

IEEE Russia North West Section Report October 2013**Vladimir M Kutuzov****Highlights from the past**

- Publishing Proceedings of the IEEE Russia North West Section (twice a year)
- Region 8 ExCom meeting hosted by the Section in St.Petersburg
- Annual Conference of student and GOLD members of the Section (January 2013)
- IEEE Day organized by student branches
- New Student branch approved at St.Petersburg State Polytechnic University
- Application approved for the annual Conference of young researchers in Electrical Engineering and Electronics co-sponsored by IEEE
- Technical English Program offered for students
- One visit of a Distinguished Lecturer

Future activities

- Conference of young researchers in Electrical Engineering and Electronics co-sponsored by IEEE (January 2014)
- IEEE Day aimed at attracting new young members (students)
- Student Sections Congress (Eastern Europe) to be hosted by St.Petersburg Electrotechnical University "LETI"
- Publishing Proceedings of the IEEE Russia North West Section (twice a year)
- Inviting more Distinguished lecturers

Best practices

- Proceedings of the IEEE Russia North West Section (twice a year)
- Technical English Program offered for students of St.Petersburg universities

Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

- Industry relations. Low interest of HighTech companies in cooperation with IEEE

Miscellaneous

- One visit of a Distinguished Lecturer
- One Section member elevated to Senior membership
- One new student branch approved