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Summarizing GLOBAL 2005

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Number of the papers submitted to Global Series

Year	Place	Papers
1993	Seattle	203
1995	Versailles	270
1997	Yokohama	294
1999	Jackson Hole	433
2001	Paris	330
2003	New Orleans	373
2005	Tsukuba	$466 + \alpha$

Papers submitted to 15 topics

Topics	Papers		
Global prospect of energy, resource and environment			
Current status and strategy for nuclear systems			
Sustainability and optimization of nuclear systems			
Advanced reactors	79		
Advanced fuels and materials	56		
Advanced reprocessing	79		
Partitioning and transmutation	43		
Advancement and optimization in waste and spent fuel management	73		
Expanded utilization of nuclear systems	14		
Novel energy systems including accelerator driven systems	22		
Enhancement of proliferation resistance and non-proliferation			
Innovative safety approach for nuclear fuel cycle			
Latest status of ongoing fuel cycle optimization study			
World common social issues			
International collaboration on research and development resources in future			

Plenary sessions gave us valuable information necessary for understanding GLOBAL subjects

Plenary-I	Dr. J. Grossenbacher, Dr. B. R. Barre, Dr. S. Kondo, Mr. Y. Sokolov, and Dr. M. Xu Chaired by Dr. H. McFarlane
Plenary-II	Dr. Matsuhashi, Dr. A. Noda, and Dr. B. Frois Chaired by Dr. S. Tanaka
Plenary panel-I	Proliferation prevention in the next nuclear era -Learning from the past and preparing for the future, moderator Dr. Mel Buckner and Mr. Tom Sanders
Plenary panel-II	Prospect on the projected quantities of nuclear systems in the future Chaired by Dr. K. Uematsu and Dr. J Bouchard

Invited and contributed papers showed much up-to-date technical information in various research fields

Advanced reactors Advanced fuels and materials Advanced reprocessing Partitioning and transmutation Optimization in waste and spent fuel management Expanded utilization of nuclear systems Novel energy systems including accelerator driven systems Proliferation resistance and non-proliferation Safety approach for nuclear fuel cycle Ongoing fuel cycle optimization study

Publishing selected papers in a journal

 Technical Program Committee wants to select 35 excellent papers to publish them in the special issue of

Journal of Nuclear Science and Technology, which is the Journal of Atomic Energy Society of Japan

on condition of authors' agreements.

Past Trend of the GLOBAL Series

1993, Seattle

By Dr. A. Walter

Future of Transmutation for Clean Nuclear PowerWeapons Disposition Options

1995, Versailles

Reprocessing as "Hot" Topic
Management of Weapons-Pu
Advanced Concepts for Pu Utilization
New Transmutation Thrusts
Importance of Public Acceptance

<u>1997, Yokohama</u>

✓ Effective Methods of Pu Burning in LWRs
 ✓ Vision of Nuclear Energy Utilization in Developing Asia
 ✓ International Collaboration for the Promotion of Radioactive Waste Management
 ✓ Innovative Fuel Cycle Technologies for 2nd Nuclear Era

Past Trend of the GLOBAL Series

By Dr. A. Walter

1999, Jackson Hole

Nuclear Profession to speak with one-voice on the merits of nuclear
 Two Principal Time Frames

- 1) Near-Term: Led by Industry
- 2) Long -Term: Led by R&D Community

2001, Paris

Broad International Perspectives on the Future of Nuclear Energy
 Energy Needs & Sustained Development
 Nuclear Waste Management

2003, New Orleans

Generation-IV reactor development roadmap released; R&D initiated
 Advanced Fuel Cycle Initiative now a major program in the US.

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Nuclear Systems for the Future Generation and Global Sustainability

Addressing the circumstances :

Start of the second decade of GLOBAL
Recent development of climate change, fossil fuel price rise, and energy demand increase
Worldwide need to reduce CO₂ using nuclear energy
Progress in GEN-IV, INPRO, AFCI and other R&Ds
Growing necessity of non-proliferation discussion >>> Epoch of Nobel Prize

Growing Asian nuclear activities, Japan, China, Korea and India
 Growing interests for hydrogen production by nuclear energy

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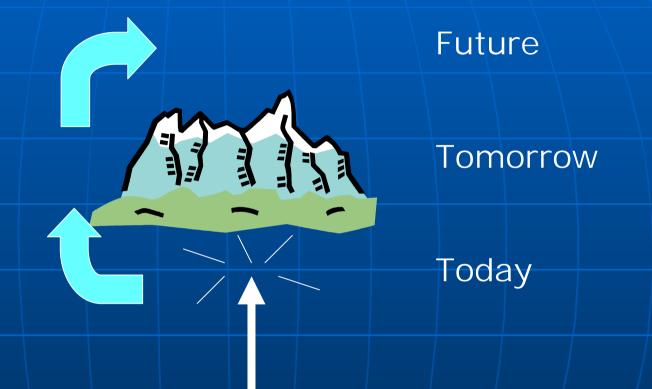
Common views were obtained on

Current status of Nuclear Systems over the world

- Current status and future strategies of each country
- ✓ Significance of nuclear systems for the global sustainability
- ✓ Growing importance of nuclear systems in the future
- ✓ Necessity of continuing discussion on non-proliferation issues
- Various progress in specific fields of Reactor, Reprocessing, Fuel, Waste, Innovative Nuclear Utilization, and so on

Significance of getting public acceptance through communication
 Importance of next generation of nuclear workers and professionals

Important to continue to share the information among different countries



GLOBAL Conference ?

Picture by Dr. A. Walter

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Nuclear Systems for the Future Generation and Global Sustainability

We are walking with the same ultimate goal with different approaches under different circumstances

Let's continue to exchange information about Nuclear Fuel Cycle Systems for the future at GLOBAL 2007 To Authors, Participants, Invited lecturers and Panelists, Session Chairs, and all the staffs, we'd like to extend our sincere gratitude for their support.

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