

**Electron Diffraction Subcommittee Meeting Minutes**  
**Wednesday, 14 March 2018**  
**International Centre Headquarters**  
**Conference Room D**  
**2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.**  
**B. Wheaton, Chairman**

1. Call to Order B. Wheaton
2. Appointment of Minutes Secretary J. Cannon
3. Approval of Minutes from March 2017  
Motion moved by: Tom Blanton  
Seconded by: No other committee members present at the time  
1- Yes 0- No 0- Abstain
4. Review of Mission Statement  
The Electron Diffraction Subcommittee serves as a bridge between the electron diffraction community and the other parts of ICDD. It will communicate the needs of electron diffractionists to ICDD, so that ICDD may more effectively respond to those needs. It will assist in communicating to the electron diffraction community the way in which ICDD will serve them. To these ends, it will cooperate with other ICDD subcommittees and with the central organization of ICDD. Specifically, the subcommittee shall monitor the status of and suggest improvements to the databases and related products used in electron diffraction (those produced by other organizations, as well as those produced by ICDD).  
5. Board of Directors' Liaison Report M. Rodriguez  
Was not present at the time
6. Marketing Sales Information T. Blanton  
Looking for vendors and individuals to perform testing of trial database to determine if the data is correct and useful. Need to determine what specifically ICDD would like them to critique and provide input on.
7. ED Software Update J. Blanton  
Minor feature suggestions from Corning meeting to PDF card and ring card implemented with Release 2018.  
User feedback and additional changes planned for Release 2019 next year.  
Need permission from Gatan to use their format in next release.  
Need additional feedback and suggestions for next steps.
8. Discussion of Old Business
  - a. Action Items from 2017 meeting:
    - Electron Diffraction Focus Group Meeting was successful.  
Would like to follow up with new meeting later this year.
9. Discussion of New Business  
Looking to interact with potential customers and get feedback at M&M this year.  
Plan another focus group.  
Obtain feedback on test database
10. Suggestions?  
B. Wheaton suggests a new Chairman that has stronger knowledge and background in Electron Diffraction to head committee.
11. Adjournment  
Motion moved by: Tom Blanton

Seconded by: Cyrus Crowder

2- Yes 0- No 0- Abstain