

**Minutes of the AHSN TC minutes**  
**Meeting held 6th, December, 2011**  
**Globecom 2011, Houston USA**

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**Officers:**

Chair: Hossam Hassanein  
Vice Chair: Azzedine Boukerche  
Secretary: Nei Kato  
Past Chair: Nirwan Ansari

**Number of Attendees:** 68 people

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The meeting commenced at 17:30pm and was adjourned at 19:00 pm.

• **Welcome and Introduction**

Dr. Hossam Hassanein, The chair of AHSN TC introduces the Officers and asked the attendees to introduce themselves.

• **Approval of the minutes**

The minutes were approved without modification. Dr. Yacine Ghamri-Doudane proposed a motion to approve the minutes, and Dr. Vojislav B. Mistic seconded the motion.

• **Business arising from the minutes**

There was no business arising.

• **Reports on Conferences**

Dr. Hossam Hassanein delivered the reports of following symposiums/conferences.

• **Officer election**

According to the rule of AHSN TC, current Vice Chair, Azzedine Boukerche and Secretary Nei Kato will be elevated to the positions of Chair and Vice Chair respectively, starting from Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012. Prof. Jalel BEN-OTHTMAN was elected as Secretary unanimously, starting also from Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2012.

• **Sponsored Activities:**

Globecom 2010: *Ad Hoc, Sensor, and Mesh Networking Symposium – Globecom'2010, Miami, Florida, USA*

**Co-Chairs;**

Hossam Hassanein, Queens University,  
Xiaohua Jia, University of Hong Kong, China  
Sirisha Medidi, Poise State University, USA,  
Cheng Li, Memorial University of Newfoundland, Canada

**Sponsoring committees:**

Technical Committee on Wireless Communications (WC)  
Technical Committee on Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (AHSN)

**Statistics:**

499 submissions (acceptance 176 , < 35%)—second largest  
36 oral and 7 poster sessions  
400+ TPC members

Globecom 2010: *Wireless Networking Symposium – Globecom '2010*,  
*Miami, Florida, USA*

**Co-Chairs:**

Song Ci University of Nebraska Lincoln, USA.  
Lin Cai University of Victoria, Canada.  
Abbas Jamalipour University of Sydney, Australia.  
Linda Jiang Xie University of Chalotte, USA.

**Sponsoring committees:**

Technical Committee on Wireless Communications (WC)  
Technical Committee on Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (AHSN)

**Statistics:**

430 submissions (accepted about 168.39%)  
Oral session: 32, Poster session: 7  
328 TPC members

Globecom 2010: *Wireless Communications Symposium – Globecom '2010*,  
*Miami, Florida, USA*

**Co-Chairs:**

Jalel Ben-Othman University of Versailles, France.  
Jun Cai University of Manitoba, Canada.  
Andrea Conti University of Ferrara, Italy.  
Jianwei Huang Chinese University of Hong Kong, China.  
Sana Sfar, InterDigital Communications, USA.  
Liuqing Yang, University of Florida, USA.

**Sponsoring committees:**

Technical Committee on Wireless Communications (WC)  
Technical Committee on Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (AHSN)  
Technical Committee on Communications Switching and Routing (CSR)

**Statistics:**

487 submissions and 400 TPC members

SECON 2010: *SECON 2010, Boston, Massachusetts, USA, June 21-25 2009*

**General Chair:**

Thyaga Nandagopal, *Bell Labs, Alcatel-Lucent*

**TPC Co-Chairs:**

Stefano Basagni, *Northeastern University*

Tom La Porta, *Penn State University*

**Sponsors:**

Technical (IEEE ComSoc) w/ co-sponsor by AFCEA

**Statistics:**

290 Submissions, 62 papers accepted (21% Acceptance Rate)

Keynote Speaker: Skip Ashton, Senior VP, Ember

ICC 2011: *Ad Hoc, Sensor, and Mesh Networking Symposium – ICC 2011*

Kyoto, Japan

**Co-Chairs:**

Azzedine Boukerche, University of Ottawa, Canada

Nei Kato, Tohoku University, Japan

Ehab Elmallah, University of Alberta, Canada

Xinbing Wang, Shanghai Jiaotong University, China

Jun Zheng, Southeast University, China

**Sponsoring committees:**

Technical Committee on Wireless Communications (WC)

Technical Committee on Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (AHSN)

**Statistics**

322 submissions (acceptance about 123, 38.2%-Not official yet)

220 TCP members

ICC 2011: *Wireless Networking Symposium – ICC 2011*

Kyoto, Japan

**Co-Chairs:**

Mohammed Atiquzzaman, University of Oklahoma, USA

Cheng Li, Memorial University of Newfoundland, Canada

Tarik Taleb, NEC Europe

Ping Wang, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore

Mohamed Younis, University of Maryland Baltimore County, USA

**Sponsoring committees:**

Technical Committee on Wireless Communications (WC)

Technical Committee on Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (AHSN)

**Statistics**

307 submissions (acceptance about 118, Not official yet)

425 TCP members

Globecom 2011: *Ad-hoc, Sensor and Mesh Networking Symposium –Globecom 2011*  
(Houston ,USA, 4-8th Dec)

**Co-Chairs:**

Jiming Chen, Zhejiang University, China  
Damla Turgut, University of Central Florida, USA  
Sidi-Mohammed Senouci, Orange Labs, France  
Jalel Ben Othman, Versailles University, France

**Sponsoring committees:**

Technical Committee on Wireless Communications (WC)  
Technical Committee on Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (AHSN)  
Technical Committee on Information Infrastructure (TCII)

Globecom 2011: *Wireless Networking Symposium – Globecom '2011,*  
*Houston, Texas, USA*

**Co-Chairs:**

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Cheng Li  
Tarik Taleb  
Ping Wang  
Mohamed Younis

**Sponsoring committees:**

Technical Committee on Wireless Communications (WC)  
Technical Committee on Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (AHSN)  
Technical Committee on Communications Switching and Routing (CSR)

SECON 2011: *SECON 2011, Salt Lake City, Date: TBA*

**Chair:**

Prasant Mohapatra, University of California at Davis

**TPC Co-Chairs:**

Sneha Kasera, University of Utah  
Lili Qiu, University of Texas at Austin

**Sponsoring committees**

Technical Committee on Ad Hoc and Sensor Networks (AHSN)

ICC 2012: *ICC 2012, Ottawa,*

Ad Hoc, Sensor, and Mesh Networking Symposium  
Wireless Networking Symposium

Globecom 2012: *Globecom '2012, Anaheim, CA, USA*  
Ad Hoc, Sensor, and Mesh Networking Symposium  
Wireless Networking Symposium  
Cognitive Radio

• **The AHSN TC Technical Recognition Award**

Dr. Nirwan Ansari, the selection committee chair, introduced the objectives of this award. Nomination has been solicited by e-mail from the AHSN TC members. Selection committee members are

Hussein Mouftah  
Nirwan Ansari  
H.H. Chen  
Hossam Hassanein  
Ian Akyildiz

The winner of this year is Dr. Mario Gerla.

• **TC Newsletter Update**

Dr. Yacine Ghamri-Doudane provided updated information about the newsletter, which basically planned to be published twice a year. Dr. yacine invited members to contribute their articles related to Ad hoc & sensor, mesh networks, articles can be in form of project introduction, survey or whatever.

• **Other business**

None.

The business of the committee having terminated, the meeting adjourned at 19:0 pm.

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Vice Chair: Azzedine Boukerche

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Secretary: Nei Kato

