



IEEE GHANA Section Report February 2011

Officers:

Election Date:

Term End Date:

Position	Name	Election Date	Term End Date
Chair	Amoakoh Gyasi-Agyei	January 2011	31 December 2012
Vice Chair	Charles K. Nartey	January 2011	31 December 2012
Treasurer	Eva Esther Shalin	January 2011	31 December 2012
Secretary	Paul Asante Danquah	January 2011	31 December 2012
Newsletter Editor	Emmanuel Jojo Buabin	January 2011	31 December 2012
SB Counsellor, Pentecost University College	Millicent Sasu Konto	September 2010	31 December 2012
SB Counsellor, Regional Maritime University	Charles K. Nartey	October 2010	31 December 2012
SB Counsellor, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science & Technology		January 2011	31 December 2012

Membership:

As of 3 March 2011, the IEEE Ghana Section has the estimated membership break up compiled in the table below:

Senior Member	Members	Student Members	Graduate Student Members	Affiliates	Associate Members	Total
2	20	14	8	5	2	51

Date of above results by using SAMIIE: 3 March 2011

Meetings since October 2010:

- Since October 2010, 2 administrative meetings with excom members and with 5 membership drives have been conducted in an attempt to boost IEEE's presence in Ghana and also establish student branches.

Activities in the near future:

- Joint IEEE Ghana / Pentecost University College weekly Research & Innovation seminars
- Membership drives & establishment of student branches
- Co-sponsoring 3rd IEEE ICAST conference to be held in 24-26 November 2011 in Abuja, Nigeria

Best practices:

- Create Awards in many tertiary institutes in Ghana offering programs in IEEE areas to boost membership
- Create more industry relations and attract more members from the industry
- Continue to improve relationship between local professional bodies and the IEEE
- Create at least one Chapter of a Society in 2011
- Institute IEEE Ghana courses to attract funds and membership
- To Use the intended IEEE GEOSS work on Weija Dam in Ghana for membership drive



Topics to be discussed in Riga:

1. Does the IEEE allow payment of honorarium to section's excom members?
2. Is an IEEE section allowed to organize technical activities with any entity (i.e. individuals or organization) and share the financial gains?
3. IEEE President's initiative on Africa (especially Sub-Saharan Africa)

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