

Sewer Processes and Networks Group

Meeting Sheffield, UK

Tuesday 27th August 2013

Agenda meeting

1. Welcome
2. Approval of the Agenda
3. Minutes of the Committee Meeting held in Porto Alegre
4. Group website
5. Solids in Sewers Book
6. Elections for Chairman and Vice-Chairman positions
7. Next SPN Conference (Organiser, Location and time)
8. Closure

Notes on meeting

1. Apologies were received from Zhiguo Yuan and Jes Vollertsen. Simon Tait chaired the session.

Present:

Simon Tait (ST) Univ. of Sheffield
Jeroen Langeveld (JL) Delft University of Technology
Asbjorn Nielsen – (AN) Aalborg University
Oriol Gutierrez - ICRA
Jose Matos (JM) – LNEC
Filippa Ferreira – IST
Natercia Matias - IST
Jean Luc Bertrand-Krajewski (JLBK) – INSA Lyon
Bob Crabtree
Thomas Ertl (TE) – Vienna
Charles Bong – Universiti Sains Malaysia
Henriette Stokbro Jensen – univ.of Sheffield
Alma Schellart (AS) – univ.of Sheffield
Richard Ashley (RA) -
Gunther Gruber (GG) – University of Graz
Francois Clemens (FC) – Delft university of Technology

2. Agenda approved
3. Minute approved after explanation by Simon
4. Group Website: the website will be maintained by Aalborg University. **Action 1:** JL will send material required to AN: minutes of previous meetings, update of members
5. ST reports on Solids in sewers book: progress has been made, there has been a first round of submissions, the second round will be announced during the

- Thursday morning session, where also the missing parts/gaps will be shown and people will be asked to participate. The new chapter structure will be sent to all WG members to allow them to comment and improve the overall quality of the new book. The book will also include storm sewers to a larger extent than the old one. **Action 2:** RA will provide list of contributors to the 1st edition. These will be acknowledged if their material is to be kept in the new version.
6. ST will be new chair, JL new vice-chair as the organizer of the next SPN and AN will be the new secretary.
 7. There were two offers for the organization of SPN8. A detailed offer from Delft University and an offer from JV to organize if there would not be another volunteer. WG decided to hold the SPN8 in Rotterdam, from 30 August-2 Sept 2016, organized by Delft University. The idea is to hold the conference on the former steam ship Rotterdam
 8. Recent group activities: successful organization in Graz of 20 JSW on monitoring. JLBK, FC, GG and Dirk Muschalla participated. **Action 3:** GG will send the link of the website to AN
 9. New group activities:
 - 21 JSW on Sewer Asset Management will be held in Delft from 20-22 November 2013. **Action 4:** JL will send leaflet to AN
 - 22 JSW on in sewer processes will be organized in Lisbon, Portugal by JM in 2014
 - 23 JSW on storm water quality/storm water runoff will be organized jointly by TE and RM together with the SOCOMA working group. Most likely in November 2014
 - 24 JSW in 2015 could be on sensor technology. FC and JLBK will organize TE intends to organize a COST proposal for the combination of national CCTV databases in order to facilitate research and exchange of experiences.