IEEE Jordan Section Report

1. Highlights from the past
  I. Membership Development :
  Participation in the Technology Companies Exhibition: where a good number of companies introduced their latest products and services, the section hosted a booth to target the audience who are mostly from technology or engineering background to talk about the section and the different chapters and services provided by the IEEE.
  Presentation at Al-Hashimiah Univ. about the IEEE and its activities and to promote membership.
  Presentation at German-Jordanian University to promote membership and IEEE activities.
  II. Meetings:
  Between Jan 1 and 31. 12, 2012, Jordan Section conducted 6 administrative meetings and 4 technical meetings. The AEECT 2013 Conference Committee conducted 6 administrative meetings. The Joint CIS11/C16 Chapter conducted 4 technical meeting and co-organized a robotics competition for undergraduate students. The WIE AG conducted administrative meeting and organized 3 professional and 3 social activities.
  III. Technical and non Technical Activities
  - Technical sponsorship for a number of local conferences organized by Jordanian Universities
  - In April 27th a seminar about the energy in Jordan was held. This seminar had been organized in cooperation with Jordan Engineering Association (JEA), and National committee of SIGREE•
  - Organized a student congress on Renewable Energy and Sustainability (3 March 2012) in cooperation with PSUT
  - PE31/DEI32 Jointly participated in the DEIS Chapter Chairs Workshop in San Juan, Puerto Rico on 9th June 2012
  - On August 30th the chapter organized at the national electric power company (NEPCO) a seminar about the renewable energy and energy efficiency in cooperation with Jordan Engineers Association.
  - Ramadan Orphans Eftar, with cooperation with JEA, 2012.
  - Participate in 2012 Jordanian Student Branch Congress (JSBC), PSUT Branch, 2012.
  - Agreement with JCS (Jordan Computer Society) to have special offers for the WIE Student branches members for Training courses.
  - Two lectures were held at the University of Jordan.
  - Jordan 2012 Professional Activities Summit on 6-7/10/2012 http://ewh.ieee.org/r8/jordan/PA2012/
  - Organizing 2 Local Venues to Host Jordanian Teams participating in IEEEXtreme Programming Contest on 20/10/2012
  - Organize a congress for the officers of IEEE student branches in Jordan (Jul 2012)
  - Organizing Jordan 2012 Professional Activities Summit on 6-7/10/2012 http://ewh.ieee.org/r8/jordan/PA2012/
  - Co-organizing Robotics Championship for Universities (RCU) and technical sponsorship 12/2012
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2. Future activities
  - Technical sponsorship for a number of local conferences organized by Jordanian Universities
  - Continue with the program of Section-level lecture series, covering the: power , communication , computer and industrial aspects.(two activates per chapter)
  - Preparation for a professional summit (Nov-Dec 2013
  - Organizing two seminars on 4G (LTE-A)
  - Seminars for promoting the membership

3. Best practices
  - Section-level professional lecture series for all members and guests
  - Continuous cooperation with national professional associations in general and Jordan Engineers Association in particular.
  - Student Congress and student's participation.
  - Continuous cooperation with Collage of Engineering and the(Electrical , Computer, Control and IT) academic departments of Jordanian universities

4. Points of concern / Topics for future discussion
  - Providing Speakers for the planned activities in the section .
  - Students participation in Spain Conference.
  - Promotional Materials and policies
  - Regional Conferences
  - The 2013 International Conference.

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