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Minutes of June 11, 1996 Meeting

The committee met informally over lunch at the annual CNA/CNS Conference. In attendance were Hugues Bonin, René Gerard, Fred Boyd, Ralph Hart, Aslam Lone, Martin Pierre, Daniel Rozon, Prof. Tatchai (Chulalongkorn University, Thailand) and Bill Garland. Meeting highlights follow.

- ! It had been previously agreed that the universities would share course outlines and that they would be posted on the CNS web page. Course outlines and WWW hot links from the respective universities were to be submitted to the committee chair by mid-May but no outlines have been received to date. The link to the nuclear program at McMaster is in place. [The CNS webmaster (Simon Day) will search out the university links and add them to the CNS page in the near future.]
- ! A list of reference books and reference material on CANDU should be maintained.
- ! There was still no consensus on the sharing of course material beyond course outlines even though the AECL - Thailand initiative remains a good vehicle to facilitate course sharing.
- ! It was agreed that the web page and the CNS list server would be useful for posting job notices, research areas and information on available students but no one has submitted any material for posting.
- ! A good textbook on CANDU is still sorely needed.
- ! Translation of available French nuclear material (notably Rozon's text) into English remains a barrier.
- ! It was suggested that Latex be used as a documentation standard.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be at the March CNS Student Conference in New Brunswick.

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