

## IEEE Nigeria Section Report September 2010

### Officers:

### Election Date:

### Term End Date:

Position	Name	Election Date	Term End Date
Chair	Tunde Y. Salihu	January, 2009	31 December 2011
Vice Chair	Gloria Chukwudebe	January, 2009	31 December 2011
Treasurer	Chidinma Ibeh	January, 2009	31 December 2011
Secretary	Julius Agunni	January, 2009	31 December 2011
Gold Chair/Webmaster	Prince Ibe Ike	December 2008	31 December 2011

### Membership:

Number of members. Please detail the number of members per grade.

Senior Member	Members	Student Members	Graduate Student Members	Affiliates	Associate Members	Total
19	499	450	70	1	6	1045

INFO: 31st August, 2010

### Meetings:

- Monthly Section EXCO meetings  12 meetings per year
- Quarterly Section meetings rotated around the country to attract membership. We have succeeded in attracting members from different parts of the country during such meetings.

### Activities in the near future:

- Project contest among Universities in South-South Nigeria. The last was held in Abuja-North.
- Section meeting in University of Lagos on 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2010
- Technical co-sponsor of 3<sup>rd</sup> ICAST conference to be held in 12-14 Dec 2011 in Abuja, Nigeria
- Election for new officials in November/December, 2010
- STEP program being organised at Federal University of Technology, Minna tagged 'Promoting Local Technological Content for Global Innovations' from 23 to 24 of September, 2010.

### Best practices:

- Decision to rotate Section meetings between southern and Northern parts of Nigeria
- Appointment of Sub-Section Chairs for South-South (oil center of Nigeria), North (Nation's Hq) and South-West (Nigeria's Commercial hub)
- Organisation of a conference (*IEEE NIGERCON*) in June, 2010 without subvention from Region or IEEE HQ
- IEEE Nigeria attends local affiliate organisation's events where we exhibit IEEE for the purpose of recruitment

### Topics to be discussed in Riga:

1. How can IEEE help standards development in Nigeria?
2. I need to locate experts on DC transmission to support a proposal we are working with the nation's only utility company.
3. Is an IEEE section allowed to organize technical activities with any entity and share the financial gains?

