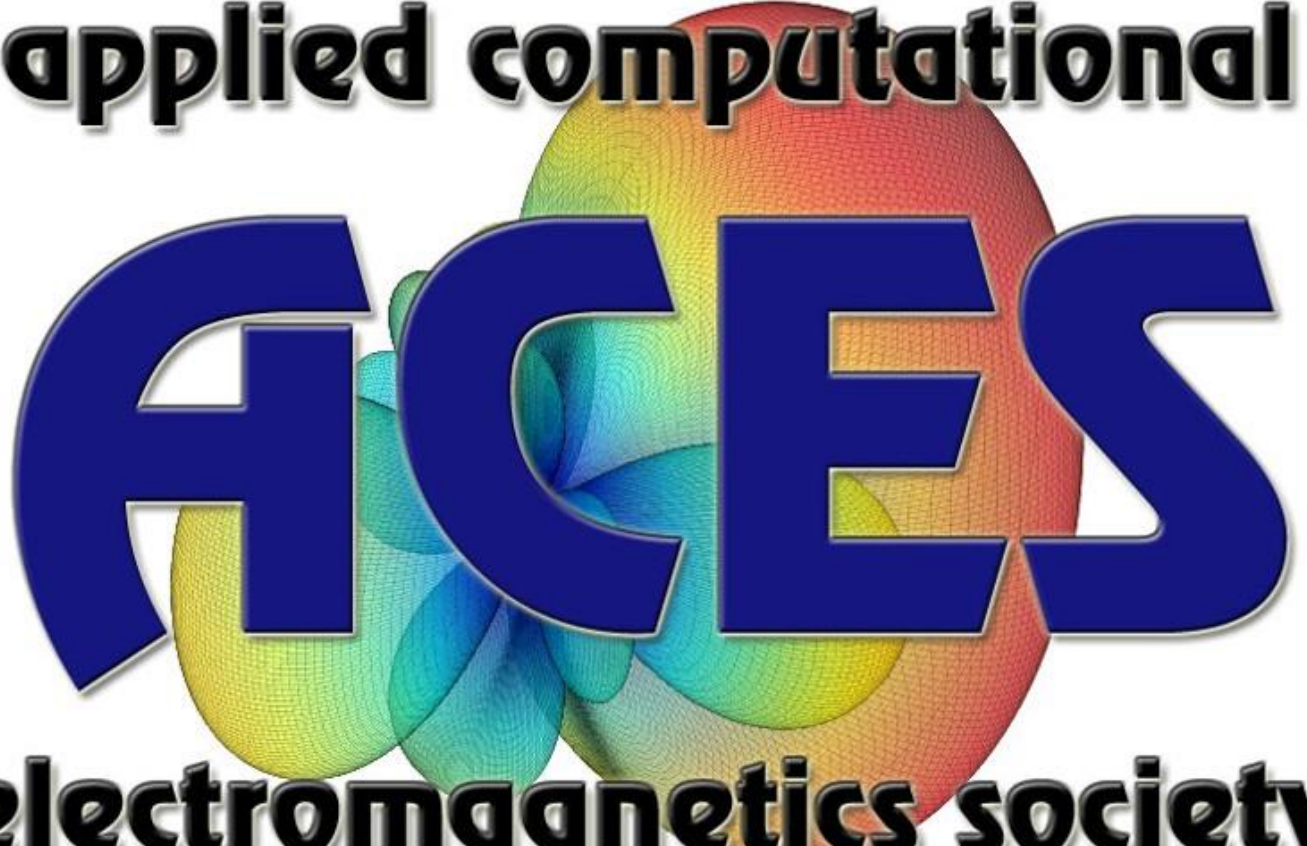


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# President's Message



Greetings from Golden, Colorado, USA.

It is hard to believe that 2018 is almost over—the fall semester classes ended, it is snowing outside, and New Year will be here before we know it. However, I thought that before we all leave to rest and recharge over the holiday break, I wanted to take a moment to share some news.

ACES Board of Directors, BoD, met on December 1<sup>st</sup> and elected five new ACES Fellows. The elected fellows will be recognized with the recipients of ACES Awards at the awards dinner during ACES 2019 in Miami, Florida, USA. On behalf of ACES BoD and myself, I would like to congratulate the new ACES Fellows. In addition, I would like to note that the grade of Fellow is bestowed by the BoD upon a person with exceptional achievements in computational electromagnetics, including ACES publications, and extensive service to ACES.

Looking forward, ACES 2019 will be held at the Hilton Miami, in downtown Miami, Florida, USA (April 14-18, 2019). A call for papers is posted at the ACES website. The conference General Chairs are John Volakis and Osama Mohammed of Florida International University. In addition, ACES 2020 will be held in Monterey California, USA. Further details will be forthcoming in future newsletters.

Finally, as ACES members, I urge you to participate in the society activities. This include attending and contributing to ACES conferences, getting involved in ACES awards and fellow nominations, as well as contributing to ACES Journal, and actively participating in the journal paper review process.

In closing, I wish you a happy end of the year break and a good and productive 2019. As always, I am looking forward to seeing you at the next ACES conference, this time in beautiful Miami, Florida.

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# ACES Conference 2019 in Miami



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The following is the list of Sessions organized for the ACES 2019 Conference.

**Advanced Radar Technologies and Techniques** (Mohamed Abouzahra and Mabel Ramirez)

**Advanced Time Domain Solvers for Multiphysics Modeling in Photonics** (Bill Henshaw and Alexander V. Kildishev)

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**Application of Meta-Material in 5G Antenna Systems** (Ahmed H. Abdelrahman)

**Applications of Integral Equations to Real-Life Electromagnetic Problems** (Hakan Bagci, Ozgur Ergul, Huseyin Arda Ulku, and Abdulkadir C. Yucel)

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## **ACES Journal**

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### **October 2018 Issue**

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ACES is looking forward to your contributions to the ACES Journal and the Express Journal as well as your participation in the 2019 Conferences: we look forward to your feedback and involvement in ACES activities.

On behalf of the ACES Society, I will you all the best for the forthcoming holiday season and for a prosperous New Year!

Sincerely,

**Sami Barmada**

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