



Supporting activities aimed at encouraging science and engineering careers for women.

•As of November 2013 IEEE WIE membership in Region 8 – Europe, Africa and Middle East was at 2344 members (2565 Nov '12).

▶Section Affinity Groups (AGs) in the region total 28, while Student Branch AGs total 57, 85 altogether.

▶New Affinity Groups

- University of Aberdeen Women in Engineering Student Affinity Group.
- Blekinge Inst of Technology, Women In Engineering Student Affinity Group.
- Universidade de Aveiro, Women In Engineering Student Affinity Group.
- ISCTE University Inst of Lisbon, Women in Engineering Student Affinity Group.

•Announcement of Clementina Saduwa Award Winner 2014



▶ **Future activities**

- Preparations for WIE at 2014 Sections Congress – WIE is planning to host the 20th Celebration since WIE established at SC14
- WIE track at R8SBC 2014
- WIE Online Chats (participation is encouraged from Region 8) members

▶ **Best practices**

- Supporting activities aimed at encouraging science and engineering careers for women.
- Organize training for volunteers by organizing congresses
- Presence at student congresses and at annual regional congresses
- Organize awards for SB volunteers and Section volunteers from the region which will be submitted for the global WIE awards competition

- Does your section have an active WIE Affinity Group?
- This is the list of Sections **WITHOUT** WIE Affinity Groups

Austria

Iceland

Qatar

Belarus

Iran

Republic of Macedonia

Bulgaria

Italy

Romania

Cyprus

Kenya

Russia

Czechoslovakia

Latvia

Russia (Northwest)

Denmark

Lithuania

Russia (Siberia)

Estonia

Malta

Sweden (pending)

Finland

Morocco

Ukraine

Ghana

Nigeria

Zambia

Greece

Norway

Hungary

Oman