

# **CSECEDHA Meeting**

Clearwater Beach, FL

March 15, 2010

## In attendance:

Bing Chen – Univ. of Nebraska – Omaha  
J. R. Cruz – Univ. of Oklahoma  
Kelvin Erickson – Missouri Univ. of Science and Technology  
Don Gruenbacher – Kansas State Univ.  
Steve Hietpas – South Dakota State U.  
Jerry Hudgins – Univ. of Nebraska-Lincoln  
Gerry Kane – Univ. of Tulsa  
H. S. Mallik – Saint Louis Univ.  
Hiro Mukai – Washington Univ. (St. Louis)  
Keith Teague – Oklahoma State Univ.  
John Watkins – Wichita State Univ.

## Items discussed:

### **Discussion on Budgets for this year and next**

Most of us were having hiring freezes. A few searches.  
Varying amounts of cuts this year and next

### **Discussion on course exchange**

Will send out survey again, gauging interest. Will try to a trial started in Spring 2010 with no institutional funds transfer. Students would pay fees at their home institution, receiving course from other institutions. This would be targeted for graduate-level courses.

### **Discussion on ABET**

Oklahoma State visited this year with no problems.  
South Dakota State visited this year. Objectives being too much like outcomes was a problem.

### **Open Forum Questions**

None

### **Member groups not present**

Univ. of Arkansas and University of Missouri-Columbia will be contacted to encourage them to come to the regional meeting.

### **Question from the ECEDHA Board gauging interest as to whether ECEDHA should have a lobbyist.**

Agreed on the following statement:

ECEDHA should provide an annual public policy position report to the Dean's Council of the ASEE as input to their public policy deliberations/actions/plans. May also provide this annual report to the IEEE-USA and CRA (Computing Research Assn).

**HKN**

2010 HKN National Leadership Conference will be held at Univ of Oklahoma, Nov 6, 2010.

Meeting at Univ of Nebraska-Omaha in Fall, 2010.

Kelvin Erickson