

## **IEEE Region 8 Secretary Report October 2010 95<sup>th</sup> IEEE Region 8 Committee Meeting, Prague**

The 94<sup>th</sup> IEEE Region 8 meeting in Riga was organized with the help of the Latvia Section and had quite big success in participation numbers. The actual meeting went excellent without any problems. The organization of the meeting and the workshop sessions were well prepared and got favourable comments by many participants. A questionnaire was sent to the participants of the meeting in order to get feedback and improve in the future. The social program was also very interesting, the tour around town was nice and the Gala dinner was perfect. Thank you Latvia!!

My first priority after the Riga meeting was to organize the OpCom meeting in Leuven, Belgium, along the SBC 2010 and then the Region 8 meeting in Prague. The OpCom meeting in Leuven was excellent and it coincided with Student Branch and GOLD Congress 2010. The energy and enthusiasm of the students gave us the drive to work harder! We also had a meeting with the Benelux Section officers.

Another priority I had was the updating of the Region 8 Web page which was done in a quick and efficient way by our Electronics coordinator George Michael. I would like to thank him for his excellent work. All the Sections were encouraged to have a Web page which should be up to date and be interesting and helpful to our members. More Section now have a Web page than ever! My target is to have Web pages for all the Sections in our Region.

**Our next meeting will be held in London, UK from March 25-27, 2011. You will hear from me soon on this subject.**

I would like to thank our Director, all the OpCom members and all the Section Chairs and other Region 8 Committee members and last but not least our Electronics Coordinator for their cooperation and hard work in all the aspects of IEEE.

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