



AIM Chapter Update December 2022

AIM Asia – Anna Lau

AIM Asia is preparing for AIM's 50th anniversary celebration in Singapore in October 10-12th 2023. They are preparing an anniversary video to include the Asian chapters. Plans are to co-locate this event with China Airline Authority, IEEE and Hong Kong IoT (HKIOT).

AIM Asia met with the China Airline Authority and HKIOT to collaborate with future AIM Asia activities.

AIM Asia is planning an Asia Chapter meeting in March that will be collocated with UTC Global.

AIM Europe – Frithjof Walk

AIM Europe is preparing for AIM's 50th anniversary celebration in collaboration with Wireless IoT Tomorrow in Wiesbaden, Germany.

AIM China – Pika Zhao

AIM China has produced "China's AIDC Industry Direction Report" which will be translated into English and sent to AIM, Inc. They have also made a 5-minute promotional video about China's AIDC Industry.

AIM India – Sanjive Mehta

AIM India was formally launched at the AIDC Technologies Association of India Summit in September where more than 125 AIDC companies participated. They also exhibited at LabelExpo India in November.

AIM Japan – Masaki Ehara

A request for assistance for Privacy Protection Guidelines for RFID was initiated; what kind of EPC/UII should be encoded for product information lookup and product tracking. AIM Japan is also looking forward to AIM's 50th anniversary celebrations.

AIM Denmark – Henrick Granau

AIM Denmark's membership is stable. The main event "RFID & IoT in the Nordics" will be held on June 7, 2023. The Smart Company @ HI will be held October 3rd-5th where AIM Denmark members will be exhibiting and attending. Meetings are scheduled with GS1 Denmark to discuss AIDC in Pharm & Healthcare and AIDC & Sustainability along with general membership meetings.

Special work group meetings are scheduled for AIDC and Blockchain, the European Sustainable Product Regulation (ESPR) and User case "20".

AIM-D e. V. (Germany, Austria, Switzerland) – Peter Altes

AIM-D e.V. is continuing to work on several projects that include AIM & VDA on global permit/ approval of passive UHF RFID, Global Positioning Group and WIPANO-II/SPOQ (AutoID & Security). The various work groups are active and starting to meet in person. The Stakeholder's meeting is scheduled for December 2022 and January 2023.

Member meetings are scheduled for the spring and fall. They are assisting in planning the 50th Anniversary celebration that will be collocated with WIOT23 in Wiesbaden in October. LogiMAT is sold out and the Tracking and Tracing Theater is being planned to include both members and non-members.

AIM Russia – Grigory Slusarenko

Membership remains steady with representatives in all AIDC technologies. AIM Russia has an active standard participation and is secretariat to CIS Technical Committee 517 "Automatic Identification and Data Capture Techniques" and GOST R/TC 355 "Automatic Identification and Data Capture Techniques". They also represent the Russian National Standards Body in ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC31.

In October AIM Russian hosted a virtual meeting of CIS Technical Committee where 5 countries were represented.

GOST R ISO/IEC 29158 – Information Technology. Automatic Identification and data capture techniques – Direct Part Mark (DMP) quality guidelines were approved.

AIM North America – Jeanne Duckett

AIM NA has hosted a series of Food Webinars with some scheduled in Q1 2023 related to the FSMA 204 ruling. New WG chairs have been selected for the various WG. AIM NA will be present at several industry shows and will have 7 speaking opportunities at RFID Journal LIVE!

AIM NA will be forming a committee to assist in planning the 50th anniversary celebration in the US. They are also planning a Hackathon at Wright State University in February 2023.

The AIM NA Industry awards for Professional of the Year, AIT and Organization of the year award were presented at a video conference in December.

Questions?

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