The Third AIAA Workshop on Benchmark Problems for Airframe Noise Computations (BANC-III) will be held in Berlin, Germany on May 30, 2013, immediately after the 19th AIAA/CEAS Aeroacoustics Conference. An additional session will be held on the morning of May 31st if necessary.

The objectives of the BANC-III Workshop are to:
- Provide a forum for a thorough assessment of simulation-based noise-prediction tools in the context of airframe configurations, including both near-field unsteady flow and the acoustic radiation generated via the interaction of this flow with solid surfaces.
- Identify current gaps in physical understanding, experimental databases, and prediction capability for the major sources of airframe noise.
- Help determine best practices and accelerate the development of benchmark quality datasets.
- Promote coordinated studies of common configurations for maximum impact on the current state of the art in the understanding and prediction of airframe noise.

The BANC-III workshop will focus on problem categories 5 through 8 from the BANC-II workshop as described at: https://info.aiaa.org/tac/ASG/FDTC/DG/BECAN_files_/BANCII.htm. The BANC-III workshop is jointly sponsored by the Aeroacoustics and Fluid Dynamics Technical Committees of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics and is open to all interested participants. Computation of the BANC-III configurations is not required to attend the workshop. A nominal registration fee will cover workshop expenses including coffee and lunch.

To allow crucial future communications regarding the workshop, all workshop attendees must join the workshop mailing list by entering their contact information at: https://info.aiaa.org/tac/ASG/FDTC/DG/BECAN_files_/BANCIII_NoI.htm

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