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Retrospective: PASI 2011

- Lectures were comprehensive
- Provided good environment for collaborative learning
- Group activities facilitated personal interactions
 - √ good networking (stronger than AIChE)
 - ✓ mixing with organizers worked well
- Schedule was good
 - √ frequent breaks helped keeping attention high
 - √ Seminars followed by detailed lecture
- Sustainable conference
 - √ No hardcopies

Wishlist

- Intensify learning experience in workshops
 - √ Smaller groups for more individual feedback
 - ✓ Questionnaire for a-priori skill level evaluation
- Facilitate academic small talk
 - √ 1 paragraph about each student research
- Some seminars too extensive
 - √ reduce scope/size (some speakers: 100sl./hr)
- PASI reunion at other conferences, e.g. AIChE 2011
 - ✓ CAST 10 division of AICHE
- Networking for women in academia