

Newsletter of the Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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How time flies – hard to believe that my two-year term as CCSC President is coming to an end already! It's been good to see more and more people becoming involved at the regional level, and the addition of our 10th region! I hope that we have made major progress toward improving communication between the Board and the people at the regional level who do the work of putting on our conferences, including the all-important double-blind peer reviewing that makes our *Journal* as strong as it is.

I appreciate the opportunity to have served in this office, and know I am leaving it in the good hands of Myles McNally, to be followed by Bob Neufeld. I will now enjoy working more “behind scenes”. Look forward to seeing many of you in print, and at SIGCSE and our regional conferences!

ELECTION RESULTS

The results of the recent election for Board membership have been announced and the Board will reorganize effective the beginning of the fiscal year on 1st August..

Myles McNally moves from vice-president into a two year term as president. Elected for a two year term is Bob Neufeld

Four regional representative positions were open and have been filled for three year terms by the following:

Eastern: Liz Adams
Central Plains: Scott Sigman
Midwest: Deb Hwang
Southwestern: Kim Kihlstrom

Congratulations are extended to the winners and thanks for all of the candidates for positions. We trust that the runners up in the election will continue to serve the Consortium in various capacities both on the national and regional levels.

NATIONAL PARTNERS PROGRAM

The Consortium is very happy to have the following as National Partners. If you have the opportunity please thank them for their support of computing in teaching institutions. National Partners are invited to participate in our regional conferences. Visit with their representatives there.

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CONFERENCE CALENDAR

The Calls for Participation for Consortium sponsored conferences are available at

<http://www.ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>

June 30-July 2, 2008

ITiCSE 2008, the 13th Annual Conference on Innovation and Technology in Computer Science Education, will be held **June 30-July 2** in **Madrid, Spain**. For more information, visit the conference web site at <http://www.iticse08.fi.ipm.es>

September 26-27, 2008

The **Fifteenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Midwestern Conference** is scheduled at **Hope College in Holland, MI, September 26-27, 2008**. The conference chair is Alyce Brady, Kalamazoo College.. Additional information is available at the Midwest web site, <http://www.ccsc.org/midwest/conference/>

October 10-11, 2008

The **Tenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Northwestern Conference** is scheduled at **Southern Oregon University in Ashland, OR, October 10-11, 2008**. Greg Pleva of SOU is the conference chair. Additional information is available at the Northwestern regional website, <http://www.ccsc.org/northwest/2008/>

October 10-11, 2008

The **Twenty-third Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Eastern Conference**, will be held at **Hood College in Frederick, MD, October 10-11, 2008**. For further information, visit the regional web site at: <http://cs.hood.edu/ccsce08/>

October 17-18, 2008

The **Seventeenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Rocky Mountain Conference**. **Colorado Technical University in Colorado Springs, CO, October 17-18, 2008**. For further information, visit the

regional web site at: <http://www.ccsc.org/rockymt/>

November 7-8, 2008

The **Twenty-second Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges **CCSC: Southeastern Conference** to be held at **Augusta State University, Augusta, GA, November 7-8, 2008**. For further information, visit the conference web site at: <http://cs.furman.edu/ccscse/>

March 4-7, 2009

SIGCSE 2009, the 40th Technical Symposium on Computer Science Education, will be held **March 4-7, 2009** in **Chattanooga, TN**. For more information visit <http://www.cs.arizona.edu/groups/sigcse09/>.

March/April 2009

The **Seventh Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Mid-South Conference**, will be held in **late March/early April 2009**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>

April 3-4, 2009

The **Fifteenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Central Plains Conference**, will be held at **Southwest Baptist University, Bolivar, MO, April 3-4, 2008**. Tim DeClue is conference chair. For further information, visit the regional web site at: <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>

April 24-25, 2009

The **Twentieth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: South Central Conference** to be held at **Southeastern Louisiana University in Hammond LA, April 24-25, 2009**. For more information, visit the conference web site at: <http://www.sci.tamucc.edu/ccsc/>

April 24-25, 2009

The **Fourteenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges **CCSC: Northeastern Conference** to be held at **SUNY Plattsburgh, Plattsburgh, NY, April 24-25, 2009**. For information, visit the conference web site at <http://www.ccscne.org/future/index.shtml>. For further information, please contact: Lonnie Fairchild, Computer Science Department, SUNY Plattsburgh at lonnie.fairchild@plattsburgh.edu or Timothy Fossum, Computer Science, SUNY Potsdam at fossumtv@potsdam.edu.

Spring, 2009

The **Second Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Southwestern Conference**, will be

held at **National University, San Diego, CA, Spring 2009**.

Visit <http://www.ccsc.org/southwestern/> for the latest conference information visit <http://www.ccsc.org/southwestern/2009>.

September 25-26, 2009

The **Sixteenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Midwestern Conference** is scheduled at **St. Xavier University in Chicago, IL, September 25-26, 2009**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>.

October 2009

The **Twenty-fourth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Eastern Conference** is scheduled at **Villanova University in Philadelphia, PA, October 2009**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>.

October 2-3 or 9-10, 2009

The **Eleventh Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Northwestern Conference** is scheduled at **Pacific Lutheran University in Parkland, WA, October 2-3 or 9-10, 2009**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>.

April 2010

The **Sixteenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Central Plains Conference** is scheduled at **Park University in Parkville, MO, April 2010**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>.

April 2010

The **Fifteenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Northeastern Conference** is scheduled at the **University of Hartford in West Hartford, CT, April 2010**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>.

October 2010

The **Twenty-fifth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: Eastern Conference** is scheduled at **Juniata College in Huntingdon, PA, October 2010**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>.

April 2011

The **Twenty-first Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored **CCSC: South Central Conference** is

scheduled at **St. Edwards University** in **Austin, TX, April 2011**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>.

April 2010

The **Sixteenth Annual** Consortium for Computing Sciences in Colleges sponsored *CCSC: Northeastern Conference* is scheduled at the **Western New England College** in **Springfield, MA, April 2011**. Further information will be available at <http://ccsc.org/regions/regions.htm>.