

## 美华航太工程师协会第 27 届年会于三月十九日举行

### **SCAAE 27<sup>th</sup> Convention Held on March 19, 2016**

The 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Society of Chinese - American Aerospace Engineers was held on March 19, 2016.

The convention consisted of daytime seminar and evening program. The day time seminar was held from 11:30am to 3:30pm at the CCASC (南加州中华文化协会) located on Norwalk Boulevard, Artesia. Engineers with various technical backgrounds and expertise gave speeches on interesting topics in broad areas and fields. See separate report for details.

The evening program was held from 6:00pm to 9:30pm at the Sierra Room of Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts. Over 120 SCAAE members and families, friends, and VIP guests attended the event. It is especially noticeable that many young engineers in the aerospace industry and students from local universities were at the event.

The evening program started with the banquet. While enjoying the meal, the audience were entertained by the slide show highlighting the past SCAAE activities, and the skillful control of model airplane by our senior member George Wong.

The SCAAE official business was conducted which included the following: the official installation of 2016 SCAAE-West Chapter, the introduction of SCAAE-West Chapter board directors, National board directors, and SCAAE-Northwest Chapter board directors. The daytime seminar speakers received certificates for their presentation. And this year's SCAAE lifetime achievement award was presented to Mr. Fred Shen.

The keynote speaker was Mr. Schirmer, Director, Engineering Customer Support, Boeing Commercial Aviation Services, who gave an inspiring speech on curiosity, innovation and aviation. He made high remarks on the first Boeing engineer, Chinese-born Wong Tsu, for his significant contribution that helped put the company on a sound footing.

Mr. Wei Ye, COMAC America Corporation Executive Director, President, introduced the company's organization, objectives and vision.

One traditional routine of the SCAAE convention is the musical and dance performance. This year's performances were exceptionally entertaining, started with group dance by high school students, followed by Chinese musical instrument playing by our member, singing by professional solo, and lastly the international ballroom dance performed by a lovely couple.

The evening program was completed with member dancing, karaoke singing and social networking.



2016 SCAAE-West Board members (from left to right): Chuck Sun, Tony Pan, Liqun Meng, David Lin, George Wong, Diane Li, Amy Wang, Peter Yuan, Daguang Zheng, Philip Oyoung, Yuan Hong.



SCAAE-West 2014 chairman of board, George Wong, presented plaque to 2014 president Tony Pan



SCAAE-West 2015 chairman of board, Tony Pan, presented plaque to 2015 president David Lin



SCAAE-West 2015 president David Lin presented certificate to seminar speaker Mr. Bing Tong



SCAAE-West 2015 president David Lin presented certificate to seminar speaker Mr. Yuan Hong



SCAAE-West 2015 president David Lin presented certificate to seminar speaker Mr. Louis Zhu



SCAAE-West 2015 president David Lin presented certificate to seminar speaker Dr. Jack Liu



SCAAE-West 2015 president David Lin presented certificate to seminar speaker Dr. Philip Oyoung



SCAAE-West 2015 president David Lin presented certificate to seminar speaker Mr. George Wong



Dr. Philp Oyoung introduced SCAAE Lifetime Achievement Award recipient Mr. Fred Shen



Mr. Fred Shen made acceptance speech



SCAAE-West officials presented plaque of SCAAE Lifetime Achievement Award to Mr. Fred Shen



Keynote speaker, Mr. Patrick J. Schirmer, Director, Engineering Customer Support, Boeing Commercial Aviation Services, gave speech on curiosity, innovation and aviation



Guest speaker, Mr. Wei Ye, COMAC America Corporation Executive Director, President, introduced the company's organization, visions and objectives



SCAAE officials presented plaque to Mr. Patrick J. Schirmer



SCAAE officials presented plaque to Mr. Wei Ye



Ms. Amy Wang and Mr. Bryan Wu did a fantastic job hosting the evening program



Mr. George Wong, senior member of SCAAE, demonstrated skill and technique of flying his self-built aerobatic remote control airplane



Three high school students, Eileen Hsiao, Katrina Hung and Michelle Lin, performed beautifully the Tang Dynasty Trio “Dream of Pipa”



Ms. Ming Chen, former Boeing engineer, played Chinese instrument Hu Lu Si



Mr. Yun Kuan Li, professional solo, performed Chinese songs



Mr. Ben Xu and Ms. Lisa took the dance floor performing international standard ballroom dance “Slow Waltz” and “Tango”

Following are a collection of photos from the event



























