOCHASTIC MECHANICS - II

**Chair:** H. Matthies

Effective Second Gradient Elastic (Mindlin) Materials

*Francesco Dal Corso, Mattia Bacca, Davide Bigoni, Daniele Veber*

Stochastic Strain Softening And Localization of a Brittle Bar

*Xiaodan Ren, Jie Li*

Wang Tiles for Materials Microstructures

*Martin Doškář, Jan Novák, Anna Kučerová, Jan Zeman*

Statistical Volume Elements for Metal Foams

*Maximilian Geißendörfer, Carsten Proppe*

14:00 - 16:00 MULTISCALE STOCHASTIC MECHANICS - III

**Chair:** V. Papadopoulos

Using Multi-Resolution Monte Carlo and Non-Parametric Bayesian Regression for Efficient Uncertainty Quantification in Patient Specific Models Of Abdominal Aortic Aneurysms

*Jonas Biehler, Michael Gee, Wolfgang Wall*
A Variability Response Functions-Based Adaptive Spectral Stochastic Finite Element Method

*Dimitrios Giovanis, Vissarion Papadopoulos*

Quantification of Uncertainty Using Fuzzy Approaches in Multiscale Modeling and Analysis of Structures

*Sambasiva Singiresu*

Monte Carlo Simulation vs. Polynomial Chaos in Structural Analysis: A Numerical Performance Study

*George Stavroulakis, Dimitrios Giovanis, Manolis Papadrakakis, Vissarion Papadopoulos*

**16:15 - 17:45 MULTISCALE STOCHASTIC MECHANICS - IV**

**Chair: S. Adhikari**

Stochastic Multi-Scale Modeling of Multiple Unit Cell Structures Using Experimental Data of Random Geometry

*A. Vanaerschot, B.N. Cox, S.V. Lomov, D. Vandepitte*

Effects of Pod-Based Components of Turbulent Wind on The Aeroelastic Stability of Long Span Bridges

*Vincenzo Sepe, Marcello Vasta*

Multiscale Material Non-Linear Analysis of Carbon Nanotube Reinforced Composites in The Framework of a Fe² Approach

*Maria Tavlaki, Vissarion Papadopoulos*

**Report prepared by M. Papadrakakis and G. Stefanou**
The IUTAM Symposium on the Dynamics of Extreme Events Influenced by Climate Change was held at Lanzhou University, China, during September 23-25, 2013.

a) Scientific Committee
Professor Xiaojing Zheng, Lanzhou University, China (Chair)
Professor Paul Linden, University of Cambridge, UK (Co-Chair)
Professor Jiachun Li, Institute of Mechanics, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China
Professor Harindra Fernando, University of Notre, USA
Professor Charles Kennel, University of California, San Diego, USA
Professor Kerry Emanuel, MIT, USA
Professor Syed Hasnain, The Energy and Resources Institute, India
Professor Keith Moffatt, University of Cambridge, UK (IUTAM Representative)

b) Short Summary of Scientific Progress Achieved
The symposium was an overwhelming success. This symposium brought together the world’s principal active research groups working on issues concerning the Dynamics of Extreme Events Influenced by Climate Change. New and important results and recent advances were displayed on a number of topics, including: ‘Extreme events and its predictability’, ‘Climate change and its impacts’, ‘Atmospheric turbulence, heat waves, pollutions and Tropical cyclone’, ‘Atmospheric layer, soil erosion and sand storms’, etc. 21 participants from 10 countries gave wonderful presentations, and almost every speech triggered heat discussions. For example, Professor Xiaojing Zheng’s work on cross-scales quantitative simulation of sand dune formation and its evolution process, as well as the field observation and analysis of high Reynolds number turbulence properties in dust storm in Lanzhou University attracted high interest and attention. In summary, this conference allowed the researchers interact with each other effectively and promoted to some common understandings. All conventioneers reached the conclusion of the need for the further studies on high precision filed observation and theoretical simulation to develop high-resolution regional models of extreme events such as, hurricanes and tropical cyclones, dust storms, inundation, and flooding. In addition, Near 30 young scientists and graduate students from Lanzhou University, China Institute of Water Resources and Hydropower, Institute of Atmospheric Physics of Chinese Academy of Science, etc. also attended this symposium. It was a precise opportunity for young researchers to approach and closely communicate with the well-established scientists.
c) Countries represented and number of participants
21 registered participants with 30 researchers and graduate students attended the symposium. The following 10 countries were represented: France (2), Germany (1), Ireland (1), Russia (1), Japan (1), Botswana (1), Sri Lanka (1), Singapore (1), China (11), Hong Kong China (1).

d) Publication of Proceedings
A contract to publish Proceedings of the IUTAM symposium on the Dynamics of Extreme Events Influenced by Climate Change was signed with Procedia IUTAM. Fifteen of the speakers have submitted their manuscripts to be published in the proceedings with some other speakers still to submit their full-length papers. The review process is being organized, and the processing of the manuscript is expected to be completed before April, 2014.

e) Financial Support
The symposium organizers received a generous IUTAM sponsorship of $6000 to support external speakers, who could not secure their own funds. National Natural Science Foundation (China) provided $4960 to support the symposium, and the Lanzhou University provided $16530. These supports permitted the organizer to pay for all the facilities, providing a reception, lunches, dinners, the banquet and a one-day excursion for the participants, and paying for the bound volume of the Proceedings.

f) Scientific Program

Monday, September 23, 2013
08:30 – 08:50: Opening Ceremony: Chair Professor Xiaojing Zheng, Lanzhou University, China; Professor Frederic Dias, University College Dublin, Ireland.

Session 1, Extreme events and its predictability
08:50 – 10:10: Session Chair: Zhixian Cao, Wuhan University, China
Hydro-meteorological disasters: Causes, effects and mitigation measures, A. W. Jayawardena, University of Hong Kong, Sri Lanka.
Field observations on the turbulent features of the near-surface flow fields and dust transport during dust storms, Xiaojing Zheng, Lanzhou University, China.
10:20 – 12:20: Session Chair: Frederic Dias, University College Dublin, Ireland.
Extreme floods and sediment transport dynamics shift in disaster research, Zhixian Cao, Wuhan University, China.
Wind gust and dust entrainment in the atmospheric surface layer, Fei Hu, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China.
Effects of Water Seepage on the Stability of Soil-Slopes, Qingquan Liu, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China.
Session 2, Climate change and its impacts
14:30 – 15:50: Session Chair: Koh Tieh-Yong, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.
The future wave climate of Ireland: from averages to extremes, Frederic Dias, University College Dublin, Ireland.

16:10 – 18:10: Session Chair: Fei Hu, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China.
High-impact weathers in a changing climate over arid Eurasia and proactive disaster management, Masato Shinoda, Tottori University, Japan.
Dust transportation and climate impact, Huang Jian ping, Lanzhou University, China.
Statistical Distributions and Climate Change, Koh Tieh-Yong, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.

Tuesday, September 24, 2013
Session 3, Atmospheric turbulence, heat waves, pollutions, and Tropical cyclone
08:30 – 09:50: Session Chair: Sylvain Dupont, INRA, France
How Tabletop Turbulence Experiments Can Help Understand Large-scale Fluid Phenomena in Nature? Keqing Xia, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
When will cyclogenesis commence given a favorable tropical environment? G.V. Levina, Russian Academy of Sciences, Russia.
10:00 – 12:00: Session Chair: Keqing Xia, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
Prediction skill of heat waves over Mainland China in the NCEP Climate Forecast System version 2, Lin zhao hui, CAS, China.
Southern Africa’s 2012-13 Violent Storms: The Role of Climate Chang, Elisha N Moyo, SADC-Climate Services Centre, Botswana.
Modeling and Optimal Control of Atmospheric Pollution Hazard in Nuclear and Chemical Disasters, Shun-xiang Huang, Institute of chemical defense, China.

Session 4, Atmospheric Layer, soil erosion and sand storms
14:00 – 16:00: Session Chair: G.V. Levina, Russian Academy of Sciences, Russia.
Modelling aeolian erosion in presence of vegetation, Sylvain Dupont, University of Bordeaux I, France.
Effects of Roughness Elements on Boundary Layer Flow, Jinjun Wang, BUAA, China.
Influence of Gaussian hill on concentration of solid particles in suspension inside Turbulent Boudary Layer, Serge Simoens, LMFA, France.
16:10 – 18:10: Session Chair: Lin Zhao hui, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China
Discussions of some issues for wind-blown sand flow simulation, Gu zhao lin, Xi’an Jiaotong University, China.
Micromechanical DEM model for wet granular materials, Christian Jakob, Technische Universität Bergakademie Freiberg, German.
Wind-tunnel Experiment on Dust Atmosphere-surface exchange: Emission and Deposition, Ning Huang, Lanzhou University, China.

Report prepared by Ning Huang
Report of the IUTAM Summer School held in 2013

IUTAM-CISM Summer School on Variational Approaches to Damage in Continua and Interfaces

The Summer School took place at CISM, Udine, Italy, from 10 to 14 June 2013. The coordinators were Jean-Jacques Marigo and Claudia Comi.

1. Summary

The goal of this course was to give a modern presentation of the mathematical theory of damage completed by various applications. Specifically, the course was divided into three main parts:

**Part I: General framework for developing damage models.** This part began by a presentation of the physical aspects of damage in order to establish the basic ingredients required to model them at a macroscopic level. We did not intend to develop a full micromechanical approach. However, the main microstructural mechanisms of damage were highlighted and a multi-scale approach was used to make a link between damage and fracture. Then different types of models were elaborated, each one being related to a particular class of materials or mechanisms: interfacial and cohesive zone models, local versus non local models, discrete versus continuous damage models, concrete and geomaterial damage models with chemical-mechanical coupling, isotropic versus anisotropic damage models, modelling of the asymmetric behaviour in tension and compression, modelling of Mullins effect in elastomers, damage models in biological systems...)

**Part II: Qualitative analysis of the evolution problem of damage.** This part was devoted to the mathematical study of the governing equations for the evolution of damage. In particular, we emphasized the theoretical merits of the variational approach which allows to introduce in a natural and rational way the fundamental concepts of bifurcation and stability. We showed in particular that, in presence of softening, the classical approaches based on the equilibrium equations and the constitutive evolution laws are not sufficient to lead to well-posed problems while the introduction of stability conditions allows to rule out unphysical solutions. These concepts and their consequences were illustrated by means of key examples.

**Part III: Numerical implementation and various applications.** In this last part various numerical methods have been presented and compared. Moreover, we focused on the link between damage models and fracture mechanics. We showed how damage evolution can be used as a pre-cursor to crack propagation. Various numerical tests illustrated the power of such an approach.
2. The audience
The course was addressed to a broad public: graduate students, doctoral students, young researchers and practicing engineers. It was eventually followed by 40 people coming from different countries of the European Community: Poland (11), Italy (9), Germany (6), Netherlands (4), France (2), Belgium (2), Sweden (2),…). The major parts of them were doctoral students or young researchers, but there were some few practicing engineers. The evaluation enquiries are very positive, many people have particularly appreciated the content and the pedagogical methods of the course.

3. The lectures

**Jean-Jacques Marigo** (Ecole Polytechnique, France)
7 lectures on
*The variational approach to damage modeling*
(the basic concepts of damage mechanics; the standard local damage models for brittle materials; the evolution problem of damage in a structure; the variational approach to gradient damage models; stability and bifurcations issues)

**Claudia Comi** (Politecnico di Milano, Italy)
6 lectures on
*Damage models for concrete like materials*
(inelastic behaviour of concrete and rocks; isotropic damage models; anisotropic damage models; fracture energy based pseudo-regularization and non-local formulation; multiphase modelling of chemo-mechanical degradation)

**Marc Geers** (Eindhoven University of Technology, The Netherlands)
6 lectures on
*Interface damage mechanics & multi-scale approaches*
(interface mechanics; cohesive zones: basics, large deformations, multi-scale aspects; ductile damage and nonlocal large deformation approaches; multi-scale damage-to-fracture transition: from homogenization to localization)

**Blaise Bourdin** (Louisiana State University, USA)
6 lectures on
*Numerical implementations of gradient damage models*
(panorama of numerical models; limit models: gradient damage models seen as approximation of sharp interface fracture and damage models; Gamma convergence, Ambrosio-Tortorelli vs. Modica Mortolla; numerical implementation of Ambrosio-Tortorelli and examples; improving the implementations: effective toughness, backtracking, dynamic)
Corrado Maurini (Université Paris 6, France)
6 lectures on
The application of gradient damage models to fracture
(gradient damage models to approach brittle fracture; homogeneous solutions, loss of stability and limit stress; localized solutions, their energy and toughness; examples of damage models converging to fracture; unilateral effects; fracture and damage under thermal loads)

Antonio De Simone (SISSA, Italy)
4 lectures on
Damage of elastomers and application to biomechanics
(Polymers and Elastomers; large deformation hyperelastic models for rubber elasticity; Mullins effect in rubbers; outlook of applications of damage mechanics in biological systems)

Report prepared by Jean-Jacques Marigo and Claudia Comi
Reports of the IUTAM Working Parties

WP-2 – Dynamical Systems and Mechatronics

The Working party WP-2 covers a variety of fields to dynamical systems and mechatronics, which overlap with the territories of other societies as IFAC, ASME and so on. Individual members have taken various initiatives in international conferences on dynamics and control together with their applications and played important roles as Associate Editor in related journals as follows: Advisory Board of Multibody System Dynamics; Editorial Board of Vehicle System Dynamics; Associate Editor of Trans. of ASME, Journal of Computational and Nonlinear Mechanics; Associate Editor of Journal of Vibration and Control; Associate Editor of International Journal of Dynamics and Control. The development of theoretical and experimental methods makes it possible to clarify the complex dynamics in the essential elements composing mechanical systems as tyre. Such topics will continue to be important and to be included in the field of WP-2. Also, as new or emerging topics, we may list

- Mechatronics involving human
- Medical mechatronics: there are fundamental modeling issues of medical devices
- Dynamic analysis and control arising from mechatronics systems involving communications: handing latency (delay), data(packet)loss, and so on

In this regard, fundamental studies on the dynamical systems and mechatronics become much more important and the role of WP-2 will increase more than ever. On the other hand, a particular difficulty for WP-2 is the competition in relation to the above newer aspects of mechanics from IFAC, ASME etc. It is fact that the territory is rather fully occupied. WP-2 should be continued, but it is essential to establish strong collaborations with related societies much more actively. Then, we have to make an effort to highlight WP-2 own uniqueness in the above new and emerging topics from the viewpoints of theoretical and applied mechanics.

Report composed by Hiroshi Yabuno, Chairman of WP-2
Biomechanics is an interdisciplinary area with the goal to combine mechanics with biology, physics, mathematics and chemistry in order to gain a better knowledge of phenomena in engineering and (clinical) medicine. It is a vibrant area which attracts many young students with the objective to analyze and tabulate, to search for causal connections and to make predictions on the basis of abstraction and general principles. Challenging new topics in, for example, the mechanics of biological tissues come up on a daily basis driven by new developments in microscopy and computer science.

In addition to several books in biomechanics published by leading companies in 2013 a new (open access) Journal was also launched with the title “International Biomechanics”, edited by Professor Anthony MJ Bull from Imperial College London, UK. The intent of this Journal is to foster innovation, debate and collaboration across the field whilst maintaining a defined and relevant audience for the topics and findings reported. Strong activities in from of international conferences of Computational and Mathematical Biomechanics, Biomedical Engineering and Bioengineering, and on Biomaterials were pursued in Asia (e.g., Hong Kong, Singapore), Canada (e.g., Montreal), then Europe (e.g., Austria, Belgium, France, Greece, Sardinia, Spain, UK) and in the US.

In the following, selected events on biomechanics and biomechanically-related topics in 2013 are listed, including those where IUTAM members have been strongly involved. One category lists events devoted to Biomechanics, while another lists conferences and meetings which were not specifically devoted to biomechanics, but included plenary presentations, Minisymposia and special sessions on Biomechanics.

**Conferences, meetings and workshops devoted to Biomechanics (selected):**
- 3rd International Conference on Computational & Mathematical Biomedical Engineering, Hong Kong, 16-18 December 2013.
- The 15th International Conference on Biomedical Engineering (ICBME 2013), Singapore, December 4-7, 2013.
• 8th European Symposium of Vascular Biomaterials (ESVB 2013), Strasbourg, France, May, 10-11, 2013.
• 11th International Symposium on Computer Methods in Biomechanics and Biomedical Engineering (CMBBE 2013), Salt Lake City, Utah, USA, April 3-7, 2013.

Conferences, meetings and summer schools which were not specifically devoted to biomechanics, but which included plenary or keynote lectures and MiniSymposia and sessions on Biomechanics (selected):

• Euromech Colloquium 551 on "Fibre-reinforced Materials: Theory and Applications", Nottingham, UK, September 2-5, 2013. (several presentations devoted to biomechanics)
• 4th Canadian Conference on Nonlinear Solid Mechanics (CanCNSM2013), Montréal, Québec, Canada, July 23-26, 2013. Plenary Speaker: G.A. Holzapfel (Austria), Structurally-based Modeling of Nonlinear Solids with Applications to Cardiovascular Tissues
• The International Summer School-Conference “Advanced Problems in Mechanics”, St. Petersburg, Russia, July 1-6, 2013.
• International Workshop on New Trends in Solid Mechanics: Coupled Fields and Multi-Scale Modelling, Castro Urdiales, Spain, June 24-28, 2013. (several presentations devoted to biomechanics)
• 84th Annual Meeting of the International Association of Applied Mathematics and Mechanics (GAMM), Novi Sad, Serbia, March 18-22, 2013. (own section on Biomechanics with 19 papers)

Report composed by Gerhard A. Holzapfel, Chairman of WP-6
# 2013 Treasurer’s Report

## Statement of Change in Fund Balance

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## Statement of Cash Revenues Collected over Expenses Paid

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**Revenues minus expenses for 2013** 94,736

Gain (loss) from exchange of currency 5,401

**Net revenues minus expenses for 2013** 100,137
# Statement of IUTAM Bank Accounts
(1 January 2013 through 31 December 2013)

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Prof. P. Eberhard, Institute of Engineering and Computational Mechanics,
University of Stuttgart, Pfaffenwaldring 9, 70569 Stuttgart, Germany

**Assistant Treasurer:**
Professor N. Olhoff, Department of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering, Aalborg
University, Fibigerstraede 16, DK-9220 Aalborg East, Denmark
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* According to the agreement with IUTAM, Bulgaria has resumed payment of dues from 2011 after accumulation of debt in preceding years. The annual payment is set as one unit due plus a percentage of the debt.

** Cyprus’ Mathematical Society entered IUTAM as an Associate Adhering Organization in 2011.

*** Korea’s Adhering Organization in IUTAM shifted to be the newly formed Korean Committee on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (KCTAM), and dues payment resumed in 2011.

**** Mexico has entered IUTAM as an Adhering Organization, and the first dues payment was invoiced in 2011 but not paid.

***** France, Portugal and Serbia paid their 2013 dues in 2014.
AFMC (Asian Fluid Mechanics Committee)

The main AFMC activity in the year 2013 was the 14th Asian Congress of Fluid Mechanics in Hanoi, Vietnam during 15-19 October, 2013 under the slogan “Future Earth, Future Asia – Research for Global Sustainability”. More than 200 delegates from Australia, Bangladesh, China, Germany, Hong Kong, France, India, Iran, Japan, Korea, Norway, Pakistan, Russia, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Thailand, USA and Vietnam participated. The Congress technical program consisted of 8 plenary talks, 4 keynote talks and 226 contributed papers. Three mini-symposia on new energy sources, water resource management and severe event forecast were held. The presentations ranged from fundamental aspects of fluid mechanics to its practical applications covering a variety of fields. The 14th ACFM was well organized with excellent cooperation between AFMC and the local organizing committee led by Prof. Duong Ngoc Hai, Vice-President of Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology. AFMC met twice during this period that took stock of the preparations for the 14th ACFM, listened to the report by AFMC Chairman Prof. Jiachun Li, decided the venue of the 15th ACFM and organizational structure of AFMC. After comprehensive considerations, it was decided that the next ACFM will be held in Kuching, Sarawak in Malaysia in November 2016 under the leadership of Prof. C.S. Ow. Professor Li stepped down as AFMC Chairman and next chairman is Prof. G.S. Bhat from India, with Prof. S. Fu from China and Prof. O. Mochizuki from Japan as vice-chairmen.

Report composed by G. S. Bhat

BICTAM (Beijing International Center for Theoretical and Applied Mechanics)

As one of the affiliated organizations of IUTAM, the Beijing International Center for Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (BICTAM) is an international non-governmental scientific organization. The main objectives of the Center are to improve the advancement of education, research and applications of mechanics and to establish of a platform of relevant scientists and graduate students, especially in the areas of Asia and the Pacific, through the organizations of conferences, symposia, workshops and summer schools for subjects falling within the field of theoretical and applied mechanics and interdisciplinary branches. Detailed information on BICTAM can be accessed under the BICTAM homepage: http://www.bictam.org.cn/
First BICTAM Symposium for Asia-Pacific Young Scholar
The first BICTAM symposium for Asia-Pacific Young Scholars on Mechanics was successfully held in Singapore during December 11 – 14, 2013. Jointly organized by BICTAM and CSTAM, the symposium aims at promoting academic exchange and cooperation among young scholars from different countries. The main topic of this symposium was computational mechanics of biological materials and cells. A total of over 40 participants from Australia, China, Hong Kong of China and Korea exchanged their newest research works in the field of computational biomechanics during the meeting.

26th International Tsunami Symposium
The 26th International Tsunami Symposium (ITS) of IUGG Tsunami Commission was held in Fethiye-Göcek, Turkey and Rhodes Island, Greece during September 25 – 28, 2013. This symposium provided a favorable venue for scientists, practitioners and decision makers, as witnessed by the wide distribution of countries and institutions and highest number of contributions in any ITS. 182 abstracts from 28 countries were submitted and reviewed. 130 abstracts were selected for oral and 18 for poster presentations. Following the success of the 1st Workshop on Natural Hazards-Tsunami in Beijing in 2012, as one of the sponsors of ITS2013, BICTAM provided funding support to assist eight scholars from Asia and Pacific region to attend this symposium.

Short Course on Micromechanics and Damage – Healing Mechanisms for Heterogeneous and Composite Materials
Invited by the Scientific Committee of the Center, Prof. J. Woody Ju from the University of California visited the Center and gave a series of talks entitled with “Micromechanics and Damage – Healing Mechanisms for Heterogeneous and Composite Materials” in two half-days in August of 2013. In this short course, recent advances in three innovative areas within the scope of micromechanics and damage-healing mechanics were reviewed. A total of over 200 senior students from China participated in this course.

International Visiting Scholars Program
During the year 2013, six scientists from the US, the UK, France, and Australia visited the Center as guest scholars. They worked at the Center for a period and closely contacted relevant scientists in China with common research interests and efficiently exchanged their most recent research achievements.

Other Events
During the year 2013 BICTAM took an active part in the scientific activities in the Asia and Pacific region:
• Supported the 14th Asian Congress of Fluid Mechanics as one of the Silver Sponsors.
• Sponsored the 13th International Conference on Fracture (ICF13), which was held during June 16 – 21, 2013 in Beijing.
• Co-hosted IUTAM Symposia in 2013 in China (Recent Development of Experimental Techniques under Impact Loading, Xi’an, May; Dynamics of Extreme Events influenced by Climate Change, Lanzhou, September).
• Appointed the Journal of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics to be the official publication of the Center from January of 2013.

Report composed by Jie Chen

CISM (International Centre for Mechanical Sciences)

1. Courses and Seminars
The regular programme of courses and seminars, planned for the Centre for 2013 by the Scientific Council, took place in two Scientific Sessions, the van Dike Session (May-August 2013) and the Troger Session (September-October 2013). The topics, always at an advanced level, included different fields of mechanics and related sciences, both at a basic and applied level.

The van Dike Session
• Iso-Geometric Methods for Numerical Simulation
• Active and Passive Vibration Control of Structures
• Identification Methods for Structural Health Monitoring and Residual Lifecycle Assessment
• 19th CISM IUTAM Int. Summer School on “Variational Approaches of Damage in Continua and Interfaces”
• Non-Spherical Particles and Aggregates in Fluid Flows
• Bone Cell and Tissue Mechanics
• Nonlinear Mechanics of Soft Fibrous Materials
• Separated Representations & PGD Based Model Reduction: Fundamentals and Applications
• The Fluid Dynamics of Climate

The Troger Session
• Fractal Flow Design: How to Design Bespoke Turbulence and Why
• Differential-Geometric Methods in Computational Multibody System Dynamics
• Failure and Damage Analysis of Advanced Materials
• Structure-Preserving Integrators in Nonlinear Structural Dynamics and Flexible Multibody Dynamics

2. Other Events
Besides the above courses, the following other meetings were organized or hosted by CISM in 2013
• EduServ 11” workshop organized by EuroSDR (European Spatial Data Research network)
• “Play Energy 2013” – meeting organized by the Municipal Council of Udine
• Seminars organized by the DFM of CISM on: “Computational Turbolence”, “LIGGGTHS:LAMMPS improved for General Granular and Granular Heat Transfer Simulations”; “Large-eddy Simulation of Particles-laden Flow–recovering Small Scales”

3. National APT Courses
A series of courses on Advanced Professional Training (APT) in the fields of structural and geotechnical engineering, environmental, surveying, industrial engineering and bioengineering were given in Italian.

4. Editorial Activities
The lectures of several courses held at CISM are published in book form and distributed by Springer Verlag Vienna-New York.
The following books were published in 2013:
H. Altenbach – VA. Eremin: “Generalized Continua from the Theory to Engineering Application”.

The international journal for rapid communication “Mechanics Research Communications” created by CISM and Pergamon Press, Oxford-New York in 1973, has issued 8 volumes in 2013 (the last one is number fifty four). It contains
short communications on research related to a wide domain of both theoretical and applied mechanics.

5. Scholarships
A number of scholarships, including free lodging and board or exemption from registration fee, were offered during the courses to participants who were not supported by their home institutions, priority being given to young researchers coming from countries that contribute to CISM’s operating resources.

6. International Participation
In 2013, 79 lecturers from 22 countries delivered lectures in the van Dike and Troger Sessions. The courses were attended by 454 participants coming from 37 countries.

Report composed by Bernhard Schrefler

EUROMECH (European Mechanics Society)

The European Mechanics Society is an international non-governmental non-profit scientific organization. The objective of the Society is to engage in all activities intended to promote in Europe the development of mechanics as a branch of science and engineering. The society is governed by the Council whose members are being elected according to rules set in the Statutes.

EUROMECH meetings
The EUROMECH Council has overall responsibility for EUROMECH Colloquia and EUROMECH Conferences.

EUROMECH Colloquia are informal meetings on specialized research topics. Participation is restricted to a small number of research workers actively engaged in the field of each Colloquium. The organization of each Colloquium, including the selection of participants for invitation, is entrusted to a Chairperson. Proceedings are not normally published. Those who are interested in taking part in a Colloquium should contact the appropriate Chairperson.

EUROMECH Conferences are broad in scientific scope. They comprise

- the European Solid Mechanics Conference,
- the European Fluid Mechanics Conference,
- the European Turbulence Conference,
- the European Non-linear Dynamics Conference, and
- the European Mechanics of Materials Conference.
They are open to all those interested and generally have a number of participants between 150 and 600, although although in some cases the latter number has been exceeded substantially. The general purpose is to provide opportunities for scientists and engineers to meet and discuss current research. The responsibility for each series of Conferences is delegated to a Standing Conference Committee. The organizational work is carried out by Local Organizing Committees (LOC). Those who are interested in taking part in one of the Conferences should register through the conference website or contact the Chairman or Secretary of the appropriate LOC.

EUROMECH also promotes Specialized Workshops, aiming at training of PhD students and postdocs in rather specialized topical areas; these workshops have a limited size (approx. 20 participants). Additional support to activities for junior scientists is given to the annual Postgraduate Fluid Dynamics Conference, which is organised by and for postgraduates.

**Prizes and Fellowships**

The EUROMECH Fluid Mechanics Prize and the EUROMECH Solid Mechanics Prize are awarded on the occasions of the Fluid and Solid Mechanics conferences for outstanding and fundamental accomplishments in mechanics. At those conferences Fellowships are awarded to members who have contributed significantly to the advancement of mechanics and related fields. Also, Young Scientist Prizes are awarded at these conferences to the best oral presentations.

**EUROMECH Colloquia in 2013**

533. Biomechanics of the eye. 22-24 July 2013, Genoa, Italy.
541. New advances in the nonlinear dynamics and control of composites for smart engineering design. 3-6 June 2013, Senigallia, Italy.
543. Quantification of uncertainties in modeling and predictive simulation of fluids. 10-11 October 2013, Munich, Germany.
545. Frontiers in finite-deformation electromechanics. 22-24 May 2013, Dortmund, Germany.
547. Trends in open shear flow instability. 1-3 July 2013, Palaiseau, France.
548. Direct and variational methods for nonsmooth problems in mechanics. 24-26 June 2013, Amboise, France.
Modelling atmospheric and oceanic flows: Insights from laboratory experiments and numerical simulations. 26-28 September 2013, Berlin, Germany.

Small scale numerical methods for multi-phase flows. 28-30 August 2013, Pessac, France.

EUROMECH Conferences in 2013
13th European Mechanics of Materials Conference (jointly with ICMM), 9-11 September 2013, Warsaw, Poland.
13th European Turbulence Conference, 1-4 September 2013, Lyon, France.

EUROMECH Specialized Workshop in 2013
Similarity, Symmetry and Group Theoretical Methods in Mechanics, 7-12 June 2013, Varna, Bulgaria.

For more details see www.euromech.org

Report composed by Pierre Suquet

HYDROMAG (International Association for Hydromagnetic Phenomena and Applications)

HYDROMAG is an international association of scientists and engineers active in those fields of research which involve the flow of fluids in the presence of a magnetic field, namely magnetohydrodynamics (MHD), electromagnetic processing of materials (EPM) and dynamics of magnetic fluids (MF). HYDROMAG promotes growth and visibility of the field of hydromagnetics and stimulates exchanges between its members throughout the world via conferences, workshops, summer schools and publications. Detailed information on HYDROMAG can be accessed under

http://www.hydromag.eu/wp/

This WWW-site contains information on membership, forthcoming conferences and the electronic HYDROMAG newsletter. During the year 2013 several workshops and scientific meetings have been conducted involving the active participation of HYDROMAG and its members.

Report composed by Andre Thess
International Union of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics

IABEM (International Association for Boundary Element Methods)

The International Association for Boundary Element Methods (IABEM) is an open community, where everybody working on boundary element methods or boundary integral equations is welcome independent of her/his scientific field. Consequently, there is no official membership or any fees. Details on IABEM can be found on http://www.iabem.org.

The scientific activities of IABEM are shown in organising minisymposia on related conferences or holding workshops in the field of BEM. In 2013 this was:

- IABEM Symposium in Santiago, Chile
- Minisymposium at USNCCM 12 "Advances in BEM for Advanced Materials"
- Söllerhaus workshop on "Fast Boundary Element Methods in Industrial Applications"

The organisation has decided to hold the IABEM symposia in a bianual fashion. In January 2013 the symposium has been held in Santiago, Chile at the Pontificia Universidad Catholica de Chile (PUC). Approximately 100 researchers from applied mathematics and engineering have attended this well organized symposium. To give an outlook on 2014, the next symposium will be held in Zhengzhou, China from 13th - 15th August, 2014. Please, have a look on the web-page http://www4.zzu.edu.cn/iabem2014/ for details.

Report composed by Martin Schanz

IACM (International Association for Computational Mechanics)

No report was submitted by IACM.

IAVSD (International Association for Vehicle Systems Dynamics)

The 23rd IAVSD Symposium was held at Qingdao, China from 19th to 23rd August 2013, co-hosted by State Key Laboratory of Traction Power, Southwest Jiaotong University, and CSR Qingdao Sifang Co. Ltd, China.

A total of 285 abstracts were submitted of which 110 were road related and 175 were rail related.
108 papers (38%) were accepted for oral presentation including 48 Road papers and 60 Rail papers and a further 84 papers (29%) were accepted for poster presentation including 42 Road papers and 42 Rail papers.

Additionally there were 5 invited state-of-the-art papers which were published in a special issue of Vehicle System Dynamics issued to all delegates.

Delegates attended the symposium from 26 Countries with the following countries sending ten or more delegates: Japan 19, Sweden 18, UK 16, Germany 13, Austria 11, Italy 11 and China 96.

Two technical visits were arranged as follows
Visit 1: CSR Qingdao Sifang Co. ltd, China (CSR Sifang)
Visit 2: Intelligent Charging and Storage Station for Electric Vehicle in Xuejiadao Island, Qingdao

Report composed by Hans True

ICA (International Commission for Acoustics)

The purpose of the ICA is to promote international development and collaboration in all fields of acoustics including research, development, education, and standardisation. 

http://www.icacommission.org/

The highlight for the ICA in the year of 2013 was the 21st ICA congress in Montreal, Canada. This meeting was jointly organized by the Canadian Acoustical Association and the Acoustical Society of America and there was a record attendance during the 5 day congress with 2300 registrants and over 1600 technical papers presented and 49 Exposition booths. Sincere thanks are due to the excellent planning and organization by the local team around Mike Stinson, Gilles Daigle and Luc Mongeau.

The General Assembly for the ICA was held during this conference. The proposed changes in governance were all accepted and the new board elected under the new rules. The benefit of the new governance was immediately obvious from the number of nominees for the positions on the board. Following the election the Board now comprises Júlio A. Cordioli (Brazil), Dorte Hammershøj (Denmark), Bertrand Dubus (France), Roberto Pompoli (Italy), Kohei Yamamoto (Japan), Jeong-Guon Ih (Korea), Grazyna Grelowska (Poland), Monika Rychtarikova (Slovakia), Yiu Lam (UK) and Mark Hamilton (USA). The executive are Marion Burgess as President, Michael Vorlander as Past President, Jing Tian as Vice President, Mike Stinson as
Secretary General and Antonio Perez-Lopez as Treasurer. Those board members retiring at the time of the General Assembly included some who had served many terms in various positions and were all warmly thanked for their contributions to the board and the ICA.

The ICA is continuing to grow with the new members, Israel and Nigeria welcomed at the General Assembly. This took our membership to 47 member organizations and 8 International Affiliates.

Increasing the awareness around the world of the science and technology of sound is an important task for the ICA. The ICA is an Affiliate Member of the global organization for science, the International Council for Science, ICSU as well as Associate Member of International Union for Pure and Applied Physics (IUPAP) and the International Union of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (IUTAM).

To further increase awareness internationally the ICA is actively working towards an International Year of Sound in 2019. We are pleased to report that Manell Zakharia has accepted to lead a task group to work on achieving this aim. To have an “International Year” status is a very great challenge and the ICA will be seeking the support from all the member societies and international affiliates as the project continues.

A task group, under the leadership of Vice President Jing Tian, has been set up to investigate the fee structure and the communication with members. At the 2013 board meeting there was agreement that information on each of the member societies would be a valuable addition to the ICA web page. The board also agreed to cover the costs of scanning all the old ICA proceedings and make these freely available from the website. As the ICA congress covers all areas of acoustics this will be a valuable record showing the development of acoustics over the decades. We are grateful for the assistance from Jing Tian for organizing this scanning. As soon as this has been completed and the access arrangements finalized we will advise of the link and make it freely available from the ICA webpage.

The ICA encourages acoustic endeavors by providing financial support for international symposia. In 2014 the support will be provided to:
• 6th Congress of the Alps Adria Acoustics Association, Graz, Austria
• XXV Encontro da Sociedade Brasileira de Acustica (SOBRAC), Campinas, Brazil
• Intl. Symposium on Musical Acoustics 2014, Le Mans, France
• 11th Intl. Congress on Noise as a Public Health Problem (ICBEN 2014), Nara, Japan
• XXXI Symposium on Hydroacoustics, Swinoujscie, Poland
• European Symposium on Smart Cities and Environmental Acoustics, Murcia, Spain
And in conjunction with the Acoustical Society of America will be supporting
• 12th School on Acousto-Optics and Applications, Druskininkai, Lithuania

Report composed by Marion Burgess

ICF (International Conference on Fracture)

The 13th International Conference on Fracture (ICF13) was held from June 16 to June 21 in Beijing. Details can be found on the website, http://www.icf13.org.

Report composed by Frederic Dias

ICHMT (International Centre for Heat and Mass Transfer)

ICHMT organized three international symposium and sponsored four in 2013. Details of these meetings can be found on the website, http://www.ichmt.org.

Meetings Organized by ICHMT:
• “Mediterranean Combustion Symposium,, MCS-13”, 8-13 September 2013, in Cesme, Turkey. The Symposium Co-Chairmen were Professor Nevin Selcuk, Middle East Technical University, Turkey; Dr. Federico Beretta, Istituto di Ricerche sulla Combustione Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche, Italy; Professor Mohy S. Mansour, Cairo University, Egypt and Professor Andrea d’Anna, University Federico II, Italy.
• “International Solar Engineering Program – 2013, ISEP 2013”, June 20 to August 8, 2013, in METU, Ankara, Turkey. Instructor of this program was Dr. Derek Baker.
• “Radiative Transfer, RAD-13”, 2-8 June 2013, in Kusadasi, Turkey. The Symposium Co-Chairmen were Professor Brent W. Webb, Brigham Young University, USA and Dr. Denis Lemonnier, LET-ENSMA, France.

Meetings Co-Sponsored by ICHMT:
• “Tenth International Conference on Flow Dynamics, ICFD-2013”, 25-27 November 2013, at Sendai International Center, Sendai, Japan. The symposium was Chaired by Professor Shigenao Maruyama, Tohoku University, Japan.
• “International Workshop on Heat Transfer Advances for Energy Conservation and Pollution Control, IWHT-2013”, 18-21 October 2013, Xi'an, China. The workshop was Chaired by Professor Q.W. Wang, China.
• “13th UK Heat Transfer Conference (UKHTC 2013)”, 02-03 September 2013, in London, UK. Conference Co-Chairmen were Dr. Andy Heyes and Dr. Christos Markides, Imperial College London, UK.
• “8th World Conference on Experimental Heat Transfer, Fluid Mechanics and Thermodynamics, ExHFT-8”, 17-20 June 2013, in Congress Centre of Instituto Superior Técnico (IST) in Lisbon, Portugal. Conference Co-Chairmen were Professor Pedro Coelho and Mário Costa, Instituto Superior Técnico, Lisboa, Portugal.

The organization of several future meetings have continued. These are:
• “Convective Heat and Mass Transfer, CONV-14”, 08-14 June, 2014, in Kuşadasi, Turkey. The symposium Chairman is Dr. Mourad Rebay, University of Reims Champagne-Ardenne, France. Detailed information can be found on the Web site: http://www.ichmt.org/conv-14/.
• “Advances in Computational Heat Transfer, CHT-15”, 31 May-05 June, 2015, Rutgers University, New Jersey, USA. The symposium Chairman is Professor Yogesh Jaluria, Rutgers University, New Jersey, USA. Detailed information can be found on the Web site: http://www.ichmt.org/cht-15/.
• “BIOTRANSPORT’15: Heat and Mass Transfer in Biological and Medical Engineering”, 5-10 July 2015, at Boyalik Beach Hotel, at Cesme, Izmir, Turkey. The symposium Chairman is Associate Professor Rafael Davalos. Webpage is under construction.
• “Thermal and Materials Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, TMNN-2015”, 16-22 August 2015, in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Webpage is under construction.
• “5th International Conference on Heat Transfer and Fluid Flow in Microscale, HTFFM-V”, 22-26 April, 2014, Marseille, France. The symposium Chairman is Lounes Tadrist, Aix Marseille University, IUSTI Laboratory, France. Detailed information can be found on the symposium Web site: http://www.htffm-v.fr/.

• “20th School-Seminar of Young Scientists and Specialists “Problems of Gas Dynamics and Heat and Mass Transfer in Power Engineering”, 24-29 May, 2015, Zvenigorod, Moscow region, Russia. Webpage is under construction.

Report composed by Tugba Gun

ICM (International Congress on the Mechanical Behaviour of Materials)

The 12th International Conference on Mechanical Behavior of Materials (ICM11) will be held at Karlsruhe, Germany from May 10 to May 14, 2015 (http://icm12.com/home/). ICM’s objectives are to foster research on the mechanical behavior of materials, to promote related international cooperation among scientists and engineers and to provide means for the public dissemination of the results from these efforts. Held every four years, these conferences are intended to cover progress on all aspects of the mechanical behavior of materials from both the macroscopic and microscopic viewpoints. The scope of materials of interest includes commercial materials, including metals, polymers, ceramics, composites, as well as advanced materials under development for the use in particular applications. The conference chairs are Prof. Martin Heilmaier, Prof. Oliver Kraft, Prof. Detlef Löhe from the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, and Prof. Dietmar Eifler from the University of Kaiserslautern.

Report composed by Oliver Kraft

ICR (International Committee on Rheology)

No report was submitted by ICR.

ICTS (International Congresses on Thermal Stresses)

The 10th International Congress on Thermal Stresses, TS 2013, was held from May 31 to June 4, 2013 at the Nanjing University of Aeronautics and Astronautics, in Nanjing, China.
As a jubilee Congress, it was prepared and organized in grand style and run with great energy and efficiency by its General Chair, Cun-Fa Gao, State Key Laboratory of Mechanics and Control of Mechanical Structures, at College of Aerospace Engineering of NUAA. Co-Chairs of the Congress were: Richard B Hetnarski, Rochester Institute of Technology, USA, and Naotake Noda, Shizuoka University, Japan. The scientific part of the Congress consisted of 5 plenary lectures and 17 regular sessions as follows:

**PLENARY LECTURES**

1. Lars-Erik Lindgren, A Lundbäck, M Fisk, Thermo-mechanics and Microstructure Evolution in Manufacturing Simulations.
2. Tong-Yi Zhang, Grain Boundary Segregation and Stress-Induced Solubility in Nanograin Materials.
3. Michele Ciarletta, Stan Chirita, Some Non-standard Problems Related with the Mathematical Model of Thermoelasticity with Microtemperatures.

**REGULAR SESSIONS**

S1: Thermo-elasticity and Viscoelasticity (I)
S2: Thermal Stresses and Deformations (I)
S3: Thermal Induced Fracture of Materials and Structures (I)
S4: Experimental Studies on Thermo-mechanics Problems
S5: Thermal Stresses in Smart Materials and Structures (I)
S6: Analysis of Stresses in Thermal Structures (I)
S7: Thermal Vibration and Shock
S8: Optimization of Thermal Structures
S9: Launching Ceremony of Books
S10: Computational Methods in Thermo-mechanics
S11: Thermal Instability and Localization
S12: Thermal Stresses and Deformations (II)
S13: Thermal Induced Fracture of Materials and Structures (II)
S14: Thermo-elasticity and Viscoelasticity (II)
S15: Analysis of Stresses in Thermal Structures (II)
S16: Thermal Stresses in Smart Materials and Structures (II)
S17: Thermal Stresses in Plate Structures

During the Congress, there was held a joint meeting of the Executive Committee and the International Committee of the ICTS, as well a meeting of the Editorial Board of the Journal of Thermal Stresses.

The program comprised a rich social program, with numerous excursions.

The information on the next Congress, the 10th International Congress on Thermal Stresses, TS 2015, was announced. The Congress will be held at the University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, NB, Canada, May 31-June 4, 2015.

Report composed by Richard B. Hetnarski

IIAV (International Institute of Acoustics and Vibration)

The seventeenth IIAV annual election was held in 2013 in which all members voted on candidates for five new director positions and one president-elect position. The elected directors replaced the directors whose four-year terms had expired. The president-elect position is for a two-year term. The five directors elected were: Hans Boden, Sweden; Sergey Sorokin, Denmark; Jiri Tuma, Czech Republic; Xiaojun Qiu, China; and Michel Rosmolen, Thailand. Jorge P. Arenas, Chile was elected as President-Elect. The IIAV Honorary Fellow award was made in 2013 to Chong-Won Lee, Taejon, South Korea to recognize his scientific contributions in vibration.

IIAV cooperates with scientific and engineering societies and institutes around the world and lists 45 such affiliated organisations on its website at www.iiav.org. Recently, five new formal agreements of cooperation were signed between IIAV and the Acoustical Society of America; the Acoustical Society of Croatia, the Acoustical Society of Ecuador, the Acoustical Society of Korea and the Acoustical Society of Sweden.

The Twentieth International Congress on Sound and Vibration (ICSV20), sponsored by the International Institute of Acoustics and Vibration (IIAV) took place in Bangkok, Thailand, 07-11 July, 2013. ICSV20 was held in cooperation with the Faculty of Science, Chulalongkorn University; the Acoustical Society of Thailand; the Science Society of Thailand; the Australian Acoustical Society; the Acoustical Society of China; the Chinese Society of Vibration Engineering; The Hong Kong Institute of Acoustics; the Acoustical Society of India; the Acoustical Society of
Korea; the Korean Society for Noise and Vibration Engineering; the Acoustical Society of Singapore; the School of Science, Walailak University; and the Pollution Control Department of Thailand. Over 650 abstracts from 50 different countries on all areas of acoustics, noise and vibration were received.

ICSV20 was the first one of the ICSV series to be held in Southeast Asia. Despite the continuing economic problems around the globe and consequent reductions in travel funding, over 500 participants and accompanying persons attended ICSV20. About one third of the participants were postgraduate students. The ICSV20 Organising Committee, helped by the International Scientific Committee, arranged for 25 special structured sessions in addition to the 30 regular sessions. The sessions were allotted 15 parallel rooms in the Imperial Queen’s Park Hotel, the congress venue. This hotel is a five-star hotel with excellent conference facilities located in the centre of Bangkok. This hotel is the largest convention hotel in Bangkok with 1,200 rooms. A very much reduced room rate was offered at this hotel for the students. The reception, sponsored by the Thai Convention Bureau, was held at the Imperial Queen’s Park Hotel with special Thai dance groups performing different styles of Thai dancing. On Tuesday evening all participants were treated to a Boat trip on the Chao Phraya River. The ICSV20 banquet, attended by all the congress participants, was held at Siam Niramit. After the banquet all participants also attended a special Thai dance show held at the same location.

One Honorary Fellow lecture and six distinguished plenary lectures were presented during ICSV20 by engineers and scientists from around the globe. This year the Honorary Fellow lecture was given by Chong-Won Lee from Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST.) His lecture topic was “Saving Campbell Diagram for Dynamic Analysis of Complex Rotor Systems.”


The ICSV20 technical proceedings were made available to delegates at the congress itself on CD-ROM. The ICSV20 CD includes all abstracts and the full texts of all the accepted papers and is now available to all IIAV members on the IIAV website.
The International Journal of Acoustics and Vibration (IJAV), the refereed quarterly journal of IIAV, continues to receive a steady flow of good papers and to be published on schedule. The full papers of current and all back issues of IJAV are displayed on the IIAV website. In addition, hard copies of IJAV are airmailed to all IIAV members and to subscribing libraries all over the world.

Report composed by Malcolm J. Crocker (Executive Director IIAV)

ISIMM (International Society for the Interaction of Mechanics and Mathematics)

The International Society for the Interaction of Mechanics and Mathematics is active in fostering the interaction of mathematics and mechanics. The history of both mechanics and mathematics shows much evidence of the beneficial influence of each of these disciplines on the other. Mechanics is understood here in the broad sense of the word, including relevant physical phenomena such as electromagnetic and thermal fields. A major activity of the society concerns the organization of international meetings for the presentation and discussion of research at the interface of the two disciplines.


Additional information can be found at the STAMM 2014 website: [http://www-math.sp2mi.univ-poitiers.fr/STAMM2014/](http://www-math.sp2mi.univ-poitiers.fr/STAMM2014/)

The STAMM 2014 will be the occasion to celebrate also the new ISIMM Prize and ISIMM Junior Prize laureates. The ISIMM Prize 2014 will be presented to Prof. Dr. Constantine M. Dafermos (Brown University). The ISIMM Junior Prize 2014 has been co-awarded to Prof. Dr. Elisabetta Rocca and Dr. Stefan Neukamm both currently at the Weierstrass Institute for applied analysis and stochastics (WIAS) in
Berlin. These prizes will be awarded in a special session chaired by professor Ingo Müller, who is the recipient of the ISIMM Prize 2012.

During 2013 the ISIMM internet forum (http://www.isimmforum.tu-darmstadt.de) was launched. This forum will host scientific contributions of the members of ISIMM and of invited authors, and also various scientific announcements. This activity is presently coordinated by Hans-Dieter Alber.

Report composed by Ulisse Stefanelli

ISSMO (International Society for Structural and Multidisciplinary Optimization

1. **ISSMO Biennial World Congress on Structural and Multidisciplinary Optimization (WCSMO):**

   - WCSMO-10: In 2013 the 10th ISSMO World Congress on Structural and Multidisciplinary Optimization (WCSMO-10) was held in Orlando Florida, USA, May 19-24. 429 researchers participated from 28 countries presenting a total of 391 research works (352 oral presentations and 39 poster presentations). ISSMO congratulates and thanks the local organizers (Professors Raphael Haftka and Nam Ho) for this excellent scientific congress.
   - WCSMO-11: following approval by the ISSMO Executive Committee, the next World Congress WCSMO-11 will take place in Sydney, Australia. The anticipated dates are in June 2015. Professor Qing Li will coordinate the local organizing committee.

2. **ISSMO endorsed the following international scientific meetings in 2013:**

   - International Conference on Design, Fabrication and Economy of Metal Structures, DFE2013, 24-26 April 2013, University of Miskolc, Hungary.
   - 39th ASME Design Automation Conference (DAC), August 4-7, 2013 Portland, USA.

3. **ISSMO will endorse the following international scientific meetings during 2014:**
• 8th China---Japan---Korea Joint Symposium on Optimization of Structural and Mechanical System (CJK-OSM8) Gyeongju, Republic of Korea, May 25-29, 2014

• Conference on Engineering and Applied Sciences Optimization (OPT-i), Kos Island, June 2014.

• CISM Advanced School 'Topology optimization of structures and computational aspects and background', Udine, June 9-13, 2014.


• 4th International Conference on Engineering Optimization (EngOpt2014), Lisbon, Portugal, 8-11 September 2014.


• MM&FGM 2014, October 19-22, 2014; Taua Resort, SP, Brazil

Please consult the website http://www.issmo.net for more information about ISSMO.

Report composed by H.-C. Rodrigues

LACCOTAM (Latin American & Caribbean Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics)

No report was submitted by LACCOTAM.
Reports on ICSU and its Scientific Committees

ICSU (International Council for Science)

Meeting of the International Scientific Unions of ICSU – 29-30 April 2013

The Meeting of the International Scientific Unions of ICSU 2013 took place in Paris, France, and was attended by 27 of ICSU’s 30 scientific unions.

The overall purpose of the meeting was to discuss opportunities for enhanced interdisciplinary collaboration between Unions, and between Unions and ICSU, particularly around newly developing areas of work for the ICSU family.

IUTAM also took part in a meeting of the Physical, Chemical and Mathematical Science Cluster on April 28, 2013.

The meeting opened and closed with general plenary discussions on ICSU’s relationship with its Unions. Specific topics were discussed during a series of break-out groups to give Union Members the opportunity for an open exchange of ideas and knowledge. These were then reported back to the plenary.

These topics were:

- Future Earth
- Science education
- Communication between ICSU and Unions
- IRDR (Integrated Research on Disaster Risk)
- Urban Health
- New interdisciplinary horizons
- Open access to data and information

The report below addresses each of these in turn, and then discusses the general conclusions from the meeting reached in plenary about ICSU’s strategy and new opportunities to strengthen engagement with the Unions.

Prior to the meeting, Unions were asked to submit background information on the structure of their Union, their recent activities and their future priorities.

Opening Plenary

The Unions were asked to discuss their wishes for the meeting, and for their activities with ICSU. They raised the following issues:

- The need to discuss mechanisms for working together on issues identified at the Unions Meeting.
- The need to improve ICSU’s visibility and credibility with the public and scientists, particularly young scientists. This could be achieved by involving high-level scientists in ICSU activities and organizing prestigious conferences or young scientist conferences.
- The need for discussion on ICSU’s added value to Unions.
- The need for dialogue between Unions and National Members as to what National Members want from the Unions.

**Future Earth (Break-out group)**

There was enthusiasm from the Unions to contribute to this important programme. However, it was noted that it is a broad framework that needs to be further defined. The Unions noted the following points:

- The need for a strong communication plan (work on the uptake of scientific knowledge).
- The need for success indicators (e.g. on food security).
- A stronger focus on the human being and inclusion of human health could be beneficial.
- Implementation plan with concrete activities / targets / deliverables is urgently needed.
- Relationships between the partners of the Alliance (UNESCO, etc.) need to be clarified.
- Areas that should be highlighted include raw materials (to produce food, energy, water, etc.) and risk assessment.
- Need greater emphasis on the uptake of science by policy-makers.
- Boundaries should be clarified, as the umbrella of Future Earth is all-encompassing.
- A change in science culture is needed towards more transdisciplinary (= work across boundaries and new questions) and solutions-oriented approaches.
- Need to define the funding opportunities provided within Future Earth.
- Define the management and integration of massive amount of data and links with current data partners (coordinated set of databases).
- Define and explore the relationship of the Unions with Future Earth and ICSU, and the role of the union clusters.
- Define relationship with urban health and IRDR programmes (differences and synergies) to ensure complementarity.

**Recommendations**

1. Organise a meeting between Unions and Future Earth team.
2. Identify success stories on large scale behavioural change for use in communication to stakeholders.
3. Develop mechanism to attract scientists not affiliated with Unions and ICSU.
4. Define specific themes / priorities / targets under Future Earth to help individual scientists and Unions get involved.
5. Map out and communicate on what the Unions are doing in relation to Future Earth to identify opportunities for cross-cutting collaborations.
6. Dedicate some funding (ICSU grants, etc.) for meeting of Unions clusters and coordinated activities on Future Earth across Unions.
7. Organise symposia with ICSU and ISSC Unions to define clearer research objects that should be pursued or not under Future Earth.
8. Include sessions on Future Earth in Unions’ congresses.
9. Define clear mechanisms for scientists to start activities (give signals that the programme has started).
10. Provide feedback to the Future Earth SC on missing areas (e.g. challenge of feeding a growing population).
11. Translate the materials into other languages.

Science Education (Break-out group)
The main comments raised were:
- Almost all Unions have education programs.
- Only a few are directly involved at the schools and teacher level. These programs concentrate mainly on developing countries.
- There’s very little cooperation between Unions.
- International Years have been effective in promoting science education.
- The ICSU Review on Science Education (2011) has had no influence on the specific science education programs of Unions.
- Unions see little need for an inter-disciplinary or multi-disciplinary approach in their own educational programmes.
- ICSU could help gather & share information on best practices.
- Regional offices are an important resource for both existing programs that Unions have, and the development of new programs. So far, this resource has not been effectively exploited.
- All major inter-disciplinary programs should plan, from day one, an explicit science education component, ranging from school-level to professional development.
- ICSU could carry out a wide electronic consultation on online education delivery.

Communication between ICSU and Unions (Break-out group)
It was recognized that communication is a 2-way process, and some noted that there have been improvements in the last decade. The main points raised were:
- Communications from ICSU are not always timely, nor are they flagged in such a way to get the respondent’s attention.
Some expressed frustration at not receiving replies to their requests or inputs to the secretariat.
ICSU is a weak brand and it was asked whether we should rely more on the full name, rather than the acronym.
Interdisciplinary bodies and programmes, once established, are removed from their union heritage.
Request for feedback on contributions eg to surveys, reviews and nominations. More transparency in such processes would be beneficial.
Regional offices would like to get information about Union contacts at regional and local levels.
Clusters have a purpose in relation to communications. Some Unions requested information packages about clusters. Development of clusters is uneven, but there was an overall consensus that they provide a model for communications.
The role of the ICSU Secretariat in relation to support for union clusters needs to be defined.
Support was expressed for an ICSU corporate video.
An information package could be developed on ICSU procedures for distribution to newly arriving Union officers.
ICSU should send representatives to each of the General Assemblies/Conferences of every Union. This has been done in the past and is important that an invitation is received at the ICSU secretariat.
Need to identify a focal point at each Union to be a liaison with ICSU Secretariat, a role that exists within every National Member organisation.
Some participants endorsed the usefulness of social media for ICSU although there was a lack of awareness about this by some.
ICSU should communicate regularly on benefits of membership.

IRDR: Integrated Research on Disaster Risk (Break-out group)
The following issues were discussed in the session:

Is IRDR promoting its messages adequately?
- IRDR is actively developing its communication tools and building networks between organizations and research entities in policy and practice.
- IRDR National Committees are very important.

How can the IRDR and the ICSU Unions work more closely together?
- Provision of FORIN (forensic investigations) methodology for Unions and encouragement of its use.
- Outcomes of DATA (disaster loss data) project to be consulted upon, shared and promoted.
• Information sharing on upcoming RIA (risk interpretation and action) events.
• Unions to share information with IRDR on their activities and together seek grants for joint activities.

Academic and government input
• An appropriately balanced involvement of academic and government scientists is being sought by IRDR.
• Research outputs, e.g. publications, vs real impact of work, were discussed.

Developing effective mechanisms for best use of scientific advice in decision making
• Production of best practice guidelines.
• Important role of IRDR National Committees in awareness raising.

Observation satellites and geo-information technologies
• Importance recognized for disaster risk reduction and management.
• ICSU to represent the interests of IRDR at the relevant governing bodies of the observing systems and GEO/GEOSS.

**Urban Health (Break-out group)**
The main points raised in this session included:
• The importance of the programme: it looks at multiple issues that the world will face in the future, many of which we did not face in the past.
• Involvement of multiple stakeholders in project planning is critical.

Research issues were suggested:
• effective policy interventions related to urban health
• cities design to ensure wellbeing
• nutrition: disease prevention and health promotion
• incentives to slow down agglomeration
• healthy lifestyles (linking to WHO’s programme Self-Care)

Other issues raised included:
• There are several Unions working on urban health-related issues (e.g. IGU, ISPRS, IUBS, IUNS). There is a need to further discuss how they can be involved in the programme.
• Mathematical, biological, economic and, physical unions can contribute to systems analysis approach (SYKE, Helsinki).
• There is a need to engage the social science cluster.
ICSU should collect information on Unions activities related to Urban Health as well as contacts. This information should be shared with all Unions.

A virtual platform where Unions can demonstrate their activities related to urban health should be established.

The International conference on Urban Health in Paris, 11-13 Sep 2013, was noted.

Unions can help strengthen connection with WHO, and its involvement in the programme is critical.

**New interdisciplinary horizons (Break-out group)**
The following points were raised in this discussion:

**Support for Future Earth**
- Top priority for ICSU over next 10 years
- Workshop on Future Earth with all Unions to take results into action
- Meeting between Future Earth science committee and the Unions to talk about the programme
- Education and communication are critical – to politicians, lobbyists, journalists, scientists, non-specialists, young people and the general public
- Suggestion: ICSU-produced magazine or newsletter as a lobbying tool

**Program on worldwide pollution**
- Part of Future Earth & Urban Health
- From detection to measurement, reduction and public education
- Example: heavy metal pollution

**Crowd-sourcing & crowd-ignorance**
- ICSU should take advantage of the development of crowd-sourcing in its programmes
- Relevant to health, pollution, energy, atmospheric control, animal behaviour, etc.
- Crowd-ignorance – links back to public education

**Unions meetings**
- ICSU should encourage and support cluster meetings.
- ICSU should also initiate meetings populated randomly from Unions, to develop novel, inter-disciplinary activities.

**Open access to data and information (Break-out group)**
Main points raised:
ICSU should push unions to clarify their positions on these important issues.
ICSU should shine a light on areas of concern that need to be addressed.
Concerns about archiving data, preserving old research, maintaining accessibility.
What is the future of conferences, societies, libraries? Big picture discussion needed.
Fear of over-abundance of publications and data.
Open access has different implications for different countries, including developing and developed countries.
Current publishing model is Western-centric and self-propagating.
Anyone who wants to publish in a language other than English is at a serious disadvantage.
Funding should include allotment for open access publication costs.
Need to examine and potentially improve peer-review process, consider alternatives.
There is value in publishing negative data (i.e. to avoid duplication of inconclusive efforts) but it is hardly done.
Major concern at the growing number of on-line ‘junk’ publications trawling for authors.

New opportunities and ways forward (Closing plenary)
The following points were raised by the Unions:

- The need to look more closely into how business and science can collaborate.
- Options for improving ICSU’s visibility (Giving recognition to high level scientists involved in ICSU activities; Sponsoring scientific sessions at conferences, with ICSU’s name clearly highlighted; Introducing an ICSU award that will give ICSU visibility, for people who have promoted science internationally; or for young scientists; or by sponsoring Olympiad processes; There are opportunities for ICSU to tack itself more closely to very successful Union awards, rather than inventing something new; Attention to branding, noting that scientists are not normally good at this; Attention is needed to ICSU’s acronym: why maintain the ‘U’? ‘Global Science Council’ as a potential alternative?; ICSU needs to be more proactive in pushing itself forward and making itself visible; The development of a communication plan is needed; Note that ICSU’s visibility is partly a responsibility of the Unions). Unions can help by including ICSU’s logo on their conference materials, or by distributing the ICSU annual report or putting the annual report on Union websites.
• How to set ICSU apart from IAP and IAC: it is the Unions that make ICSU distinctive.
• The need for more frequent meetings and discussions between National and Union Members. Many Unions already have close connections with bodies in different countries. But this could be improved.
• The need to expand ICSU’s range of disciplines, perhaps by doing a gap analysis and inviting Unions who are not members to join ICSU (rather than waiting for applications).
• The need for consolidation of ICSU’s actions into concrete activities. Being effective is better than just being big.
• Mining and human health as a potential inter-union activity: can be discussed with governments and industry.
• Climate change: urgency from science in the face of skepticism from parts of the public. Could ICSU promote or encourage a series of round-table conferences on immediate issues e.g. mining for fuels (fracking) or education, with the aim of bringing together a small number of individuals to discuss a specific issue? This would show responsiveness.

**Workshop on Mathematics of Climate Change, Related Natural Hazards and Risks – July 29 – August 2, 2013**

By agreement of the Bureau, IUTAM supported the workshop on Mathematics of Climate Change, Related Natural Hazards and Risks that took place in Guanajuato, Mexico during July 29 – August 2, 2013.

The workshop was organized as part of the global program Mathematics of Planet Earth 2013 and was a satellite activity of the 2013 Mathematical Congress of the Americas.

The workshop was sponsored by ICSU, IMU, IUTAM, IUGG, ICIAM and CIMAT, and supported by ICSU, US-NAS and AMC. It was organized by José Antonio de la Peña (CIMAT), Christiane Rosseau (IMU) and by the Scientific Committee integrated by Susan Friedlander (IMU), **Paul F. Linden (IUTAM)** and Ilya Zaliapin (IUGG).

There were 8 invited lecturers at the Workshop, coming from US, France, Argentina and Mexico, who presented a total of 24 lectures. The invited speakers and the topics they presented were as follows:

Prof. Michael Ghil (École Normale Supérieure, Paris): Data assimilation, Mathematical theory of climate sensitivity, and Coupling climate and economics.
Prof. Eugenia Kalnay (Univ. Maryland USA): Population and climate change, Improving forecasts, and Data assimilation.
Prof. Roberto Mechoso (UCLA, USA): Numerical methods for global climate models, Interpretation of Global Climate Models, and An approach for understanding the behavior of traces in the atmosphere (online conferences).
Prof. Bala Rajaratnam (Stanford Univ. USA): Theory and statistical methods for reconstructing the Paleoclimate.
Prof. Oscar Velasco Fuentes (CICESE, Mexico): Transport in geophysical flows, motion in three-dimensional vortices, and tornado climatology in Mexico.
Prof. George Philander (Princeton Univ. USA): A tropical perspective on ice Ages, How observations of Ice Ages can improve Climate Models, and A perspective on why Global Warming is polarizing.

The talks were well presented and had high scientific content. The topics were well aligned with the workshop. There were about 30 participants attending the workshop, mainly young scientists, coming from Mexico (12), United States of America (7), South America (6), Israel (2) and Germany (1). There was a round table, discussing the importance of distinguishing the scientific approach for Climate Change from the propaganda. Also, there was a poster session with 7 poster presentations.

The Workshop was complemented with a welcome cocktail, a social event (a callejoneada in Guanajuato downtown), some dinners and tourism activities around the city.

Report composed by Frederic Dias, Secretary General of IUTAM

COSPAR (Committee on Space Research)

No report has been submitted by COSPAR.

SCOR (Scientific Committee on Oceanic Research)

No report has been submitted by SCOR.
Statutes

Statuts de l’Union Internationale de Mécanique Théorique et Appliquée

I  «L’Union Internationale de Mécanique Théorique et Appliquée» ci-après dénommée «l’Union» est une organisation scientifique à la fois internationale et non-gouvernementale.

II* Les principaux objectifs de l’Union sont

a) de constituer un lien entre les personnes et les organisations engagées dans le travail scientifique dans toutes les branches de la mécanique théorique et appliquée, par des recherches analytiques, numériques et expérimentales;

b) d'organiser les congrès internationaux de mécanique théorique et appliquée par l'intermédiaire de son Comité permanent des Congrès (cf. Art. XII ci-après), et d'organiser d'autres réunions internationales sur des sujets relevant de la mécanique théorique et appliquée;

c) de s'engager en d'autres activités visant à promouvoir le développement de la mécanique, aussi bien théorique qu'appliquée, en tant que branche de la science.

*) Article II adopté par l’Assemblée Générale de l’Union, le 18 août 2004 à Varsovie, Pologne

III L’autorité suprême de l'Union est son Assemblée Générale.

Cette Assemblée détient le pouvoir de décider sur toute question affectant l'Union, notamment sur toute modification de ses Statuts. Sur des questions spécifiées, elle peut déléguer tout ou partie de ses pouvoirs à un ou à des organismes appropriés.


IV Dans toutes ses décisions, l'Assemblée Générale doit être guidée par la tradition de libre coopération scientifique internationale développée par les Congrès Internationaux de Mécanique Théorique et Appliquée. En poursuivant ses objectifs, l'Union respectera le principe général de non-discrimination et reconnaîtra le droit pour tout scientifique, partout dans le monde, d'adhérer ou de s'associer à une activité scientifique internationale sans rencontrer d'opposition pour motif de race,
de religion, de philosophie politique, d'origine ethnique, de citoyenneté, de langage ou de sexe.

V Dans les votes de l'Assemblée Générale, chaque membre ne dispose que d'une voix. Pour une modification des Statuts, la majorité requise est de deux tiers des votes exprimés. Pour toute autre décision la majorité simple des votes exprimés est requise. Tout membre se trouvant dans l'impossibilité d'être présent à une réunion peut désigner, à l'avance et par lettre adressée au Secrétaire Général, un autre membre qu'il charge de voter en son nom.

Dans l'intervalle entre réunions de l'Assemblée Générale, un vote peut être émis par correspondance sur proposition formulée par le Bureau (cf. Art. XI ci-après). En pareil cas, le résultat du vote n'est valablement obtenu que si le nombre des participants effectifs n'est pas inférieur aux deux tiers du nombre total des membres de l’Assemblée Générale.

VI** L'Assemblée Générale se compose des membres suivants avec droit de vote:

a) des représentants des «organisations adhérentes» (cf. art. VIII);  
b) des membres du Bureau (cf. art. XI);  
c) des membres cooptés par l'Assemblée Générale de l'Union;  

La durée de mandat d’un membre coopté est précisée, lors de son élection, par l’Assemblée Générale. La durée de mandat des membres du Bureau coïncide avec celle de leur appartenance au Bureau.

Les catégories suivantes d’observateurs sont invitées à participer, sans droit de vote, à l’Assemblée Générale de l’Union:

i) des représentants des «organisations affiliées» (cf. art. X);  
ii) le Secrétaire du Comité de Congrès (cf. art. XII);  
iii) les présidents des «Symposia Panels»;  
iv) les présidents des «Working Parties»;  
v) des représentants des « organisations associées adhérentes » (cf. art. IX)  
vi) des représentants des pays candidats à l’adhésion;  
vii) s’il y a lieu, et sur décision de l'Assemblée Générale, des représentants de comités ou groupes de scientifiques.

**) Article VI adopté par l’Assemblée Générale de l’Union, le 27 août 2008 à Adélaide, Australie

VII L’Assemblée Générale doit veiller à une représentation adéquate de tout groupe de scientifiques poursuivant des recherches en mécanique théorique ou appliquée et non représenté par une organisation adhérente.
VIII Les organisations de scientifiques en mécanique théorique ou appliquée (ou les unions de telles organisations) qui représentent effectivement une activité scientifique indépendante dans un pays ou dans un territoire bien défini peuvent être admises dans l'Union par l'Assemblée Générale comme «organisations adhérentes» pourvu que leur dénomination exclue tout malentendu quant à la qualification du pays ou du territoire en cause.

En principe, une seule organisation pourra être admise pour chaque pays ou chaque territoire.

IX*** Des organisations de scientifiques en mécanique théorique ou appliquée qui représentent une activité scientifique indépendante dans un pays ou dans un territoire du monde en voie de développement et qui ne sont pas déjà représentées par des «organisations adhérentes» de l’Union peuvent, avec le soutien écrit d’une «organisation adhérente», être admises en tant qu’«organisations associées adhérentes» de l’Union. La dénomination de l’organisation adhérente proposée doit être sans ambiguïté et politiquement neutre afin d’exclure tout malentendu quant à la qualification du pays ou du territoire qui est représenté.

***) Article IX adopté par l’Assemblée Générale de l’Union, le 27 août 2008 à Adélaide, Australie


****) Article X adopté par l’Assemblée Générale de l’Union, le 27 août 2008 à Adélaide, Australie

XI Des organisations internationales dont les domaines principaux d'activité sont en étroite relation avec ceux de l'Union peuvent être admises par l'Assemblée Générale en qualité «d'organisations affiliées» à l'Union.

Chaque organisation affiliée a la faculté de désigner un observateur qui est invité à participer, sans droit de vote, à l’Assemblée Générale de l’Union. Le Bureau de l’Union (Article XI) a réciproquement la faculté de désigner un observateur, sans droit de vote, à l’organe ayant une responsabilité équivalente dans l'organisation affiliée.

L'organisation affiliée et l'Union sont tenues de s'informer mutuellement de toutes leurs activités importantes et des mesures affectant leur fonctionnement.
En préparant les rencontres scientifiques internationales qu'elles organisent, l'Union et chaque organisation affiliée sont tenues de prendre soigneusement en considération toutes les décisions déjà prises par l'Union et les organisations affiliées de manière à assurer la bonne coordination de toutes ces activités scientifiques.

Les organisations affiliées n'ont à payer aucune cotisation annuelle à l'Union.

Pour exécuter les décisions de l'Assemblée Générale et pour assurer entre ses sessions le travail de l'Union, l'Assemblée Générale élit les membres d'un Bureau pour une durée de quatre ans au plus. Le Bureau est composé d'un Comité Directeur (un Président, le précédent Président qui remplit la fonction de Vice-Président, un Secrétaire Général et un Trésorier) et de quatre autres personnes qui ont été membres de l'Assemblée Générale à un moment de la période précédant de quatre ans le moment de l'élection du Bureau.

Les membres, qui ne sont pas au Comité Directeur, ne peuvent recevoir plus de deux mandats consécutifs. Les membres du Bureau nouvellement élus entrent en fonction au premier novembre qui suit l'Assemblée Générale qui a procédé à leur élection.

Le Bureau doit se réunir au moins une fois par an. Tout membre du Bureau empêché de prendre part à une réunion de celui-ci peut désigner, par lettre adressée au Secrétaire Général, un autre membre de l'Assemblée Générale pour le remplacer.

C'est au Secrétaire Général que doivent être adressées toutes les questions concernant le fonctionnement de l'Union y compris ses relations avec les organisations adhérentes, affiliées ou autres.

Le domicile légal de l'Union se situe au domicile du Secrétaire Général. Le Bureau a le droit de désigner un trésorier-assistant en tout pays où l'Union est titulaire d'un compte bancaire. Les trésoriers-assistants doivent être choisis parmi les membres de l'Assemblée Générale, mais non nécessairement parmi les membres du Bureau.

Le Bureau doit établir un budget prévisionnel pour l'année à venir, administrer les finances de l'Union et soumettre, chaque année, à l'Assemblée Générale un rapport financier.

Le Vice-Président doit normalement remplir les fonctions du Président pendant toute période où celui-ci se trouve empêché de les exercer.

Entre les réunions de l'Assemblée Générale, il incombe au Bureau de désigner un remplaçant temporaire pour remplir les fonctions du Vice-Président, du Secrétaire Général ou du Trésorier si cela s'avère nécessaire.
Article XII adopté par l'Assemblée Générale de l'Union, le 2 Septembre 1990 à Vienne, Autriche

XIII. L'Assemblée Générale désigne un Comité permanent des Congrès chargé d'organiser à intervalles réguliers les Congrès Internationaux de Mécanique Théorique et Appliquée (ICTAM).

a) Le Président de l'Union préside aussi ce Comité des Congrès.

b) Les Membres de ce Comité sont nommés par l'Assemblée Générale; ce sont des scientifiques actifs en mécanique théorique ou appliquée, n'appartenant pas nécessairement à l'Assemblée Générale.

c) Le Comité des Congrès nomme un Secrétaire, sans précision de durée.

d) Les règles de fonctionnement du Comité des Congrès sont soumises à l'approbation de l'Assemblée Générale.

Article XIV adopté par l'Assemblée Générale de l'Union, le 27 août 2008 à Adélaïde, Australie

XIV. Les ressources financières de l'Union sont constituées par:

a) les cotisations annuelles des «organisations adhérentes»;

b) les cotisations des «organisations associées adhérentes »;

c) les dons et subventions que l'Union peut recevoir.

L'Union doit tenir une liste de ses bienfaiteurs où doivent être mentionnés pour chaque année les noms des personnes ou institutions qui ont accordé à l'Union des dons, des legs ou des subventions.

Article XV. Le nombre des représentants d'une «organisation adhérente» et le montant de la cotisation annuelle qu'elle doit acquitter sont définis dans le tableau suivant, par la catégorie à laquelle elle désire appartenir, et avec l'accord de l'Assemblée Générale.

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Le montant de l'unité de cotisation annuelle est fixé par l'Assemblée Générale, au moins une année précédente celle à laquelle cette cotisation devient exigible.
XVI******* La cotisation d’une « organisation associée adhérente » est établie pour couvrir une période de quatre ans, et le montant de ce paiement unique est égal à la cotisation annuelle de l’année en cours d’une « organisation adhérente » de catégorie I. L’admission en tant qu’« organisation associée adhérente » devient effective dès réception de cette cotisation par le Trésorier. Le statut de chaque « organisation associée adhérente » est réexaminé après les quatre premières années, ainsi qu’après les quatre années suivantes. La catégorie de Membre Associé est normalement limitée à un maximum de huit ans. La possibilité de demander l’admission en tant que Membre de la Catégorie I est offerte à tout moment à un Membre Associé.

*******) Article XVI adopté par l'Assemblée Générale de l'Union, le 27 Août 2008 à Adélaide, Australie.

XVII******* Toute proposition de modification des Statuts, présentée ou par le Bureau ou par le Secrétaire Général, et ayant reçu l'appui d'au moins dix membres de l'Assemblée Générale ayant le droit de vote, devra être envoyée aux membres de l'Assemblée Générale avec l'ordre du jour de la réunion de l'Assemblée Générale. Le débat sur de telles propositions devra s'effectuer au cours de la première session et le vote au cours de la seconde (Article V).

*******) Article XVII adopté par l'Assemblée Générale de l'Union, le 28 Août 1994 à Amsterdam, Pays-Bas.

Règles de fonctionnement du Comité des Congrès de l’Union

1. Le Comité des Congrès se réunit au moins une fois lors de chaque Congrès.

2. Le Comité des Congrès doit nommer un Comité Exécutif chargé de prendre en son nom toutes les décisions nécessaires pendant la période qui s'écoule entre deux réunions successives, et de lui en faire rapport à sa prochaine réunion. Le Comité Exécutif comprend le président, le secrétaire du Comité des Congrès, et un ou plusieurs membres désignés par le comité des Congrès.

3. L'organisation effective d'un Congrès est confiée à un Comité local d'Organisation, élu par le pays ou l'organisation qui invite, et ce Comité est également responsable de la publication des Comptes rendus du Congrès. Le Comité d'Organisation fera son rapport au Comité des Congrès soit au cours du Congrès qu'il organise, soit avant, s'il le juge préférable.

4. Le Comité d'Organisation devra obtenir l'approbation du Comité des Congrès (normalement par l'intermédiaire du Comité Exécutif) pour toutes les questions relevant de la politique générale du Comité des Congrès, en particulier pour celles qui concernent:
4.1. le but du Congrès;

4.2. la sélection des communications pour le Congrès;

4.3. le choix des conférences générales pour le Congrès;

4.4. la désignation des présidents de sessions du Congrès;

4.5. les principes généraux régissant les arrangements financiers du Congrès.

5. Le Comité d'Organisation percevra, de tous les membres du Congrès, une contribution (dont le montant sera proposé par le Comité du Congrès et approuvé par le Bureau) afin de couvrir les dépenses administratives du Comité du Congrès. Ces contributions seront reversées à l'IUTAM immédiatement après le Congrès.

Règles pour l'élection du Bureau de l'IUTAM *

1. Lors de l'Assemblée Générale (AG) précédant celle au cours de laquelle le nouveau Bureau doit être élu, un Comité Electoral (CE) doit être élu comprenant le Président de l'IUTAM (qui assure la présidence de ce Comité) et deux à quatre membres de l'AG, non-membres du Bureau en exercice.

2. A la suite de cette élection, le CE invite les membres avec droit de vote et observateurs de l'AG, spécifiés dans l'Article VI des Statuts sous les rubriques a), b), c), i) et ii), à faire connaître à son Président, dans des délais fixés, leurs suggestions de candidatures pour le Bureau, c'est-à-dire pour les charges de Président (P), de Secrétaire Général (S), de Trésorier (T) et pour quatre autres postes. Toutes ces suggestions doivent être traitées confidentiellement par le CE.

3. Prenant en compte toutes les suggestions reçues, le CE doit soumettre au Secrétaire Général les noms proposés comme candidats au Bureau: un seul nom pour les charges P,S,T et un ou plusieurs noms pour chacun des quatre autres postes (W,X,Y,Z). Le CE doit s'assurer que tous les candidats ainsi proposés sont prêts à accepter leur élection. Toutes ces propositions sont portées par le Secrétaire Général à la connaissance des membres de l'AG avant la première session de l'AG au cours de laquelle le nouveau Bureau doit être élu.


5. Avant la seconde session de l'AG au cours de laquelle le nouveau Bureau doit être élu, chaque proposition envisagée au point 4 ci dessus pour pouvoir être acceptée doit recevoir l'appui d'au moins dix membres de l'AG ayant le droit de vote au moyen d'une déclaration écrite et signée et faire l'objet d'un engagement écrit de la personne
proposée indiquant qu'elle est prête à accepter son élection. Toute proposition ne remplissant pas ces conditions sera retirée.

6. Pour chacun des postes P, S, T, W, X, Y, S, l'AG est appelé à désigner le titulaire par un vote mettant en compétition les candidats restants. S'il y a plusieurs candidats pour un poste, le vote doit avoir lieu au scrutin secret.

*) Procédure adoptée par l'Assemblée Générale de l'Union, le 18 Août 2004 à Varsovie, Pologne

Règles pour l'élection de Membres Cooptés par l'Assemblée Générale*

1. La procédure s'applique à l'élection et à la réélection des membres cooptés par l'Assemblée Générale mentionnés à l'article VI c) des Statuts.

2. Les propositions émanant des membres de l'Assemblée Générale ayant le droit de vote en vue de l'élection des membres cooptés, doivent parvenir au Bureau au moins trois mois avant l'Assemblée Générale au cours de laquelle ces propositions sont prises par elle en considération, en règle générale celle qui se tient pendant le Congrès International de Mécanique Théorique et Appliquée. Toutes ces propositions doivent être traitées confidentiellement par le Bureau.

3. Après avoir pris en compte toutes les propositions ainsi reçues le Bureau présente à l'Assemblée Générale une liste de celles qui sont jugées pouvoir recevoir de la part de l'Assemblée Générale un soutien raisonnable, pourvu cependant que le nombre total des membres cooptés n'excède pas 1/8 environ du nombre total des membres ayant le droit de vote. La liste de ces propositions est communiquée à tous les membres de l'Assemblée Générale pendant la première session de la réunion de l’Assemblée au cours de laquelle doit avoir lieu le vote.

4. Une liste de propositions différente de celle présentée par le Bureau n'est recevable que si elle a recueilli le soutien d'au moins dix membres de l'Assemblée Générale avant la seconde session.

5. L’Assemblée Générale vote sur les listes de candidats qui font l'objet des paragraphes 3 et 4.

*) Procédure adoptée par l'Assemblée Générale de l'Union, le 26 Août 1992 à Haïfa, Israël
I. "The International Union of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics" hereinafter called "the Union" is an international non-governmental scientific organization.

II*. The principal objectives of the Union are

   a) to form a link between persons and organizations engaged in scientific work in all branches of theoretical and applied mechanics and related sciences, including analytical, computational and experimental investigations;

   b) to organize international congresses of theoretical and applied mechanics through a standing Congress Committee (Article XII), and to organize other international meetings for subjects falling within the field of theoretical and applied mechanics;

   c) to engage in other activities meant to promote development of mechanics, both theoretical and applied, as a branch of science.

*) Article II adopted by the General Assembly on August 18, 2004, in Warsaw, Poland

III. The highest authority of the Union is its General Assembly.

The General Assembly has the power to decide all questions affecting the Union, including alterations of the Statutes. On specified questions it may delegate its power to appropriate bodies.

The composition of the General Assembly is regulated in Article VI. Meeting of the General Assembly will take place at times decided by the Bureau (Article XII) or on the request of at least 10 members of the General Assembly.

IV. In all its decisions the General Assembly shall be guided by the tradition of free international scientific cooperation, developed in the International Congresses for Theoretical and Applied Mechanics. In pursuing its objectives the Union shall observe the basic policy of non-discrimination and affirm the rights of scientists throughout the world to adhere to or to associate with international scientific activity without regard to race, religion, political philosophy, ethnic origin, citizenship, language or sex.

V. In voting every member of the General Assembly shall dispose of one vote. For an alteration of the Statutes the majority required is 2/3 of the votes brought forward. For all other decisions a simple majority of the votes brought forward is required. Any member who is unable to attend a meeting may by a letter to the Secretary General constitute another member of the General Assembly as proxy.
Between meetings of the General Assembly voting may be carried out by correspondence upon proposals made by the Bureau (Article XI); in this case decisions will be valid only provided the number of persons taking part in the vote is not less than 2/3 of the total membership of the General Assembly.

VI**. The General Assembly is composed of

a) representatives of the adhering organizations (Article VIII);
b) members of the Bureau (Article XII);
c) members-at-large. The term of a member-at-large shall be determined by the General Assembly at the time of the election.

The term of members of the Bureau shall coincide with their term of service on the Bureau.

The following categories of observers are invited to take part in the General Assembly without voting rights:

i) representatives of affiliated organizations (Article XI);
ii) Secretary of the Congress Committee (Article XIII);
iii) chairmen of the Symposia Panels;
iv) chairmen of the Working Parties;
v) representatives of adhering associated organisations (Article IX);
vi) representatives of countries applying for membership;
vii) representatives of committees and groups of scientists, if so decided by the General Assembly.

**) Article VI adopted by the General Assembly on August 27, 2008, in Adelaide (Australia)

VII. The General Assembly shall provide for an adequate representation of any group of scientists carrying out research in theoretical or applied mechanics and not represented by an adhering organization.

VIII. Organizations of scientists in theoretical or applied mechanics (or unions of such organizations) which effectively represent independent scientific activity in a country or in a definite territory can be admitted by the General Assembly as adhering organizations of the Union provided they can be listed under a name that will avoid any misunderstanding about the country or territory represented.

In general only one organization from each country or territory will be admitted.

IX.*** Organisations of scientists in theoretical or applied mechanics which represent independent scientific activity in a country or territory of the developing world and
which are not already represented by an adhering organisation of the Union may, with the written support of one adhering organisation, be admitted as an adhering associate organisation of the Union. The name of the proposed adhering organisation must be unambiguous and politically neutral in order to avoid misunderstanding about the country or territory being represented.

***) Article IX adopted by the General Assembly on August 27, 2008, in Adelaide (Australia)

X.**** Each adhering organization shall have representatives in the General Assembly of the Union, and pay an annual subscription to the Union in accordance with Article XV. Each adhering associate organisation shall have one representative as a nonvoting observer in the General Assembly of the Union, and shall pay a single subscription once for each four-year period in accordance with Article XVI.

****) Article X adopted by the General Assembly on August 27, 2008, in Adelaide (Australia)

XI. International organizations mainly occupied in fields closely related to that of the Union can be admitted by the General Assembly as affiliated organizations of the Union.

Each affiliated organization has the right to appoint an observer, who is invited to take part in the General Assembly without voting rights. The Bureau of the Union (Article X) has the reciprocal right to appoint a nonvoting observer to the corresponding council or other executive body of the affiliated organization.

The affiliated organization and the Union are mutually obliged to keep each other informed about all important activities of and organizational measures taken.

In organizing international scientific meetings the Union and each of the affiliated organizations are obliged to consider carefully all measures already taken by the Union and its affiliated organizations in order to coordinate such international scientific activities.

Affiliated organizations pay no annual dues to the Union.

XII*****. To execute the decisions of the General Assembly and to carry out work between meetings, the General Assembly elects members of a Bureau for a period of at most four years. The Bureau consists of the officers (President, the retiring President who serves as Vice-President, Secretary-General, and Treasurer) and four other persons who shall have been members of the General Assembly at some time within the four years preceding the time of election to the Bureau.
The maximum continuous period of service as a member of the Bureau, other than an officer, is limited to eight years. Newly elected members of the Bureau enter into office on the date of November 1, following the General Assembly at which they were elected.

The Bureau will meet at least every year. A member of the Bureau who is prevented from attending a meeting may by letter to the Secretary-General designate another member of the General Assembly as a replacement.

The Secretary-General will act as a permanent center for all matters affecting the Union, including relations with adhering, affiliated and other organizations.

The legal domicile of the Union shall be the place where the Secretary-General lives.

The Bureau is authorized to appoint Assistant-Treasurers in those countries where the Union has a bank account.

The Assistant-Treasurers must be members of the General Assembly but need not to be members of the Bureau.

The Bureau shall draft a budget for each coming year, and shall administer the finances. The Bureau shall submit an annual financial report to the General Assembly.

The Vice-President shall normally fulfill the duties of the President should the President become unable to discharge them.

Between meetings of the General Assembly the Bureau shall decide who shall undertake the duties of the Vice President, Secretary-General, or Treasurer should a temporary replacement be necessary.

*****) Article XII adopted by the General Assembly on September 2, 1990, in Vienna (Austria)

XIII. The General Assembly establishes a standing Congress Committee which is responsible for the organization of International Congresses of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics at regular intervals.

a) The President of the Union shall also serve as President of the Congress Committee.

b) The members of the Congress Committee are appointed by the General Assembly as scientists active in theoretical or applied mechanics and need not be members of the General Assembly.

c) The Congress Committee appoints a Secretary, without stated terms of office.
d) The rules of procedure of the Congress Committee shall be approved by the General Assembly.

XIV. The financial means of the Union are formed by:

a) the annual subscriptions of the adhering organizations;
b) the subscriptions of the adhering associate organisations;
c) gifts and grants.

The Union shall maintain a roll of benefactors on which shall be inscribed annually the names of those persons or institutions which have accorded gifts, legacies or other subventions to the Union.

*) Article XIV adopted by the General Assembly on August 27, 2008, in Adelaide (Australia)

XV. The number of representatives of an adhering organization and the amount of the annual subscription to be paid by that organization will be regulated according to one of the following categories, as proposed by the adhering organization and after approval of the General Assembly of the Union:

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Changes in the amount of the unit annual subscription will be decided by the General Assembly not less than one year in advance.

XVI. The subscription of an associate adhering organisation shall be set to cover a four-year period, and the level of this single payment shall be equal to the current annual subscription of a Category I adhering organisation. Admission as an associate adhering organisation shall be conditional on receipt of this subscription by the Treasurer. The status of each adhering associate organisation shall be reviewed after the initial four years and again after a further four years. Associate Membership shall normally be limited to a maximum of eight years. The option to apply for Category I Membership shall be open to an Associate Member at any time.

*) Article XVI adopted by the General Assembly on August 27, 2008, in Adelaide (Australia)

XVII. Any proposal for alteration of the Statutes either prepared by the Bureau or supported by statements to the General-Secretary signed by at least ten
voting members of the General Assembly with voting rights, shall be sent to
members of the General Assembly with the Agenda for a meeting of the General
Assembly. Such proposals shall be discussed during the first session of that meeting
and voted upon during the second session (Article V).

*********) Article XV adopted by the General Assembly on August 28, 1994, in
Amsterdam, Netherlands

Rules of procedure for the Congress Committee of IUTAM

1. The Congress Committee meets at least once at every Congress.

2. The Congress Committee may appoint an Executive Committee to take all necessary
actions on its behalf in the period between two successive Congresses, and to report
to it at its next meeting. The Executive Committee will consist of the president, the
secretary and one or more members appointed by the Congress Committee.

3. The actual organization of a Congress is delegated to a local Organizing Committee,
elected by the host-country or host-organization, which is also responsible for
publication of its Proceedings. The Organizing Committee will report to the
Congress Committee either during or, if it sees fit, before the Congress which it
organizes.

4. The Organizing Committee will obtain the approval of the Congress Committee
(normally through the Executive Committee) with regard to all matters affecting the
general policy of the Congress Committee, in particular with regard to:

4.1. the scope of the Congress;

4.2. the screening of papers of the Congress;

4.3. the selection of general lectures for the Congress;

4.4. the appointment of chairmen of sessions of the Congress;

4.5. the broad principles regarding financial arrangements for the Congress.

5. The Organizing Committee will levy a fee (the level to be recommended by the
Congress Committee and approved by the Bureau) for administrative expenses of the
Congress Committee, from all Congress members. This fee will be paid over to
IUTAM after the Congress.
Procedure for election of the Bureau of IUTAM*

1. At the General Assembly (GA) preceding the one at which the new Bureau is to be elected, an Electoral Committee (EC) shall be elected, consisting of the President of IUTAM (who shall act as Chairman of the EC) and two to four members of the GA who are not members of the current Bureau.

2. Following its election, the EC shall invite from those voting members and observers of the GA indicated under a), b), c), i) and ii) in Article VI of the Statutes, within a specified time limit, suggestions for candidates for the Bureau, viz. for the Offices of President (P), Secretary-General (S) and Treasurer (T), and for the four non-Officer positions. All suggestions shall be treated confidentially by the EC.

3. Taking account of all suggestions received, the EC shall submit to the Secretary-General nominations for candidates for election to the Bureau: one name for each of the Officer positions (P, S, T) and one or more names for each of the non-Officer positions (W, X, Y, Z). The EC will make sure that the candidates thus nominated are willing to accept an election. These nominations shall be conveyed by the Secretary-General to the GA in advance of the first session of the meeting of the GA at which the new Bureau is to be elected.

4. At this first session, additional candidates may be proposed by members of the GA for each and any of the positions P, S, T, W, X, Y, Z. No candidate may be proposed for more than one position.

5. Before the second session of the GA at which the new Bureau is to be elected, the proposals under clause 4 above shall be accepted if supported by statements to the Secretary-General each signed by at least ten (voting) members of the GA and by written confirmation that each nominee is willing to accept election; otherwise they shall be considered withdrawn.

6. The GA shall vote separately on the surviving nominations for each of the positions P, S, T, W, X, Y, Z. In any case in which there is more than one candidate for a position, the vote shall be by secret ballot.

*) Procedure adopted by the General Assembly on August 18, 2004, in Warsaw, Poland

Procedure for electing Members-at-Large of the General Assembly*

1. This procedure shall apply for the election and re-election of the Members-at-Large of the General Assembly provided for in Article VI(c) of the Statutes.

2. Proposals, by members of the General Assembly with voting rights, for Members-at-Large must be received by the Bureau at least three months before the meeting of the
General Assembly at which proposals are to be considered, normally during the International Congresses of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM). All proposals will be treated confidentially by the Bureau.

3. Taking into account all material received, the Bureau will present to the General Assembly such proposals as it deems will have at least a reasonable support by the General Assembly, provided however that the total number of Members-at-Large is not to exceed approximately one eighth (1/8) of the total General Assembly membership with voting rights. Such proposals will be circulated to all members of the General Assembly during the first session of meeting of the Assembly at which the proposals are to be voted on.

4. Proposals not identical with those presented by the Bureau are considered to be withdrawn, unless they are sustained and supported by at least ten members of the General Assembly before its second session.

5. The General Assembly will vote on those candidates mentioned in the proposals of paragraphs 3 and 4.

*) Procedure adopted by the General Assembly on August 26, 1992, in Haifa, Israel
List of Publications

Five categories of IUTAM publications can be distinguished:

a) **Annual Reports**

Since 1948, the Union has published a Report every year with detailed information on its activities. Since 2013, all these Annual Reports are available as pdf files on the IUTAM website.

b) **Newsletters**

At the meeting of the Bureau of IUTAM held in Warsaw in August 2001 it was agreed that the IUTAM Newsletter should be revived.

A primary purpose of the Newsletter, in conjunction with the IUTAM website, is to provide information concerning future activities of IUTAM, particularly its Symposia and Summer Schools, and concerning the International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM).

The Newsletter will also serve to keep members of IUTAM informed about any other current developments of concern to IUTAM.

The IUTAM Newsletters are available from the IUTAM website.

c) **Proceedings of IUTAM Symposia**

Since 2011, the official publisher for proceedings of IUTAM Symposia is Elsevier, under the newly created Procedia IUTAM series. Procedia IUTAM is open access. All proceedings are freely available on the website of Procedia IUTAM http://www.journals.elsevier.com/procedia-iutam

d) **Proceedings of the International Congresses on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM)**

Until 2008, they were only available by direct ordering from the publisher. The Proceedings of ICTAM 2012 have been published under the Procedia IUTAM series. The link is www.sciencedirect.com/science/journal/22109838/10

e) **Publications on the history of IUTAM**

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Proceedings of IUTAM Symposia

The Proceedings of IUTAM Symposia published since 2000 are listed below. The names of the editors and of the publisher are given in every case. A complete listing of all published Proceedings can be found at the IUTAM website http://www.iutam.net or http://www.iutam.org.

2000

00-1  *IUTAM Symposium on Creep in Structures*  
(Nagoya, Japan, 3-7 April 2000).  

00-2  *IUTAM Symposium on Bluff Body Wakes and Vortex-induced Vibration*  
(Marseille, France, 13-16 June 2000).  

00-2a  *IUTAM Symposium on Scaling Laws in Ice Mechanics and Ice Dynamics*  
(Fairbanks, Alaska, USA, 13-16 June 2000).  

00-3  *IUTAM Symposium on Mechanical Waves for Composite Structures Characterization*  
(Chania, Crete, Greece, 14-17 June 2000).  

00-4  *IUTAM Symposium on Advances in Mathematical Modelling of Atmosphere and Ocean Dynamics*  
(Limerick, Ireland, 2-7 July 2000).  

00-5  *IUTAM Symposium on Free Surface Flows*  
(Birmingham, United Kingdom, 10-14 July 2000).

00-6 IUTAM Symposium on Diffraction and Scattering in Fluid Mechanics and Elasticity (Manchester, England, 17-20 July 2000).

00-7 IUTAM Symposium on Field Analyses for Determination of Material Parameters-Experimental and Numerical Aspects (Kiruna, Sweden, 31 July-4 August 2000).

00-8 IUTAM Symposium on Smart Structures and Structronic Systems (Magdeburg, Germany, 26-29 September 2000).

00-9 IUTAM Symposium on Designing for Quietness (Bangalore, India, 12-14 December 2000).

2001

01-1 IUTAM Symposium on Flow in Collapsible Tubes and Past Other Highly Compliant Boundaries (Warwick, Coventry, March 26-30, 2001).

01-2 IUTAM Symposium on Material Instabilities and the Effect of Microstructure (Austin, Texas, USA, 7-11 May 2001).
01-3 *IUTAM Symposium on Turbulent Mixing and Combustion*  
(Kingston, Ontario, Canada, 3-6 June 2001).  

01-4 *IUTAM Symposium on Micromechanics of Martensitic Phase Transformation in Solids*  
(Hong Kong, 11-15 June 2001).  

01-5 *IUTAM Symposium on Analytical and Computational Fracture Mechanics of Non-Homogeneous Materials*  

01-6 *IUTAM Symposium on Computational Mechanics of Solid Materials at Large Strains*  
(Stuttgart, Germany, 20-24 August 2001).  

01-7 *IUTAM Symposium on Tubes, Sheets and Singularities In Fluid Dynamics*  
(Zakopane, Poland, 2-7 September 2001).  

2002

02-1 *IUTAM Symposium on Micromechanics of Fluid Suspensions and Solid Composites*  
(Austin, Texas, USA, 3-5 April 2002).  
The Proceedings of the Symposium have been published by Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands, in a special issue of the Philosophical Transactions: Mathematical, Physical & Engineering Sciences in May 2003

02-2 *IUTAM Symposium on Unsteady Separated Flows*

02-3 *IUTAM Symposium on Dynamics of Advanced Materials and Smart Structures* (Yamagata, Japan, 20-24 May 2002).

02-4 *IUTAM Symposium on Asymptotics, Singularities and Homogenisation in Problems of Mechanics* (Liverpool, UK, 8-11 July 2002).

02-5 *IUTAM Symposium on Complementary, Dual Variational Principles in Nonlinear Mechanics* (Shanghai, China, 13-16 August 2002).

02-6 *IUTAM Symposium on Nonlinear Stochastic Systems* (Urbana-Champaign, Illinois, USA, 25-31 August 2002).

02-7 *IUTAM Symposium Transsonicum IV* (Göttingen, Germany, 02-06 September 2002).


02-9 *IUTAM Symposium on Evolutionary Methods in Mechanics*

02-10 **IUTAM Symposium on Multiscale Modeling and Characterization of Elastic-Inelastic Behavior of Engineering Materials**

2003

03-1 **IUTAM Symposium on Mechanics of Physicochemical and Electromechanical Interactions in Porous Media**
(Kerkrade, The Netherlands 18-23 May 2003).
ISBN: 978-1-4020-3864-8

03-2 **IUTAM Symposium on Integrated Modeling of Fully Coupled Fluid-Structure Interactions**
(Rutgers, N.J. USA 02-06 June 2003).

03-3 **IUTAM Symposium on Chaotic Dynamics and Control of Systems and Processes in Mechanics**
(Rome, Italy, 08-13 June 2003).

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The Proceedings of the Symposium edited by Jonkers, Ilse and Vander Sloten, Jos, have been published online, 2010

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12-8  *IUTAM Symposium on Topological Fluid Dynamics: Theory and Applications*  
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Since September 4, 1964 the same task will be fulfilled by the Standing Congress Committee of IUTAM, and local Organizing Committees to be established. The titles of the volumes and the names of the publishing firms are given below.

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2nd Congress, Zürich (Switzerland), 12-17 September 1926.

3rd Congress, Stockholm (Sweden), 24-29 August 1930.


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6th Congress, Paris (France), 22-29 September 1946.
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8th Congress, Istanbul (Turkey), 20-28 August 1952.
Proceedings published by the Organizing Committee (Vol. I, Vol. II). Faculty of Sciences, University of Istanbul, P.O. Box 245, Istanbul (Turkey), 1953.

9th Congress, Brussels (Belgium), 5-13 September 1956.

10th Congress, Stresa (Italy), 31 August-7 September 1960.

11th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM), Munich (Germany), 30 August-5 September 1964.
The Proceedings, edited by H. Görtler, have been published by Springer-Verlag, Heidelberger Platz 3, Berlin (Germany), 1966.

12th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM), Stanford, Cal. (USA), 26-31 August 1968.
The Proceedings, edited by M. Hetényi and W.G. Vincenti, have been published by Springer-Verlag, Berlin (Germany), 1969.

13th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM), Moscow (USSR), 21-26 August 1972.
The Proceedings, edited by E. Becker and G.K. Mikhailov, have been published by Springer-Verlag, Berlin (Germany), 1973.

14th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM), Delft (Netherlands), 30 August-4 September 1976.

15th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM), Toronto (Canada), 17-23 August 1980.
16th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM),
Lyngby (Denmark), 19-25 August 1984.
The Proceedings, edited by F.I. Niordson and N. Olhoff, have been published by Elsevier

17th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM),
The Proceedings, edited by P. Germain, M. Piau and D. Caillerie, have been published

18th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM),
Haifa (Israel), 22-28 August 1992.
The Proceedings, edited by S.R. Bodner, J. Singer, A. Solan and Z. Hashin, have been

19th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM),
Kyoto (Japan), 25-31 August 1996.
The Proceedings, edited by T. Tatsumi, E. Watanabe, T. Kambe, have been published by

20th International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM),
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The Proceedings, entitled “Mechanics for a new Millenium and edited by H.Aref and
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21st International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM),
The Proceedings, entitled "Mechanics of the 21st Century" and edited by W. Gutkowski
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22nd International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM),
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23rd International Congress on Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM),
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Publications on the history of IUTAM

*IUTAM - A Short History*,
edited by S. Juhasz, has been published by Springer-Verlag, Berlin, Germany, 1988. ISBN 978-3-540-50043-8 (Print), 978-3-642-45649-7 (Online).
The short history is dedicated to the memory of Professor Theodore von Karman who had an essential role in the formation of IUTAM. Contributions by S. Juhasz, Sir James Lighthill, G. Battimelli, J. Hult, N.J. Hoff, D.C. Drucker and F.I. Niordson are included in the book.

*Mechanics at the Turn of the Century*,
edited by W. Schiehlen and L. van Wijngaarden, has been published by Shaker Verlag, Aachen, Germany, 2000. ISBN 3-8265-7714-0.
This Report is the result of an initiative of the Bureau of IUTAM to provide some landmarks on the developments in Mechanics during the 20th Century, to report on the 50 years of impulse to Mechanics by the International Union of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (IUTAM), to visualize by a poster Meters of Motion on the occasion of the 20th International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics (ICTAM), to look ahead on a very personal basis and to show the broad international involvement of scientists in IUTAM in recent years.

The booklet “Mechanics at the Turn of the Century” is accessible free of charge on the website of Shaker Verlag. The internet address is www.shaker.de and search for Schiehlen as the author. Moreover, this booklet is available upon request at the IUTAM Secretariat.

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