

IEEE Region 8

R8 History Activities



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Two aspects:

1. History of Technology

History Milestone Plaques, biographies of distinguished inventors and engineers, first-hand histories, history of technology conferences

2. IEEE History

Section, Chapter, Society history including preservation of IEEE documents, interviews with past R8 Directors



The IEEE Global History Network (GHN) provides a secure and accessible location to preserve all this kind of material

www.ieeeghn.org

My activities include:

1. Membership of IEEE History Committee, 2012
and visiting IEEE History Center:
2. Doing oral-history interviews with past R8 Directors
and processing the recordings, etc.
3. Attending HISTELCON 2012 in Pavia, presenting two papers.
4. Chairing a subcommittee in 2012 to make recommendations for
GHN improvements
5. Working on proposals for History Milestones
6. Encouraging Section Chairs to improve the historical records of
their Sections and Chapters
7. Working (from 2013) to improve collaboration between IEEE
History Center and IET Archives

Prof. Alessandro Volta statue in Pavia:

