

## VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION FUND

### 1. Activities since Jan 2013

21 requests:

- 12 approved for \$10,114.00
- 3 being processed

### 2. Concerns

- 2.1. Few sections ask for many requests  
Tunisia 10  
Ukraine 5  
Nigeria 2
- 2.2. Several requests for the same section for the same event  
Limitation to \$1,000.00 per event for one section
- 2.3. Whose benefit? The member or the lab?

### 3. Planned actions

Find support from IEEE Foundation (and possibly others)

Suggest rules refining:

- Approve \$1,000.00 limitation per event for one section
- Promote VCF towards more low income sections
- Make sure that the support goes to the member when the lab does not pay



The 101<sup>st</sup>  
**IEEE Region 8** Sarajevo, Croatia  
 Committee Meeting 5-6 October, 2013

VCF No	First Name	Last Name	Grade	Section	Status / notes	Approved [USD]	Amount requested	Conference
TS13-01	Riadh	Besbes	M	Tunisia	Not in Region 8	0,00	1000,00	Engineering Design Education Conference Santa Clara, USA, March 4-5, 2013
TS13-02	Mohammad	Abu Taha		Palestine	Not a member	0,00	1500,00	The International Conference on Information and Intelligent Systems Sousse, Tunisia, March 24-25, 2013
TS13-03	Ayman	Massaoudi	S	Tunisia	Approved	991,00	991,00	VTC Spring 2013, Dresden, Germany, June 2-5, 2013
TS13-04	Roman	Chernobrovkin	S	Ukraine	Approved	738,00	738,00	EuCAP, Gothenburg, Sweden, April 8-12, 2013
TS13-05	Nasir	Faruk	M	Nigeria	Approved	1000,00	1000,00	EUROCON Zagreb, Croatia, Jul 1-4, 2013
TS13-06	Mariem	Thaalbi	GS	Tunisia	No endorsement	0,00	600,00	ISCC, Split, Croatia, Jul 7-10, 2013
TS13-07	Naoufel	Debbabi	GS	Tunisia	Approved	1000,00	1000,00	SPAWC, Darmstadt, Germany, Jun 16-19, 2013
TS13-08	Zohreh	Akbari	GS	Germany	Not in Region 8	0,00		ICIS, Niigat, Japan, June 10-16
TS13-09	Elena	Velichko	S	Ukraine	Approved	950,00	950,00	ICTON 2013, Cartagena, Spain, June 23-27
TS13-10	Hala	Bezine	M	Tunisia	Not in Region 8	0,00	1350,00	IGS 2013, Nara, Japan, June 10-13
TS13-11	Ahlem	Saddoud	S	Tunisia	Not renewed	0,00		MMSP, Pula, Italy, Sep 30- Oct 2
TS13-12	Liubov	Kozhara	GS	Ukraine	Approved	485,00	485,00	SELM 2013, Zawierce, Poland, May 15-18
TS13-13	Nabil	Ghanmy	S	Tunisia	Approved	990,00	990,00	ISCC, Split, Croatia, Jul 7-10, 2013
TS13-14	Valerie	Chiriseri	GS	South Africa	Approved	400,00	400,00	Africon 2013, Pointe-aux-Piments, Mauritius, Sep 9-12, 2013
TS13-15	Yessine	Hadjkacem	M	Tunisia	Approved	700,00	700,00	FDL 2013, Paris, France, Sep 24-26, 2013
TS13-16	Boudour	Ammar	M	Tunisia	Waiting for endorsement		800,00	ICANN, Sofia, Bulgaria, Sep 10-13, 2013
TS13-17	Ogbonnaya	Okoro	M	Nigeria	Approved	1000,00	2800,00	Africon 2013, Pointe-aux-Piments, Mauritius, Sep 9-12, 2013
TS13-18	Hanna	Slusarenko	GS	Ukraine	Approved	860,00	860,00	7th ICAEMMO, Bordeaux, France, Sep 16-19, 2013
TS13-19	Illia	Fedorin	GS	Ukraine	Double application	Share	1000,00	7th ICAEMMO, Bordeaux, France, Sep 16-19, 2013
TS13-20	Felix	Owala	GS	Kenya	Approved	1000,00	1000,00	Africon 2013, Pointe-aux-Piments, Mauritius, Sep 9-12, 2013
TS13-21	Yassine	Aribi	GS	Tunisia	Waiting for endorsement		700,00	Health Com 13, Lisbon, Portugal, Oct 9-12, 2013