The Meeting was held at 4:00 with 23 people attending.

The minutes from April 2018 were approved.

A review of the next AATCC IC in Ft Worth was mentioned as a change in the program design with just one track with a diversified program encompassing all three focus areas tracks.

New business presented was the officer platform vote. An email will be sent to approve Tim Blatchford as Vice Chair. A request was made for a new secretary, but no one volunteered. A search will be pursued.

Two recipients for the 2019 Future Leaders Award were MIG members: Heather Shields and Kystal Moody. They will be recognized at the 2019 IC. A task force is being formed for the Future Leaders group. Heather Shields has volunteered to be involved and additional participants will be pursued. A mentor list is being compiled to support the FLA program. Robina, Mike Bell, and Louann Spirito have volunteered to help Maria and the committee.

A discussion on ways to improve MIG participation has resulted in a plan to form a group to solicit ideas. Hasan Shahariar agreed to participate. Addition volunteers will be solicited.

A presentation on Fundamentals in Fiber Finish Formulation was given by Kay McCoy from Pulcra Chemicals. The focus was on fiber production and volunteered to present the finishes/sizes for fabrics in another presentation.

Submitted by: Robina Hogan, Chair MIG

Attendees: Hasan Shahariar, Matthew Hall, Luann Spirito, Dave Garcher, Tifani Andre, Tyler Picket, Heather Shields, Nicole Chin, Maria Thirty, Mike quante, Kim Nicholson, Manisha Patel, Bill Stukey, F. Selcer Kilinc-Bali Daniel Sabou, Melynda Perry, Michele Wallace, Mike Bell, Hyun Sukwhang, Midred Bey, Peggy Pickett