

Topic: SIDA Meeting
Meeting Date: 16 Nov 2013
Meeting Time: 2.30pm to 6pm

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Attendance: Jason,Tony,David,Tan,Khim,George,Zimson,,,,,,,,

Absence with apology: None

Item	TimeStart	TimeEnd	Duration	Speaker	Content {Meeting Tweeter Ver 2.2 (U001R02)}
001	16 Nov, 2013,1438	16 Nov, 2013,1438	0.00 Min	System	Meeting Started
002	16 Nov, 2013,1438	16 Nov, 2013,1438	0.00 Min	Jason	I'll start the meeting with an update of our SIDA DBS account.
003	16 Nov, 2013,1438	16 Nov, 2013,1453	15.00 Min	Jason	Previously, we did a top up of SIDA DBS account with advance membership fee for three years from some of our members (David, Tan, Tony, George, Michelle, Zimson, Khim and Jason).
004	16 Nov, 2013,1453	16 Nov, 2013,1456	3.00 Min	Jason	Reason for doing this is to meet the DBS account minimum balance of S\$8000 so that they do not deduct S\$25 monthly from our account as penalty.
005	16 Nov, 2013,1456	16 Nov, 2013,1459	3.00 Min	Jason	So I show you a statement of our DBS account after the top up and that the monthly deduction has stopped.
006	16 Nov, 2013,1459	16 Nov, 2013,1514	15.00 Min	Jason	Next on the agenda is Project hanger. I will present the result of the initial patent search result. Inventor is Tony. (The following tweeter minute, highlighted in yellow, related to this project will be censored from the website due to NDA)
016	16 Nov, 2013,1551	16 Nov, 2013,1554	3.00 Min	Jason	Next item is energy saving mirror by Khim. Before I start, I need to ask Khim. Are you making a new invention on this topic or this is purely for discussion only. If you want to make an invention, we may need to enter it as a SIAP Project and sign Non Disclosure Agreement.
017	16 Nov, 2013,1554	16 Nov, 2013,1557	3.00 Min	Khim	This topic is only meant for sida discussion. No intention to make or patent it into an invention.
018	16 Nov, 2013,1557	16 Nov, 2013,1559	2.00 Min	Jason	OK, we shall start the discussion. Khim, please explain your topic.

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019	16 Nov, 2013,1559	16 Nov, 2013,1604	5.00 Min	Khim	Recently I saw an article about poly student projects which include brightening the classroom using mirrors and prism. I have in mind some attractive wall decorations(silver foil) that have mirror surface to brighten the room - 3D pyramid bumps of sorts.
020	16 Nov, 2013,1604	16 Nov, 2013,1614	10.00 Min	Khim	Also, in ancient caves, the mirror is used to reflect light to showcase the drawings or reliefs so as not to damage these relics, also in outdoor filming, we reflect off the sun to brighten an actor using white reflector(similar to white car shades). Would love to hear what our members have to share on this natural source of light.
021	16 Nov, 2013,1614	16 Nov, 2013,1617	3.00 Min	Tan	I got one example, NASA has this experiment to use space satalite to refect light from sun to certain part of earth.
022	16 Nov, 2013,1617	16 Nov, 2013,1619	2.00 Min	Tan	Another one, in US somebody use a dome to collect light, pass it through some kind of fibre optic to light the building inside.
023	16 Nov, 2013,1619	16 Nov, 2013,1621	2.00 Min	Zimson	I saw in Myanmar, there is a temple with a reflective dome in the center. When sunlight shine onto the dome, it will literally light up the space around it.
024	16 Nov, 2013,1621	16 Nov, 2013,1626	5.00 Min	Jason	Next, we go to project Da Vinci. This is a project proposed by Tan to SIDA. Before going into the proposal, I'll show everyone a youtube video clip of "Self perpetual machine". (http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=287qd4ul7-E)

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025	16 Nov, 2013,1626	16 Nov, 2013,1636	10.00 Min	Jason	I'll explain Tan's proposal. The main intention is for SIDA to get some income. Based on the video clip, we can make the same kind of device, make it cool, stylist and of high quality. Then we sell it to customers with lot of money to spare at a premium price. For example, we can sell it to boss or CEO of companies who like to put our product in their office and show off to their friends when they come. Profit from the sales will be place into SIDA bank account and used for future SIDA activities.
026	16 Nov, 2013,1636	16 Nov, 2013,1638	2.00 Min	Jason	The assumption is, if we make the device visually pleasing and workable, rich people will like to put one in their home or office.
027	16 Nov, 2013,1638	16 Nov, 2013,1640	2.00 Min	Tan	And we can place a glass casing over the device.
028	16 Nov, 2013,1640	16 Nov, 2013,1645	5.00 Min	Zimson	Throughout history, lots of people have tried the notion of self perpetual motion machine. So far, no one is sucessful.
029	16 Nov, 2013,1645	16 Nov, 2013,1650	5.00 Min	Zimson	I've tried to do a prototype of the same self perpetual machine before, but it was not sucessful. The friction will stop the machine at some point in time.
030	16 Nov, 2013,1650	16 Nov, 2013,1652	2.00 Min	George	This is like a similar product that is selling in some fengshui shop.
031	16 Nov, 2013,1652	16 Nov, 2013,1654	2.00 Min	Khim	You need a good marketing, how about linking up the product with a feng shui master ?
032	16 Nov, 2013,1654	16 Nov, 2013,1656	2.00 Min	Tan	Not a good idea, we don't want the product to be controlled by what the feng shui master said.
033	16 Nov, 2013,1656	16 Nov, 2013,1658	2.00 Min	Khim	One alternative is to connect with STB Singapore tourism board to get funding.
034	16 Nov, 2013,1658	16 Nov, 2013,1659	1.00 Min	David	Is there a market ?

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035	16 Nov, 2013,1659	16 Nov, 2013,1701	2.00 Min	George	I think there are lots of issue to address if we want to make this a sida project.
036	16 Nov, 2013,1701	16 Nov, 2013,1703	2.00 Min	George	What is the scope of the project ? We need to study more in detail and see how much work is needed.
037	16 Nov, 2013,1703	16 Nov, 2013,1708	5.00 Min	Jason	OK, we need to look at this in more detail. So I proposed to put this as one of SIAP Project and study its possibilities. Can I have a general consensus on whether everyone is committed to look into this project ?
038	16 Nov, 2013,1708	16 Nov, 2013,1709	1.00 Min	George	Ok, I'm in.
039	16 Nov, 2013,1709	16 Nov, 2013,1710	1.00 Min	Khim	OK
040	16 Nov, 2013,1710	16 Nov, 2013,1711	1.00 Min	David	OK
041	16 Nov, 2013,1711	16 Nov, 2013,1712	1.00 Min	Zimson	OK
042	16 Nov, 2013,1712	16 Nov, 2013,1713	1.00 Min	Tony	OK
043	16 Nov, 2013,1713	16 Nov, 2013,1714	1.00 Min	Tan	OK
044	16 Nov, 2013,1714	16 Nov, 2013,1716	2.00 Min	Jason	I'm OK also. So I will put it in officially as a SIAP Project and revisit it again in next meeting.
045	16 Nov, 2013,1716	16 Nov, 2013,1718	2.00 Min	Tan	I will try to do a prototype to see if it is workable. Hopefully, we can better understanding about the scope of this project in the next meeting.
046	16 Nov, 2013,1718	16 Nov, 2013,1723	5.00 Min	Jason	Next item on the agenda is SIDA FAQ or Frequently Asked Question. In our SIDA website, there is a section called SIDA FAQ (http://www.sida.org.sg/faq/). The purpose is to answer some common question that visitors to SIDA website may asked. Right now, our SIDA FAQ only answer some simple question like what does SIDA stand for, membership cost of joining SIDA etc.
047	16 Nov, 2013,1723	16 Nov, 2013,1727	4.00 Min	Jason	I would like to take this opportunity to review our SIDA FAQ. This time round, I would like to really focus on some hard questions. Questions that outsiders might ask that may not be easy to answer.

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048	16 Nov, 2013,1727	16 Nov, 2013,1729	2.00 Min	Jason	Some example, "I have a great invention, it's going to earn million of dollar. I need money to built it, can SIDA sponsor me ?".
049	16 Nov, 2013,1729	16 Nov, 2013,1731	2.00 Min	Jason	Another one, "If I reveal my invention in SIDA and it gets stolen, will SIDA compensate me ?"
050	16 Nov, 2013,1731	16 Nov, 2013,1733	2.00 Min	Jason	One more: "SIDA have been around for more than twenty years (Since 1981). Show me one real case example that SIDA has help an inventor."
051	16 Nov, 2013,1733	16 Nov, 2013,1735	2.00 Min	Jason	In the coming meeting, I will bring out some of these questions. I would like everyone to also go back and think about these issues.
052	16 Nov, 2013,1735	16 Nov, 2013,1736	1.00 Min	Jason	Next, on the agenda is Invention Gossip. (Youtube video)
053	16 Nov, 2013,1736	16 Nov, 2013,1744	8.00 Min	Jason	Lastly, I will be calling for the next AGM (Annual General Meeting) next year (2014). Hopefully we can arrange it around Jan and Feb 2014 period. We will need to review some issues: appointment of SIDA committee, preparation for income submission to ROS, review of SIDA 2013 activities, President and Vice President comment for 2013 Annual Report.
054	16 Nov, 2013,1744	16 Nov, 2013,1744	0.00 Min	System	Meeting Ended
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