IEEE Hungarian Section Report October 2012

1. Highlights from the past
   • The IEEE 2012 Panel of Conference Organizers (POCO) was held at 19-21 July 2012, in Budapest, Hungary titled „Managing Conferences in a Changing World“ with distinguished lecturers, past and present presidents.
   • At 4th of September at Óbuda University was held IEEE mini symposia including IEEE SMC Distinguished Lecturer Program Talk: Prof. Dr. C. L. Philip Chen - Fuzzy Multi-Attribute Decision Making Algorithm for Vehicle Navigation in Sensor Network Environments
   • In 2012 the section organized IEEE conferences SAMI, EXPRES, SACI, INES, SYSI, CINTI, LINDI
     - SAMI 2012 - 10th IEEE International Symposium on Applied Machine Intelligence and Informatics
     - EXPRES 2012 - 4th International Symposium on Exploitation of Renewable Energy Sources
     - SACI 2012 - 7th IEEE International Symposium on Applied Computational Intelligence and Informatics
     - INES 2012 - 16th IEEE International Conference on Intelligent Engineering Systems 2012
     - NSC 2012 - 4th IEEE International Conference on Nonlinear Science and Complexity
     - Mini Symposium 2012 - Recent Advances in Intelligent Engineering
     - LINDI 2012 - 4th IEEE International Symposium on Logistics and Industrial Informatics
     - SISY 2012 - 10th IEEE International Symposium on Intelligent Systems and Informatics

2. Future activities
   • The Hungarian Section was founded 25 years ago, so in 2012 an anniversary milestone ceremony will be organized in connection with the IEEE day. To the event will be invited all life members, fellows and past chairs.
   • In 2012 we are preparing the organization of conferences
     - iRoB 2012 - IEEE Symposium on Intelligent Robotics
     - ICETA 2012 - 10th IEEE International Conference on Emerging eLearning Technologies and Applications
     - CINTI 2012 - 13th IEEE International Symposium on Computational Intelligence and Informatics

3. Best practices
   • The electronic newsletter is a good experience about the vivid and personal contact to the members

4. Points of concern / Topics for future discussion
   • Recruiting student members, engagement of industry, encouraging students to staying long-term member

5. Miscellaneous
   • The section has a vivid relation with the Sister societies. The National Society Agreements are updated with the sister societies till 2014 (The Scientific Society of Measurement, Automation and Informatics; The Hungarian Electrotechnical Association; The Scientific Society for Telecommunications; John Von Neumann Computer Society)