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## From the President

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### Conferences

TUG 2010 (<http://tug.org/tug2010>) was a great success, with Don Knuth's earthshaking (or at least side-splitting) announcement, and numerous participants from all over the T<sub>E</sub>X world. Video recordings of many talks are at <http://river-valley.tv/conferences/tug-2010>, thanks to Kaveh Bazargan and River Valley Technologies.

As part of the conference, a commemorative book was prepared, with selected articles from *TUGboat* by the Stanford T<sub>E</sub>X project members, along with a foreword by Barbara Beeton and drawings by Duane Bibby, some especially commissioned for the anniversary. The hardcover book is available from the TUG store and general online bookstores. Also, the full PDF is available online to TUG members in the members area — <http://tug.org/store/tug10>.

Looking ahead to 2011, the TUG meeting will be held in Cairo, Egypt, from November 14–17. Hosam Fahmy, long-time TUG supporter and *TUGboat* contributor, is the chief organizer. <http://tug.org/tug2011> will be updated as planning proceeds.

<http://tug.org/meetings> has information on most T<sub>E</sub>X meetings, past, present, and future.

### Interviews

Since my last column, Dave Walden has interviewed Bart Childs, Joe Weening, Frank Liang, and Herbert Voß for the TUG Interview Corner (<http://tug.org/interviews>).

Incidentally, the book of interviews we prepared last year is still available — <http://tug.org/store/texpeople>. The full PDF for this book is now also in the TUG members area.

### Software

The 2010 release of the T<sub>E</sub>X Collection software was made near the beginning of September. It's been available for download from CTAN since that time. The physical DVDs have been manufactured and should begin mailing as this *TUGboat* goes to press.

The 2010 release contains the same major items as in the past few years: T<sub>E</sub>X Live, MacT<sub>E</sub>X, proT<sub>E</sub>Xt, and a CTAN snapshot. More details at <http://tug.org/texcollection>.

Again, we welcome anyone's participation, from testing the final candidate release to core development. And thanks to all the many, many, people involved already at every level.

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