



*For approval by Membership at 2009 ALAIR Business Meeting*

**ALABAMA ASSOCIATION FOR INSTITUTIONAL RESEARCH**  
2008 Annual ALAIR Business Meeting  
Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, Alabama  
Friday, April 4, 2008

MEETING MINUTES

**CALL TO ORDER**

The 2008 Annual ALAIR Business Meeting was called to order with Yardley Bailey presiding. Yardley welcomed the membership and introduced the 2007-2008 slate of officers.

**MEETING MINUTES APPROVED FOR APRIL 13, 2007**

The 2007 Business meeting minutes were distributed in the registration packets to those in attendance. Tara George served as acting secretary in the absence of Julianna Proctor. There were no changes and/or additions to the ALAIR 2007 Business minutes that were read at the Business meeting. The minutes were approved and seconded.

**TREASURER'S REPORT:**

Janis Newborn read the treasurer's report; there were no changes/additions to the treasurer's report.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Diane Sherman gave a conference overview and thanked the Conference Committee at Jacksonville State University and the Corporate Sponsors. Sarah Latham presented the 2007 Best Paper awards to the recipients and presented the 2008 slate of officers. In addition she gave an overview of the Joseph T. Sutton Leadership Award and encouraged that membership submit nominations for the next year. Tara George, Omer Minhas and Jason Watts presented the 2008 Salary Survey.

**NEW BUSINESS**

There was no new business.

The Salary Survey presentation was interjected due to inclement weather (tornado warning) in the area. The meeting was adjourned and members were asked to evacuate to the ground floor of the Library.

Respectfully submitted by:

Tara George  
ALAIR Acting Secretary  
ALAIR Member-at-Large 2007-08