

33rd SMPTE Advanced Motion Imaging Conference

February 25-27, 1999
Omni Rosen Hotel
Orlando, FL.



Over 450 attendees braved the cold weather at the 32nd SMPTE Advanced Motion Imaging Conference held in Toronto, Canada in February. Next year's conference switches weather extremes migrating to the southern end of the U.S. The Society's 33rd Advanced Motion Imaging Conference is scheduled to take place at the Omni Rosen Hotel in Orlando, FL on February 25-27, 1999.

The conference has been themed "Innovation, Implementation, and Operation" and will consist of two days of program sessions headed by Clyde D. Smith, Speer Worldwide Digital Consulting. A seminar organized by Oliver Peters, Universal Studios, will conclude the event. According to General Arrangements co-chairs David Walters, Snell & Wilcox, Inc., and Albert LeBoeuf, Lockheed Martin, the event is expected to draw a large audience.

Technical Program

The conference will begin on Thursday morning, February 25 with a session titled "Acquisition" co-chaired by Stephen Flanagan, Post Newsweek, and Duane Carter, USA, Inc. The afternoon session, titled "Post-Production," will be co-chaired by Marcos Obidia, Discovery International, and Mark Rogers, Tektronix.

"Integration," co-chaired by Jack Winter, TV-28, and Jim Biggers, Post Newsweek, will begin Friday morning's activities. Friday afternoon's session has been titled "Distribution and Transmission" and will be co-chaired by Doug Lung, Telemundo, and Rick Ackermans, Turner Entertainment.

Call For Papers

A call for papers has been announced for this event. Authors are requested to submit papers consistent with the theme and session topics mentioned above. Emphasis should be given to issues associated with managing the migration from traditional architectural solutions to open digital asset-based systems solutions. Changes in operational processes during and after the implementation of open digital architectures should also be focused on.