

CUU Executive Committee Report for 2007-2008

Once again a year that saw membership decrease, this year to 21 but the financial position remains secure.

During the year CUU supported the ABUSE group with its meeting in the Midlands, organises a Data Centre Manger's Meeting at Bletchley Park, a fascinating venue with it being the home Colossus computer and do course where the Enigma code was broken. Both these meetings were well attended and we received good feedback.

Our plans for 2008/2009 include an OS2200 event, further support for the ABUSE Group who are due to meet in Cork on 15th October, Irish Permanent have kindly offered to host this event. In the first quarter of 2009 the traditional Data Centre Managers Meeting will be scheduled. The committee also attended the UK and Brussels Future Matters events during the Spring of 2008.

I would thank you all for your support during this year and hope that this will carry on. As sated above we remain financially viable with cash at the end of 2007 of around £54K.

I would also wish to acknowledge the efforts put in by the CUU Executive this year, namely Keith Lewis, Derek Logie, George Maxted and Ian Patterson with valuable input provided by Bob Hawkins from Unisys.

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Secretary
Congress of Unisys Users
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