## Report from the Awards and Recognitions Sub-committee

The 2013 Committee membership comprises: Charles Turner (Chair) Victor Fouad Hanna (Past-Chair), Ahmed Darwish, Marko Delimar and Imre Rudas

The committee has continued to hold teleconferences on a regular basis. The main items currently being considered are:

- (i) Giving greater publicity to the achievements of our members in Region 8, including an annual announcement of newly elevated Fellows;
- (ii) The continuing shortage of nominations for awards, in all categories
  - (Region 8, MGA, and IEEE);
- (iii) The goal of having every Section appoint an awards officer/coordinator;
- (iv) Encouraging every Section to give an award to their outstanding volunteer of the year

#### Awards:

**2013 Region 8 Volunteer Award**: Five nominations had been received this year. The winner will be announced at the Region 8 meeting in Madrid

# **2013 Region 8 Outstanding Section Award:**

**Large Sections**: two nominations were received. The winner will be announced at the Region 8 meeting in Madrid

Small Sections: no nominations were received.

# Women in Engineering: 2013 Clementina Saduwa Award

The WIE Affinity Group Committee had reported that the winner was Dr Fatma Abou-Chadi (Mansoura University, Egypt Section).

#### **New Awards**

The Committee had been advised that proposals were being put forward for a GOLD Volunteer Award Committee, and an Industry Relations Award, for consideration by the Region 8 Committee at its Madrid meeting.

### **MGA Awards**

Region 8 was proposing to submit a nomination for the MGA Outstanding Section Award this year (deadline May15th)

Charles Turner (Chair ARC-8) April 2013