



American Lebanese Engineering Society

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ALES Boston-Chapter Board Meeting

When: Thursday, March 02, 2006, at around 8:30 PM (after Bernard Khoury's lecture)

Where: MIT, Cambridge, MA

Attendants: Micheline Bijjani _____ Nabil Hourani _____
Hani Al-Dayaa _____ Charles Sacre _____
David Abichaker _____ Michel Hajjar _____
Salim Ayas _____ _____

AGENDA:

1. ALES-Boston Chapter Annual Dinner

a. Great Work!

Hani A. congratulated the board members for a job well done at the annual dinner.

- The dinner was a big success.
- The program was well organized.
- More than 85 people attended the event with high student attendance.
- The Zraket Scholarship fund was established, thanks to Mr. Nassib Chamoun.
- Mr. George Jreige committed a \$500 a year for the next 5 years toward the ALES Scholarship fund, thanks to him.
- All enjoyed their time.

Thanks for everyone who participated and supported this event!

b. Accounting report by the treasurer

David Abichaker presented the financial report of the annual dinner. Members and friends are welcome to look at it if they want, and they can request that by contacting any of board members.

2. TECHLEB|06 Conference (May 20-21, 2006 at MIT)
 - a. ALES Participation (sponsorship, speaker(s), attendance)
 - ALES Boston Chapter is a Silver Sponsor and Advisory Partner of the Planning Committee of TECHLEB|06.
 - We will contact potential sponsors (companies and individuals).
 - We will invite the Lebanese minister of Culture to participate at the conference.
 - We will help with finding a videographer for the conference.
 - We will help with logistics at the conference where necessary.
 - We will encourage members and friends to attend the conference.
 - We will design a poster for ALES to be part of the poster session at the conference.
 - b. ALES National Participation

David A. and Hani A. will contact Dr. Michel Boufadel the president of ALES and discuss ALES national participation in TECHLEB|06.
 - c. Other Sponsors

We will contact and encourage people and groups to be sponsors of put ads.
3. Members and Friends Network
 - a. LinkedIn or Another Tool
 - b. List of members on the website?

We will setup a networking tool as LinkedIn where all members and friends will be able to network with each other. With such tool, there is no need to list the members on the ALES website.
4. Open...