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Subject: Re: AGU IDL working Group

Posted by [Doug Edmundson](#) on Wed, 19 Dec 2007 18:05:32 GMT

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Matt wrote:

> On Dec 18, 11:15 am, "R.G. Stockwell" <noem...@please.com> wrote:

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>> AGU? I was just there. San Fran is a beautiful city.

>> Next year if I go I post about here, and perhaps

>> there could be an informal IDL users happy hour meeting.

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> I was there too. We're a pretty IDL heavy shop here. I'd enjoy

> meeting a few of the faces on this list. I'll try to remember. Hey,

> actually doesn't ITTVIS have a booth there. Maybe they should sponsor

> a happy hour? This year would have been good they could have had a

> bunch of tipsy scientists held captive to review the new 7.0.

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> Matt

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Matt,

Yeah, we had a booth there and it was fun for me to meet Haje and a lot of other long-timers. We even had a guy stop by who knew Dave Stern back in the day... IDL 0.9! There were some 1.0 guys too. One disappointment though... our swag wasn't quite as good as others. SGI had little monkeys you could launch into the air. Yes, flying monkeys!

Bill suggested IDL BB guns for next year. I'm for IDL lawn darts. ;-)

Seriously though, one-on-one sessions or some kind of mini user group meeting would be nice.

Doug

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