

IEEE Switzerland Section Report March 2012

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Sections shall prepare a one-page summary about such things as:

1. Highlights from the past

- General Assembly 2011
- IEEE day October 6, 2011
- Ethical questions talk (December 10, 2011)
- IEEE reception after SIVS workshop 2011
- 3 Dedicated Excom Meetings

2. Future activities

- General Assembly 2012
- Switzerland Technology Highlight day (on or around October 6, 2012)

3. Best practices

- No change

4. Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

- Disproportional effort for financial reporting through NetSuite
- Taxation of donations to the IEEE foundation

5. Miscellaneous

- Dr. Hanspeter Schmid was nominated "Distinguished Lecturer" for 2011/2012.
- The collaboration with Electrosuisse is being renewed
- WiE Affinity group was successfully reactivated. It is led by Maria Paun and Andreea Picu
- The new website of the IEEE Switzerland section went online