I. Attendance:
   Marjorie Chung Fuller
   Rich Wells
   Dan Belcher
   Mike Bensussen
   Greg Zick
   Joy Svoboda
   Gene Fosheim
   Don McCollister
   Pam Dullum
   Kathleen Acock
   Lauren Evans
   Charles McIntyre
   Susan Labas
   Bob Meyer
   Norma Andersen
   Marty Garza
   Tulio Sulbaran
   Charles Roesset
   Al Hauck
   Dan Dupree

II. Chair Welcome
   a. Opening Remarks
      Charles Roesset welcomed the group and thanked everyone for attending
   b. Self Introductions
      Self introductions were performed around the room.

III. Minutes from July 2015 Annual Meeting
    No minutes were presented

IV. Special Committee Agenda Items
   a. Associations were asked to provide an update
      i. AACE Association for advancement of Cost engineering
         International. A discussion was held as to possible collaboration with ACCE.
      ii. Marty updated the group on AGC.
1. $400k in student scholarships this year, faculty scholarship program with 1/3 salary paid by AGC, school, and hiring contractor to promote academics in field work.
2. 3 new case studies contest funded this year, all hands on program used by schools for capstone with cash and trip to AGC meeting awards
3. Next meeting in San Antonio next month, with a class on setting student hires as you want.

iii. NAHB
1. Las Vegas builders show with excess of 100K people, next 2 years in Orlando.
2. Scholarships to IAB
3. NAHB.org/resources a great place for useful resources

iv. NCCR
1. 20th year this year
2. Finalized a research study & funding workforce development study and assessment role to be released this summer
3. $150K in scholarships this year
4. Construction career pathway event – 3 years with a connections map for secondary and post-secondary linking education with industry
5. Nov 30th in Las Vegas meeting/conference

v. AIC
1. Forum in San Diego next week to strengthen ACCE/AIC relationship
2. Commission oversees exams, new study guide that is smaller
3. Level 2 exam now online only, down from 8 to 4 hours.
4. Reports now tied to ACCE slo’s

vi. CSI
1. Targeted architecture, now focusing on CM
2. Sponsorships and scholarships
3. Over 100 chapters in US, want to give $ to faculty to inform about CSI
4. Next meeting Sept 10th Austin Tx.

V. Old Business
   a. None

VI. New Business
   a. Team Chair Training should include additional focus on industry observer role and benefits. Improve expectations and communication

   b. Suggestion that candidate schools should be required to attend IAB event prior to self-study, perhaps should be included in Guidance.
c. Discussion about IAB event

d. Dan Dupree urged the group to help ACCE fight off the ABET threat, and a long discussion ensued about value to industry, associations, and programs.

e. What kind of talking points could be created, and Lauren suggested perhaps some metrics could be measured and shared.

VII. Adjourned at 3:00 pm