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May 10, 2018

**ECH – Engineering, Science and Technology Council of Houston
May 10, 2018 Councilors Meeting**

1. Participants for the May Councilors Meeting met in HMNS Arnold Hall (basement) at 12:00 noon May 10, 2018. President Saud Memon called the meeting to order.
2. The following persons participated:

Name	Society
Shreya Shah	ACS
Lisa Li	SPE
Lionel Ronduen	SEFH/UH
Glenn Carlson	ASCE/SAME
Heather Domjan	SEFH/UH
Paul Lutes	ASME
Saud Memon (via Telcon)	ASCE
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3. Handouts

- a. Draft copy of draft meeting minutes for April 12, 2018.
- b. Draft ballot for 2018 -2019

4. **Upcoming Events:**

- a. *Flooding and Floodplains in the Houston Area: Past, Present, and Future* informational Workshop by the Houston Geological Society **Friday, May 18th from 6:30-8:30 PM** Bayland Community Center

- b. Annual Awards Banquet **Thursday May 31, 2018** at HESS
- c. *Flooding in Southeast Texas: The Science Behind the Floods*
June 6-7, 2018 UH Student Center Houston Room Facility
5. The April 2018 Councilor's meeting minutes were approved as corrected.
6. Meeting Agenda:
 - Approve ballot for ECH Officers June 2018 – May 2019
 - Upcoming STEM promotion activities
 - Hurricane Harvey workshops and conferences
 - Annual Awards Banquet coordination
7. Sue Pritchett discussed status of the Awards Banquet Speaker arrangements (Primary choice and backup) Lisa Li suggested an OTC speaker as a backup. Invitations have been sent out to summer intern awardee and SEFH winners. Time sequence for the banquet will be the same as last year: 6:30 PM for dinner and 7:30 Pm for the speaker. Banquet Fler and request for RSVPs will be sent out this week end.
8. Heather Domjan reported that Lionel Ronduen, PhD has been hired by the UH STEM Center and will be assisting the SEFH as Assistant Executive Director. He will be accompanying Texas Fair winners to the National Intel Fair in Pittsburgh, PA later this month
9. Saud Memon said that the ECH web site is up
10. The ballot for ECH Officers for 208 – 2019 was approved. The secretary will sent out to constituent societies this week.
11. Paul Lutes announce that the Robotics organization that he works with has received a grant to conduct a “Robotic Coding Camp” for middle school girls. Detailed information will be forthcoming.
12. The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 PM.

Glenn A. Carlson, P.E.
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