## **Foreword**

The First International Symposium on Flavor Physics and CP Violation was held on the University of Pennsylvania campus on May 16–18, 2002.

This conference is a merging of two physics conferences, the Heavy Flavor Physics Conference, most recently held at Caltech (David Hitlin, Caltech, 9th conference) and begun at Heidelberg (Klaus Schubert, Dresden) with the biannual International Conference on B Physics and CP Violation, most recently held at Ise, Japan (A.I. (Tony) Sanda, Nagoya, BCP4) and begun at Nagoya (A.I. (Tony) Sanda). The new conference will be called Flavor Physics and CP Violation (FPCP). The second in the series will be held in 2003 and will be located in Paris.