

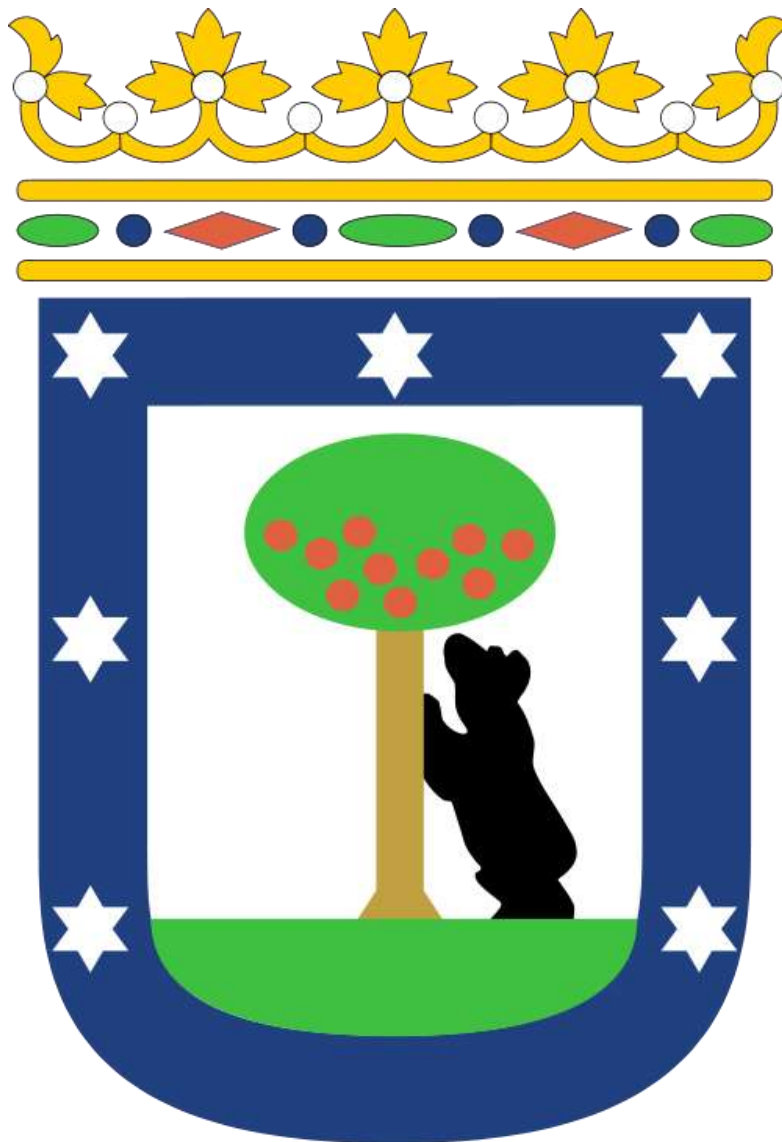


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Agenda Book



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Part I. General Information

Agenda

Saturday morning meeting

time	elapsed	min	#	type	item	presenter
8:30	0:00	5	1	Procedural	Call to order	Bastiaans
8:35	0:05	5	2	Procedural	Roll call	El-Mousa
8:40	0:10	5	3	Procedural	Welcome	Molina
8:45	0:15	10	4	Procedural	Introduction of new officers	El-Mousa
8:55	0:25	5	5	Procedural	Introductory remarks	Bastiaans/El-Mousa
9:00	0:30	5	6	Action	Approval of the agenda	Bastiaans
9:05	0:35	5	7	Action	Approval of the consent agenda	Bastiaans
9:10	0:40	15	8	Discussion	Director's address	Bastiaans
9:25	0:55	15	9	Discussion	Executive Director's address	Prendergast
9:40	1:10	10	10	Discussion	Secretary's report	El-Mousa
9:50	1:20	15	11	Discussion	Treasurer's report	Harrington
10:05	1:35	25	12	Discussion	Strategic direction	Delimar
10:30	2:00	15	13	Discussion	Nominations & Recognitions Activities	Delimar
10:45	2:15	30	14		Break	
11:15	2:45	45	15	Discussion	Member Activities report	Szabo
12:00	3:30	10	16	Discussion	Preparations for Sections Congress 2014	Skodras/Sinha
12:10	3:40	30	17	Discussion	MGA Vice President's address	Ford
12:40	4:10	30	18	Discussion	MGA Director's address	Jankowski
13:10	4:40	5	19	Info	Instructions about the afternoon event	Bastiaans/El-Mousa
13:15	4:45	0	20	Procedural	Recess	Bastiaans

Sunday morning meeting

time	elapsed	min	#	type	item	presenter
8:30	0:00	5	21	Procedural	Call to order and roll call	Bastiaans/El-Mousa
8:35	0:05	15	22	Discussion	President's address	Staecker
8:50	0:20	45	23	Discussion	President-Elect candidates debate	Zanero/Durrani/Michel
9:35	1:05	45	24	Discussion	Student Activities report	Herrero
10:20	1:50	10	25	Discussion	Section development and vitality	Stasopoulos
10:30	2:00	30	26		Break	
11:00	2:30	45	27	Discussion	Technical Activities report	Debono
11:45	3:15	15	28	Discussion	IEEE X Academy	Costa
12:00	3:30	25	29	Discussion	IEEE Awards	Terman
12:25	3:55	10	30	Discussion	Social Innovation Programs	Wisniewski
12:35	4:05	45	31	Discussion	General discussion / New business	Bastiaans
13:20	4:50	5	32	Info	Next meeting	El-Mousa/Boskovic
13:25	4:55	5	33	Action	Adjournment	Bastiaans

Consent Agenda

x	type	# item	author
x	Action	100 Approval of the Minutes of the 99th Region 8 Committee meeting in Tallinn, 6-7 October 2012	Costas Stasopoulos
x	Report	101 Awards & Recognition	Charles Turner
x	Report	102 Chapter Coordination	Elya Joffe
x	Report	103 Conference Coordination	Jan Haase
x	Report	104 Educational Activities	Niovi Pavlidou
x	Report	105 Electronic Communications	George Michael
x	Report	106 GOLD	Rafal Sliz
x	Report	107 History Activities	Tony Davies
x	Report	108 Industry Relations	Andreas Neumeier
x	Report	109 Jubilee Book	Kurt Richter
x	Report	110 Life Members	Jacob Baal-Schem
x	Report	111 Membership Development	Antonio Luque Estepa
x	Report	112 Professional Activities	Jan Verveckken
x	Report	113 Region 8 News	Roland Saam / Zhijia Huang
x	Report	114 Sections Congress	Athanassios Skodras / Saurabh Sinha
x	Report	115 Standards	David Law
x	Report	116 Voluntary Contribution Fund	Daniel Pasquet
x	Report	117 Women in Engineering	Joyce Mwangama
x	Report	201 Austria	Peter Roessler
x	Report	202 Bahrain	Wafeeq Ajoor
x	Report	203 Belarus	Valentin Baranov
x	Report	204 Benelux	Luc Vandendorpe
x	Report	205 Bosnia and Herzegovina	Dusanka Boskovic
x	Report	206 Bulgaria	Rossitza Goleva
x	Report	207 Croatia	Mislav Grgic
x	Report	208 Cyprus	Panayiotis Symeou
x	Report	209 Czechoslovakia	Peter Farkas
	Report	210 Denmark	Ole Lauridsen / Peer Martin Larsen
x	Report	211 Egypt	Ahmed Darwish
x	Report	212 Estonia	Kalle Tammemae
x	Report	213 Finland	Pasi Kallio
x	Report	214 France	Pierre Borne
	Report	215 Germany	Axel Richter
x	Report	216 Ghana	Rajan John / George Eduful
x	Report	217 Greece	Athanassios Skodras
x	Report	218 Hungary	Peter Kadar
	Report	219 Iceland	Saemundur Thorsteinsson / Thomas Runarsson
x	Report	220 Iran	Mahmud Fotuhi-Firuzabad / Farzaneh Abdollahi
x	Report	221 Iraq	Sattar Bader Sadkhan - not attending

x Report	222 Israel	Simon Litsyn / Jacob Baal-Schem
x Report	223 Italy	Dario Petri
x Report	224 Jordan	Isam Zabalawi
x Report	225 Kenya	Vincent Kaabunga
x Report	226 Kuwait	Abdul Rahman Al-Ghunaim / Fadhel Abulhasan
x Report	227 Latvia	Andrejs Romanovs
x Report	228 Lebanon	Ghassan Sha'Ban
x Report	229 Lithuania	Dalius Navakauskas
x Report	230 Malta	Paul Micallef
Report	231 Morocco	Mohamed Essaaidi - not attending
x Report	232 Nigeria	Gloria Chukwudebe
Report	233 Norway	Erik Olsen / Terje Gjengedal
x Report	234 Oman	Ahmed Al-Naamany / Arnold Santos
x Report	235 Poland	Maciej Ogorzalek
x Report	236 Portugal	Rui Santos Cruz
Report	237 Qatar	Yacob Mulla Saleh - not attending
x Report	238 Republic of Macedonia	Goce Arsov
x Report	239 Romania	Radu Dobrescu / Mircea Eremia
x Report	240 Russia	Yuri Gulyaev / Sergey Bankov
x Report	241 Russia (Northwest)	Vladimir Kutuzov
x Report	242 Russia (Siberia)	Alexandr Markhasin
x Report	243 Saudi Arabia (East)	Muhammad Al-Dhamen / Jaafar Al Ibrahim
Report	244 Saudi Arabia (West)	Hafidh Al-Samarrai
x Report	245 Serbia and Montenegro	Natasa Neskovic
x Report	246 Slovenia	Matej Zajc
Report	247 South Africa	Riana Geschke / Jacques Van Wyk
x Report	248 Spain	Pilar Molina Gaudó
x Report	249 Sweden	Mikael Bergqvist
x Report	250 Switzerland	Andreas Doering / Andreas Koschak
x Report	251 Tunisia	Abdelfettah Belghith / Jaleleddine Ben Hadj Slama
Report	252 Turkey	/ Gözde Bozdagi Akar
x Report	253 Ukraine	Valerii Zhuikov / Evgen Pichkalyov
Report	254 United Arab Emirates	Maryam Al Thani
x Report	255 United Kingdom and Rep of Ireland	Nihal Sinnadurai
x Report	256 Zambia	Kabwe Bellington / Ariel Phiri

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Pablo	Herrero	R8 Vice Chair Student Activities
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Jef	Beerten	R8 Awards and Recognition SC Member
Victor	Fouad Hanna	R8 Awards and Recognition SC Member
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Stefano	Zanero	R8 Conference Coordination SC Member
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Rui	Costa	R8 Educational Activities SC Member - University
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Rafal	Sliz	R8 GOLD Chair
Elena	Pareja	R8 GOLD SC Member
Nele	Reynders	R8 GOLD SC Member
Amir	Zahoor	R8 GOLD SC Member
Anthony	Davies	R8 History Coordinator
Andreas	Neumeier	R8 Industry Relations Chair
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Djordje	Paunovic	R8 Student Paper Contest Coordinator
Christian	Schmid	R8 Student Representative
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Andrejs	Romanovs	Latvia Section Chair
Ghassan	Shaban	Lebanon Section Chair
Dalius	Navakauskas	Lithuania Section Chair
Paul	Micallef	Malta Section Chair
Gloria	Chukwudebe	Nigeria Section Chair
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Bertram	Arbesser-Rastburg	R8 Rep to Antennas and Propagation Society

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Fatmaelzahraa	Aboushadi	Clementina Saduwa Award recipient
Bakr	Hassan	Gulf Accreditation Chair
André	Vander Vorst	Past Region 8 Committee member

Unapproved Minutes from Tallinn 2012

List of Participants

Position	Name
IEEE Region 8 Director	Marko Delimar
IEEE Region 8 Director-Elect	Martin Bastiaans
IEEE Region 8 Past-Director	Jozef Modelski
IEEE Region 8 Secretary	Costas Stasopoulos
IEEE Region 8 Treasurer	Brian Harrington
IEEE Region 8 V/C Member Activities	Ali El-Mousa
IEEE Region 8 V/C Student Activities	Elias Nassar
IEEE Region 8 V/C Technical Activities	Saurabh Sinha
Austria	Peter Roessler
Bahrain	Wafik Ajoor
Belarus	Valentin Baranov
Benelux	Wim Van Etten
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Dusanka Boskovic
Bulgaria	Katya Konstantinova Asparouhova
Croatia	Igor Kuzle
Cyprus	Panikos Symeou
Czechoslovakia	Peter Farkas
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Estonia	Urmet Janes
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Iraq	Sattar Bader Sadkhan
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Kuwait MD	Fadhel Abulhasan
Latvia	Andrejs Romanovs
Lebanon	Ghassan Shaban
Lithuania	Dalius Navakauskas
Malta	Paul Micallef
Nigeria	Gloria Chukwudebe
Norway	Erik Olsen
Poland Secretary	Piotr Cholda
Portugal	Rui Santos Cruz
Republic of Macedonia	Goce Arsov
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Russia VC	Sergey Bankov
Russia (Northwest) VC	Sergey Shaposhnikov
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Saudi Arabia (West)	Hafidh S Al-Samarrai
Serbia and Montenegro	Natasa Neskovic

Slovenia	Matej Zajc
South Africa	Jacques van Wyk
Spain	Pilar Molina
Sweden	Mikael Bergqvist
Switzerland	Andreas Doering
Tunisia	Mourad Loulou
Ukraine Secretary	Evgen Pichkalyov
United Arab Emirates	Maryam Althani
United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland	Nihal Sinnadurai
Zambia Treasurer	Bellington Kabwe
Conferences Coordinator	Carl Debono
Educational Activities	Bakr Hassan
GOLD Activities	Salima Kaissi
Industry Relations	
Membership Development	Dirk Van Hertem
Electronic Communications	George Michael
Standards Coordinator	David Law
Student Representative	Jorge Soares
Jubilee Book Coordinator	Kurt Richter
Technical Publications	Stefano Zanero
Life Members	Aleksandar Szabo
Technical Committees Liaison	Vladimir Katić
Voluntary Contribution Fund	Vlatko Stoilkov
Student Branch Coordinator	Simay Akar
Student Activities	Sohaib Qamar Sheikh
Madrid SBC	Elena Pareja
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Candidate for V/C	Jan Verveckken
Candidate for V/C	Pablo Herrero
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Hungary VC	Peter Kadar
UAE Past Chair	Eesa Bastaki

Saturday

1. Call to order

The Region 8 Director, **Marko Delimar**, opened the 99th IEEE Region 8 Committee meeting and asked the Secretary, **Costas Stasopoulos**, to make the roll call.

2. Roll Call

The Secretary, **Costas Stasopoulos**, made the roll call and there was a quorum.

3. Welcome

Urmet Janes, Estonia Section Chair, welcomed everybody to Tallinn, Estonia and to the IEEE Region 8 Committee meeting. He then gave some general and travel information about Tallinn and the upcoming social events.

5. Introduction of Officers

An introduction of all the Section Chairs and representatives was made by the Secretary and themselves. All the appointed members of Region 8 introduced themselves too.

6. Introductory remarks

The Region 8 Director, **Marko Delimar**, welcomed everybody in Tallinn. He introduced and welcomed all the guests from IEEE HQ in the Region 8 Committee meeting. He stressed that there should be bidirectional communication and involvement of the Section Chairs. He asked everybody to speak up and participate in the discussions.

4. Adoption of the Agenda

Marko Delimar presented the agenda; **it was approved unanimously as shown below.**

AGENDA

#	Type	Agenda Item	Presenter	Additional info
1		Call to Order	Delimar	
2		Roll Call	Stasopoulos	
3		Welcome	Delimar/Jänes	
4		Approval of the agenda	Delimar	
5		Introduction of new officers	Stasopoulos	
6		Introductory remarks	Delimar/Stasopoulos	

CONSENT AGENDA

#	Type	Agenda Item	Presenter	Additional info
11	Act	Approval of the Minutes of the Berlin Meeting	Stasopoulos	
101	Rep	Awards and Recognition	Turner - Not attending	
102	Rep	Chapter Coordination	Pasquet - Not attending	
103	Rep	Conference Coordination	Debono	
104	Rep	Educational Activities	Hassan	
105	Rep	Electronic Communications	Michael	
106	Rep	GOLD Activities	Kaissi	
107	Rep	Industry Relations	Dandan	
109	Rep	Life Members	Szabo	
110	Rep	Membership Development	Van Hertem	
111	Rep	Professional Activities	Zajc	
112	Rep	Publications	Zanero	
113	Rep	Region 8 News	Saam / Huang- Not attending	
114	Rep	Standards Activities	Law	
115	Rep	Technical Committees	Katić	
116	Rep	Voluntary Contribution Fund	Stoilkov	
117	Rep	Women in Engineering	Ponci- Not attending	
201	Rep	Austria	Roessler	
202	Rep	Bahrain	Qamber / Ajoor	
203	Rep	Belarus	Baranov	
204	Rep	Benelux	Van Etten	
205	Rep	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Boskovic	
206	Rep	Bulgaria	Goleva / Asparouhova	
207	Rep	Croatia	Kuzle	
208	Rep	Cyprus	Symeou	
209	Rep	Czechoslovakia	Farkas	
210	Rep	Denmark	Stilling	
211	Rep	Egypt	Darwish	
212	Rep	Estonia	Jänes	
213	Rep	Finland	Koivo / Sliz	
214	Rep	France	Borne	

215	Rep	Germany	Richter
216	Rep	Ghana	Gyasi-Agyei
217	Rep	Greece	Skodras / Kakarountas
218	Rep	Hungary	Rudas
219	Rep	Iceland	Thorsteinnsson
220	Rep	Iran	Soltanian-Zadeh
221	Rep	Iraq	Bader Sadkhan
222	Rep	Israel	Litsyn / Baal Schem
223	Rep	Italy	Vatalaro/Vangelista
224	Rep	Jordan	Zabalawi
225	Rep	Kenya	Kaabunga
226	Rep	Kuwait	Al-Ghunaim / Abulhasan
227	Rep	Latvia	Romanovs
228	Rep	Lebanon	Shaban
229	Rep	Lithuania	Navakauskas
230	Rep	Malta	Micallef
231	Rep	Morocco	
232	Rep	Nigeria	Chuwudebe
233	Rep	Norway	Olsen/Aigner
234	Rep	Oman	
235	Rep	Poland	Ogorzałek / Cholda
236	Rep	Portugal	Cruz
237	Rep	Qatar	
238	Rep	Republic of Macedonia	Arsov
239	Rep	Romania	Dobrescu /Toma
240	Rep	Russia (Northwest)	Kutuzov
241	Rep	Russia (Siberia)	Markhasin /Stukach
242	Rep	Russia	Gulyaev / Bankov
243	Rep	Saudi Arabia (East)	Al-Dhamen
244	Rep	Saudi Arabia (West)	Al-Samarrai
245	Rep	Serbia and Montenegro	Neskovic
246	Rep	Slovenia	Zajc
247	Rep	South Africa	van Wyk
248	Rep	Spain	Molina
249	Rep	Sweden	Bergqvist
250	Rep	Switzerland	Doering
251	Rep	Tunisia	Loulou
252	Rep	Turkey	
253	Rep	Ukraine	Zhuikov / Pichkalyov
254	Rep	United Arab Emirates	Althani
255	Rep	UKRI	Sinnadurai
256	Rep	Zambia	Munungwe / Kabwe

ACTION/DISCUSSION

#	Type	Agenda Item	Presenter	Additional info
301	Disc	Director's Report	Delimar	
302	Disc	Treasurer's Report	Harrington	
303	Disc	Secretary's Report	Stasopoulos	
304	Disc	N&A Report	Modelski	
305	Disc	Director Elect's Report	Bastiaans	
306	Disc	Member Activities	El-Mousa	
307	Disc	Student Activities	Nassar/Soares	
308	Disc	Technical Activities	Sinha	

309	Disc	IEEE President's Address	Day
310	Disc	MGA Report	Delimar/Jankowski/Moesch
311	Disc	Section Registration	Delimar/Lach
312	Act	Awards	Delimar/Turner
313	Disc	50 th Anniversary Activities	Bastiaans/Richter
314	Act	Workshops	El-Mousa
315	Disc	General Discussion (Open Session)	Delimar
316	Disc	Discussion (Executive Session)	Delimar
317		New Business	Delimar
318	Act	Next Meeting	Stasopoulos
319	Act	Adjournment	

7. Approval of the Consent Agenda

The consent agenda was presented by Marko Delimar and was adopted unanimously.

All the reports and presentations that follow can be found at:

<http://www.ieeer8.org/category/committee/meetings/2012-october-tallinn/>

301. IEEE Region 8 Director's Report

Marko Delimar, Region 8 Director went through the SWOT analysis of our Region and said that some challenges and opportunities have been tangled and progress has been made. He then introduced the members of the committee; he stated its mission and vision, went through some key facts and characteristics, talked about some recent Conferences and activities. He then pointed out some challenges for the future. He gave an overview of last year's events, introducing the new Subsections in our Region and he also mentioned the upcoming events. He talked of the establishment of Section officer's term limits. Then he went on giving the key challenges of Region 8: Africa, Cooperation with European Agencies and Conferences.

309. IEEE President's Address

Gordon Day, IEEE President, said that IEEE Region 8 is very important for IEEE. This can be seen by the IEEE HQ participation in this meeting and it is also a sign of IEEE's globalization. Some of the bigger sections of IEEE are based in this region and it covers the largest geographic area. He is committed in supporting our region and one of his priorities is IEEE and European Union relations, the Brussels office and the standards advancement in the area. Also he would like to support and help our members from our Brussels office. He is very much in humanitarian activities in IEEE and especially in Africa and urged members to support these initiatives. He believes that as an organization we should push more to bring technology throughout the world, working together with UN, UNESCO and other organizations. IEEE is also working to help members in all parts of our Region with different projects as Region 8 is very diverse and he invited everybody to talk to him about their individual needs

310. MGA Report

Jamie Moesch, Senior Director, Member Experience, Member and Geographic Activities, talked mainly on 2012 member segmentation and recent membership improvements in IEEE. He explained the segmentation methodology and how the geographies were represented. He then gave the executive summary as follows:

1. Members are moderately engaged, moderately satisfied.
2. More members have a "transactional" relationship with IEEE than who truly understand the organization, clearly see its value to them both professionally and personally, and see a clear pathway to a satisfying experience.
3. We have many younger members who want to be engaged, but do not feel they are asked or welcome.
4. IEEE membership is good; but could be great.

He then gave some examples of how the results can be used.

1. Conduct events relevant to large industries in your local area.
2. Invite non-members to events; Leave a lot of time for networking.
3. Use IEEE's free WebEx tool to increase attendance and engage more members. Free for all IEEE units to use. Massively improved from "Dim Dim".
4. Get your young professionals more involved. Ask them to organize section/chapter events. Invite them as a group to organize events. Tell them to invite non-member friends
5. Hold events the press might report on (e.g. Technology that benefits humanity, hot topics, distinguished speakers).
6. Create a list of local reporters; - Invite them to cover the events.
7. Encourage STEP Events.
8. Make sure new members feel welcome.
9. Welcome phone calls, events, and e-mails; - Give them a local contact for questions.
10. Encourage their participation.

He then gave some recent membership improvements.

1. One page process for Join and Renew.
2. Improved search function – schools, employers, subscriptions.
3. Easy to browse societies and subscriptions.
4. Membership and subscription recommendations.
5. Easy to change media options for membership subscriptions.
6. Automatic Renewal – coming in December.
7. Memberships and subscriptions catalog.
8. Integration between membership and IEEEExplore.
9. Improved service confirmation process for Life Members.

305. Region 8 2013 and Beyond

Martin Bastiaans, IEEE R8 Director-Elect, presented his position statement:

As the Region 8 Director, he will continue to implement the philosophy that he has presented as the Region 8 Vice Chair Student Activities:

To get new members, we need active Student Branches. To retain our members - and in particular recently graduated students, with a low retention rate at the moment - we need active sections with active chapters. In the transient period from student member to regular member, GOLD can play an important role; so we need an active GOLD Activities Subcommittee.

An important role is also played by an active Professional Activities Subcommittee and an active Educational Activities Subcommittee, which can offer to our members, competencies that they did not learn at school and that may be difficult to acquire otherwise. Of course, an active Membership Development Subcommittee plays a crucial role. He will strive to create a good atmosphere in the Region, the Region 8 Committee, and the Region 8 Operating Committee. Only in a good and friendly atmosphere can volunteers flourish!

He will stimulate a fruitful cooperation between all our organizational units and the many supporting committees in our Region. He will be a good listener to remarks coming from the Region 8 Committee members, so that he can represent our Region - geographically the largest and by many means the greatest of all IEEE Regions - in a way that is advantageous for most (if not all) of us. In representing the Region, his own opinion will only be relevant for issues that could not be discussed with the Region 8 Committee before, in which case you have to rely on his fair judgement.

Region 8 Vice Chairs

Between now and the next Region 8 Committee meeting in Madrid, April 2013, the Vice Chairs are requested to come up with the issues on which they will focus. These focus points will be presented in Madrid and will be open for discussion. Vice Chairs can introduce their team, but a full oral report is not expected. Full reporting should be in written form, with only a short oral introduction to this written report during the meeting. He would like to have more input from the Sections on the proposed focus points. Ample time will be devoted to that during the Committee meeting.

Focus points in 2013-2014

Student branches: revitalize, Chapters: revitalize and play a pro-active role in founding new Chapters.

Educational Activities: play a pro-active role in pre-university activities.

Industry Relations: what can IEEE offer to members in industry?

History Activities: play a pro-active role in getting Milestones for the many R8 inventions.

Membership Development: can only be effective if IEEE has something to offer.

New Sections: help the present Subsections that reside under the Region to become a full Section, student branches, chapters, membership development.

Explore the possibility for new geographic units in those parts of our Region where no Sections exist.

Break-out sessions in 2013-2014

In 2013-2014, break-out sessions will be devoted to points of concern and topics for future discussion (e.g., as mentioned in Section reports). This may also lead to useful recommendations for Sections Congress. The common goal remains to retain and enhance Section vitality.

304. Region 8 N&A Report

Jozef Modelski, Chair of the Nominations and Appointments committee, announced the 2012 elections:

Election of R8 OpCom members:

R8 Secretary (term 2013-2014), Ali El-Mousa (Jordan), Hafidh Al-Samarrai (Western Saudi Arabia). R8 Treasurer (term 2013-2014) Brian Harrington (UK&RI). R8 Vice Chairs (TA, MA, SA) (term 2013). Vice Chair Technical Activities, Carl Debono (Malta), Elya Joffe (Israel). Vice Chair Member Activities, Christopher James (UK&RI), Aleksandar Szabo (Croatia). Vice Chair Student Activities, Pablo Herrero (Germany), Jan Verweckken (Benelux).

Election of three members of the R8 N&A Committee (term 2013-2014):

Goce Arsov (Macedonia), Pierre Borne (France), Mourad Loulou (Tunisia), Irina Naidionova (Lithuania), Elias Nassar (Lebanon), Maciek Ogorzalek (Poland), Thanos Skodras (Greece), Hamid Soltanian-Zadeh (Iran), Nicolae Tapus (Romania).

Presentations from R8 OpCom candidates followed. Elections to be held during the following day.

303. Treasurer's Report

Brian Harrington, the Region 8 Treasurer, gave the interim report of the Region for 2012. The financial results for the year 2012 are improved compared to the 2011 ones. The Region realized a largely balanced result; however, as Region 8 trades USD currency to buy local currency to finance its operations, it is sensitive to exchange rate fluctuations. Further progress was made on cost control. He concluded that the performance of the R8 finances is steady under uncertain market conditions.

Financial Position at September, 2012

Cash (Liquid Assets) is	\$178,051
September 2011 was	\$104,011
Investment (Fixed Assets)	\$517,102
September 2011 was	\$475,056

These figures are before expenditures for the Region 8 Committee meeting in Tallinn.

He then presented the 2013 budget proposal.

The report was approved.

302. Secretary's Report

Secretary **Costas Stasopoulos** gave an account of the Region 8 Committee meeting in Berlin. He mentioned that the web pages of the Sections are very important and that some Sections do not have a web page. He thanked all Region 8 Committee members for their support and cooperation and in particular George Michael, the Electronic Communications Coordinator. He said that this was his last Region 8 Committee meeting as the secretary and thanked everybody for their help and cooperation.

308. Technical Activities

Saurabh Sinha, R8 V/C Technical Activities, presented the Chapter Coordination Subcommittee (ChCSC), the Conference Coordination Subcommittee (CoCSC), the Educational Activities Subcommittee (EASC), the Industry Relations Subcommittee (IRSC), the Standards Coordinator, the TAB "Committees" Liaison and the Technical Publications Coordinator. For each of the Subcommittees he gave detailed information on the past and future events and activities, highlighting their success and pointing the direction they should go in the future.

307, 307a, 307b, 307c. Student Activities

Elias Nassar, R8 V/C Student Activities, started by introducing all the members of his team and gave the goals of his committee. He stressed the important issue of communicating with student members and the efforts made towards this direction. He then gave an overview of student membership in R8, he presented the student activities that took place in 2012. He talked on SBC 2012 that took place in Madrid. In Madrid there were 467 attendees (a new record), 293 students, 45 GOLD members, from 53 countries, 24 members from R9, 88 Speakers including IEEE President, President-Elect and Past-President. He then gave some financial statistics: 113 students were funded by R8 SAC, 22 GOLD Members were funded by R8 SAC and many students supported by their Sections for travel and registration. He thanked all the Section Chairs for their support to students and GOLD members. He also talked of the awards and contests winners for 2012, of the upcoming activities for 2013 and of E-communications. **Jan Verveckken** gave an event evaluation report for the IEEE Region 8 Student Branch & Gold Congress in Madrid. **Elena Pareja** gave a final report of the above congress. **Jorge Soares**, Student Representative asked several Section Chairs to talk about their student activities through an interactive process.

314. Workshops Introduction

Ali El-Mousa, R8 V/C Member Activities gave the guidelines for the workshops.

Workshop general theme: "Successful events, the how and why"

Specific Issues:

1. Identify the top three best activities that engage members with the reasons for that.
2. Identify the top three criteria for designating an event as successful.
3. Identify the top three problems faced when organizing events and the possible solutions for them.

Recess

Day 2

306. Member Activities Report

Ali El-Mousa, R8 V/C Member Activities, gave his committee focus of the last few months. He then introduced the GOLD team and gave the key facts and activities of the group. He urged everybody to create a GOLD affinity group. He stressed that having different activities at local level for GOLD is a key issue in having satisfied members. Then he presented the Professional Activities team, giving their goals and plans. They organize activities to enhance members' careers in soft skills, management, communications and others. Professional Activities team can help members in these changing times in gaining new skills and in job looking. The Membership Development team was presented where local activities and personal contact are very important. Member retention is a key word here. He then gave some member statistics and information on e-membership. He talked about Life Members, their

activities and future events. He then presented the R8 Electronic Communication Activities, the various Awards, IEEE Day 2012 and talked on the Student Branch and GOLD Congress in Madrid.

311. 50th Anniversary Activities

Kurt R. Richter, IEEE R8 Jubilee Book Coordinator, showed the editorial board for the Jubilee Book and he then explained the details on the web-based book, on R8 News – Special Issue and of the anniversary celebrations. He also explained the progress made with the oral history project. He urged the Section Chairs to make their inputs to these projects. He finished by giving some information on the creation of the Region 8 archive. **Martin Bastiaans**, IEEE R8 Director-Elect, said that the celebrations of the 50th anniversary are not over yet but they will continue with various events until the next Spring meeting of the Region 8 Committee.

311. Section Registration

Eileen M. Lach, IEEE General Counsel and Chief Compliance Officer gave an overview of the Legal Status Project in Region 8. The main objectives are:

1. Maintain IEEE image and quality within local countries
2. Preserve allowed activities engaged in every country
3. Protect members and volunteers

The methodology established in 2009 was:

1. Local legal counsel reviews operations and proposes options based on level of activity (“Matrix”)
2. Review of program with Ernst & Young
3. Review of corporate formation options with staff from multiple departments
4. Coordinate with local volunteers to affect the required and desired registrations

She then explained that a parent company for each Region was selected. The considerations for the choice were:

1. Addresses political perception and a perceived competitive advantage
2. Improved financial transparency and audit accountability
3. Stable corporate legal and judicial environment
4. Existing IEEE presence and/or support for IEEE global strategic direction

The choice for Region 8 is Switzerland.

5. Not part of EU: Region includes non-EU, Middle East and Africa
6. Favorable tax treatment although no non-profit form
7. Long range strategic target

She then gave a list of the Sections in R8 their status and progress.

Election of IEEE Region 8 Officers (Executive Session)

Elections were held for the OpCom and for the N&A SubCommittee. The results of the elections were announced by R8 Director **Marko Delimar** as follows:

1. R8 Treasurer (term 2013-2014) Brian Harrington (UK&RI)
2. R8 Secretary (term 2013-2014) Ali El-Mousa (Jordan)
3. R8 Vice Chair, Member Activities (term 2013) Aleksandar Szabo (Croatia)
4. R8 Vice Chair, Technical Activities (term 2013) Carl Debono (Malta)
5. R8 Vice Chair, Student Activities (term 2013) Pablo Herrero (Germany)
6. N&A SubCommittee members (term 2013-2014):
 1. Pierre Borne (France), Elias Nassar (Lebanon), Maciej Ogorzalek (Poland)

314. Workshop Reports

Stefano Zanero, gave a summary of the results of the workshops:

The best activities are:

1. Arranging a panel with a common theme from academia & industry
2. Engaging young professionals and students through student or career days. Future amplifiers of the “IEEE message”
3. Webcasting (to overcome geo problems)
4. Public sector engagement (e.g. of govt. officials) through public policy debates
5. Industrial exhibitions coupled with conferences
6. Distinguished lecturers (fellows, DLP, etc...) to attract and recruit people. Sponsor and involve student branches in Section activities including organizing a student day
7. Organize competition to recognize best student branch, best chapter, best thesis, and presenting them for regional and global IEEE awards
8. Having IEEE booths in all conferences to promote IEEE membership development
9. Preuniversity or “Junior” MembershiP (JUMP) – early awareness
10. Senior membership workshops – invite eligible and seniors, engage seniors to referee: in Spain 65 % favourable response.
11. Competitions: capstone/final year project/thesis awards, robotics competition, IEEEExtreme, or other outside curriculum
12. Organizing events for transitions (e.g. GOLDen STEP, but more broadly the principle of STEP)

13. A standards workshop (incl. a role playing exercise) between academia, students (preuniversity & university), industry.
Supported by IEEE Standards Education Committee of IEEE SEC
14. Vertical integration promoted through the workshop
15. Engagement through social activities, irrespective of the nature of the activity (e.g. a local non-technical or technical tour)
16. Presence of IEEE Section members at booth or with talks in non-IEEE but co-sponsored events
17. Partnership or cooperation with national societies, regulators... (e.g. for continuing education), where the IEEE logo/brand of IEEE helps as an endorsement

You know you've done well by the simple metrics

1. Number of attendees (expected vs unexpected and actual)
 1. #academia, public service, industry
 2. #Students and graduate student members
 3. #Young professionals
 4. Can break down per session
2. Balance of the technical papers between industry and academia
3. Quality of the papers / presentations
 1. % of acceptance of the papers
4. Peer-reviewed papers
5. Presentations (e.g. industry)
6. Visibility or participation of transnational entities
7. Surplus generating
 1. Developing patronage
 2. Developing financial co-sponsorship
8. Feedback collection, analysis, follow-up and evaluation (key!)
9. Public response, e.g. Pre/Post-event media
 1. Social media?
 2. Tier of publication
 3. Positive, negative, or constructive?

And the global metrics

1. Membership devt. / recruitment
2. Number of attendees who become "regulars"
3. Number of events soliciting the IEEE brand
4. Gradient of growth from event-to-event
5. Measure the exposure of members to the IEEE through advanced networking opportunities at an event, or follow-up events
6. Event troubleshooting

Challenges Proposed Solutions / Opportunities

1. Finance/funding Payment methods, such as through a locally registered entity
 1. Evaluation of the section business model / events
 2. Pricing models for an event, including price variations (member grade)
2. Engagement of industry
3. Exhibitors
4. Diversity (broader theme)
5. Reciprocity between (social) media and an event
6. Dedicated volunteer(s)/innovative public relations team for publicity
 1. Convince media leaders in advance of a given event
 2. Inviting key persons from public/corporate sector
7. No shows - Enforcement of policies
 1. Conditional acceptance of papers based on registration
 2. Correlate packaged accommodation bookings and a list of presenters
 3. Have an event on a cruise boat?

317. New Business

Saurabh Sinha, R8 V/C Technical Activities, presented the following motion:

TO: IEEE Region 8 Committee
FROM: Carl Debono, Chair: Conference Coordination Subcommittee
SUBJECT: Approval for hosting of the next HistelCon

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

IEEE HistelCon is a Region 8 conference. The event receives oversight through the Region 8 Conference Coordination Subcommittee (Vice-Chair: Technical Activities). The oversight (sub-) committee has received a conference bid, where it is requested that the IEEE Region 8 Committee supports the hosting of IEEE HistelCon in partnership with the International Committee for the History of Technology (ICOHTEC) and the IEEE History Committee.

PROPOSED ACTION:

Resolved that the bid to host HistelCon'15 shall be approved.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

No financial implications.

PROS and CONS:

Pros: In support of Region 8's vision, the event will grow through the partnership.

Cons: The next event would be, by default, hosted in 2014. The mentioned partnership would mean that the event would be held in 2015.

IMPLEMENTATION:

Through the Conference Coordination Subcommittee (Region 8), ICOHTEC.

Conference organizer: Dr. Jacob Baal-Schem (Region 8)

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

HistelCon, introduced in 2008, continues as a small-sized Region 8 conference, and benefits from the drive of Dr. Baal-Schem. The oversight subcommittees reviewed the conference bid, and approved the conference proposal.

The motion was adopted.

318. Next Meeting

The next Region 8 Committee meeting will be held in Madrid, Spain on 20-21 April 2013. Pilar Molina, the Spain Section chair, gave a small presentation on Madrid and invited everybody to attend the meeting.

319. Adjournment

The Region 8 Director thanked everybody in the OpCom and in the Region 8 Committee for their support and help.

The motion to adjourn was proposed. The motion was adopted.

Adjourn

Technical Societies and Councils and their codes

AES 10	Aerospace and Electronic Systems Society (IX)
AP 03	Antennas and Propagation Society (IV)
BIO 46	Biometrics Council (X)
BT 02	Broadcast Technology Society (IV)
C 16	Computer Society Society (V-VIII)
CAS 04	Circuits and Systems Society (I)
CE 08	Consumer Electronics Society (IV)
CEDA 44	Council on Electronic Design Automation (I)
CIS 11	Computational Intelligence Society (X)
COM 19	Communications Society (III)
CPMT 21	Components Packaging, and Manufacturing Technology Society (II)
CS 23	Control Systems Society (X)
CSC 41	Council on SuperConductivity (IV)
DEI 32	Dielectrics and Electrical Insulation Society (II)
E 25	Education Society (VI)
ED 15	Electron Devices Society (I)
EMB 18	Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society (X)
EMC 27	Electromagnetic Compatibility Society (IV)
GRS 29	Geoscience and Remote Sensing Society (IX)
IA 34	Industry Applications Society (II)
IE 13	Industrial Electronics Society (VI)
IM 09	Instrumentation and Measurement Society (II)
IT 12	Information Theory Society (IX)
ITS 38	Intelligent Transportation Systems Society (IX)
MAG 33	Magnetics Society (IV)
MTT 17	Microwave Theory and Techniques Society (IV)
NANO 42	Nanotechnology Council (I)
NPS 05	Nuclear and Plasma Sciences Society (IV)
OE 22	Oceanic Engineering Society (IX)

PC 26	Professional Communication Society (VI)
PE 31	Power Engineering Society (VII)
PEL 35	Power Electronics Society (II)
PHO 36	Photonics Society (X)
PSE 43	Product Safety Engineering Society (VI)
R 07	Reliability Society (VI)
RA 24	Robotics and Automation Society (X)
SEN 39	Sensors Council (X)
SIT 30	Social Implications of Technology Society (VI)
SMC 28	Systems, Man, and Cybernetics Society (X)
SP 01	Signal Processing Society (IX)
SSC 37	Solid-State Circuits Society (I)
SYS 45	Systems Council (X)
TM 14	Technology Management Council (VI)
UFFC 20	Ultrasonics, Ferroelectrics, and Frequency Control Society (II)
VT 06	Vehicular Technology Society (IX)

Section Officers, Affinity Group Chairs, and Chapter Chairs – from SAMIEEE, March 2013

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Position Description	Position Start Date	Full Name
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Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2009	Reinhard Pfliegl
Membership Development	1/11/2006	Martin Horauer
Newsletter Editor	1/9/2012	Wilfried Elmenreich
Organization	5/5/2010	Martin Pongratz
Professional Activities	1/1/2011	Gerhard Zucker
Public Relations	1/9/2012	Wilfried Elmenreich
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SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2012	Martin Pongratz
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/2/2012	Jan Haase
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Student Representative	1/2/2012	Jan Thomasberger
Webmaster	1/1/2009	Joseph Wenninger
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Austria Section Chapter, IM09	9/7/2012	Georg A Brasseur
Austria Section Chapter, PE31	28/3/2011	Michael Muhr
Austria Section Chapter, SMC28	19/10/2009	Edgar Weippl
Austria Section Chapter,EMC27	1/1/2010	Kurt Lamedschwandner
Austria Section Jt. Chapter, CAS04/SSC37	12/11/2008	Gernot Hueber
Austria Section, IA34/PEL35/IE13	20/5/2011	Annette Muetze
Austria Section, RA24	20/5/2011	Gerald Steinbaver
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Benelux Section Chapter, TM14	1/1/2000	Robert E Bierwolf
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Bosnia And Herzegovina Section Chapter, SMC28	15/10/2011	Jasmin Velagic
Bosnia And Herzegovina Section, COM19	29/5/2007	Narcis Behlilovic
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Membership Development	1/1/2011	Maria V Neuova
Professional Activities	1/1/2003	Boris P Tsankov
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Conference Coordinator	1/1/2013	Damir Sljivac
Educational Activities	1/1/2013	Iva Bojic
Electronic Communications Coordinator	16/6/2012	Vlatka Paunovic
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SAMIEEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2009	Jelena Bozek
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Student Activities	1/1/2013	Ivana Stupar
Student Representative	1/1/2013	Vinko Lesic
Webmaster	16/6/2012	Vlatka Paunovic
vTools Coordinator	1/1/2013	Josip Balen
Croatia Section Chapter, AP03	1/1/2009	Radovan Zentner
Croatia Section Chapter, C16	1/2/2013	Dejan Skvorc
Croatia Section Chapter, CAS04	1/1/2009	Drazen Jurisic
Croatia Section Chapter, COM19	1/1/2011	Ivana Podnar
Croatia Section Chapter, CS23	1/1/2008	Stjepan Bogdan
Croatia Section Chapter, ED15/SSC37	1/1/2010	Tomislav Suligoj
Croatia Section Chapter, EMB18	1/1/2010	Igor Lackovic
Croatia Section Chapter, IA034	1/1/2012	Hrvoje Pandzic
Croatia Section Chapter, IE13	19/2/2011	Zvonko J Bencic
Croatia Section Chapter, MTT17	9/8/2011	Davor Bonefacic
Croatia Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2012	Igor Kuzle
Croatia Section Chapter, PEL35	1/1/2008	Zeljko Jakopovic
Croatia Section Chapter, RA24	18/11/2010	Zdenko Kovacic
Croatia Section Chapter, RL07	1/1/2012	Zdenko Simic
Croatia Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/2009	Davor Petrinovic
Croatia Section Chapter, TM14	1/1/2012	Dubravko Sabolic
Croatia Section Chapter,CIS011	10/7/2012	Marko Cupic
Croatia Section Chapter,E25	1/1/2010	Davor Skrlec
Croatia Section Chapter,EMC27	30/9/2010	Antonio Sarolic
Croatia Section Chapter,IM09	28/9/2010	Hrvoje Dzapo
Croatia Section Chapter,SMC28	28/9/2010	Fran L Jovic
Croatia Section Jt Chapter, AES10/GRS29	19/9/2011	Juraj Bartolic
Croatia Section Affinity Group, LM	1/1/2012	Branka Zovko-Cihlar
Croatia Section Affinity Group, WIE	1/1/2012	Vlatka Paunovic
Croatia Section Affinity Group,GOLD	10/1/2012	Tomislav Pokrajcic
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Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/1/2012	Stavros Iezekiel
Educational Activities	1/1/2012	Vasos Vassiliou
Membership Development	1/1/2012	Christos Panayiotou
Newsletter Editor	1/1/2012	Aikaterini Papanikolaou
Professional Activities	1/1/2008	Charalambos A Pavlides
SAMIEEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2001	Costas A Economides
vTools Coordinator	1/1/2012	George Michael
Cyprus Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2010	Constantinos Mavromoustakis
Cyprus Section Chapter, CIS011	4/5/2012	Demetrios G Eliades
Cyprus Section Chapter, COM19	1/1/2004	Costas M Stasopoulos
Cyprus Section Chapter, PE31	1/5/2012	Elias Kyriakides
Cyprus Section Jt. Chapter, EMB18/SP01	22/4/2009	Efthyvoulos K Kyriacou
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Secretary	1/1/2010	Tomas Fryza
Treasurer	1/1/2010	Jan Sisteck
Educational Activities	1/1/2012	Martin Rakus
Membership Development	1/1/2013	Roman Marsalek
Newsletter Editor	1/1/2010	Jiri Sebesta
Nominations and Appointments Chair	1/1/2009	Martin Slanina
Student Activities	1/1/2013	Roman Marsalek
Webmaster	1/1/2013	Zdenek Letko

vTools Coordinator	1/11/2011	David Wolansky
Czechoslovakia Jt. Chapt, AP03/ED15/MTT17/EMC27	1/1/2010	Jiri Drinovsky
Czechoslovakia Sec Jt Chap, IA34/IE13	22/1/2010	Valeria Hrabovcova
Czechoslovakia Sec Jt Chap,SP01/CAS04/COM19	1/1/2009	Josef Dobes
Czechoslovakia Section Chapter, CIS11	23/3/2009	Peter Sincak
Czechoslovakia Section Chapter, CS23	1/1/2006	Zdenek Hurak
Czechoslovakia Section Chapter, EMB18	14/8/2006	Jan Vrba
Czechoslovakia Section Chapter, NPS05	17/3/2009	Stanisl Pospisil
Czechoslovakia Section Chapter, SMC28	8/3/2010	Vaclav Snasel
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SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2001	Peer Martin Larsen
Student Activities	1/1/2008	Neeli R Prasad
Student Activities	1/1/2008	Tom Hoeholdt
Webmaster	1/1/2004	Jan Larsen
vTools Coordinator	5/7/2010	Christian H Kloch
Denmark Section Chapter, C16	12/12/2011	Paul Pop
Denmark Section Chapter, EMB18	31/5/2011	Preben Kidmose
Denmark Section Chapter, PE31	28/3/2011	Jacob Ostergaard
Denmark Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/2011	Jan Larsen
Denmark Section Jt. Chapter, CS23/RA24	1/1/2003	Thomas Bak
Denmark Section,VT06/AESS10/IT12/COM19	1/1/2003	Ramjee Prasad
Denmark Section Chapter,IE13/IA34/PEL35	25/7/2012	Soren B Kjaer
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Professional Activities	3/1/2011	Amr A Adly
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	21/6/2012	Amr M Safwat
Secretary/Treasurer	1/1/2006	Mohamed M Khairy
Student Activities	1/1/2006	Nevin M Darwish
Student Representative	9/11/2010	Hossam Mohamed Fahmy
Egypt Section Chapter, RA24	31/1/2012	Alaa M Khamis
Egypt Section Chapter, AP03	1/1/2001	Hadia M El-Hennawy
Egypt Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2010	Samir I Shaheen
Egypt Section Chapter, COM19	1/10/2009	Ahmed F Shalash
Egypt Section Chapter, CS23	1/10/2009	Hany M Elsayed
Egypt Section Chapter, IA34	1/1/2011	Amr A Adly
Egypt Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/1994	Soliman M El Debeiky
Egypt Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/2006	Salwa H Elramly
Egypt Section Chapter,EMB18	17/10/2006	Ahmed Morsy
Egypt Section Jt. Chapter, ED15/MTT17	1/1/2011	Essam Abd El H Hashish
Egypt Section Affinity Group, WIE	3/1/2009	Nevin M Darwish
Egypt Section Affinity Group,GOLD	1/11/2010	Mohammed R Badwi
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Professional Activities	1/1/2010	Urmet Janes
Webmaster	1/2/2008	Urmet Janes
Estonia Section Chapter, E25	23/4/2009	Vello Kukkk
Estonia Section Jt Chapter, C16/COM19	9/4/2007	Gert Jervan
Estonia Section Jt Chapter, IM09/ED15/EMB18	1/1/2011	Olev Martens
Estonia Section Jt Chapter, SP01/CAS04/SSC37	1/1/2011	Rein Sabolotny
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Gold Representative	1/1/2012	Janne Lauri
Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2010	Heikki N Koivo
Student Activities	31/12/2011	Francescantonio Dellarosa
Finland Sect Chap, IE13/PE31/IA34/PEL35	8/11/2011	Kai F Zenger
Finland Section Chapter, CPMT21	1/1/2011	Matti Mantysalo
Finland Section Chapter, CIS011	6/1/2003	Erkki Oja
Finland Section Chapter, VT06	1/1/2007	Riku Jantti
Finland Section Jt. Chapter, COM19/IT12	1/1/2008	Harri T Saarnisaari
Finland Section Jt. Chapter, CS23/RA24/SMC28	28/6/2012	Ville H Kyrki
Finland Section Jt. Chapter, SP01/CAS04	7/1/2013	Sarang Thombre
Finland Section Affinity Group, GOLD	1/1/2012	Janne Lauri
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SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2001	Christi J Nora
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France Section Chapter, AES10	1/10/2010	Stephane Kemkemian
France Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2005	Francis Rousseaux
France Section Chapter, CAS04	1/1/2005	Olivier P Sentieys
France Section Chapter, COM19	1/1/2001	Ramesh Pyndiah
France Section Chapter, CS23	23/11/2010	Ahmed Rachid
France Section Chapter, EMC27	1/1/2000	Andre Berthon
France Section Chapter, GRS29	16/12/2010	Gregoire M Mercier
France Section Chapter, IT12	1/4/1993	Gerard Cohen
France Section Chapter, MAG33	11/11/2008	Bernard Dieny
France Section Chapter, MTT17	1/10/2005	Philippe Eudeline
France Section Chapter, OE22	1/1/1999	Rene M Garello
France Section Chapter, PE31	1/3/2012	Sebastien Henry
France Section Chapter, PHO36	1/7/1993	Philippe B Gallion
France Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/2003	Jacques Blanc-Talon
France Section Chapter, SSC-37	7/11/2000	Laurent Fesquet
France Section Chapter, E25	22/8/2003	Veronique Perdereau
France Section Chapter, ED15	1/1/2007	Mireille Mouis
France Section Chapter, EMB18	23/2/2012	Guy Cazuguel
France Section Chapter, R07	15/12/2003	Frederique M Vallee
France Section Chapter, SMC28	22/4/2002	Abdelkader Elkamel
France Section Chapter, VT06	11/4/2006	Daniel Hissel

France Section, CPMT-21	30/6/2011	Yves Ousten
France Section,NPS05	14/12/2000	Jean-Luc Leray
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France Section Affinity Group,GOLD	13/9/2008	Salima Kaissi
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Treasurer	1/1/2007	Ralph M Kennel
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Membership Development	8/9/2011	Jens Haubrock
Student Activities	1/1/2009	Martin Stotzer
Germany Section Chap,CIS011	12/12/2003	Andreas Koenig
Germany Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2006	Joerg Henkel
Germany Section Chapter, CAS04	1/1/2001	Wolfgangmax Mathis
Germany Section Chapter, CE08	1/3/2011	Hans L. Cycon
Germany Section Chapter, COM19	1/1/2004	Hermann M Rohling
Germany Section Chapter, CPMT21	1/1/2008	Lang D Klaus
Germany Section Chapter, ED15	1/1/2009	Joachim Burghartz
Germany Section Chapter, EMC27	1/1/2008	Frank Sabath
Germany Section Chapter, IT12	1/1/2012	Rudolf Mathar
Germany Section Chapter, MAG33	21/1/2009	Juergen Fassbender
Germany Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2012	Wolfram H Wellssow
Germany Section Chapter, PHO36	20/1/1997	Dieter Jaeger
Germany Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/2004	Udo Zoelzer
Germany Section Chapter, SSC37	19/11/1999	Holger Blume
Germany Section Chapter, UFFC20	1/1/2008	Georg Schmitz
Germany Section Chapter,GRS29	1/4/2008	Irena Hajnsek
Germany Section Chapter,IM09	16/7/2004	Olfa Kanoun
Germany Section Chapter,TM14	1/1/2009	Klaus-Dieter Heerklotz
Germany Section Jt Chap,IE13/IA34/PEL35	1/1/2013	Omid Forati Kashani
Germany Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/MTT17	1/1/2010	Georg Boeck
Germany/Austria/Switzerland, EMB18	19/10/2007	Thomas Penzel
Germany Section Affinity Group, WIE	22/4/2010	Tiziana Bertoncelli
Germany Section,GOLD	10/10/2011	Andreas Neumeier
Ghana Section		
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Newsletter Editor	1/1/2010	Athanasios Kakarountas
Professional Activities	1/1/2010	Ioannis M Stephanakis
Student Activities	1/1/2010	Kostas Karpouzis
Greece Section Chapter, CE08	28/3/2011	Athanasios Kakarountas
Greece Section Chapter, COM19	1/1/2010	George K Karagiannidis
Greece Section Chapter, CS23	1/1/2007	Anthony P Tzes
Greece Section Chapter, EMB18	1/1/2010	Dimitrios Fotiadis
Greece Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2010	Anastasios G Bakirtzis
Greece Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/2010	Kostas D Berberidis
Greece Section Chapter,C16	11/6/2002	Nectarios G Koziris
Greece Section Chapter,CIS011	15/11/2005	Ioannis Pitas
Greece Section Chapter,E25	16/7/2004	Anastasia N Kastania
Greece Section Jt Chap,IE13/IA34/PEL35	22/8/2003	Stefanos Manias

Greece Section Jt. Chapter, CAS04/SSC37	1/1/2010	Alkiviades Hatzopoulos
Greece Section Jt. Chapter, VT-06/AES-10	28/5/2012	Dimitrios Efstathiou
Greece Section Affinity Group GOLD	1/11/2007	Nicolas G Sklavos
Greece Section Affinity Group, LM	7/10/2011	Athanasios N Safacas
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Vice Chair	1/1/2009	Peter Kadar
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Membership Development	1/1/2011	Levente Kovacs
Newsletter Editor	1/1/2011	Peter Kadar
Secretary/Treasurer	1/1/2009	Gabor Szederkenyi
Student Activities	1/1/2011	Richard Cselko
Webmaster	1/1/2006	Peter Kadar
Hungary Section Chapter, IA34/PEL35	6/11/2012	De'nes Fodor
Hungary Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2005	Laszlo Jermendy
Hungary Section Chapter,CIS011	1/1/2011	Janos Fodor
Hungary Section Chapter,SMC28	1/1/2011	Laszlo Horvath
Hungary Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/ED15/MTT17/COM19	1/1/2011	Lajos Nagy
Hungary Section Jt. Chapter, CAS04/C16	1/1/2008	Geza Kolumban
Hungary Section Jt. Chapter, IE13/RA24	1/1/2005	Jozsef K Tar
Hungary Section Jt. Chapter, IM09/EMB18	26/7/2011	Tadeusz P Dobrowiecki
Hungary/Romania Section Jt Chapter, CPMT21	1/1/2006	Zsolt Illyefalvi-Vitez
Hungary Section Affinity Group, LM	31/10/2011	Gabor Ban
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SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/7/2002	Jon A Benediktsson
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Chair	1/1/2013	Mahmud Fotuhi-Firuzabad
Treasurer	21/12/2012	Amin Nobakhti
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Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2013	Farshad Lahouti
Membership Development	1/1/2012	Sadjaad Ozgoli
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Chair	21/6/2008	Sattar Bader Sadkhan
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Assistant	13/9/2010	Raphael Hoyda
Membership Development	1/1/2002	Anthony J Weiss
Student Activities	13/9/2010	Jacob Scheuer
Israel Section Chapter, AES10	13/9/2010	Yaakov Oshman
Israel Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2002	Leah Goldin
Israel Section Chapter, COM19	13/9/2010	Itai Dabran
Israel Section Chapter, ED15	1/1/2003	Gady Golan
Israel Section Chapter, IT12	1/1/2006	Uri Erez
Israel Section Chapter, PHO36	13/9/2010	Ady Arie
Israel Section Chapter, RA24	17/2/2010	Hugo Guterman
Israel Section Chapter, SP01	13/9/2010	Arie Yeredor
Israel Section Chapter,PSE43	13/9/2010	Steli P Loznen
Israel Section Chapter,SSC	15/11/2011	Solon J Spiegel

Israel Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/MTT17	1/1/2004	Shmuel Auster
Israel Section Jt. Chapter, CAS04/CS23	13/9/2010	Ezra Zeheb
Israel Section Affinity Group,LM	1/11/2002	Jacob Baal-Schem
Israel Section Affinity Group,WIE	17/11/2009	Yael Nemirovsky
Italy Section		
Chair	7/6/2012	Dario Petri
Vice Chair	7/6/2012	Mariapia Fanti
Secretary	7/6/2012	Lorenzo Vangelista
Treasurer	7/6/2012	Ermanno Cardelli
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Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2008	Raffaele Esposito
Membership Development	1/1/2006	Dario Petri
Professional Activities	1/1/2006	Gaspere Galati
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	3/5/2012	Marco Leo
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Italy (No) Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/ED15/MTT17	1/1/2007	Giuseppe Vecchi
Italy (No) Section Jt. Chapter, IE13/IA34/PEL35	1/7/2000	Silverio Bolognani
Italy (South) Section Chapter,GRS29	25/4/2003	Maurizio Migliaccio
Italy Section Chapter, AES10	1/6/1990	Gaspere Galati
Italy Section Chapter, BIO46	1/1/2010	Massimo Tistarelli
Italy Section Chapter, CIS011	29/6/2010	Vincenzo Loia
Italy Section Chapter, DEI32	16/9/1996	Gian Carlo Montanari
Italy Section Chapter, ED15	6/4/2011	Fernanda Irrera
Italy Section Chapter, EMB18	26/7/2006	Sergio Cerutti
Italy Section Chapter, IA34	17/11/2010	Giuseppe Parise
Italy Section Chapter, NANO42	23/11/2009	Lorenzo Pavesi
Italy Section Chapter, OE22	16/6/2011	Andrea Trucco
Italy Section Chapter, PH036	24/5/2012	Stefano Selleri
Italy Section Chapter, SP01	10/10/2011	Carlo Regazzoni
Italy Section Chapter, SYS45	1/1/2013	Stefano Ferrari
Italy Section Chapter,C16	1/1/2013	Sabrina D Capitani Di Vimercati
Italy Section Chapter,CS23	17/8/1998	Giuseppe L Conte
Italy Section Chapter,E25	29/9/2005	Massimo De Santo
Italy Section Chapter,EMC27	1/1/2010	Giulio Antonini
Italy Section Chapter,IM09	1/1/2010	Salvatore Baglio
Italy Section Chapter,MAG33	1/1/2008	Ermanno Cardelli
Italy Section Chapter,RA24	1/1/2011	Gianluca Antonelli
Italy Section Chapter,RL07	1/1/2011	Francesco Di Maio
Italy Section Chapter,SMC28	1/1/2006	Mariapia Fanti
Italy Section Chapter,SSC37	21/4/2006	Andrea Baschiroto
Italy Section Chapter,TM14	25/1/2011	Corrado Lo Storto
Italy Section Chapter,VT06/COM19	1/1/2011	Dajana Cassioli
Italy Affinity Group,LM	21/3/2012	Stefano Levaldi
Italy Section Affinity Group, GOLD	1/1/2008	Cosimo Stallo
Jordan Section		
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Secretary	1/6/2011	Rana A Ramadan
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Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/1/2005	Omar R Asfar
Membership Development	5/7/2011	Feras M Diab
Student Activities	1/1/2012	Bassam Ali Al-Romaihi
Jordan Section Chapter, COM19	14/4/2011	Ghazi M Alsukkar
Jordan Section Chapter, E25	11/6/2009	Ali H El-Mousa
Jordan Section Chapter, RA24	18/9/2012	Mohammad H Salah
Jordan Section Jt Chap,CIS011/C16	11/8/2010	Majid A Al Tae
Jordan Section Jt Chap,CIS011/C16	22/2/2012	Mousa Tawfiq Al-Akhras
Jordan Section Jt Chap,PE31/DEI32	1/9/2009	Nabeel Ibrahim Tawalbeh
Jordan Section Affinity Group,GOLD	26/5/2011	Mohammad H Salah
Jordan Section Affinity Group,WIE	1/1/2012	Arwa M Jwaifel

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Treasurer	1/1/2013	Fadhel H Abulhasan
Educational Activities	1/1/2010	Ali Almutairi
Membership Development	1/1/2012	Fadhel H Abulhasan
Student Activities	1/1/2010	Ali Almutairi
Latvia Section		
Chair	1/1/2012	Andrejs Romanovs
Vice Chair	1/1/2012	Leonids Ribickis
Secretary	1/1/2012	Arnis Lektauers
Treasurer	1/1/2012	Yuri Merkuryev
Membership Development	1/1/2012	Nadezhda Kunicina
Student Activities	1/9/2012	Inese Polaka
Latvia Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2013	Janis Grundspenkis
Latvia Section Chapter, E25	1/1/2012	Atis Ieee Kapenieks
Lebanon Section		
Chair	1/1/2011	Ghassan M Sha'ban
Vice Chair	1/1/2013	Imad H Elhajj
Secretary	1/1/2013	Youssef Nasser
Treasurer	1/1/2013	Hadi Edmond Sawaya
Secretary	1/1/2011	Salahuddin Y Al-Assy
Membership Development	1/1/2013	Georges Ibrahim Salloum
Lebanon Section Chapter, C16	20/3/2009	Aziz M Barbar
Lebanon Section Chapter,COM19	1/1/2009	Zaher H Dawy
Lebanon Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/MTT17/MAG33	8/7/2010	Elias Nassar
Lebanon Section Jt. Chapter, PE31/CAS04/PEL35	22/2/2009	Ahmed Bachir Adra
Lebanon Section Affinity Group, GOLD	1/8/2011	Marc Joe Georges Chedid
Lebanon Section Affinity Group, WIE	12/3/2010	Mariette Awad
Lithuanian Section		
Chair	1/1/2011	Dalius Navakauskas
Vice Chair	1/1/2011	Irina Naidionova
Secretary/Treasurer	1/1/2006	Jonas Matuzas
Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2011	Borisas Levitas
Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/1/2006	Adolfas Telksnys
Membership Development	1/1/2011	Arturas Serackis
Student Activities	1/1/2012	Dalius Matuzevicius
Student Representative	1/1/2013	Edvardas Metlevskis
Webmaster	1/1/2011	Arturas Serackis
Lithuanian Section Chapter, E25	1/1/2013	Vytautas Urbanavicius
Lithuanian Section Joint Chapter,AP03/ED15/MTT17	1/1/2013	Borisas Levitas
Lithuanian Section Jt Chpt,SP01/CIS11/COM19	1/1/2011	Sarunas Paulikas
Lithuanian Section Affinity Group, GOLD	15/10/2012	Darius Plonis
Malta Section		
Chair	1/1/2011	Paul J Micallef
Vice Chair	20/2/2013	Joseph Vella
Secretary	18/12/2012	Edward J Gatt
Treasurer	20/2/2013	Alison Borgebejer
Gold Representative	1/1/2012	Dylan Seychell
Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2012	Saviour Zammit
Membership Development	24/5/2012	Jeanmarie Darmanin
Professional Activities	1/1/2011	Conrad Attard
Student Activities	1/1/2009	Tracey Cassar
Student Representative	1/1/2012	Nicholas Attard
Malta Section Chapter Affinity Group, GOLD	14/6/2012	Dylan Seychell

Morocco Section

Chair	18/11/2004	Mohamed Essaaidi
Vice Chair	1/1/2008	Mohammed El Mohajir
Secretary	1/1/2012	Zouhair Guennoun
Secretary/Treasurer	1/1/2010	Chaker El Amrani
Treasurer	1/1/2012	Chaker El Amrani
Webmaster	1/1/2005	Chaker El Amrani
Gold Representative	1/1/2012	Imade Benelallam
Membership Development	1/5/2009	Badr Eddine El Mohajir
Morocco Section Chapter, MTT17/AP03	11/3/2010	Mohamed Essaaidi
Morocco Section Chapter, SP01	28/3/2011	Driss Aboutajdine
Morocco Section Jt. Chapter, C016/COM019	6/12/2010	Mohammed El Mohajir

Nigeria Section

Chair	1/4/2011	Gloria A Chukwudebe
Vice Chair	14/5/2011	Rapheal M Onoshakpor
Secretary	1/4/2011	Oyewole J Funso-Adebayo
Treasurer	1/1/2008	Chidimma Ijeoma Ibeh-Dimnwobi
Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/1/2010	Isaac Adeyemi Adekanye
Membership Development	14/5/2011	Tunde Y Salihu
Newsletter Editor	1/1/2008	Bamidele A Oluwade
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	6/4/2008	Oyewole J Funso-Adebayo
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	6/4/2008	Prince I Ibe
Webmaster	1/1/2010	Prince I Ibe
Nigeria Section Chapter, EMC27	17/3/2010	Tunde Y Salihu
Nigeria Section Chapter, PE31	28/6/2012	Tasiu Saad G Wudil
Nigeria Section Chapter,C16	1/1/2010	Bamidele A Oluwade
Nigeria Section Chapter,COM19	1/1/2010	Ugochukwu J Onukwu

Norway Section

Chair	1/1/2010	Erik Olsen
Vice Chair	1/1/2010	Bjarne I Naess
Secretary	1/1/2012	Hakon Kile
Treasurer	1/1/2012	Jenny Anna Maria Olsson
Webmaster	1/1/2005	Bjarne I Naess
Membership Development	1/1/2012	Runar Soeraasen
Norway/Denmark/Finland/Sweden Jt. Chapter, E25	1/1/2010	Arnold N Pears
Norway Section Chapter, CS23	19/10/2009	Hamidreza Karimi
Norway Section Chapter, OE22	19/8/2010	Fritz Bekkadal
Norway Section Chapter, PEL35	5/2/2010	Terje Gjengedal
Norway Section Chapter,IA34	27/2/2001	Inge B Kindem
Norway Section Chapter,PE31	1/1/2010	Gerard Doorman
Norway Section Jt Chap,AP03/MTT17	11/1/2012	Marius Ubostad
Norway Section Jt. Chapter, SP01/IT12/COM19	1/7/1994	Fritz Bekkadal

Oman Section

Vice Chair	29/9/2012	Amer Saif Al-Hinai
Secretary	29/9/2012	Lublubah Al Hatmi
Membership Development	18/12/2012	Said Salim Alshanfari
Publicity	29/9/2012	Arnold Nolasco Santos
Chapter Chair	1/1/2011	Thani M Al Khusaibi

Poland Section

Chair	1/1/2010	Maciej J Ogorzalek
Vice Chair	1/1/2010	Ryszard S Romaniuk
Secretary	1/1/2010	Piotr A Cholda
Treasurer	1/7/1999	Andrzej Miekina
Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/1/2006	Ryszard S Jachowicz
Chapter Coordinator	29/6/2010	Marek Tomasz Jasinski
Educational Activities	1/1/2007	Michael P Mrozowski
Gold Representative	29/11/2010	Eugen M Yashchyshyn
Industry Relations Coordinator	30/10/2012	Elzbieta Maria Beres-Pawlik
Membership Development	29/6/2010	Grzegorz L. Pankanin
Nominations and Appointments Chair	31/10/2012	Marian P Kazmierkowski
Professional Activities	1/1/2006	Janusz Kacprzyk
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2012	Piotr A Cholda
Webmaster	31/10/2012	Leszek Nowak
vTools Coordinator	14/5/2012	Piotr A Cholda
Poland (Gdansk) Section Chapter,C16	1/1/2011	Bozena Kostek

Poland Section Chapter, CPMT21	1/1/2010	Ryszard Kisiel
Poland Section Chapter, EMB18	14/5/2012	Ewaryst J Tkacz
Poland Section Chapter, PHO36	1/7/2011	Elzbieta Maria Beres-Pawlik
Poland Section Chapter, SSC37	14/2/2013	Pawel Grybos
Poland Section Chapter, CAS04	1/7/1992	Adam Dabrowski
Poland Section Chapter, CIS011	1/1/2010	Marian Wysocki
Poland Section Chapter, COM19	1/1/2008	Grzegorz Danilewicz
Poland Section Chapter, COM19 (Warsaw)	1/7/1999	Michal P Pioro
Poland Section Chapter, CS23	1/1/2012	Jacek Kabzinski
Poland Section Chapter, ED15	1/1/2011	Zygmunt Ciota
Poland Section Chapter, EMC27	1/1/2011	Fryderyk Lewicki
Poland Section Chapter, IE13/PEI35	4/4/2012	Jacek Rabkowski
Poland Section Chapter, IM09	10/1/2013	Grzegorz L. Pankanin
Poland Section Chapter, MAG33	25/1/2012	Jan Zimon
Poland Section Chapter, RA24	1/1/2008	Andrzej J Kasinski
Poland Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/2008	Adam Dabrowski
Poland Section Jt. Chapter, PE31/IA34	1/1/2007	Miroslaw Parol
Poland Section, AP03/AES10/MTT17	1/1/2011	Jerzy K Piotrowski
Poland Section Affinity Group, GOLD	13/2/2013	Mateusz Malanowski
Poland Section Affinity Group, WIE	1/3/2012	Elizabeth A Pamiet
Portugal Section		
Chair	1/1/2008	Rui Santos Cruz
Vice Chair	25/4/2011	Ana M Madureira
Vice Chair	25/4/2011	Jorge M Soares
Treasurer	25/4/2011	Bruno Goncalves
Educational Activities	1/11/2012	Rui Miguel Costa
Membership Development	1/1/2009	Antonio Carlos Varela
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/7/2002	Rui Santos Cruz
Student Activities	1/11/2012	Anasofia Gomes
Student Representative	15/11/2012	Carlos Alberto Azevedo
Webmaster	15/11/2012	Paulo Fidalgo Teixeira
vTools Coordinator	1/1/2011	Fernando M Pereira
Portugal Section Chapter, AP03/ED15/MTT17	1/1/2010	Nuno M Borges De Carvalho
Portugal Section Chapter, AP03/ED15/MTT17	1/2/2013	Joao M Torres
Portugal Section Chapter, PE 31	25/8/1994	Joao Abel Pecas Lopes
Portugal Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2010	Jose Carlos M Metrolho
Portugal Section Chapter, COM19	9/5/2005	Luis M Correia
Portugal Section Chapter, E25	1/1/2013	Rui Jorge Lopes
Portugal Section Chapter, EMB18	2/5/2011	Isabel Rocha
Portugal Section Chapter, VT06	15/11/2005	Fernando S Velez
Portugal Section Jt Chapter, IE13/IA34/PEL35	16/10/2007	Beatriz V Borges
Portugal Section Jt. Chapter, BT02/CAS04/CE08	1/1/2011	Jorge R Fernandes
Portugal Section Affinity Group, GOLD	15/11/2012	Miguel Marques
Portugal Section Affinity Group, WIE	6/7/2010	Filomena Oliveira Soares
Qatar Section		
Chair	18/11/2004	Yacob Y Mulla Saleh
Algeria Subsection		
Chair	6/4/2012	Fateh Krim
Vice Chair	6/4/2012	Amar Tilmatine
Secretary	6/4/2012	Messaouda Azzouzi
Treasurer	6/4/2012	Mouloud Challal
Chapter Coordinator	6/4/2012	Abdelmalek Khezzer
Conference Coordinator	6/4/2012	Salaheddine Zouzou
Editor-in-Chief	6/4/2012	Mohamedlamine Tounsi
Educational Activities	6/4/2012	Hocine Benalla
Industry Relations Coordinator	6/4/2012	Ahmed Boubakeur
Membership Development	6/4/2012	Tarek Mohamed Khadir
Nominations	6/4/2012	Amina Chentir
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/6/2012	Abdelmalek Khezzer
Student Representative	6/4/2012	Mohamed Amine Moussa
Webmaster	6/4/2012	Said Yahiaoui
Algeria Chapter, EMC27	4/3/2013	Abdelber Bendaoud
Algeria Chapter, PE31	31/1/2012	Mohamed Boudour
Algeria Jt. Chapter, IE13/IA34	8/6/2012	Fateh Krim
Algeria NPS05/DEI32	30/1/2013	Abdelouahab Mekhaldi

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Chair 15/11/2008 George O Anderson
Membership Development 1/1/2010 Ronny Orlando

Mauritius Subsection

Chair 27/6/2011 Krishna Seeburn

Palestine Subsection

Chair 1/1/2012 Allam S Mousa
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Chair 15/4/2012 Sharief F Babiker
Coordinator 1/5/2012 Ahmed Mohammed Abd- Al Lateef
Coordinator 1/5/2012 Azza Elsiddig Elteraify

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Chair 9/8/2006 Zaipuna O Yonah
Treasurer 18/8/2006 Peter R Ulanga
Vice Chair 1/1/2009 Gertjan Van Stam
Chapter Coordinator 1/1/2009 Gertjan Van Stam

Republic Of Macedonia Section

Chair 14/2/1997 Goce L Arsov
Vice Chair 1/1/2012 Loskovska Suzana
Secretary 1/1/2012 Mile I Petkovski
Treasurer 1/1/2007 Dimitar Taskovski
Educational Activities 1/3/2012 Danijela Jakimovska
Membership Development 1/1/2012 Lupco Karadzinov
Professional Development 1/3/2012 Ljube Babunski
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT 1/1/2009 L'ubomir M Nikoloski
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT 1/1/2010 Vladimir I Dimcev
Student Activities 1/1/2011 Pero S Latkoski
REP OF MACEDONIA SECTION JT CHAPTER, CAS/CIS/CS 1/1/2009 Vesna Ojleska
Rep Of Macedonia Sec.Chapter, COM19 1/4/2012 Zoran Hadzi-Velkov
Rep Of Macedonia Section Chap, C16 1/1/2012 Marjan Gusev
Republic Of Macedonia Chapter, IT12 27/5/2011 Venceslav G Kafedziski
Republic Of Macedonia Chapter, PE31 1/1/2009 Snezana S Cundeva
Republic Of Macedonia Section Chap,SP01/EMB18 1/1/2012 Zoran Ivanovski
Republic Of Macedonia,IE13/IA34/PEL35 1/1/2012 Goga V Cvetkovski
Republic of Macedonia Jt Chap, ED015/IM09/SSC037 1/1/2010 Vladimir I Dimcev

Romania Section

Chair 1/1/2010 Radu N Dobrescu
Vice Chair 1/1/2010 Mircea Eremia
Secretary 1/1/2010 Cristian Negrescu
Treasurer 1/1/2010 Lucian Toma
Chapter Coordinator 1/1/2010 Alexand Serbanescu
Committee Chair 3/2/2012 Alexandru Stancu
Educational Activities 1/1/2006 Sergiu S Nedevschi
Industry Relations Coordinator 3/2/2012 Andrei Marinescu
Membership Development 3/2/2012 Mihai O Popescu
Past Chair 3/2/2012 Nicolae D Tapus
Professional Activities 3/2/2012 Vladimir I Cretu
Technical Activities 3/2/2012 Nicu Bizon
Training Coordinator 3/2/2012 Mircea C Bodea
Romania Section Chap,CS23 1/1/2013 Vladimir Rasvan
Romania Section Chapter, BT02 22/2/2010 Henri-George Coanda
Romania Section Chapter, CIS11 10/3/2010 Sadina M Florea
Romania Section Chapter, EMB18 12/3/2007 Alexandru M Morega
Romania Section Chapter, IA34 18/11/2011 Ion Boldea
Romania Section Chapter, SIT30 14/2/2013 Alin Adrian Anton
Romania Section Chapter,C16 16/11/2002 Nicolae D Tapus
Romania Section Chapter,COM19 1/1/2013 Vasile Bota
Romania Section Chapter,E25 15/1/2013 Mihai Jalobeanu
Romania Section Chapter,EMC27 1/1/2011 Andrei Marinescu
Romania Section Chapter,IM09 1/1/2013 Octavian Mihai Ghita
Romania Section Chapter,MAG33 3/1/2011 Alexandru Stancu
Romania Section Chapter,MTT17 1/1/2013 Teodor- Petrescu
Romania Section Chapter,PE31 20/6/2011 Mircea Eremia
Romania Section Chapter,PEL35 1/1/2013 Mihai O Popescu

Romania Section Chapter,SP01	1/2/2013	Constantin Vertan
Romania Section Jt. Chapter, CAS04/CS23	1/1/2012	Florin Constantinescu
Romania Section Jt. Chapter, SP01/IT12/COM19	20/12/2012	Victor F Croitoru
Russia (Northwest) Section		
Chair	1/1/2013	Vladimir M Kutuzov
Vice Chair	1/1/2013	Sergey Olegovich Shaposhnikov
Secretary	1/1/2013	Maxim A Sokolov
Treasurer	1/1/2013	Yurij I Sepp
Russia (Northwest) Sec Chap,CASa04	17/6/2003	Alexander S Korotkov
Russia (Northwest) Sect Chap,CIS011/CS23/RA24	12/12/2003	Alexander L Fradkov
Russia (Northwest) Sect Chap,SP01/AES10/UFFC20	1/6/2004	Yuri V Filatov
Russia (Northwest) Sect,BT/CE/COM	18/2/1998	Dmitry A Tkachenko
Russia (Northwest) Section Chap,TM14/C16	1/1/2008	Vladimir O Safonov
Russia (Northwest) Jt Chap,IA34/PEL35	11/8/2003	Valery I Chrisanov
Russia (Northwest) Sect Chap,AP03/ED15/MTT17	1/1/2012	Dimitry M Sazonov
Russia (Northwest) Section,PHO36	1/1/2012	Dimitry M Sazonov
Russia (Northwest) Section Affinity Group, GOLD	9/5/2012	Anastasia D Stotskaya
Russia (Siberia) Section		
Chair	24/1/2012	Alexander B Markhasin
Vice Chair	24/1/2012	Vladimir K Makukha
Secretary	1/1/2012	Vadim Vladimirovich Nekrasov
Treasurer	1/1/2012	Vera Drozdova
Educational Activities	1/1/2010	Boris I Krouk
Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2010	Sergey A Kharitonov
Russia(Russia/Siberia/Northwest) Jt Sec Chap, IT12	25/6/2008	Sergei V Fedorenko
Russia (Siberia) Sect,AP/ED/MTT/COM/EMC	1/1/2012	Dmitry Zykov
Russia (Siberia) Section Chapter,E25	9/5/2005	Boris I Krouk
Russia (Siberia) Section,PE31	28/4/2011	Victor Grigorivich Kurbatsky
Russia (Siberia) Section,PHO36	1/1/2007	Michael G Noppe
Russia Siberia Section Chapter, IE13/IA34/PEL35	9/8/2006	Sergey A Kharitonov
Russia-Siberia Section Chapter, EMB18	27/7/2006	Vladimir K Makukha
Russia (Siberia) Section	1/1/2009	Andrey N Fionov
Russia (Siberia) Affinity Group,GOLD	13/5/2005	Oleg V Stukach
Russia Section		
Chair	1/8/1990	Yuri V Gulyaev
Vice Chair	1/1/2007	Sergei A Nikitov
Vice Chair	1/1/2011	Sergey Bankov
Treasurer	15/12/2010	Alekseev Sergey
Russia Sect,AP03	1/1/2013	Sergei P Skobelev
Russia Sect,AP03/ED15/MTT17/CPMT21/NPS05 (Saratov)	10/8/2007	Nikita M Ryskin
Russia Sect,ED15/MTT17	1/1/1999	Vadim A Kaloshin
Russia Sect,IE13/PE31/PEL35/IA34	1/1/2008	Yuriy Rozanov
Russia Sect,PHO36	21/1/2011	Dimitry M Sazonov
Russia Section Chapter, C16	10/6/2011	Sergei P Prokhorov
Russia Section Chapter, MAG33	14/2/2013	Nikolai S Perov
Riyadh Subsection		
Vice Chair	1/1/2005	A K Sruoor Al-Asmari
Secretary	1/1/2005	Khaled U Al-Afif
Saudi Arabia Section		
Vice Chair	14/9/2011	Ibrahim M Elamin
Secretary	1/1/2008	Jaafar M Al-Ibrahim
Treasurer	1/1/2008	Khaled A Al-Fawaz
Webmaster	1/1/2008	Mathai T Kalathil
vTools Coordinator	14/9/2011	Mathai T Kalathil
Saudi Arabia Section Chap,E25	1/1/2012	Ibrahim M Elamin
Saudi Arabia Section Chapter, GRS29	22/9/2011	Yakoub Bazi
Saudi Arabia Section Affinity Group, WIE	4/6/2010	Najat Yassin Abu-Haliqa
Serbia And Montenegro Section		
Chair	1/1/2011	Natasa Neskovic
Vice Chair	1/1/2011	Vera V Markovic
Treasurer	1/1/2007	Mladen T Koprivica
Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	28/12/2012	Bratislav D Milovanovic
Conference Activities	1/1/2011	George S Paunovic
Industry Relations Coordinator	28/12/2012	Aleksandar Neskovic
Membership Development	28/12/2012	Mladen T Koprivica

Professional Activities	28/12/2012	Zoran I Veljovic
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2001	George S Paunovic
Student Activities	28/12/2012	Danijel Dankovic
Student Representative	28/12/2012	Majda Petric
Serbia & Montenegro Section Chapter,E25	30/7/2012	Vladan Pantovic
Serbia And Montenegro Section Chapter, CE08	30/9/2011	Mihajlo Katona
Serbia And Montenegro Section Chapter, COM19	1/1/1996	George S Paunovic
Serbia And Montenegro Section Chapter, EMC027	6/5/2011	Vesna Javor
Serbia And Montenegro Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2010	Zoran M Radojevic
Serbia And Montenegro Section Chapter, SP01/CAS04	1/12/1993	Branimi D Reljin
Serbia And Montenegro Section Chapter,C16	1/1/2004	Bozidar Radenkovic
Serbia And Montenegro Section Chapter,CIS011	3/5/2004	Katic M Dusko
Serbia And Montenegro Section Jt C,IE13/IA34/PEL35	30/3/2001	Vladimir A Katic
Serbia And Montenegro Section, ED-15/SSC-37	1/1/1995	Ninoslav D Stojadinovic
Slovenia Section		
Chair	1/1/2010	Matej Zajc
Vice Chair	1/1/2010	Peter Planinsic
Treasurer	1/1/2006	David Nedeljko
Educational Activities	1/1/2010	Andrej Zemva
Membership Development	1/1/2004	Andrej Kosir
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2001	Andrej Zemva
Student Activities	1/1/2013	Matevz Kunaver
Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/1/2000	Duncan C Baker
Slovenia Section Chapter,C16	1/1/2010	Peter Peer
Slovenia Section Chapter,E25	18/5/2005	Matjaz Debevc
Slovenia Section Chapter,PE31	1/1/2012	Andrej Gubina
Slovenia Section Chapter,SP01/CAS04	1/1/2006	Urban Burnik
Slovenia Section Affinity Group, LM	31/10/2011	Baldomir Zajc
Slovenia Section Affinity Group, WIE	21/11/2012	Emilija Stojmenova
South Africa Section		
Chair	1/1/2013	Riana H Geschke
Secretary	1/1/2012	Shaun Kaplan
Treasurer	1/1/2011	Jonathan G Page
Conference Coordinator	1/1/2010	Gerhard P Hancke
Electronic Communications Coordinator	1/1/2009	David A Kyereahene-Mensah
Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2008	Lourence D Erasmus
Nominations and Appointments Chair	1/1/2013	Jacques H Van Wyk
Student Activities	24/2/2011	Joyce Bertha Mwangama
Student Representative	1/1/2009	Daniel De Canha
Webmaster	1/1/2011	David A Kyereahene-Mensah
South Africa Jt. Chapter, IE13//IA34/PEL35	8/2/2013	Mohamed A Khan
South Africa Section Chapter, C16	29/6/2011	David J Hislop
South Africa Section Chapter, CIS11	1/4/2011	Katherine Mary Malan
South Africa Section Chapter, CS23/RA24	1/9/2012	Francois Du Plessis
South Africa Section Chapter, IT12	9/6/2012	Theo Swart
South Africa Section Chapter, NANO42	1/1/2012	Saurabh Sinha
South Africa Section Chapter, PE31	27/1/2010	Pathmanathan Naidoo
South Africa Section Chapter, SMC28	1/7/2012	Aurona Jacoba Gerber
South Africa Section Chapter,E25	18/6/2005	Nico Beute
South Africa Section ED15/PHO36/CAS04	19/1/2012	Petrus J Venter
South Africa Section ED15/PHO36/CAS04		Petrus J Venter
South Africa Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/MTT17/EMC27	23/1/2013	Albert Lysko
South Africa Section Jt. Chapter, TM14/SYS45	1/1/2011	Lourence D Erasmus
South Africa Affinity Group,WIE	1/1/2013	Maite M Mailula
South Africa Section (Cape Town) Aff. Grp, GOLD	1/1/2012	Joyce Bertha Mwangama
South Africa Section (Pretoria) Aff. Grp, GOLD	1/1/2013	Vinu Vijy Nair
Spain Section		
Chair	1/1/2012	Pilar Molina Gaudo
Secretary	1/1/2012	Antonio Luque Estepa
Treasurer	1/1/2012	Jesus Fraile-Ardanuy
Chapter Coordinator	15/2/2012	Alfonso Lago
Committee Chair	15/2/2012	Ana Collado
Committee Chair	15/2/2012	Edmundo Tovar
Conference Coordinator	15/2/2012	Oscar M Bonastre
Educational Activities	15/2/2012	Hector D Puyosa

Industry Relations Coordinator	15/2/2012	Jose I De Santiago
Member-At-Large	15/2/2012	Alejandro Carballar
Member-At-Large	15/2/2012	Angel Molina Garcia
Member-At-Large	15/2/2012	Antonio Perez Yuste
Member-At-Large	15/2/2012	Fernando L Las Heras
Member-At-Large	15/2/2012	Fernando Munoz Manrique
Member-At-Large	15/2/2012	Francisco J Falcone
Member-At-Large	15/2/2012	Manuel P Sierra
Membership Development	6/3/2012	Roberto Capilla Lladro
Newsletter Editor	15/2/2012	Agusti Solanas
Nominations and Appointments Chair	15/2/2012	Manuel Castro
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	15/2/2012	Antonio Luque Estepa
Student Activities	15/2/2012	Juan Jesus Rodriguez
Student Representative	15/2/2012	Joseangel Mateo
Technical Activities Coordinator	15/2/2012	Ana Collado
Webmaster	15/2/2012	Josecarlos Tempradomoraes
vTools Coordinator	13/4/2012	Francisco J Falcone
SPAIN SECTION CHAPTER, MAG033	28/6/2012	Xavier Batlle
Spain Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2010	Juan C Duenas
Spain Section Chapter, CAS04	1/1/2011	Bernabe Linares-Barranco
Spain Section Chapter, CS23/ IA-34	1/1/2009	Pedro Balsa
Spain Section Chapter, ED15	1/1/2004	Josep Pallares-Marzal
Spain Section Chapter, GRS-29	19/11/2012	Antonio Plaza
Spain Section Chapter, IT12	1/1/2013	Alfonso Martinez
Spain Section Chapter, ITSS38	30/4/2012	Cesar Lanza
Spain Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2011	Luis Rouco
Spain Section Chapter, SEN39	19/2/2013	Apostolos Georgiadis
Spain Section Chapter, SMC28	22/10/2009	Emilio Santiago Corchado
Spain Section Chapter, TM14	21/4/2011	Carlos E. Jimenez Gomez
Spain Section Chapter,BT02	1/2/2013	Amaia Arrinda
Spain Section Chapter,BT02	1/2/2013	Jose M Riera Salis
Spain Section Chapter,BT02	1/2/2013	Unai Gil
Spain Section Chapter,CIS011	1/8/2003	Alberto E Prieto
Spain Section Chapter,E25	27/7/2012	Gabriel Diaz Orueta
Spain Section Chapter,EMC27	19/11/2012	Ignacio Gil
Spain Section Chapter,OE22	16/10/2007	Gabriel A Oliver-Codina
Spain Section Joint Chapter,IE13/PEL35	7/7/2011	Aurelio Garcia Cerrada
Spain Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/MTT17	21/12/2007	Jose I Alonso
Spain Section Jt. Chapter, SP01/COM19	19/11/2012	Jeronimo A Garcia
Spain Section Affinity Group, LM	27/10/2010	Jose A Delgado-Penin
Spain Section Affinity Group,GOLD	15/2/2012	German Carro Fernandez
Spain Section, Women In Engineering	1/7/2011	Charo Gil
Sweden Section		
Chair	1/1/2012	Mikael Bergqvist
Secretary	1/1/2012	Muhammad Imadur Rahman
Secretary/Treasurer	1/1/2010	Muhammad Imadur Rahman
Treasurer	1/1/2012	P Rune H Persson
Educational Activities	1/1/2007	Johan Akerman
Membership Development	1/1/2008	P Rune H Persson
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	1/1/2001	P Rune H Persson
Sweden Section Chapter, CPMT21	10/9/1996	Johan Liu
Sweden Section Chapter, ED15	6/7/1995	Mikael L Ostling
Sweden Section Chapter, EMB18	1/1/2011	Fernando Seoane Martinez
Sweden Section Chapter, EMC27	1/1/2013	Kia C Wiklundh
Sweden Section Chapter, IA034	19/5/2008	Yung-Kang R Chin
Sweden Section Chapter, MAG33	1/1/2010	Johan Akerman
Sweden Section Chapter, SIT30	6/5/2011	Juan Hernandez
Sweden Section Chapter,C16	16/1/2002	Nahid Shahmehri
Sweden Section Chapter,SP01	1/1/2004	Peter Handel
Sweden Section Chapter,SSC37	1/1/2006	Svante R Signell
Sweden Section Chapter,SSC37	1/12/2012	Ted Johansson
Sweden Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/MTT17	1/1/2004	Anders Rydberg
Sweden Section Jt. Chapter, PE31/PEL35	1/1/2010	Lina Margareta Bertling
Sweden Section Jt. Chapter, VT06/COM19/IT12	1/1/2010	Tommy Svensson
Sweden Section Affinity Group, GOLD	15/6/2011	Amir Zahoor

Switzerland Section

Chair	1/1/2011	Andreas C Doering
Vice Chair	1/1/2011	Volker M Koch
Secretary	1/1/2011	Andreas Koschak
Treasurer	1/1/2011	Hugo F Wyss
Educational Activities	20/10/2009	Volker M Koch
Gold Representative	1/1/2012	Mihail Prundaru
Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2011	Karl U Schenk
Member-At-Large	1/1/2012	Harry Rudin
Member-At-Large	1/1/2012	Mauro M Ciappa
Membership Development	20/10/2009	Andreas C Doering
Past Chair	31/3/2011	Han Van Loon
Past Chair	31/3/2011	Urs Roethlisberger
Professional Activities	1/1/2011	Han Van Loon
Publicity	1/1/2011	Marco Giardina
Student Activities	23/4/2009	Hans-A Loeliger
Webmaster	1/1/2011	Sara Grassi
Switzerland Section Chapter, CPMT21	30/6/2009	Hamit C Duran
Switzerland Section Chapter, EMB18	26/9/2008	Volker M Koch
Switzerland Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2005	Klaus P Brand
Switzerland Section Chapter, RL07	1/1/1997	Mauro M Ciappa
Switzerland Section Chapter, SIT30	1/1/1992	Thomas E Schmid
Switzerland Section Chapter, SSC37	1/12/2009	Christian Enz
Switzerland Section Chapter, PEL35	1/3/2012	Andreas Ecklebe
Switzerland Section Chapter, PEL35	1/3/2013	Andreas Ecklebe
Switzerland Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/MTT17/EMC27	1/1/2008	Michael Mattes
Switzerland Section Jt. Chapter, CAS04/ED15	1/1/2012	Shih-Chii Liu
Switzerland Section Jt. Chapter, SP01/C16/COM19	1/1/2000	Hans-A Loeliger
Switzerland Sect, Women In Engineering	19/5/2011	Andreea Maria Picu
Switzerland Sect, Women In Engineering	19/5/2011	Maria Paun
Switzerland Section Affinity Group, GOLD	24/6/2011	Mihail Prundaru
Switzerland Section Affinity Group, LM	16/4/2010	Hugo F Wyss

Sfax Subsection

Chair	20/11/2010	Adel M Alimi
Vice Chair	1/2/2013	Nejib Nejib Abida
Secretary	1/2/2013	Ali Wali
Treasurer	1/2/2013	Mohamed Benhalima
Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/1/2012	Mounir Ben Ayed
Educational Activities	1/1/2012	Tarek M Hamdani
Membership Development	1/1/2012	Mohamed Koubaa
Newsletter Editor	1/1/2012	Dammak Majdi
Nominations and Appointments Chair	1/1/2012	Chokri Benamar
Professional Activities	1/2/2013	Habib M Kammoun
Student Activities	1/1/2012	Chiraz Walha
Student Representative	1/1/2012	Boudour Cherif Ammar
vTools Coordinator	1/1/2012	Sonda Bousnina

Tunisia Section

Chair	1/3/2013	Abdelfettah Belghith
Vice Chair	1/3/2013	Jaleddine Ben Hadj Slama
Secretary	1/3/2011	Faouzi Bouani
Treasurer	1/3/2013	Hassene Mnif
Chapter Coordinator	1/3/2013	Ahmed Hadj Kacem
Conference Coordinator	1/3/2013	Brahim Mezghani
Membership Development	1/3/2013	Mouna Kammoun
Nominations and Appointments Chair	1/1/2011	Ksouri Mekki
Past Chair	1/3/2013	Mourad Loulou
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	20/10/2008	Adel M Alimi
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	20/10/2008	Farhat Fnaiech
Student Activities	1/3/2013	Riadh Abdelfattah
Technical Activities Coordinator	1/3/2013	Noureddine Hamdi
vTools Coordinator	1/12/2012	Lotfi Kamoun
Tunisia Section Chapter, C16	1/2/2013	Ali Wali
Tunisia Section Chapter, CAS04	26/12/2008	Mourad Loulou
Tunisia Section Chapter, CEDA44	24/3/2009	Mourad Fakhfakh
Tunisia Section Chapter, CIS11	1/2/2013	Habib M Kammoun

Tunisia Section Chapter, COM19	17/2/2012	Abdelfettah Belghith
Tunisia Section Chapter, E25	1/2/2013	Mohamed Mhamdi
Tunisia Section Chapter, EMB18	1/2/2013	Adel M Alimi
Tunisia Section Chapter, IA34	1/2/2013	Habib M Kammoun
Tunisia Section Chapter, MTT17	17/7/2009	Ali Gharsallah
Tunisia Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2012	Ibrahim Ben Salah
Tunisia Section Chapter, RA24	1/2/2013	Adel M Alimi
Tunisia Section Chapter, SMC28	1/2/2013	Ilhem Kallel
Tunisia Section Chapter, SP01	1/2/2013	Mohamed Koubaa
Tunisia Section Chapter, VT06	30/1/2013	Abdelfettah Belghith
Tunisia Section Affinity Group, GOLD	1/2/2013	Chiraz Walha
Tunisia Section Affinity Group, WIE	1/2/2013	Boudour Cherif Ammar
Turkey Section		
Professional Activities	1/1/2010	Can Ozturan
Student Activities	1/10/2012	Mert Karaosmanoglu
Turkey Section Chapter, AES10	1/1/2002	Murat Efe
Turkey Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2009	Ibrahim Korpeoglu
Turkey Section Chapter, CAS04	1/1/2004	Izzet C Goknar
Turkey Section Chapter, COM19	1/1/2009	Cem Ersoy
Turkey Section Chapter, CS23	1/1/2010	Kemalettin Erbatur
Turkey Section Chapter, GRS29	11/12/2012	Kadim Tasdemir
Turkey Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2010	Omer Usta
Turkey Section Chapter, PHO36	1/1/2010	Hilmi V Demir
Turkey Section Chapter, SMC28	24/6/2011	Okyay Kaynak
Turkey Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/2010	A Tanju Erdem
Turkey Section Chapter, TM14	1/1/2007	Haluk A Tekbulut
Turkey Section Chapter, CIS011	1/1/2004	H L Akin
Turkey Section Chapter, EMB18	15/6/2005	Selcuk Comlekci
Turkey Section Jt. Chapter, IE13/RA24	1/1/2006	Hakan Temeltas
Turkey Section, AP/ED/MTT/EMC	1/1/2009	Birsen Saka
Turkey Section Affinity Group, GOLD	14/6/2010	Bilge Akdogan
U.K. & Rep Of Ireland Section		
Chair	1/1/2012	Nihal F Sinnadurai
Vice Chair	1/3/2012	Stephen J Nightingale
Treasurer	1/1/2010	Nicholas G Wright
Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/3/2012	Jan Sykulski
Conference Coordinator	11/10/2012	Roy C Ediss
Educational Activities	1/1/2011	Oussalah Mourad
Historian	1/1/2010	Peter C J Hill
Industry Relations Coordinator	1/1/2012	Nihal F Sinnadurai
Membership Development	23/3/2012	Wim J Melis
Nominations and Appointments Chair	11/10/2012	Paul A Vertannes
SAMIEEE RECIPIENT	10/12/2007	C W Turner
Student Activities	1/1/2013	Yifei Wang
U.K.& Rep Of Ireland Section Chapter, SIT30	21/10/2009	Christopher A Brewster
U.K.& Rep Of Ireland Section Chapter, VT06	20/5/2011	Oliver D Holland
U.K.R.I. Section Chapter, ED15 - Scotland	18/4/2012	David R Cumming
U.K.R.I. Section Chapter, E25	1/1/2007	C W Turner
U.K.R.I. Section Chapter, SMC28	1/1/2010	Hui Wang
UK & Rep of IRE Section Jt Chpt, ED15/PHO36 Dublin	23/9/2011	Patrick J Mcnally
UKRI (Ireland) Sec Chap, COM19/CS23	1/1/2009	Kang Li
UKRI (Ireland) Section Chapter, SMC28	1/1/2010	A G Hessami
UKRI (UK) Section Chap, COM19	1/1/2012	Wai Pang Ng
UKRI Section Chapter (Scotland), SSC37	28/10/1999	Jim J Brown
UKRI Section Chapter, AES10	1/3/1992	Hugh D Griffiths
UKRI Section Chapter, C16	1/1/2005	Frank Z Wang
UKRI Section Chapter, CS23	12/10/2010	Argyrios C Zolotas
UKRI Section Chapter, DEI32	18/12/2009	Paul L Lewin
UKRI Section Chapter, EMB18	1/1/2010	C J James
UKRI Section Chapter, EMC27	1/1/2013	Alan Warner
UKRI Section Chapter, IE13	12/10/2010	Bucur M Novac
UKRI Section Chapter, IT12	11/9/1997	B Honary
UKRI Section Chapter, PE31	1/1/2013	Andrew J Keane
UKRI Section Chapter, PEL35	1/1/2008	Patrick C Luk
UKRI Section Chapter, PHO36	1/1/2010	Graham A Turnbull

UKRI Section Chapter, RA24	1/1/2011	John Oliver Gray
UKRI Section Chapter, SP01	1/1/1999	Marwan M Al-Akaidi
UKRI Section Chapter, SSC37 (Ireland)	3/12/1998	Michael P Kennedy
UKRI Section Chapter,BT02/CE08	1/1/2011	Ezendu I Ariwa
UKRI Section Chapter,CIS011	1/1/2009	Damien Coyle
UKRI Section Chapter,R07/CPMT21	1/1/2002	Nihal F Sinnadurai
UKRI Section Jt. Chapter, AP03/ED15/MTT17/PHO36	1/1/2000	Ali A Rezazadeh
UKRI Section Jt. Chapter, TM14/PC26	1/1/2006	Alan Pilkington
Centro Occidente Section Affinity Group, GOLD	16/9/2010	Luis Alberto Torres Salomao
U.K.R.I. Section Aff Grp,WIE	10/3/2005	Teresa M Schofield
U.K.R.I. Section Affinity Group,GOLD	1/1/2012	Arti Agrawal
UKRI Affinity Group,LM	23/6/2006	Roland J Saam
Ukraine Section		
Chair	1/1/2012	Valerii Jakov Zhuikov
Secretary	1/1/2012	Evgen Sergeevich Pichkalyov
Treasurer	1/1/2012	Anna Kyselova
Membership Development	1/1/2012	Anton A Popov
Student Activities	1/1/2012	Kateryna Osypenko
Student Representative	1/1/2012	Dmytro Mikolaiets
Ukraine Sect,ED15/MTT17 (Rep Of Georg)	1/1/2011	Giorgi N Ghvedashvili
Ukraine Sect Chap,SP01/AP03/C16/EMC27 (Kharkov)	1/1/2011	Oleksandr Mykolayovych Dumin
Ukraine Sect,CAS04/IM09/C16/MTT17	1/1/2004	Volodymyr M Dubovoy
Ukraine Sect,ED/MTT/CPMT/COM/SSC (Kiev)	1/1/2011	Prokopenko Y Vasilyevich
Ukraine Sect,IE13/PE31/PEL35	1/1/1999	Alex S Yandulsky
Ukraine Section Chapter, COM19	30/4/2012	Larisa S Globa
Ukraine Section Chapter,PHO36	1/1/2008	Igor Sukhoivanov
Ukraine Section Jt Chapter, SP01/AES10	1/1/2012	Yuliya Averyanova
Ukraine Section Jt Chapter,IM09/CIS011	7/6/2005	Anatoly A Sachenko
Ukraine,AP/NPS/AES/ED/MTT/GRS (East)	1/1/2013	Nataliya K Sakhnenko
Ukraine Section Affinity Group, GOLD	14/6/2012	Evgen Sergeevich Pichkalyov
United Arab Emirates Section		
Chair	1/1/2012	Maryam Al Thani
Vice Chair	1/1/2012	Hussian A M Al Ahmad
Secretary	27/1/2013	Rami M S Shublaq
Treasurer	1/1/2010	Adeel Sultan
Assistant	1/1/2012	Eesa M Bastaki
Awards & Recognition Committee Chair	1/1/2006	Abdullatif M Glass
Educational Activities	1/1/2012	Hend Alqamzi
Membership Development	1/1/2007	Adeel Sultan
Newsletter Editor	1/1/2012	G Vijaya
Nominations and Appointments Chair	1/1/2009	Abdullatif M Glass
Student Activities	1/1/2010	Mahmoud A Alqutayri
Technical Activities	1/1/2012	Wathiq M Mansoor
Webmaster	1/1/2012	Thomas Martin
United Arab Emirates Sect Jt Ch, SPo1/COM19	19/7/2004	Mohamed E Al-Mualla
United Arab Emirates Section Chapter, CAS04	1/10/2010	Kahtan A Mezher
United Arab Emirates Section Chapter, E25	2/8/2012	Jason W.P. Ng
United Arab Emirates Section Chapter, EMB18	21/1/2009	Hasan A Al-Nashash
United Arab Emirates Section Chapter, RA24	26/11/2012	Nikolaos L Mavridis
United Arab Emirates Section Chapter,C16	1/1/2010	Hussian A M Al Ahmad
United Arab Emirates Section Jt Chapter CS23/PEL35	26/11/2012	Kasim Rashid
United Arab Emirates Affinity Group,GOLD	22/3/2005	Fadi A Aloul
United Arab Emirates Affinity Group,WIE	18/2/2013	Hend Alqamzi
Western Saudi Arabia Section		
Chair	1/1/2004	Hafidh S Al-Samarrai
Vice Chair	1/1/2004	Mohamed A T Turki
Treasurer	25/2/2013	Abdulrahman Al-Ahdal
Membership Development	1/6/2008	Bander A Allaf
Western Saudi Arabia Section Chapter, C16	1/5/2012	Akila Sarirete
Western Saudi Arabia Section Chapter, PE31	15/7/2008	Bander A Allaf
Western Saudi Arabia Section Affinity Group, WIE	19/2/2010	Reem H Turkey
Zambia Section		
Chair	15/11/2008	Reuben Kapala Munungwe
Treasurer	1/1/2009	Bellington C Kabwe
Membership Development	1/1/2009	Custom T Nthara

Membership Development	1/1/2009	Kingfrey Kaoma
Reg 8-Countries Outside Sections		
Azerbaijan Jt. Chapter, COM19/C16	12/9/2011	Abzetedin Adamov
Mauritius Jt Chapter, C16/COM19/PE31	11/5/2011	Krishna Seeburn

Membership

Section Name	AF	GSM	St.M	S	A	M	LM	SM	LS	F	LF	Non-S	Total	Population	Ranking			
															Non-S	S	All	Aver.
Austria	76	259	86	345	32	642	10	75	7	9	3	778	1123	8458023	12	13	11	12.0
Bahrain	1	2	15	17	1	58		11				70	87	1234571	20	30	24	24.7
Belarus		9	1	10		20		6				26	36	9460700	50	49	51	50.0
Benelux	189	656	116	772	55	1786	52	267	26	79	28	2293	3065	27914565	15	18	16	16.3
Bosnia And Herzegovina	1	48	17	65	4	62		6				72	137	3839737	37	26	34	32.3
Bulgaria	4	36	31	67	10	158		20				188	255	7364570	33	36	35	34.7
Croatia	10	190	46	236	3	372	12	40	2		1	430	666	4290612	11	8	9	9.3
Cyprus	7	61	70	131		121		21	2	1	1	146	277	838897	2	3	3	2.7
Czechoslovakia	22	57	14	71	13	325		41	1	1	1	382	453	15921357	34	41	38	37.7
Denmark	24	139	18	157	12	462	21	66	8	8	3	580	737	5602628	9	16	13	12.7
Egypt	9	223	661	884	11	355	8	99	20	2	3	498	1382	83993000	44	32	43	39.7
Estonia	3	15	21	36	1	59		5				65	101	1294455	23	17	21	20.3
Finland	31	203	53	256	20	543	13	70	8	13	5	672	928	5431420	7	9	7	7.7
France	144	350	167	517	116	1849	37	320	17	70	13	2422	2939	65635000	27	37	30	31.3
Germany	473	1411	216	1627	171	3918	80	510	39	93	45	4856	6483	81946000	17	23	20	20.0
Ghana	3	11	9	20	3	76		2				81	101	24658823	48	50	50	49.3
Greece	49	247	449	696	19	741	12	132	10	16	1	931	1627	10815197	14	5	10	9.7
Hungary	8	54	44	98	8	223	2	25	4	7	7	276	374	9957731	31	34	33	32.7
Iceland	2	11	44	55	3	30	3	7		1		44	99	321857	6	2	4	4.0
Iran	4	328	117	445	9	231		63		1		304	749	77206000	47	40	44	43.7
Iraq	1	15	2	17	3	61		6				70	87	33330000	52	52	52	52.0
Israel	39	100	27	127	21	436	42	184	41	34	23	781	908	7980900	10	28	15	17.7
Italy	222	512	122	634	107	2247	62	483	14	116	29	3044	3678	60870745	22	33	27	27.3
Jordan	4	17	187	204	2	104	1	25	3		1	136	340	6266000	35	14	28	25.7
Kenya	4	9	15	24		52		3	1			56	80	38610097	53	51	53	52.3
Kuwait	6	13	49	62	3	79		13	1		1	97	159	3582054	30	25	31	28.7
Latvia	4	25	8	33	1	66	1	4				72	105	2070371	29	27	29	28.3
Lebanon	3	50	476	526	2	127		45	2	1	1	178	704	4292000	26	4	8	12.7
Lithuanian		14	6	20	3	69		8				80	100	2979310	32	38	36	35.3
Malta	3	45	34	79	2	61	1	6				70	149	416055	3	1	1	1.7
Morocco	22	28	53	81	5	55		6				66	147	32833900	51	46	48	48.3
Nigeria	17	118	98	216	9	492		18	2			521	737	166629000	49	48	49	48.7
Norway	47	123	13	136	16	627	19	68	14	5		749	885	5072800	4	19	6	9.7
Oman	3	5	28	33	2	55		18				75	108	3623000	36	35	37	36.0
Poland	31	78	69	147	18	517	3	117	12	14	3	684	831	38538447	38	43	39	40.0
Portugal	44	295	197	492	14	460	4	97	2	11		588	1080	10562178	19	10	17	15.3
Qatar Section	3	15	24	39	6	96	1	16		2		121	160	1903447	16	22	19	19.0
Republic Of Macedonia	1	47	4	51		57		31	1	1		90	141	2059794	25	20	26	23.7
Romania	22	91	25	116	15	609	3	64	5	2	1	699	815	19043767	28	39	32	33.0
Russia (Northwest)	2	20	54	74	9	109		25	1	1		145	219					
Russia (Siberia)	4	37	4	41	6	129		19		1		155	196	143369806	45	47	46	48.3
Russia	38	54	31	85	42	394		25		2		463	548					
Saudi Arabia	18	46	75	121	6	369		72	4	2	1	454	575					
Western Saudi Arabia	9	33	51	84	2	122		22				146	230	29195895	39	42	41	37.7
Serbia And Montenegro	5	149	44	193	7	366	3	24	3	4		407	600	7861324	24	21	22	22.3
Slovenia	16	29	8	37	12	193	6	14	6	1		232	269	2058710	8	24	12	14.7
South Africa	22	132	39	171	14	589	6	77	2	3	3	694	865	51770560	41	44	42	42.3
Spain	136	467	263	730	56	1854	29	413	11	28	3	2394	3124	46815916	21	29	25	25.0
Sweden	68	411	27	438	40	992	38	222	36	30	12	1370	1808	9555893	5	11	5	7.0
Switzerland	156	400	54	454	86	1663	114	177	22	60	23	2145	2599	8014000	1	6	2	3.0
Tunisia		225	377	602	2	154		12				168	770	10777500	40	7	23	23.3
Turkey	22	320	574	894	29	606	3	105	5	10	2	760	1654	75627384	42	31	40	37.7
U.K. & Rep Of Ireland	307	1528	386	1914	141	4893	120	796	57	4893	40	6172	8086	67770027	13	15	14	14.0
Ukraine	6	89	37	126	11	163	1	64	1	3	1	244	370	45560251	46	45	45	45.3
United Arab Emirates	12	81	274	355	9	380	2	94	1	1	1	488	843	8264070	18	12	18	16.0
Zambia	2		5	5	1	79		2				82	87	13092666	43	53	47	47.7
Reg 8-Countries Outside Region 8 - Apo/Fpo	34	92	211	303	10	425	2	32	1			470	773					
	6	9	10	19		69		7				76	95					

	AF	GSM	St.M	S	A	M	LM	SM	LS	F	LF	Non-S	Total	Population
Region 8 Totals	2399	10032	6156	16188	1203	31850	711	5200	392	7657	256	40356	56544	1406583010

Population for the countries was taken from Wikipedia. For countries that have more than one Section, the Sections were grouped together. Ranking of the Sections (the lower the number the better) was made by dividing the Non Student Members, the Student members and all members with the total country population and it provides a rough measure of IEEE penetration in each country.

Meetings (Technical, Administrative, Professional, Nontechnical) in 2012

Organizational Unit	T	A	P	N	total
AUSTRIA Total	10	8	3	0	21
SECTION	0	6	0	0	6
CAS04/SSC37	0	1	0	0	1
E25	1	0	1	0	2
EMC27	2	0	0	0	2
MTT17/COM19	5	0	0	0	5
RA24	2	1	0	0	3
TM14 (JT. AUST/CZECH/HUNGARY/SLOVENIA)	0	0	2	0	2
BAHRAIN total	0	0	1	0	1
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	0	0	1	0	1
BENELUX total	46	20	4	1	71
SECTION	0	2	0	0	2
AES10/GRS29	1	0	0	0	1
AP03/MTT17	4	0	0	0	4
C16	2	0	0	0	2
CEDA44	2	0	0	0	2
EMB18	4	0	0	0	4
EMC27	15	1	0	1	17
GOLD	4	3	2	0	9
IM09	0	0	1	0	1
IT12	2	2	0	0	4
PE31/IA34/PEL35	3	1	0	0	4
PH036	2	3	1	0	6
SP01	3	1	0	0	4
TM14	4	6	0	0	10
VT06/COM19	0	1	0	0	1
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA total	8	8	2	2	20
SECTION	1	1	0	1	3
CIS11/C16	3	0	0	0	3
COM19	2	2	0	1	5
GOLD	0	2	1	0	3
PE31	0	2	1	0	3
SMC28	1	1	0	0	2
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	1	0	0	0	1
BULGARIA total	31	9	4	0	44
SECTION	0	5	0	0	5
AP03/ED15/MTT17/CPMT21	2	0	0	0	2
C16	2	2	1	0	5
CAS04/SSC37	3	1	3	0	7
CIS11	2	0	0	0	2
COM19	2	0	0	0	2
ED15/SSC37 (VARNA)	3	0	0	0	3
IM09/CS23/SMC28	13	1	0	0	14
RA24	2	0	0	0	2

SP01	2	0	0	0	2
CROATIA total	88	15	4	5	112
SECTION	6	10	3	0	19
AES10/GRS29	3	0	0	0	3
AP03	4	0	0	0	4
C16	2	0	0	0	2
CAS04	2	0	0	0	2
CIS11	2	0	0	0	2
COM19	4	0	0	0	4
CS23	4	0	0	0	4
E25	2	0	0	0	2
ED15/SSC37	2	0	0	0	2
EMB18	3	0	0	0	3
EMC27	9	0	1	1	11
GOLD	4	2	0	2	8
IA34	4	0	0	0	4
IE13	3	0	0	0	3
IM09	2	0	0	0	2
LIFE MEMBER	1	1	0	0	2
MTT17	4	0	0	0	4
PE31	9	0	0	1	10
PEL35	3	0	0	0	3
R07	2	0	0	0	2
RA24	2	0	0	0	2
SMC28	3	0	0	0	3
SP01	4	0	0	0	4
TM14	3	0	0	0	3
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	1	2	0	1	4
CYPRUS total	16	10	4	9	39
SECTION	5	6	1	4	16
C16/COM19	2	0	1	0	3
CIS11	3	2	0	2	7
EMB18/SP01	5	0	0	0	5
GOLD	0	2	1	2	5
PE31	1	0	1	1	3
CZECHOSLOVAKIA total	29	9	11	3	52
SECTION	5	5	0	1	11
AP03/ED15/MTT17/EMC27	8	1	0	1	10
C16	0	0	2	0	2
CAS04/COM19/SP01	4	0	1	0	5
CS23	0	0	2	0	2
EMB18	2	2	0	0	4
GOLD	0	1	0	1	2
IA34/IE13	2	0	0	0	2
NPS05	0	0	6	0	6
PE31	8	0	0	0	8
DENMARK total	7	15	8	1	31
SECTION	1	15	0	1	17
C16	0	0	4	0	4

CS23/RA24	0	0	1	0	1
PE31	2	0	3	0	5
SP01	4	0	0	0	4
EGYPT total	36	22	1	1	60
SECTION	0	3	0	0	3
C16	8	2	0	0	10
CS23	4	0	0	0	4
ED15/MTT17	2	0	0	0	2
GOLD	1	12	0	0	13
PE31	10	2	0	0	12
RA24	10	0	0	0	10
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	1	3	1	1	6
ESTONIA total	7	2	4	0	13
SECTION	3	2	0	0	5
C16/COM19	2	0	0	0	2
E25	0	0	2	0	2
IM09/ED15/EMB18	0	0	2	0	2
SP01/CAS04/SSC37	2	0	0	0	2
FINLAND total	2	11	0	2	15
SECTION	0	5	0	1	6
CS23/RA24/SMC28	1	2	0	0	3
GOLD	1	4	0	1	6
FRANCE total	77	14	2	3	96
SECTION	0	1	0	2	3
AP03	1	0	0	0	1
C16	6	0	1	0	7
CIS11	16	0	0	0	16
COM19	6	0	0	0	6
CPMT21	1	0	0	0	1
EMB18	0	0	0	1	1
GRS29	5	0	1	0	6
IA34/IE13/PEL35	2	0	0	0	2
MAG33	9	0	0	0	9
MTT17	5	1	0	0	6
NPS05	1	0	0	0	1
OE22	3	10	0	0	13
PE31	12	2	0	0	14
PHO36	2	0	0	0	2
R07	2	0	0	0	2
SSC37	4	0	0	0	4
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	2	0	0	0	2
GERMANY total	73	23	17	3	116
AP03/MTT17	3	2	4	0	9
CE08	2	14	0	0	16
COM19	2	0	0	0	2
CPMT21	1	0	1	0	2
E25	3	0	0	0	3
ED15	3	0	1	0	4

EMB18 (JT GER/SWITZERLAND/AUSTRIA)	3	0	0	0	3
EMC27	4	3	0	0	7
GOLD	6	1	9	0	16
GRS29	13	0	0	0	13
IA34/PEL35/IE13	11	1	0	3	15
IT12	2	0	0	0	2
MAG33	12	0	1	0	13
NPS05	1	0	0	0	1
PE31	2	2	0	0	4
PH036	0	0	1	0	1
SP01	3	0	0	0	3
SSC37	2	0	0	0	2
GHANA total	0	2	0	0	2
(section)	0	2	0	0	2
GREECE total	35	12	7	5	59
SECTION	2	1	1	2	6
C16	2	0	2	0	4
CAS04/SSC37	5	0	0	0	5
CE08	2	0	1	0	3
CIS11	3	0	0	0	3
COM19	1	0	0	0	1
CS23	0	1	0	1	2
EMB18	6	0	0	0	6
GOLD	1	0	1	0	2
IE13/IA34/PEL35	0	0	1	0	1
PE31	7	3	1	1	12
SP01	3	0	0	0	3
VT06/AES10	3	7	0	1	11
HUNGARY total	48	3	6	0	57
SECTION	11	1	0	0	12
AP03/ED15/MTT17/COM19	5	1	0	0	6
CAS04/C16	2	0	0	0	2
CIS11	6	0	0	0	6
CPMT21 (JT. HUNGARY/ROMANIA)	1	0	4	0	5
IA34/PEL35	3	0	0	0	3
IE13/RA24	8	0	0	0	8
IM09/EMB18	2	0	0	0	2
LIFE MEMBER	1	1	0	0	2
PE31	0	0	2	0	2
SMC28	9	0	0	0	9
ICELAND total	9	3	2	1	15
(section)	9	3	2	1	15
IRAN total	0	12	1	0	13
(section)	0	12	1	0	13
IRAQ total	15	0	9	1	25
SECTION	10	0	7	0	17
COM19	5	0	1	0	6

GOLD	0	0	1	1	2
ISRAEL total	14	1	23	0	38
AES10	2	0	0	0	2
AP03/MTT17	3	0	0	0	3
C16	0	0	2	0	2
CAS04/CS23	0	0	2	0	2
COM19	0	0	4	0	4
ED15	0	0	3	0	3
EMC27	2	0	0	0	2
IT12	0	0	2	0	2
LIFE MEMBER	3	0	0	0	3
PHO36	0	0	2	0	2
PSE43	1	0	1	0	2
RA24	0	1	3	0	4
SP01	0	0	2	0	2
SSC37	3	0	0	0	3
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	0	0	2	0	2
ITALY total	52	5	1	0	58
SECTION	0	3	0	0	3
AES10	5	0	0	0	5
AP03/MTT17 (C&S)	4	0	0	0	4
CS23	3	0	0	0	3
ED15	5	0	0	0	5
MAG33	3	0	0	0	3
NANO42	1	0	1	0	2
PE31	3	0	0	0	3
PHO36	10	2	0	0	12
R07	2	0	0	0	2
RA24	3	0	0	0	3
SMC28	1	0	0	0	1
SP01	4	0	0	0	4
SSC37	1	0	0	0	1
TM14	3	0	0	0	3
VT06/COM19	4	0	0	0	4
JORDAN total	10	11	3	9	33
SECTION	6	6	2	8	22
CIS11/C16	1	1	0	0	2
COM19	1	2	0	0	3
GOLD	0	0	1	0	1
RA24	1	0	0	0	1
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	1	2	0	1	4
KENYA total	14	8	2	0	24
SECTION	8	8	1	0	17
C16	6	0	1	0	7
LATVIA total	7	4	0	2	13
SECTION	2	2	0	2	6
C16	3	1	0	0	4

E25	2	1	0	0	3
LEBANON total	24	24	0	0	48
SECTION	3	9	0	0	12
AP03/MTT17/MAG33	3	3	0	0	6
C16	9	0	0	0	9
COM19	8	4	0	0	12
PE31/CAS04/PEL35	1	8	0	0	9
LITHUANIAN total	43	3	0	0	46
SECTION	11	2	0	0	13
AP03/ED15/MTT17	14	1	0	0	15
E25	9	0	0	0	9
SP01/CIS11/COM19	9	0	0	0	9
MALTA total	1	10	0	0	11
(section)	1	10	0	0	11
MOROCCO total	5	0	0	0	5
SECTION	1	0	0	0	1
C16/COM19	4	0	0	0	4
NIGERIA total	9	14	1	0	24
SECTION	8	8	0	0	16
C16	0	1	1	0	2
EMC27	0	1	0	0	1
GOLD	0	4	0	0	4
RA24	1	0	0	0	1
NORWAY total	7	5	2	0	14
SECTION	0	5	0	0	5
AP03/MTT17	2	0	0	0	2
CS23	1	0	1	0	2
OE22	2	0	1	0	3
PEL35	2	0	0	0	2
OMAN total	16	5	2	2	25
(section)	16	5	2	2	25
POLAND total	42	3	17	1	63
SECTION	1	2	1	0	4
AP03/AES10/MTT17	9	0	0	0	9
C16 (GDANSK)	5	0	0	1	6
CAS04	2	0	6	0	8
CIS11	2	0	0	0	2
COM19 (KRAKOW)	1	0	0	0	1
COM19 (WARSAW)	2	0	0	0	2
CPMT21	0	0	1	0	1
CS23	3	0	0	0	3
ED15	2	0	0	0	2
EMC27	2	0	0	0	2
IE13/PEL35	5	0	0	0	5
IM09	2	0	0	0	2

MAG33	1	1	0	0	2
PH036	3	0	0	0	3
SP01	0	0	9	0	9
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	2	0	0	0	2
PORTUGAL total	17	5	1	3	26
SECTION	0	0	0	1	1
AP03/ED15/MTT17	3	0	0	0	3
C16	1	1	0	1	3
COM19	5	0	0	0	5
E25	2	2	0	0	4
EMB18	0	1	1	0	2
GOLD	0	1	0	1	2
VT06	2	0	0	0	2
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	4	0	0	0	4
REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA total	18	7	1	1	27
SECTION	0	6	0	1	7
CAS04/CIS011/CS23	3	1	0	0	4
COM19	2	0	0	0	2
ED15/IM09/SSC37	2	0	0	0	2
IE13/IA34/PEL35	1	0	1	0	2
IT12	3	0	0	0	3
PE31	5	0	0	0	5
SP01/EMB18	2	0	0	0	2
ROMANIA total	40	1	23	2	66
SECTION	5	0	0	0	5
BT02	2	0	0	0	2
C16	1	0	3	0	4
CAS04/CS23	0	0	2	0	2
CIS11	4	0	3	0	7
COM19	3	0	0	0	3
CS23	2	0	0	0	2
E25	2	0	0	0	2
EMB18	0	0	7	0	7
EMC27	0	0	2	0	2
IA34	1	0	1	0	2
IM09	0	0	2	0	2
MAG33	4	0	0	2	6
MTT17	3	0	0	0	3
PE31	7	1	1	0	9
PEL35	2	0	0	0	2
SP01	2	0	0	0	2
SP01/IT12/COM19	2	0	0	0	2
SSC37	0	0	2	0	2
RUSSIA total	47	3	10	5	65
AP03	11	1	0	0	12
AP03/CPMT21/ED15/MTT17/NPS05 (SARATOV)	3	0	0	0	3
AP03/ED15/MTT17/CPMT21 (SARATOV-PENZA)	3	0	0	0	3
AP03/ED15/MTT17/CPMT21/SSC37 (NIZHNY NOVGOROD)	4	0	7	5	16
CAS04	0	0	3	0	3

ED15/MTT17 (MOSCOW)	11	1	0	0	12
IE13/PE31/PEL35/IA34	1	0	0	0	1
IT12 (JT.RUSSIA/SIBERIA/NORTHWEST)	3	0	0	0	3
PHO36	11	1	0	0	12
RUSSIA NORTHWEST total	46	12	1	3	62
SECTION	12	12	0	1	25
AP03/ED15/MTT17	7	0	1	1	9
BT02/CE08/COM19	6	0	0	0	6
CAS04	4	0	0	0	4
IE13/EMC27/PE31	11	0	0	0	11
PHO36	3	0	0	1	4
SP01/AES10/UFFC20	3	0	0	0	3
RUSSIA SIBERIA total	11	0	28	0	39
AP03/ED15/MTT17/COM19/EMC27 (TOMSK)	2	0	12	0	14
ED15/MTT17/COM19/CPMT21/SSC37 (NOVOSIBIRSK)	4	0	0	0	4
EMB18	1	0	1	0	2
GOLD	2	0	12	0	14
PHO36 (NOVOSIBIRSK)	2	0	3	0	5
SAUDI ARABIA total	0	5	2	1	8
SECTION	0	1	1	0	2
C16	0	4	0	1	5
IA34	0	0	1	0	1
SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO total	75	12	0	2	89
SECTION	0	3	0	0	3
BT02	2	0	0	0	2
C16	7	0	0	0	7
CE08	2	1	0	1	4
CIS11	5	0	0	0	5
COM19	10	2	0	1	13
E25	2	0	0	0	2
ED15/SSC37	11	3	0	0	14
EMC27	2	2	0	0	4
IE13/IA34/PEL35	10	0	0	0	10
MTT17	8	1	0	0	9
SP01/CAS04	13	0	0	0	13
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	3	0	0	0	3
SLOVENIA total	20	3	9	2	34
SECTION	5	3	5	0	13
C16	3	0	0	0	3
COM19	2	0	0	0	2
E25	5	0	1	0	6
LIFE MEMBER	0	0	0	2	2
PE31	2	0	0	0	2
SP01/CAS04	3	0	1	0	4
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	0	0	2	0	2
SOUTH AFRICA total	49	11	3	2	65
SECTION	1	4	0	0	5

AES10/GRS29	1	0	0	0	1
AP03/MTT17/EMC27	7	0	0	0	7
C16	1	5	0	0	6
CIS11	2	0	0	0	2
CS23/RA24	1	0	1	0	2
E25	3	0	0	0	3
ED15/PHO36/CAS04	3	0	0	0	3
GOLD (CAPE TOWN)	3	0	0	0	3
GOLD (PRETORIA)	1	0	1	0	2
IE13/IA34/PEL35	4	0	0	0	4
IT12	4	2	0	0	6
NANO42	2	0	0	0	2
PE31	4	0	0	0	4
SMC28	3	0	1	0	4
SP01/COM19	7	0	0	0	7
TM14/SYS45	2	0	0	0	2
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	0	0	0	2	2
SPAIN total	70	16	1	2	89
SECTION	9	6	1	0	16
AP03/MTT17	6	0	0	0	6
BT02	2	1	0	0	3
C16	7	0	0	0	7
CAS04	2	0	0	1	3
E25	11	3	0	0	14
ED15	7	0	0	0	7
EMC27	1	1	0	0	2
GOLD	5	1	0	0	6
IE13/PEL35	2	0	0	0	2
IT12	0	1	0	0	1
MAG33	5	1	0	0	6
OE22	1	0	0	0	1
SMC28	1	1	0	0	2
SP01/COM19	5	0	0	0	5
TM14	5	0	0	1	6
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	1	1	0	0	2
SWEDEN total	31	10	4	0	45
SECTION	1	1	0	0	2
AP03/MTT17	0	0	1	0	1
CPMT21	2	0	0	0	2
ED15	7	0	0	0	7
MAG33	0	0	2	0	2
PE31/PEL35	3	5	0	0	8
SIT30	0	4	0	0	4
SP01	1	0	1	0	2
VT06/COM19/IT12	17	0	0	0	17
SWITZERLAND total	24	6	5	0	35
SECTION	2	4	0	0	6
AP03/MTT17/EMC27	3	0	0	0	3
CAS04/ED15	2	0	0	0	2
CPMT21	0	0	1	0	1

EMB18	3	0	0	0	3
GOLD	0	0	1	0	1
PE31	2	2	0	0	4
PEL35	1	0	0	0	1
R07	5	0	1	0	6
SP01/C16/COM19	2	0	1	0	3
SSC37	3	0	0	0	3
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	1	0	1	0	2
TUNISIA total	92	17	10	5	124
SECTION	8	7	2	1	18
AES10	2	0	0	0	2
C16	6	0	0	0	6
CAS04	7	0	0	0	7
CEDA44	6	1	0	2	9
CIS11	6	0	0	0	6
COM19	4	1	1	0	6
E25	2	0	0	0	2
EMB18	3	1	0	0	4
GOLD	12	4	6	2	24
IA34	6	0	0	0	6
MTT17	2	0	0	0	2
PE31	2	0	0	0	2
RA24	2	0	0	0	2
SFAX SUBSECTION	7	3	1	0	11
SMC28	6	0	0	0	6
SP01	7	0	0	0	7
SSC37	2	0	0	0	2
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	2	0	0	0	2
TURKEY total	21	0	3	2	26
AES10	2	0	0	0	2
AP03/MTT17/ED15/EMC27	2	0	0	0	2
CAS04	7	0	2	2	11
COM19	1	0	0	0	1
EMB18	5	0	1	0	6
PE31	2	0	0	0	2
SP01	2	0	0	0	2
UKRAINE total	76	1	23	0	100
AP03/ED15/MTT17/CPMT21/SSC37	9	0	0	0	9
AP03/NPS05/AES10/ED15/MTT17/GRS29 (EAST)	29	1	0	0	30
CAS04/IM09/C16/MTT17	6	0	0	0	6
COM19	2	0	0	0	2
ED15/MTT17 (REP OF GEORG)	5	0	0	0	5
ED15/MTT17/COM19/CPMT21/SSC37 (KIEV)	4	0	1	0	5
GOLD	0	0	2	0	2
IE13/PE31/PEL35	4	0	3	0	7
IM09/CIS11	8	0	0	0	8
PHO36	1	0	2	0	3
SP01/AES10	7	0	0	0	7
SP01/AP03/C16/EMC27 (KHARKOV)	1	0	15	0	16

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES total	20	15	6	1	42
SECTION	1	13	0	1	15
C16	2	0	1	0	3
CAS04	3	0	0	0	3
E25	0	1	0	0	1
EMB18	2	0	2	0	4
GOLD	0	0	2	0	2
SP01/COM19	12	0	1	0	13
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	0	1	0	0	1
UNITED KINGDOM & REPUBLIC OF IRELAND total	132	20	24	3	179
SECTION	10	5	0	0	15
AP03/ED15/MTT17/PH036	1	0	0	0	1
BT02/CE08	2	0	7	1	10
C16	2	0	2	1	5
CAS04	10	0	0	0	10
CIS11	7	0	1	0	8
COM19	1	1	0	0	2
CS23/COM19	6	0	0	0	6
E25	0	0	3	0	3
ED15 (SCOTLAND)	1	0	0	0	1
ED15/PH036 (DUBLIN)	3	0	1	0	4
EMC27	4	4	0	1	9
GOLD	0	0	2	0	2
IA34	12	0	0	0	12
IE13	0	0	2	0	2
IM09	12	0	0	0	12
MAG33	6	0	0	0	6
OE22/GRS29	1	0	1	0	2
PE31	10	9	2	0	21
PEL35	3	0	1	0	4
R07/CPMT21	11	0	0	0	11
RA24	4	0	0	0	4
SMC28	1	1	1	0	3
SMC28 (IRELAND)	2	0	1	0	3
SP01	2	0	0	0	2
SSC37	13	0	0	0	13
TM14/PC26	3	0	0	0	3
VT06	5	0	0	0	5
WESTERN SAUDI ARABIA total	3	14	5	1	23
SECTION	1	11	5	1	18
C16	1	2	0	0	3
WOMEN IN ENGINEERING	1	1	0	0	2
Region 8 Non Sections total (region)	12	15	7	2	36
ALGERIA SUBSECTION	0	3	1	1	5
COM19 (UZBEKISTAN)	0	0	1	0	1
COM19/C16 (AZERBAIJAN)	4	0	1	1	6
MAURITIUS SUBSECTION	5	8	3	0	16
SUDAN SUBSECTION	1	3	1	0	5
TANZANIA SUBSECTION	0	1	0	0	1

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- Some recent and upcoming activities - a selection
- General focus points for 2013-14
- Plans and goals for 2013
- Director's calendar since the R8 Committee meeting in Tallinn, October 2012

Geographic unit and membership statistics - 31 December 2012 (2011)

- 56 (56) Sections
- 10 (9) Subsections
- 548 (524) Society Chapters
- 68 (63) Affinity Groups
- 415 (377) Student Branches
- 107 (83) Student Branch Chapters
- 54 (49) Student Branch Affinity Groups

- 77909 (76322) Members after the deactivator in February: 55288 (56533); down by 1245
- 55831 (54442) Non-students after the deactivator in February: 39651 (40434); down by 783
- 22078 (21880) Students after the deactivator in February: 15637 (16099); down by 462

- 79767 (80972) Society membership

General focus points for 2013-14

- Revitalize less active Sections, Chapters, Affinity Groups, Student Branches
- Help Subsections that reside directly under the Region to become a full Section
- Explore the possibility for new Geographic Units in those parts of our Region where no Sections exist
- Assist with the legal registration of Sections where required
- Be aware of the diversity in the Region (for instance, with respect to Member Development, Women in Engineering, Industry Relations, ...)
- Be aware of compliance and governance vs. frustration of volunteers (for instance, with respect to Section registration, Section reserves, Section Officers term limits, mandatory use of financial software, ...)

Recent and upcoming Section anniversaries (25, 40, 50, 60)

- 20 June 2012, United Arab Emirates, 25th anniversary
- 10 July 2012, UK & Rep of Ireland, 50th anniversary
- 21 August 2012, Hungary, 25th anniversary
- 1 December 2012, Poland, 40th Anniversary
- 28 March 2013, Norway, 50th anniversary

- 12 June 2013, Finland, 40th Anniversary
- 12 July 2013, Germany, 50th anniversary
- 18 August 2014: Turkey, 25th Anniversary
- 5 October 2014: Israel, 60th Anniversary
- 18 November 2013, Western Saudi Arabia, 25th anniversary

Plans and goals for 2013

Vice Chairs and their appointed Coordinators and Subcommittee Chairs are currently working on their plans and goals for 2013. These will be discussed with the Section Chairs during the upcoming Region 8 Committee meeting.

Past Director (Marko Delimar)

IEEE Region 8 Nominations & Appointments SubCommittee

- Composition: Marko Delimar (Croatia) – Chair, Martin Bastiaans (Benelux) – ex-officio, Costas Stasopoulos (Cyprus) – ex-officio, Pierre Borne (France) – elected, Elias Nassar (Lebanon) – elected, Maciej Ogorzalek (Poland) – elected
- Committee report submitted separately

IEEE Region 8 Strategic Planning SubCommittee

- Composition: Marko Delimar (Croatia) – Chair, Christopher James (UKRI), Saurabh Sinha (South Africa), Jorge Soares (Portugal/Switzerland)
- Committee report submitted separately

IEEE Region 8 Awards and Recognition SubCommittee

- Composition: Charles Turner (UKRI) – Chair, Victor Fouad Hanna (France) – Past Chair, Ahmed Darwish (Egypt), Jef Beerten (Benelux), Imre Rudas (Hungary), Marko Delimar (Croatia) – ex-officio
- Committee report submitted separately

Other IEEE Activities

- IEEE Secretary (Executive Officer) and Director (Member of the Board of Directors)
- Chair, IEEE Governance Committee
- Chair, IEEE Ad Hoc Committee on Activities in Europe
- Member, IEEE Strategic Planning Ad Hoc Committee
- Member, IEEE MGA Awards and Recognition Committee
- Member, Eric Herz Outstanding Staff Member Award Committee (IEEE Awards Committee)

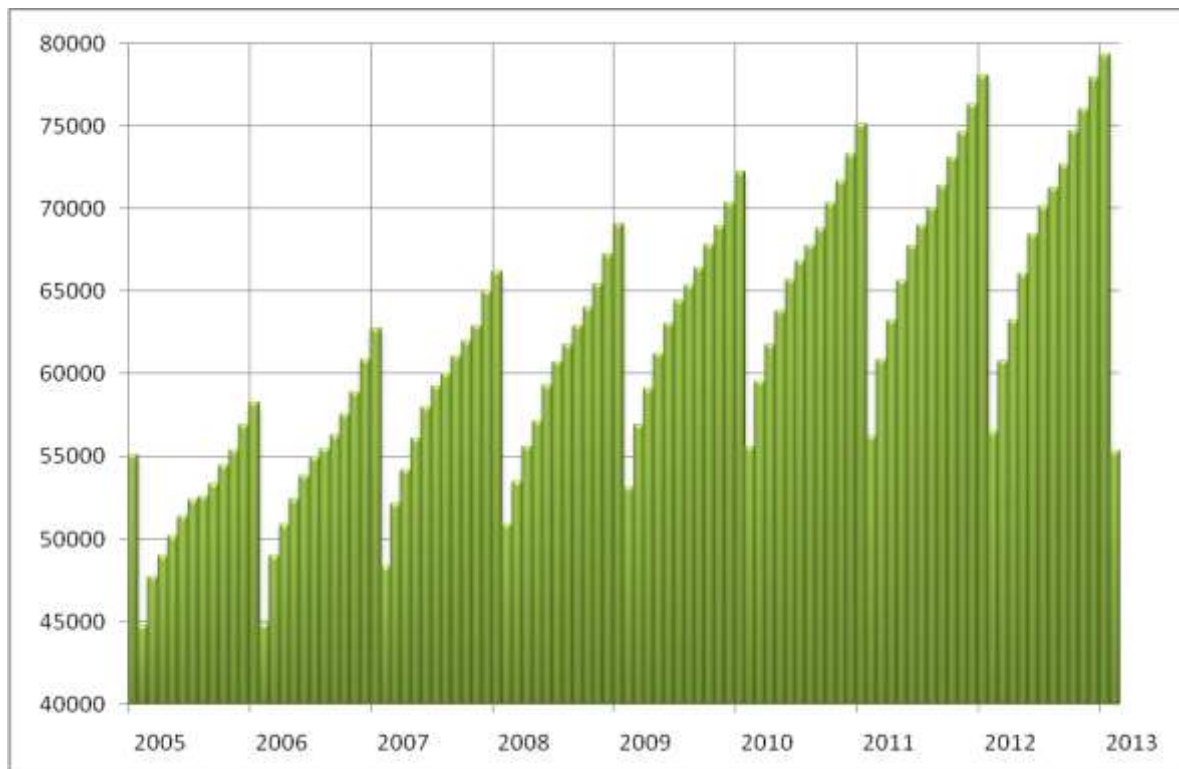
IEEE Conferences

- Steering Committee Chair, IEEE Smart Grid World Forum
- Honorary Chair, IEEE EUROCON

V/C Member Activities (Aleksandar Szabo)

At the Region 8 Committee Meeting in Tallinn I was elected for the position of the R8 Vice-Chair Member Activities (MA) for 2013. As the R8 Vice-Chair for MA I belong to the R8 Operation Committee. I am working with the following standing and ad-hoc coordinators/subcommittees: Graduates of the Last decade (GOLD), Membership Development (MD), Professional Activities (PA), Region 8 News, Sections Congress, Electronic Communications, History Activities, Jubilee Book, Life Members (LM) and Women in Engineering (WIE). The activity and cooperation of all these coordinators and subcommittees is extremely important for member activities in the Region and their organizational units. The success of the Regional MA volunteers strongly depends on the activity of Sections and its officers. The Section Officers belong to the Regional MA teams cooperating and working together. The Section MD Officers belong with Regional MD Officers to the MD Team, the Section GOLD Officers belong with the Regional GOLD Officers to the Regional GOLD Team, etc. Good team work will bring good results. In the field of Member Activities in Region 8 we

- Improve the value of IEEE membership by additional/new services and benefits
- Make members aware of IEEE activities and benefits
- Develop and help in non-technical activities (professional activities)
- Increase membership by recruitment, retention and recovery
- Develop local membership programs in cooperation with Sections
- Promote and support member grade elevation
- Assure IEEE membership promotion at IEEE conferences, workshops and meetings
- Cooperate with and support MA officers in Sections and provide training for them
- Help in formation, organization and development of organizational units
- Help to improve Section operation and vitality. Help in rejuvenation of organizational units
- Encourage communication and cooperation between organizational units
- Recognize volunteers. Look for good new volunteers
- Increase the Activity of GOLD
- Help WIE activity
- Increase LM engagement and LM Group formation. Encourage History activities
- Work on new ideas and new initiatives



The Region 8 **Membership Development (MD)** Subcommittee is coordinating the flow of information and the activity in recruiting, retaining and recovering membership. The membership statistics on the regional level is showing an increase from month to month in the period from March till January. At the end of February we have a significant drop in membership, because many members who have not renewed are deactivated. The drop is compensated by increased recruitment. The R8 MD Subcommittee and the Section MD Officers work together in recovering the deactivated members. Since we are from 1 March in the half-year dues period for new members, we have a good opportunity to increase our membership.

Graduates of the Last Decade (GOLD) is the group of IEEE members that have completed their first academic degree within the last 10 years. The GOLD program has been established to provide the framework and tools for the sections' use in retaining recent graduates. We need to take care about the young members.

Our GOLD SC is doing its job very well. There is an excellent cooperation between GOLD and the Student Activities Subcommittee. This is very important in preparing the students for the transition to the Member Grade because the Student Members are the future GOLD members and the Graduate Student Members are GOLD Members already. New GOLD Affinity Groups are formed in our Region.

Professional Activities (PA) include all activities which are of interest to IEEE members regarding their career and can enhance their non-technical skills. This includes, but is not limited to soft skills, psychology and sociology in business, leadership, engineering management and economic related topics. Enhancing their non-technical skills is an added value for our members, especially for the young ones. Hence the cooperation of PA with GOLD and students is of great importance.

The mission of **Women in Engineering (WIE)** is to facilitate the recruitment and retention of women in technical disciplines globally. The R8 WIE coordinator engages section WIE affinity groups and coordinators and offers advice and support for local WIE activities. There are big differences between countries in Region 8 concerning the conditions and participation of women in engineering. To help the WIE coordinator two WIE advisors have been appointed for the first time this year. Note that the IEEE Women in Engineering (WIE) is the largest international professional organization dedicated to promoting women engineers and scientists.

Life Members (LM) in Region 8 have still a great potential to form additional LM Groups. An IEEE Life Members Affinity Group is a local Unit of an IEEE Organizational Unit, established by petition, and concerned to represent and fulfil the needs of the local IEEE Life Members.

History Activities

A lot of work has been done in preserving Region 8 and Section history. Many oral histories of past directors have been completed. Several Milestones have been approved and others are in progress. HISTELCON has been organized in Pavia last September. There is still a great possibilities in the mentioned fields.

Region 8 News is still the only regional newsletter that is offered printed to all members in the whole of the IEEE with coverage of the different activities taking place in the Region released four times per year bundled with the IEEE Spectrum. Back issues are available in electronic format at the R8 News website.

The **Jubilee Book** for the 50 years Anniversary of Region 8 will be available in the printed and in the online version. The Region 8 Committee Meeting minutes, except four, are digitized. A poster exhibition will be organized during the Region 8 Meeting in Madrid containing in particular historic photographs. After finishing their work concerning the 50 years Anniversary, I expect that the members of the core group will continue to work in history activities.

Region 8 Committee members are continuously informed about the 2014 **Sections Congress** to be held in Amsterdam, its importance and all the plans and possibilities to attend.

Electronic Communications continue to facilitate communication in the R8 Committee and between the Committee and IEEE members.

V/C Student Activities (Pablo Herrero)

1. General

1.1 Officers

- R8 Vice-Chair, Student Activities (VCSA, RSAC): Pablo Herrero
- R8 Student Representative (RSR): Christian Schmidt
- Past Chair: Elias Nassar
- Student Paper Contest Coordinator: DjordjePaunovic
- Web Activities Coordinator: David Dias
- Awards and Contests Coordinator (c.a. A&R): Piotr Graca
- Student Branch Coordinator: Efthymia Arvaniti

1.2 Goals and Objectives

- Create more student membership benefits at all IEEE levels
- Develop student activities (including contests, awards and promotion programs)
- Foster student members' awareness of IEEE activities and existing benefits
- Support students' initiatives and inform other IEEE organizational units about them
- Represent student interests and voice student concerns
- Help with the formation of new Student Branches, Chapters, and Affinity Groups
- Help with communication between existing Branches, Chapters, and Affinity Groups
- Increase student membership and develop retention strategies
- Reach out to pre-university students
- Liaise with other IEEE committees such as GOLD, PA, EASC, WIE, etc.
- Link the Student and Graduate Student Members closer to the industry
- Bring more fun to IEEE!

1.3 Membership

As of January 2013 (January 2012):

- Students: 10845 (11378)
- Graduate Students: 12466 (12087)
- Total Students + Graduate Students: 23311 (23465)
- Total R8 IEEE : 79351 (78094)

1.4 New Student Branches and SB Affinity Groups since 01/2013

1.4.1 New Student Branches

The following plot shows the current status of pending and approved applications for new IEEE Student Branches in Region 8.

	Entry	Full application	Contact Chair/Counselor	Business plan review	Status	Date approved
Tunisia: Nat Eng School of Gabes (ENIG)	?					24-01-13
Tunisia: Nat Inst Applied Sci and Tech (INSAT)	?					24-01-13
Tunisia: Faculty of Science of Tunis - FST Student Branch	12-01-13	no	yes	yes		03-03-13
Poland: Politechnika Gdanska	?					24-01-13
Russia: St Petersburg State Poly	?					24-01-13
France: Tech de Belfort Montebeliard	?					24-01-13
Western Saudi Arabia: Taif University Student Branch	14-01-13	no	yes			
Spain: Universidad Politecnica de Cartagena Student Branch	22-01-13	yes	yes	yes		13-03-13
Cyprus: University of Nicosia Student Branch	16-01-13	no	yes	supported by section/yes		13-02-13
Nigeria: Covenant University Student Branch	28-01-13	no	yes	yes		18-02-13
Egypt: Al-Azhar University Student Branch	07-02-13	yes	yes	yes		05-03-13
Saudi Arabia: King Saud Uni	30-01-13	yes	yes	yes		18-02-13
Turkey: Mersin University	21-02-13	no	yes	yes		11-03-13
Tunisia: Nat. Eng School of Monastir (ENIM)	26-02-13	yes	yes			
Turkey: Karabuk University	27-02-13	yes	yes	yes		13-03-13
Turkey: Istanbul Bilgi	01-03-13	no	yes	yes		13-03-13
Greece: Peloponese University	05-03-13	yes	yes	yes		15-03-13
Turkey: University of Turkish aeronautical association	06-03-13	no	yes			
Tunisia: National School of Bizerte ENIB	15-03-13	yes	yes			
UAE: Al In University of Science (AAU)	26-03-13	yes	no			

1.4.2 New Student Branch Chapters

We approved 5 Student Branch Chapters in the period Jan-Apr. 2013.

- ISCTE University Inst of Lisbon, Robotics and Automation Society
- Istanbul Technical Univ, Computer Society
- University of Central Greece, Computer Society
- Univ Of Picardie Jules Verne Industry Applications Society Student Branch Chapter
- University Student Branch Nuclear and Plasma Sciences Society

2. Student Congresses and other events

The following cross-section SBCs are programmed for 2013:

Sectional SBC

Turkey Student Branch Congress	Izmir (Turkey)	04.02.2013 - 08.02.2013
Spanish Student Branch Congress	Valencia (Spain)	21.03.2013 - 24.03.2013

Cross Sectional SBCs

3rd Iberian Student Branch Congress (ISBC)	Porto (Portugal)	15.03.2013 - 17.03.2013
2nd Central European Student Branch Congress (CEuSBC)	Opole (Poland)	13.05.2013 - 15.05.2013
3rd Middle East Student Branch Congress (ME-SBC)	Beirut (Lebanon)	28.05.2013 - 01.06.2013
2nd Hellenic Student Branch Congress (HSBC)	Nicosia (Cyprus)	25.10.2013 - 27.10.2013

V/C Technical Activities (Carl Debono)

A block diagram of the current organization of the Technical Activities portfolio is shown in the figure at the bottom of this report. The standing committees / coordinators for 2013 are: chapter coordination, conference coordination, educational activities, industry relations, and standards. More information is available on the Technical Activities website:

<http://www.ieeer8.org/category/technical-activities/>

Since the last IEEE Region 8 Committee meeting, we continued building on the past best practices while having a changeover of volunteers during the first month of this year. I would like to take this opportunity to thank my predecessor, Saurabh Sinha, for all his support during these challenging times.

The **chapter coordination subcommittee** (ChCSC) has attended chapter chairs meetings and student branch chapter awareness meetings. There is a lot of potential for new chapters in Region 8 and the ChCSC will be working towards fostering chapter growth and disseminating best practices and benefits. The ChCSC has also decided the best chapter award for 2012.

The **conference coordination subcommittee** (CoCSC) has continued attracting technical and financial co-sponsorship of conferences. The memorandum of understanding is now automatically generated and approval is online. The new conference application is done using IEEE Conference Exchange (ICX) tool. ICX will continue to incorporate more tools to help conference organizers and streamline reporting. The CoCSC has also worked on a handbook to help conference organizers.

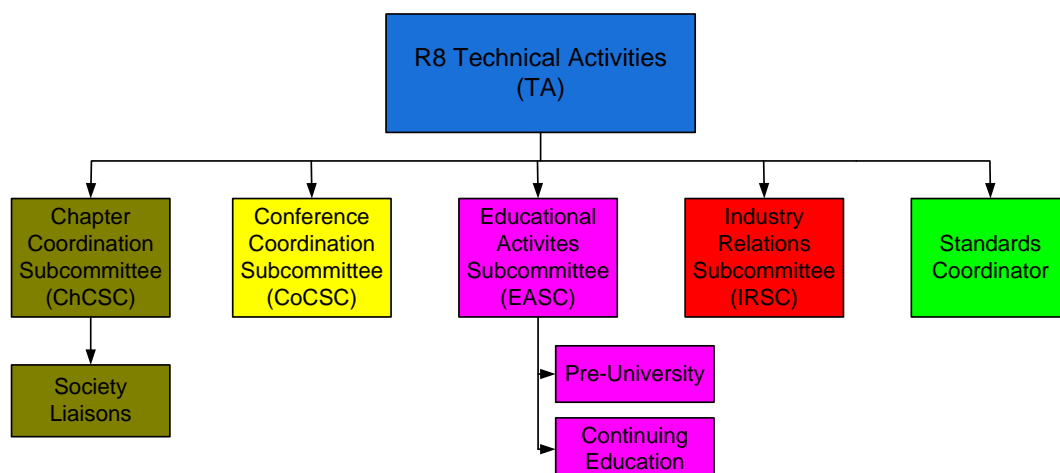
The **educational activities subcommittee** (EASC) is responsible for pre-university works (PUW), continuing education and university activities. Teacher In-Service Programme (TISP) hands-on workshops were delivered to increase awareness. The subcommittee also hosts a number of webinars both for continuing education and PUW. The EASC is also disseminating the X Academic project which is intended to provide new resources of education for students.

The **industry relations subcommittee** (IRSC) continues working in strengthening the link between industry and IEEE Region 8. This is done through promoting membership within industry, attracting support for activities, and encouraging networking. Webinars and awards are being planned for this year.

The **standards coordinator** works closely with IEEE-Standards Association (IEEE-SA) and the IEEE-SA &

EAB joint Standards Education Committee (SEC). In collaboration with these entities, talks and workshops on standards are being held in our Region 8 flagship conferences.

Overlap between the various subcommittees is being identified and during the meeting of the respective subcommittees in Madrid, interaction between the groups is being encouraged. The vice-chair for technical activities extends appreciation for the hard-work done by all volunteers involved in TA. The reports from the subcommittees/coordinators are found in the upcoming pages of this agenda booklet.



Treasurer (Brian Harrington)

Secretary (Ali El-Mousa)

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Secretary 2013

This my first report as R8 Secretary. I am grateful to all those who have voted for me and will try to do my best to earn the trust of those who have not. I think it is appropriate to review the responsibilities of the R8 Secretary as a reminder. According to the R8 bylaws and operations manual, the R8 Secretary, "is the chief administrative officer of the Region 8 Committee". " responsible for administrative matters pertaining to Region 8, including the timely preparation and distribution of the agenda and registration instructions for meetings of the Region 8 Committee and Region 8 OpCom. He/she shall also ensure that appropriate arrangements are in place for the compilation of registration data, for assistance with visas, and for hotel reservations for all those intending to be present at such meetings. During these meetings, the Secretary shall be responsible for the Roll Call, attendance records and taking the Minutes, assisted as required by the Electronic Communications Coordinator and/or other available supporting members. Following the meeting, the Secretary shall prepare and make available the Unapproved Minutes and where appropriate a list of Action Items in a timely manner, and provide for corrections to the Minutes to be made in an orderly and effective manner. After the Minutes have been approved by the Committee, the Secretary shall be responsible for their subsequent archiving and availability."

Of course, as in life, the secretary is usually involved in much more than the official duties above.

Our 99th R8 committee meeting in Tallin was a great success. It witnessed the elections of a new R8 OpCom under a new Director. I would like to thank the Estonia section for their warm welcome and support. The unapproved minutes of the meeting has been prepared by our Past Secretary just before he turned things over to me, for which I am grateful. You can find them on the [R8 Madrid web page](#).

The first meeting of the newly elected OpCom took place in Dubai, UAE late January 2013. The meeting went well although it was delayed due to unforeseen circumstances to do with flight cancelations of some members. Visa issues prevented the TA Vice Chair from attending. OpCom had a very good chance to meet and interact with the members and ExCom of the UAE section during their annual general meeting. Fruitful discussions took place and opportunities of cooperation between the section and R8 was explored. I would like to thank the UAE section leadership for their warm and generous hospitality.

I would like to thank the R8 Director, members of OpCom, R8 section chairs , and R8 committee members for their dedication, hard work and commitments to R8 and its affairs. Special thanks go to our past R8 secretary Costas Stasopoulos for his help and continuous support during the transition phase. Also, the support of our Electronics Communications Coordinator is highly appreciated

I am here to support you, if you have any problem please do not hesitate in contacting me.

For more info, comments, questions, and ideas please contact Ali El-Mousa at a.elmousa@ieee.org

Part III. Subcommittees

Awards & Recognition Subcommittee (A&RSC)

The 2013 Committee membership comprises: Charles Turner (Chair)
Victor Fouad Hanna (Past-Chair), Ahmed Darwish, Marko Delimar and Imre Rudas

The committee has continued to hold teleconferences on a regular basis. The main items currently being considered are:

- Giving greater publicity to the achievements of our members in Region 8, including an annual announcement of newly elevated Fellows;
- The continuing shortage of nominations for awards, in all categories (Region 8, MGA, and IEEE);
- The goal of having every Section appoint an awards officer/coordinator;
- Encouraging every Section to give an award to their outstanding volunteer of the year

Awards

- 2013 Region 8 Volunteer Award: Five nominations had been received this year. The winner will be announced at the Region 8 meeting in Madrid
- 2013 Region 8 Outstanding Section Award:
- Large Sections: two nominations were received. The winner will be announced at the Region 8 meeting in Madrid
- Small Sections: no nominations were received.
- Women in Engineering: 2013 Clementina Saduwa Award
- The WIE Affinity Group Committee had reported that the winner was
- Dr Fatma Abou-Chadi (Mansoura University, Egypt Section).
- New Awards
- The Committee had been advised that proposals were being put forward for a GOLD Volunteer Award Committee, and an Industry Relations Award, for consideration by the Region 8 Committee at its Madrid meeting.
- MGA Awards
- Region 8 was proposing to submit a nomination for the MGA Outstanding Section Award this year (deadline May15th)

Charles Turner (Chair ARC-8) April 2013

Chapter Coordination Subcommittee (ChCSC)

Members

- Elya B. Joffe (Israel Section)
- SimayAkar (Turkey Section)

Mission

Inspire, Enable, Empower and Engage Chapters of R8 for the purpose of:

- Fulfilling the mission of IEEE
- Enhancing the Chapter's growth and development
- Providing a professional home

Goals

- Increase member engagement in Chapters
- Increase operational efficiency and effectiveness of Chapters and Chapter Coordinators
- Improve relationships with and between Societies, Sections and Chapters
- Enhance collaboration with other IEEE organization units and other professional organizations

Functions

- Establish and maintain communications with the Societies and the R8 Chapters, and Societies
- Work with Societies' and Sections' Chapter Coordinators to help rejuvenate inactive R8 Chapters
- Assists the Sections and the Societies in the creation of new Region-8 Chapters
- Find meaningful solutions to concern and problems that are raised by the Region-8 Chapters
- Enhance R8 Chapter management
- Develop appropriate training curricula, materials, and programs for R8 Chapter officers, researching what the Societies have to offer
- Encourage mutual R8 Chapter support by Societies and Sections and the R8 Committee

Planned Activities

- Sharing Knowledge and Best Practice between Chapters and S/C Chapter Coordinators
- Development of Chapters e-mail Newsletter
- Enhance R8 chapter communications via Social Media
- S/C Chapter Chair leadership workshops in conjunction with R8 Conferences
- Improve current Awards Process and Develop Best Student Branch Chapter of the Year Award
- Enhance participation in Student Branch Chapter Congress Meetings
- Develop Section Student Chapter Ambassadors Ad-hoc Team

Conference Coordination Subcommittee (CoCSC)

Chair: [Jan Haase \(janhaase@ieee.org\)](mailto:janhaase@ieee.org) (IEEE Austria Section)

-Dirk van Hertem (Benelux)

-Stefano Zanero (Italy)

The CoCSC coordinates financially or technically co-sponsored conferences. Currently it consists of Jan Haase (Austria, CoCSC chair), Dirk van Hertem (Benelux), and Stefano Zanero (Italy).

The number of technically co-sponsored conferences increases, which leads to additional income for R8 due to the general administrative fee of \$500.00 for R8 involvement.

To support conference organizers, the CoCSC prepared a handbook (or “howto”) for conference organizers to be sure which steps to take and which forms to submit when and where. This handbook was created mostly by the work of Dirk van Hertem. The handbook itself can be downloaded from the R8 CoCSC webpage.

Follow-ups and timelines monitoring of flagship conferences has been initiated, Stefano Zanero is responsible for this action.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Dates of present and future R8 conferences

EUROCON 2013 will be held on July 1-4, 2013 in Zagreb, Croatia

AFRICON 2013 will be held on September 9-12, 2013 in Mauritius

MELECON 2014 will be held in April 2014 in Beirut, Lebanon

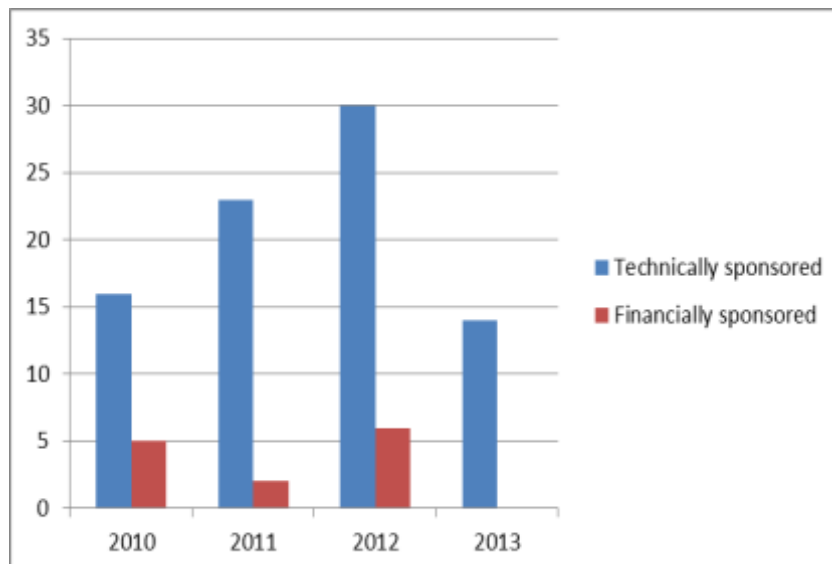
ENERGYCON 2014 will be held in May 2014 in Dubrovnik, Croatia

HISTELCON 2014 will be held in September 2014 in Israel

EUROCON 2015 – open, R8 is looking for candidates

MELECON 2016 – open, R8 is looking for candidates

ENERGYCON 2016 – open, R8 is looking for candidates



Educational Activities Subcommittee (EASC)

Chair: Niovi Pavlidou (niovi@auth.gr) (Greece Section)

The EASC team in R8 is now comprised by the three coordinators and a broader team of supporting volunteers, as follows:

- Sohaib Qamar Sheikh- Preuniversity Activities (UKRI)
 - Muhammad Mustafa
 - Joyce Mwangama
 - Riadh Besbes
- Rui Costa -University Activities (Portugal)
- Niovi Pavlidou -Continuing Education (Greece)
 - George Papadopoulos

Detailed accomplished and planned (for the year 2013) activities of the committee are given below.

Accomplished Activities:

- The team reorganized the EASC webpage hosted in R8 where all the activities and the history of the committee are visible: <http://www.ieeer8.org/category/technical-activities/educational-activities/>
- Webinar: Risk Assessment & Risk Management, Ali Hessami, February 28, 2013
- X Academic Presentation at IEEE Turkish Chairpersons Meeting 2013, Izmir, Turkey, February 4-9, 2013
- TISP Hands-on Workshop and EPICS-in-IEEE presentation at the IEEE Turkish Chairperson's Meeting 2013, Izmir, Turkey, February 4-9, 2013
- EPICS-in-IEEE awareness presentation at the IEEE UK&RI Student Branch Chair Meeting, London, United Kingdom, March 1, 2013
- TISP Hands-on Workshop and EPICS-in-IEEE awareness presentation during The IEEE Jordan Section Students Meeting , Amman, March 9, 2013
- TISP Hands-on Workshop and EPICS-in-IEEE awareness presentation during The IEEE Iberian Student Branch Congress, Porto, March 15, 2013
- X Academic Presentation during The IEEE Iberian Student Branch Congress, Porto, March 15, 2013
- Webinar: Engineering Analysis of Effective Educational Assessment Techniques, Riadh Besbes, March 26, 2013

Future Activities:

The main focus will be on increasing the awareness about TISP and EPICS-in-IEEE-in-IEEE in the region through outreach events and training volunteers to align with their local section education activities team. A targeted effort will be made to coordinate with local sections to identify and support pre-university opportunities. A total of 12 events are being planned, organized or supported to achieve this goal.

Focus will be given on spreading the word about the IEEE-X Academic project to sections and student branches. A series of presentations are prepared about the project to be performed in the next months:

Central European SBC 2013 - 13-15 May

A webinar on parallel programming is scheduled April 2, 2013, and another one on Industrial Automation is scheduled, early May 2013.

A workshop on Educational Activities in South-East Europe Sections is being scheduled.

Electronic Communications Coordinator (ECC)

George Michael, Region 8 ECC

The Region 8 Electronic Communication Coordinator's job is to facilitate communication, both between members of the Region 8 Committee, and between this committee and present or future IEEE members.

IEEE Region 8 website (<http://www.ieee.org/r8>)

The IEEE Region 8 website serves as a common reference point for all information regarding our Region. It supports besides hosting of articles, the hosting of photo galleries and document repositories. From the website you can get information about: latest news regarding R8, offers and services from IEEE, jobs, the full section roster and links to the sections' websites, links to important conferences, IEEE related important links and many more.

We are always accepting new articles so feel free to let us know of what your Section is doing so that we can let the whole Region know.

Security Issues:

As part of the activities of the ECC to provide a stable and consistence electronic service to the users, several features of the website and other supporting websites, were tested for security holes. Problematic modules were removed immediately.

Facebook Integration:

The IEEE Region 8 website now offers an automated way that allows an author to post both on the R8 website and on the R8 group in Facebook without additional effort.

Statistics:

According to the monitoring tool that has been installed on our websites these are the statistics that were obtained over the period from the 22nd of September 2012 to the 27th of March 2013. Over this period, around 47,500 people visited the website and over 103,000 pages were viewed with our homepage almost hitting 45.84% of the traffic with more than 47,000 page views. On an average visit, a user stays for about a minute and a half.

Our visitors come from 150 countries/territories all around the world, many of whom are outside Region 8.

Performance:

In an attempt to improve the quality of service for our website we are now using the CloudFlare service that provides us with Caching/Mirroring and Firewall services.

Mailing Lists (<http://listserv.ieee.org/>)

It is the responsibility of the ECC to maintain the Region's mailing lists - depending on the type of group or list - this means adding/deleting members if subscribing is not permitted or reviewing/editing messages if moderating is required. In all cases, the owners send the **original** email to the members of the group or list. Important lists can always be found at the homepage of our site.

vTools (<http://vtools.ieee.org/>)



vTools abbreviation stands for "Volunteer Tools". vTools simplify the administrative tasks to our volunteers via use of online tools, reduce time spent managing activities, and assist in member development.

vTools are developed and made possible by IEEE volunteers. The toolbox simplifies administration by offering web based software, reduces time spent managing activities, and assists in member development.

As part of the ongoing training on vTools a presentation will be given at the 100th IEEE Region 8 Committee Meeting that will take place in Madrid, Spain, on the 19th of April, during the Region 8 Chapter Coordination Committee Meeting.

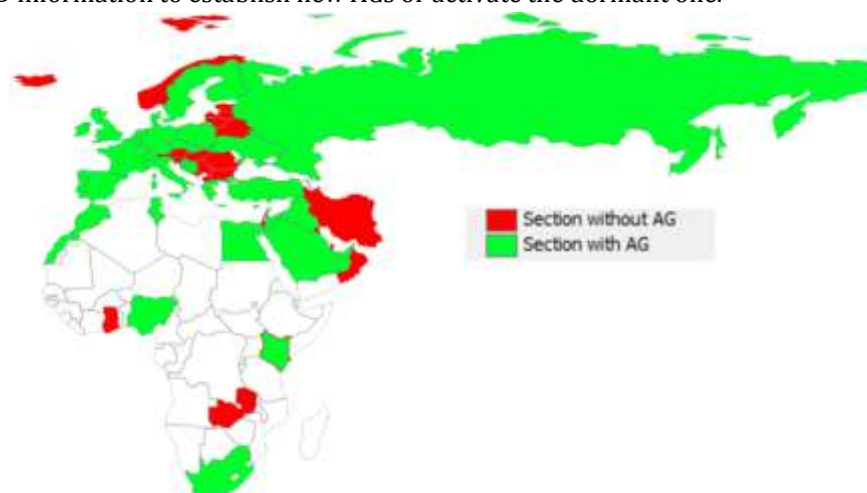
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GOLD Subcommittee

Committee members: Rafal Sliz (Chair), Nele Reynders, Elena Pareja Monturiol, Amir Zahoor, Salima Kaissi (Past Chair).

IEEE members that have completed their first academic degree within the last 10 years belong to the group of Graduates of Last Decade (GOLD). The GOLD program has been established to provide the framework and tools for the sections' use in retaining recent graduates. In our region over 40% of members are GOLD members, meaning that this large group requires effective maintenance and complex help if needed. The Region 8 GOLD Committee coordinates efforts done by GOLD volunteers and motivate young professionals to develop their future. This report shortly introduces progress and achievements of this committee. Most of our tasks focus on four main points:

- GOLD Affinity Groups (AGs) maintenance:
 - Initialisation of new affinity groups - (two new AGs in 2013: Poland, Kenya),
 - Assistance to existing 34 AGs,
 - Revitalisation of dormant groups, 8 groups are dormant and inactive,
 - Recognition and motivation of young members to establish new AGs – still 21 Sections without GOLD AG,
 - Regular teleconference meetings with GOLD Chairs.
- Recognition of outstanding volunteers and affinity groups:
 - Annual Region 8 GOLD Outstanding Affinity Group Award for exceptional GOLD AG: 2011 Egypt, 2012 Croatia,
 - Nominations for MGA GOLD Hall of Fame Award – 2011 Finland, 2012 Egypt, 2013 two nominations: Croatia and Tunisia,
 - A new initiative to establish Region 8 GOLD Outstanding Volunteer Award to recognize the remarkable work done by GOLD volunteers.
- Increase the visibility and awareness of IEEE among young professionals:
 - Well recognized GOLD website,
 - Activities in social media - Facebook (+15,3%), LinkedIn (+14,7), Tweeter,
 - Regular input in GOLD Rush and R8 Newsletter,
 - Remarkable involvement in Student Branch Congresses: ISBC13, CEuSBC13, MESBC13,
 - Design and manufacturing of promotional materials.
- Membership development of young professionals:
 - Inform GOLD Chairs about MD data related to their AGs,
 - Implementation of the automatic MD information program
 - Analysis of MD information to establish new AGs or activate the dormant one.



	GOLD Members January 2013	Percentage of total members	GOLD Members February 2013	Percentage of total members
Active GOLD	15941	43,68 %	9321	40,10 %

Rafal Sliz, GOLD Subcommittee Chair

History Activities Coordinator

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

An overview of some History activities is given and Section Chairs are asked to encourage the production of good histories of their Section and the generation of proposals for IEEE History Milestones.

Activity Report

IEEE History Committee: I was a member for 2012, and attended meetings in Newark, USA and in Milan, Italy as well as participating in their teleconferences. I

I also chaired an ad-hoc subcommittee of the History Committee with the task of making recommendations for improvements to the ease of use and effectiveness of the IEEE Global History Network (GHN). I have also been involved with UKRI Section history activities through the UKRI Life Members Activity Group.

Oral Histories of Past R8 Directors: Those of Reginald Russell, Rolf Remshardt, Baldomir Zajc, Basil Osborne and Jean Lebel have been completed and typed transcripts are now on the GHN website.

For example see http://www.ieeeghn.org/wiki/index.php/Oral-History:Jean_Lebel

and http://www.ieeeghn.org/wiki/index.php/Oral-History:Reginald_Russell

The audio recordings are available on request.

HISTELCON 2012 took place in Pavia, Italy, in September. I presented two papers. It was an excellent conference in nice surrounding with one day held at the Museum of Electrical Technology of the University of Pavia. The papers will be in IEEE Xplore. Unfortunately, attendance numbers were rather low.

IEEE Historic Milestone plaques: several have been approved and others are 'in progress'. One for the invention of holography by Dennis Gabor is to be unveiled at Imperial College London on 12th June 2013, and some others in the UKRI Section are going through the proposal development stages. A Milestone in Croatia is expected to be approved shortly.

There are many opportunities for Milestones in the Sections of R8, and Section Chairs are asked to encourage volunteers in their Section to take an interest in preparing proposals. Typically, it takes about two years from start to final approval and installation. It is notable that even some large Sections in R8 have no or very few milestones.

Cooperation between IEEE History Center and the IET Archives: I am chairing an informal subcommittee to advise on the development of mutually beneficial cooperation and to make some constructive proposals.

Section Histories: The R8 Jubilee celebrations provide a focus for the production of histories of the Sections (including their Chapters). A number have already done this, but many are not yet completed or are very limited. The best destination for such histories is the GHN, and a link from Section web pages can then be provided. I will be glad to try to advise or help any Sections who feel a need for it.

Industry Relations Subcommittee (IRSC)

Members

- **Andreas Neumeier (Germany Section)**
- **Steven Nightingale (UK&IR Section)**

Goals

In line with the technical activities (TA) core values:

- **Inclusiveness** – Cooperate with industrial organizations to support IEEE activities
- **Networking** – Establish and increase contact(s) with industry
- **Professionalism** – Demonstrate highest level of professional and ethical standards.
- **Technical Excellence** – High quality scientific and technical information.
- **Volunteerism** – Enable volunteers to contribute to Industry Relations.

Functions

- Support sectional engagement with local and international industries
- Support Section IROs
- Provide IRO Guidebook
- Network between Industry, Academia and IROs

Planned Activities

- Recurring call between IROs
- Knowledge and Best Practice Sharing between IROs
- Awards

Jubilee Book Coordinator

Within the period from October 2012 to March 2013 the Core Group of the Editorial Board consisting of the project champions Tony Davies, Martin Bastiaans, Kurt Richter, Roland Saam, and Charles Turner had two Skype conferences in which reports concerning the progress of the anniversary projects described below were analyzed and discussed.

Anniversary Projects:

- **Jubilee Book - Printed Version**
 - As reported before the printed version of the Jubilee Book will be published as a special issue of the Region 8 News. The finished product is delivered to Piscataway. About 300 copies of it will be handed out to all participants and guests at the Region 8 Committee Meeting in Madrid.
 - The great majority of members in Region 8 would get the Special Issue via the first available mass mailing of Spectrum, probably in May/June.
 - An online version would be available for members who do not receive the hard copies of Spectrum. This online version can be downloaded as needed.
 - More hard copies of the Special Issue may be requested by the Section Chairs which will be delivered to them by mail.
- **Oral History Interviews**
 - The oral history interviews will be continued and the transcriptions will be posted to the Global History Network (GHN). The next interviews are planned during the Madrid meeting with Peer-Martin Larsen, Kurt Richter and if time permits with a third Past-Director present.
- **Web-based History**
 - The articles and contributions in context with the Region 8 history will be posted either to the history section on the Region 8 homepage or to the GHN.
 - Unfortunately, the Section histories on GHN are still incomplete and fragmentary.
- **Minutes of the Region 8 Meetings**
 - As reported in the last meeting in Tallinn, Estonia, all minutes, except four, are digitized.
- **Poster Exhibition in Madrid**
 - A poster exhibition will be organized during the Region 8 Meeting in Madrid containing in particular historic photographs.

This report will be updated at the R8 Meeting in Madrid, Spain.

Finally, I will take opportunity to thank the members of the Core Group and all persons with whom I had the pleasure to work together for the last 2 years and in particular for their support during the time when I have faced some health problems in 2012.

Kurt R. Richter

R8 Jubilee Book Coordinator

Life Member Coordinator

Highlights from the past

- Former LM Coordinator Aleksandar Szabo ended his term on 31 December 2012 and we congratulate him on his activities. As of 1 January 2013, Jacob Baal-Schem has been appointed.
- IEEE Region 8 has actually about 1100 Life Members.
- IEEE Region 8 has actually 10 Life members affinity groups (LMAG) in the following Sections:

Section	LM Group Chair	E-mail
Croatia Section	Branka Zovko-Cihlar	branka.zovko@fer.hr
France Section	Michel Poloujadoff	michel.poloujadoff@upmc.fr
Greece Section	Athanasios N Safacas	a.n.safacas@ece.upatras.gr
Hungary Section	Gabor Ban	ban.gabor@vet.bme.hu
Israel Section	Jacob Baal-Schem	j.baal.schem@ieee.org
Italy Section	Stefano Levialdi	levialdi@di.uniroma1.it
Slovenia Section	Baldomir Zajc	b.zajc@ieee.org
Spain Section	Jose A.Delgado-Penín	delpen@tsc.upc.edu
Switzerland Section	Hugo Wyss	h.wyss@ieee.org
UK&RI Section	Roland Saam	r.saam@ieee.org

- The following Sections in IEEE Region 8 have more than 50 Life Members, and no LMAG: Benelux (108), Germany (167), Sweden (86).
- These Sections especially and all Section in general, are invited to establish Life Member Groups.
- In order to establish an IEEE LMAG the petition must be signed by 6 members.
- The advantages of having an LMAG include the provision of a budget of \$1000 per LMAG, provided by the IEEE LM Committee, for activities approved by the LM Regional Coordinator.
- Existing Region 8 Life Member Affinity Groups hold meetings, assist Chapters, Gold Affinity Groups and Student Branches in common projects and help in recruitment and retention of IEEE members.
- Israel and Croatia have been cited as exemplary LM groups for their activities in former years.

Future activities

- A proposal has been sent to MGA and Region 8 that at the occasion of Sections Congress 2014 one day should be a "Life Members Day" with special lecture and activities for IEEE Life Members.
- Life Members will be incited to write "First Hand Histories" to be stored in IEEE GHN, in order to commemorate their activities and their participation in technological developments.
- Life Members will be invited to assist their section to initiate IEEE Milestone Proposals on events performed in their area more than 25 years ago.
- Holding up to date the Region 8 Life Member web page.
- It is intended to get more information on Life Members and their activities in Region 8 News.

Best practices

- IEEE Sections have been reminded that IEEE Life Members should pay a reduced fee (Student fee or lower) at IEEE sponsored events.
- IEEE Sections should incite older members to continue paying their dues until the age of 65 in order to enjoy the advantages of becoming Life Members.

Jacob Baal-Schem
IEEE Region 8 Life Members Coordinator
IEEE Life Members Committee Member

Membership Development Subcommittee (MDSC)

1. MDSC composition

Antonio Luque, Spain Section, Chair
 Andreas Koltes, UKRI Section, Member
 Adeel Sultan, UAE Section, Corresponding member
 Vincent Kaabunga, Kenya Section, Corresponding member

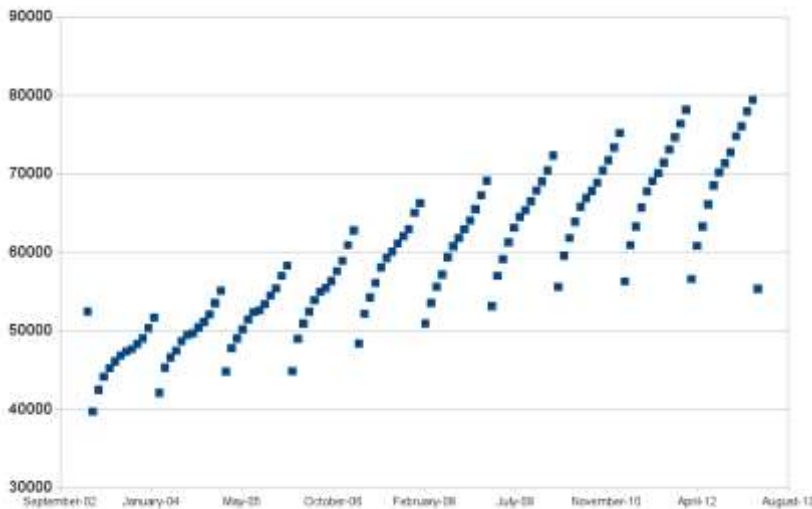
2. Goals for 2013

Involve all members of the MD subcommittee in the activities, dividing the tasks and having frequent communication
 Focus on two specific areas (Africa and Middle East), whose members share some characteristics
 Use the opportunity that the large number of IEEE conferences held yearly in R8 present for MD
 Encourage members to attract new ones by making them feel they are helping their colleagues when bringing them to IEEE
 Promote conversions from Associate to Member and from Member to Senior Member grade
 Promote e-membership in the region
 Collaborate with students and GOLDies in smoothing the transition to professional grade

3. Activities carried out during 2013

Presentation of MDSC to all Section MD officers
 Coordination with MRRC chair, Ed Perkins, and MD coordinator, Cathy Downer, via teleconference
 Delivery of R8 MD Newsletter in March
 Coordination with the campaign initiated by HQ to reach members in arrears
 Campaign to contact Sections with lowest retention and work with them to identify their local problems and help in solving them

4. Membership statistics



R8 Membership at the end of February was 55,288, distributed as:

R8	Feb 2013	'13 vs '12
Members	55,288	-1245
Higher grade	39,651	-783
Students	15,637	-462

5. Members in arrears

Currently there are 25k members in arrears (members in 2012 who did not renew for 2013), and 57k active members in R8. Recovery of these members is of utmost importance and several campaigns are directed towards them. More detailed information per Section is offered in the web version of this report.

Antonio Luque, IEEE Region 8 Membership Development Coordinator/Subcommittee Chair

Nominations and Appointment Subcommittee (N&ASC)

by Marko Delimar

January-April 2013

IEEE Region 8 Nominations & Appointments SubCommittee Composition

- Marko Delimar (Croatia) – Chair, Martin Bastiaans (Benelux) – ex-officio, Costas Stasopoulos (Cyprus) – ex-officio, Pierre Borne (France) – elected, Elias Nassar (Lebanon) – elected, Maciej Ogorzalek (Poland) – elected

IEEE Annual Election 2013

- Key dates
 - 15 April - Deadline to note intention to petition
 - 14 June - Petition nominations for candidates to be elected by the membership must be received
 - 15 August - IEEE annual election ballots are sent to all voting members on record as of 30 June
 - 1 October - Last day for receipt of ballots from voting members
- List of candidates: <http://www.ieee.org/about/corporate/election/candidates.html>
- Note: Region 8 Delegate-Elect/Director-Elect is elected once in two years (see 2014)

IEEE Annual Election 2014

- Region 8 Delegate-Elect/Director-Elect will be elected in this election
- This individual elected will serve on the IEEE Assembly 2017-2018, IEEE Board of Directors 2017-2018, MGA Board 2017-2018, IEEE Region 8 Committee 2015-2020 (as chair 2017-2018) and IEEE Region 8 Operations Committee 2015-2020 (as chair 2017-2018); as a Director-elect (2015-2016) this individual will be invited to attend IEEE Board of Directors and IEEE MGA Board meetings (as part of preparation and education for the later service)
- Election timeline:
 - April 2013 – Call for nominations announced (due 1 July 2013)
 - August 2013 – R8 N&A proposes a slate
 - October 2013 – R8 Committee selects the slate
 - March 2014 – The slate is included in the annual election ballot
 - See dates above (2013) for approximate 2014 election dates
- Position descriptions are available here: http://www.ieee.org/about/corporate/position_descriptions.html
- Call for nominations will be announced at the IEEE Region 8 Meeting in Madrid, Spain on 20-21 April 2013

IEEE Region 8 Elections 2013

- In October 2013 the IEEE Region 8 Committee will select IEEE Region 8 Vice-Chairs for 2014
- All nominations are due 1 July 2013, the three current vice-chairs are eligible for election
- Unless a vacancy occurs, no new R8 N&A members will be selected in 2013

Additional information

- All additional information will be presented at the IEEE Region 8 Meeting in Madrid, Spain on 20-21 April 2013

Professional Activities Subcommittee (PASC)

The IEEE R8 Professional Activities Sub-Committee (PASC) team:

Jan Verveckken, Chair (Benelux Section),

Marc-Joe Chedid (Lebanon Section),

Urmet Janes (Estonia Section)

Han Van Loon (Switzerland Section), Corresponding Member

Matej Zajc (Slovenia Section) Corresponding Member

Hafidh Al-Samarrai (Saudi Arabia West Section) Corresponding Member

1. Highlights from the past

- Sections contacted to organize events to increase the level of activities within the region. Several workshops successfully planned for autumn-winter this year with organization of local PA volunteers.
- In July Professional Activities Summit held within the program of SBC 2012 in Madrid, Spain. Three parallel workshops attracted volunteers at the half-day event (report published in R8 News).
- Sections contacted to propose new PA trainers/speakers to increase the available volunteers and PA topics in Region 8.
- Established active contacts with other committees and IEEE bodies, e.g. IEEE Professional Communication Society.
- Maintenance of a web page with details on PA activities and contacts.
- PASC Presentation was delivered by Emilio Corchado at SBC 2012 to student and GOLD members of Region 8.
- PASC Presentation at Sections Congress 2011 was recorded as a webinar this summer and will be available for online viewing. Best practices in the area of professional activities in Region 8 were presented by Matej Zajc, PASC chair. SBC 2012 PA track
- Appointment of new PA subcommittee

2. Future activities

- Contacting Sections for requests of activities
- Contacting Sections about appointing/updating PA officers
- Organize annual PA Summit
- Update PA Handbook
- Update PA trainers/presenters database

3. Best practices

1. Early contact with PA team for any activities
2. Reporting on PA activities from a sectional perspective
3. SAC/GOLD Cooperation
4. Appointing sectional PA volunteers

4. Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

5. Expanding service of Professional Activities beyond workshops/trainings; Establishing a program of PA in R8
6. Many sections do not have PA officer listed (29 out of 56)
7. Increase cooperation with other institutions (e.g. JCI)
8. Collect and promote best tools and practices for online collaboration (webinars, presentation and documents sharing and publishing etc)

Jan Verveckken, Professional Activities Coordinator/Subcommittee Chair

Region 8 News

IEEE Region 8 News is published and printed by the IEEE Region 8 Committee. It is a membership benefit which is sent free with IEEE Spectrum to more than 70,000 IEEE members in Europe, Middle East and Africa. The newsletter is written by many contributors from all over Region 8.

The Increasing Size

The December 2013 issue of Region 8 News is another 16-page issue which means we have been increased the size of the newsletter again from June 2012. On one hand this is because of making three issues in 2012 to accommodate the work required for the Jubilee book special issue, on the other hand it also reflects the increasing requirement of our members to share their activities, organised events and meetings with all Region 8 members. More importantly, half of those contributions are from the GOLD and Student members.

- Marko has shared his message with all the Region8 members in this issue as he is passing the director's responsibility to Martin in 2013.

Articles Contributed by Members: Region News (14), Section News (19), GOLD News (5), WIE News (1), Student News (29)

Student Branch and GOLD Congress 2012 Madrid

The congress this time has been covered from both Student and GOLD subcommittee articles as well as an article on its own. Again, it shows the passion, energy and great spirit from the student and GOLD members and also great help from the R8 committee and Spain Section to make it such a successful gathering.

Promotion of the GHN (IEEE Global History Network) website

We are encouraging members to contribute to the history of Electrical, Electronics, and computer technologies that have dramatically transformed the world during 19th and 20th centuries.

By the time we are writing this report, we are in the final stage of making modifications to the Region8 News special issue: **the Jubilee book**. It is a celebration of the 50 years of Region8, which is a significant milestone for all members in the region and also outside.

Jubilee Book Work Group:

Jubilee Book Coordinator: Kart Richter

Jubilee Book Editor: Charles Turner

History Activities: Tony Davies

R8 Director: Martin Bastiaans

R8 Treasurer: Brian Harrington

Region 8 News Editor: Roland Saam

Region 8 Editor: Zhijia Huang

Technical Editor: Ali Dabbs

- Contributions from Our Members

Really appreciate the contributions from all our members to provide material and photos to show the great history of IEEE Region8 from its birth (The Origins of IEEE Region8), its growth (Activity in Eastern Europe; The Middle East, Africa) and current status.

- Remarks from IEEE President, R8 Director, the Past Directors and the Editors
- Introduction to the Various Achievement of Region 8 and its members in the past 50 years

Membership Growth, Section Development, Technical Activities, Roll of Honour and Recognitions, Student and GOLD Activities, The IEEE Milestones in Region 8, Conferences, Standards, Professional Activities, Life Members, Women in Engineering

Looking ahead for 2013

- Welcoming the New Volunteers

As there are increasing amount of articles for each issue of Region 8 news, it is good time to introduce more volunteers to the team. It could bring us new capability and new thoughts regarding how the newsletter will be.

- Embrace the digital era of publishing

Another thought that we having been preparing is to run some small projects to see how we can bring the newsletter closer to the members through the digital channel.

The Editors: Roland J. Saam (UK&RI Section) and Zhijia Huang (UK&RI Section)

Section Congress Coordinator

22-25 August 2014

Rai Convention Center, Amsterdam, Netherlands

IEEE Sections Congress, held every three years since 1984, provides IEEE Section leadership with a priceless opportunity to impact the future of IEEE.

Sections Congress is a gathering of IEEE grassroots leadership to:

- network with other Section leaders;
- attend training programs;
- develop recommendations to guide the future of IEEE.

SC2014 in particular aims at:

- providing an opportunity for delegates to gain information and training skills;
- networking and building relationships with other volunteers within IEEE;
- serving as a forum for Section representatives and other local leaders, enabling them to voice – on behalf of the collective membership – the ideas, issues, and recommendations which will impact the development and growth of IEEE throughout the world, reinforcing its vitality and relevance to those it serves.

The caucuses will generate specific, practical recommendations for action, which will be delivered to the IEEE Board of Directors for implementation in strategic planning for the future of IEEE.

Who should participate?

A primary Section delegate, i.e. a member of the Section designated by the Section Executive Committee to represent the Section at the Sections Congress.

SC2014 Home

http://www.ieee.org/societies_communities/geo_activities/sections_congress/2014/sections_congress_2014.html

Region 8 Sections Congress 2014 Coordinator

Athanasios (Thanos) Skodras (skodras@ieee.org)

Internal to Region 8, Thanos is supported by Saurabh Sinha (ssinha@ieee.org)

Standards Coordinator

David Law (dlaw@hp.com) (IEEE UKRI Section)

IEEE position paper standards in the engineering curriculum

To promote the 'IEEE Position Paper on the Role of Technical Standards in the Curriculum of Academic Programs in Engineering, Technology and Computing' with the various IEEE R8 local and regional accreditation bodies as well as national and regional standards development organisations. Work on the possibility of national and regional standards development organisations endorsing, or adopting this position paper as ANSI already has done so.

The position paper has been introduced to some national and regional standards development organisations in Europe through IEEE-SA outreach activities.

Standards speakers, tracks at conferences and meetings

The IEEE-SA Standards Board will be meeting in Brussels Belgium from Wednesday 12th June through Friday 14th June.

The IEEE-SA Global Activities have worked with the EuroCon 2013 conference organiser to provide a SmartGrid panel session at EuroCon 2013 in Zagreb, Croatia.

The IEEE 802 July plenary will be taking place at the ITU HQ in Geneva from Monday 15th through Friday 19th July 2013.

The IEEE 802.1 and IEEE 802.3 September Interim meeting week will be taking place in York, England from Monday 2nd through Friday 6th September 2013.

The IEEE-SA sponsored Standardisation and Innovation in Information Technology (SIIT) conference will be taking place from Tuesday 24th through Thursday 26th September 2013 in Sophia-Antipolis, France.

Standards education

Provide educational content about IEEE standard, both about the process, for example the inclusion of patented technology in standards, and also about the various standards themselves. (Collaboration with IEEE Standards Education Committee (SEC)). The IEEE 802 university outreach program aims at exposing both students and faculty members to IEEE 802 standards development so that they may increase their understanding of the importance that standards play within engineering technology, may feel more comfortable in participating in the process if they do in the future during their academic careers, or subsequently as practicing engineers,

Encourage IEEE R8 students and faculty mentors to apply for IEEE SEC mini-grants program to help with graduate and capstone design projects with an industry standards component. The IEEE then publishes the results as a Student Application Paper. (Collaboration with Student Activities) The next deadline for Student Application Paper mini-grant applications is 15th June 2013.

Strategic Planning SubCommittee

by Marko Delimar
January-April 2013

IEEE Region 8 Strategic Planning SubCommittee Composition

- Marko Delimar (Croatia) – Chair, Christopher James (UKRI), Saurabh Sinha (South Africa), Jorge Soares (Portugal/Switzerland)

Current activity

- Alignment with the IEEE and MGA strategic process
- Creation of the list of relevant issues to be addressed by the IEEE Region 8 SPC

IEEE Priorities, endorsed by the IEEE Board of Directors 17 February 2013

- Leverage IEEE's technology-related insight to provide governments, NGOs, and other organizations with innovative, practical recommendations to address public policy issues
- Ensure we are in front of disruptions (technology, social, etc.) affecting our operations
- Expand nimble, flexible, disband-able IEEE communities allowing individuals from all around the world to share, collaborate, network, debate and engage with one another
- Provide an agile forum for discussion, development and implementation of emerging technologies

A selection of past IEEE Region 8 strategic planning reports and activities

- London, March 2011, Director's report, by Marko Delimar
<http://www.ieeer8.org/wp-content/uploads/downloads/2011/12/Director.pdf>
- London, March 2011, 2010 R8 Strategic Planning, by Jean Gabriel Remy
<http://www.ieeer8.org/wp-content/uploads/downloads/2011/12/SP.pdf>
- San Francisco, August 2011, SPC Report, by Jozef Modelski
<http://www.ieeer8.org/wp-content/uploads/downloads/2011/12/SPC.pdf>
- Berlin, March 2012, SPC Report, by Jozef Modelski
<http://www.ieeer8.org/wp-content/uploads/downloads/2012/03/Berlin-AdHoc-Report-Strategic-Planning-Committee.pdf>
- Tallin, October 2012, SPC Report, by Jozef Modelski
<http://www.ieeer8.org/wp-content/uploads/downloads/2012/09/Strategic-Planning.pdf>

Additional information

- Additional information will be presented at the IEEE Region 8 Meeting in Madrid, Spain on 20-21 April 2013
- Region 8 Committee members will be actively involved with the expansion/creation and prioritisation of strategic issues

Voluntary Contribution Fund Coordinator

By Daniel Pasquet

Jan. - Mar. 2013 IEEE Region 8 Voluntary Contribution Fund										
VCF No	First Name	Last Name	Grade	Section	Status / notes	Approved up to [USD]	Transferred amount [USD]	Amount requested	Conference	Endorser
TS13-01	Riadh	Besbes	M	Tunisia	Not in Region 8			1000,00	Engineering Design Education Conference Santa Clara, USA March 4-5, 2013	Mourad Loulou
TS13-02	Mohammad	Abu Taha		Palestine	Not a member			1500,00	The International Conference on Information and Intelligent Systems Sousse, Tunisia, March 24-25, 2013	
TS13-03	Ayman	Massaoudi	S	Tunisia	Waiting for chair's endorsement			991,00	VTC Spring 2013, Dresden, Germany, June 2-5, 2013	
TS13-04	Roman	Chernobrovkin	S	Ukraine	Being processed			738,00	EuCAP, Gothenburg, Sweden, April 8-12, 2013	Valerii Zhuivkov

Women in Engineering Coordinator

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This is a report for IEEE Region 8 Women In Engineering activities; the report will highlight recent, and future WIE activities and initiative, as well as give an update of IEEE WIE in the region.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Implementation

- Coordinating WIE in the region is Joyce Mwangama, assisted by corresponding advisors Reem Turkey and Bernadette Bouchon Meunier

Background Information

As of February 2013 IEEE WIE membership in Region 8 (Europe, Africa and Middle East) was at 1457 members. Section Affinity Groups (AGs) in the region total 25, while Student Branch AGs total 53, 77 altogether. One new SBAG in 2013 approved.

WIE plans and activities

4 events in the region have been reported for 2013, a few are planned to occur in the next coming months:

- WIE STAR activity: IEEE UCT WIE Student Affinity Group in March/April 2013
- Potential WIE Workshop at Central European Student Branch Congress in Poland in May 2013
- EESTEC / Germany Section WIE affinity group Women's Workshop by Germany Section WIE Affinity Group in April 2013
- Potential 1ST Region Wide WIE Affinity Group Meeting Collocated with IEEE CIVEMSA conference in Milan, Italy in July 2013

Clementina Saduwa Award 2013

We are expecting to announce the winner of the Clementina Saduwa award at IEEE R8 Madrid Meeting.

Potential WIE STAR / Pre University Works Webinar planned for May

a WIE STAR webinar is planned for region 8 members in May. Collaboration with EASC on continuing education also underway.

R8 WIE is on Facebook! <http://www.facebook.com/IEEER8WIE>