

## Minutes of the Nordic Society for Aerosol Research Annual Meeting, Kjeller, Norway, November 7, 2002

1. The President Erik Swietlicki opened the meeting.
2. Erik Swietlicki was elected chairperson and Douglas Nilsson was elected secretary of the annual meeting. Merete Bilde and Christian Dye were elected to check the minutes.
3. The Minutes of the 2001 annual meeting was approved.
4. The President reported:
  - a. Budget of the NOSA symposium 2001 is not closed yet, but it is on the plus side thanks to sufficient sponsoring.
  - b. A new board was elected for 2 years on the annual meeting 2001: Erik Swietlicki, Douglas Nilsson, Kaarle Hämeri, Tomas Schneider, Christina Dye, Mattias Hallquist. Two board meetings have taken place over telephone during 2002. On the first of these, Erik Swietlicki was elected president and Douglas Nilsson was elected secretary.
  - c. Budget report. The NOSA economical assets have been transferred from Denmark to Sweden to a new bank account, which now contain 10908 SEK. Erik Swietlicki and Douglas Nilsson have access to this bank account. It is noted that these money entirely consist of subscription rates for Journal of Aerosol Science (JAS). One bill to Elsevier has been paid during 2002.
  - d. The NOSA homepage remains at a server in Lund (<http://www.fysik.lth.se/eriksw/nosa/nosa.htm>).
  - e. NOSA has 215 members.
  - f. All communication with the members is made over e-mail.
5. Report from International meetings made by Kaarle Hämeri:

European Aerosol Association (EAA) annual meeting in Taipei during the IAC2002 September 2002, Kaarle Hämeri and Douglas Nilsson participated for NOSA.

  - a. A new agreement was reached with JAS: all members can subscribe for 68 €/year for 2002, and the following years with an annual 2% increase (paper version). All members can subscribe to the digital version for the same conditions, but with an additional 20% discharge.
  - b. One new member association approved: The Czech aerosol association.
  - c. The following aerosol meetings are: European Aerosol Conferences: Madrid in 2003, Budapest in 2004, Gent in 2005.
  - d. New EAA president elected: Jan Marijnissen, the Netherlands (NOSA should be the next president association in 2 years time).
  - e. Junge prize: Two candidates: Hans Fissan (functional nanoparticles), Richard Flagan (several fields). Election will be made in November. Erik Swietlicki and Douglas Nilsson are voting for NOSA.
  - f. EAA website, no substantial progress.
  - g. International Aerosol Research Association (IARA) annual meeting in Taipei during the IAC2002 September 2002, Kaarle Hämeri and Douglas Nilsson participated for NOSA.
  - h. One new member association approved: The Korean aerosol association.
  - i. IARA website operational ([aerosolonline.com](http://aerosolonline.com)).
  - j. Next International Aerosol Conference will be in St Paul, USA, 2006. Finland is candidate for 2010 with some competition.

6. See details in paragraph 5a. The meeting discussed if NOSA should continue the subscription service for JAS to its members. No decision was reached.
7. Three candidates was presented for the next NOSA meeting 2003: University of Copenhagen, Denmark, Department of Meteorology jointly with Institute of applied environmental research – air pollution laboratory, Stockholm University, University of Helsinki, Finland. The Finnish alternative was withdrawn. The president suggested that the meeting should be in Copenhagen. The meeting decided according to this suggestion.
8. Matters arising.  
No other matters were discussed.

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Erik Swietlicki, President, date and place

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Douglas Nilsson, secretary, date and place

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Merete Bilde, date and place

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Christian Dye, date and place