

IEEE France Section Report September 2010

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Membership:

Data (12.31.2008)	12.31.2009	France Section	Region 8	IEEE worldwide
Fellows		63 (51) (1.7%)	830 (1.2%)	6383 (1.6%)
Senior members		321 (297) (8,0%)	4743 (6.7%)	31880 (8%)
Members		2446 (2257) (66.1%)	41989 (59.7%)	245093 (1.7%)
Graduate students		482 (418) (13%)	10028 (14.3%)	38261 (9.6%)
Associates		224 (286) (6.1%)	3242 (4.6%)	16470 (4.1%)
Student members		162 (176) (4.4%)	9539 (13.6%)	59816 (14.8%)
Total		3698 (3495)	70371 (67221)	397001 (382400)
Variation		+5.5%	+4.5%	+3.8%

Meetings:

177 in 2009
175 in 2010

Recent evolutions

Three new fellows (Eitan Altman, Laurent Cohen, Thomas Skotnicki)

A new student branch in Paris in 2010

A new chapter "Control Systems"

Application in progress for an "Aerospace and Electronic Systems" chapter

Branly milestone in Paris on Sept 23rd

Joint awards

- AGBM award (Alliance pour le Génie Biologique et Médical). Common award for the competition in innovating medical technologies every year. Last one on March 18th, 2009 in Lille, last one on May 21st, 2010 in Paris
- IEEE-SEE Brillouin-Glavieux award (Brillouin for even years - optics, electronics, power electronics,... - Glavieux for odd years – information sciences, control, image and signal processing,...). Last award ceremony on Dec. 2nd, 2009 in Paris. Call for nomination deadline: Sept. 20th. Ceremony on Dec. 1st in Paris

Last conferences

All the following conferences has been financially managed by the IEEE France Section.

- ISCAS 2010, International Symposium on Circuits and Systems, Marne-la-Vallée, May 30th- June 2nd. 2010, 1500 attendees.

- ASAP 2010, 21st IEEE International Conference on Application-Specific Systems, Architectures and Processors, Rennes, July 6th-7th,2010
- ICICDT 2010, International Conference on IC Design & Technology, Grenoble, June 2nd-4th,2010
- SVG Open 2010, 8th International Conference on Scalable Vector Graphics, Paris, August 30th-September 2nd,2010, 160 attendees.
- SIBIRCON 2010, IEEE R8 International Conference on Computational Technologies in Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Irkutsk, Russia, July 11th-15th, 2010. Help for money wire transfer from solid currency countries.

Expected conferences

- SSCI 2011, Symposium Series on Computational Intelligence, Paris, April 11th-15th, 2011
- WCNC 2012, IEEE Wireless Communication and Networking Conference, Paris April 2012

Best practices:

IEEE France Section is a French non-profit organization. It is not subject to VAT, professional taxes and company taxes. So, it is easy for it to financially manage the conferences as it has always done. IEEE France Section will not be involved in the European VAT project. It will be cheaper to organize itself the conferences and valuable for student and low income attendees. This facility could be useful for other sections. IEEE France Section represents IEEE in EuroGEOSS project because of this VAT rules.

Next actions

New milestones applications for André-Marie Ampère and Gustave Ferrié.

Application for section awards

Negotiations for IEL access for smaller academic entities