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1. Highlights from the past

- IEEEXtreme participation with very good results, several teams in top 25
- 10th annual August conference

2. Future activities

- Plans to start the first Student branch in Estonia
- Working on increasing membership of power engineers, cooperation with local society
- More events organised by society chapters
- Cooperation with other Baltic Sea sections on distinguished lecturers

3. Best practices

 Our traditional 2-day August conference is going strong and is attracting good numbers in Estonian terms (30-40 people). Thanks to sponsors, the section has covered only a fraction of the cost and the event is free to participants.

4. Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

 Member and student activity level is low. While many are willing to attend events tailored to their interests, it is harder to find people wiling to contribute.