



# Printer Working Group Plenary

September 13, 2000

## 1. Meeting Attendees

		UPDF	Plenary	IPP	QualDocs [IPPFax]
Satoshi Matsushita	Brother		x	x	
Toru Maeda	Canon				x
Shigeru Ueda	Canon		x	x	x
Lee Farrell	Canon Information Systems		x	x	x
Dan Calle	Digital Paper		x	x	x
Shinichi Tsuruyama	Epson		x	x	x
Atsushi Uchino	Epson		x	x	
Michael Wu	Heidelberg Digital		x	x	
Ron Bergman <sup>(1)</sup>	Hitachi-Koki		x	x	x
Harry Lewis	IBM		x	x	x
Mark Vander Wiele	IBM	x		x	
Stuart Rowley	Kyocera		x	x	
Jerry Thrasher	Lexmark		x	x	x
Don Wright <sup>(2)</sup>	Lexmark		x	x	x
Weihai Chen	Microsoft		x	x	
Bill Wagner	NETsilicon		x	x	x
Richard Shockey	NeuStar				x
Hugo Parra	Novell		x	x	x
Norbert Schade	Oak	x			
Roelof Hamberg	Océ		x	x	x
Paul Moore <sup>(3)</sup>	Peerless		x	x	x
Gail Songer	Peerless		x	x	
Satoshi Fujitani	Ricoh		x	x	x
Geoff Sorod	Software 2000	x	x	x	x
Tom Hastings	Xerox		x	x	x
Bob Herriot	Xerox			x	x
Carl-Uno Manros <sup>(4)</sup>	Xerox		x	x	x
Lloyd McIntyre	Xerox				x
Peter Zehler	Xerox		x	x	

(1) JMP and PMP Chairman

(2) PWG Chairman

(3) QualDocs [now "IPPFax"] Chairman

(4) IPP Chairman

## **2. Administrivia**

Don Wright opened the meeting and provided the details for the next PWG meeting:

- October 26-27
- Boston
- Seaport Hotel
- One Seaport Lane
- Boston, MA 02210
- 877-SEAPORT
- 617-385-4001

Don announced that there will be a QualDocs session on Thursday and a UPDF session on Friday at the October meeting. There will be no PWG Plenary session, and no IPP meeting that month.

He referenced the last PWG meeting of the 2000 schedule:

- Dec 4-8            San Diego, CA

He also referenced the tentative schedule for 2001 PWG meetings (more details are available on the PWG website):

- Jan 22-26        Hawaii
- Mar 5-9           Florida
- Apr 23-27       Seattle, WA/Portland, OR
- Jun 4-8           Toronto
- Jun 30-Jul 3     Paris/London/Amsterdam
- Sep 10-14        San Antonio/Austin/Dallas, TX
- Oct 29-Nov 2     Phoenix, AZ
- Dec 17-21        Los Angeles, CA

## **3. Status Reports**

Each of the Project Chairs (or appointed spokesperson) provided a brief status of the individual PWG projects.

### **3.1 Internet Printing Protocol (IPP) Project**

Carl-Uno reported that “we’re making some progress.” The IETF Editor’s queue suggests that the IPP documents are close to being published as RFCs—probably within the next month.

The five Notification drafts have been forwarded to the IETF.

The two high priority topics for this week’s meeting are Driver Download and the IPP Bakeoff.

### **3.2 Universal Printer Description File Format (UPDF) Project**

No report. Don mentioned that Norbert Schade will issue a statement on the e-mail reflector, stating the progress that has been made on the Font activity.

Don noted that no one has yet volunteered to chair this group, and he is interpreting this as a lack of interest. It is currently expected that the October meeting could be the last one for this group.

### **3.3 Printer MIB Project (PMP) and Finisher MIB (FIN)**

Both the Finisher MIB and Printer MIB updates have been submitted to the IETF for publication. The Finisher MIB is expected to be published as an Informational document, while the Printer MIB is intended to be a Draft Standard.

### **3.4 1394 PWG**

Don Wright reported that the 1394 PWG group should be balloting on the IEEE 1394.3 specification in the next few weeks.

## **4. LCD Projector**

Don announced that the ISTO has purchased a projector device for the PWG meetings. It will be shipped to/from meetings so that none of the attendees will need to carry it on airplanes.

PWG Plenary adjourned.