

**IEEE SWEDEN Section Report August 2011****Officers:**

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**Election Date: 14/02/2011****Term End Date: 15/03/2011**

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**Membership:**

As of **30 June 2011**, the IEEE Sweden Section had a total of 2117 active members (103 Affiliates, 89 Associate Members, 403 Graduate Student Members, 14 Life Fellow, 34 Life Members, 32 Life Senior, 1182 Members, 199 Senior Members and 61 Student Members).

**Meetings:**

Several technical, professional, administrative and social meetings have been held since **March 2011**. As many of them are taking place right now, the exact number will be known in the fall.

**Activities in the near future:**

- Organize a strong campaign to increase the number of voters in the IEEE Annual election (on-going)
- Continue with the program of Section Professional activities
- Improve industry relations and attract more members from the industry (an on-going activity)
- Technically cosponsor 5 conferences and workshops in 2011 (as budgeted in 2010)
- Launch activities in the new Society for Social Impact of Technology

**Best practices:**

- Section-level professional lecture series for all members and guests (organized regularly)
- Reaching out to EE students in other Sweden universities
- Forming two new student branches and one affinity group (GOLD)
- Several workshops for Student Branch
- Production of promotional items for membership development purposes
- Introduction of Cost Budgeting for the coming year

**Topics to be discussed in San Francisco:**

Professional Activities

Revitalization of Life Members

Igor Gazdík

IEEE Sweden Section Chair