

IEEE Serbia And Montenegro Section Report October 2013**Natasa Neskovic****Highlights from the past**

- The section and its chapters have already co-sponsored conferences in 2013 (After Madrid Report):
 - 13th E-commerce Conference – April 24 - 26, 2013, Palić, Serbia, www.etrgovina.org
 - 57th ETRAN Conference, 2013, June 03 - 06, Zlatibor, etran.etf.rs
 - 2nd Mediterranean Conference on Embedded Computing, June 16 - 20, 2013, Budva, Montenegro, embeddedcomputing.me
 - XLVIII International Scientific Conference on Information, Communication and Energy Systems and Technologies -ICEST 2012, June 26 - 29, 2013, Ohrid, Republic of Macedonia, icestconf.org (In collaboration with IEEE Bulgaria Section and IEEE Republic of Macedonia Section)
 - 11th International Conference on Applied Electromagnetics – ПЕC 2011, September 1-4, 2011, Niš, Serbia, pes2013.elfak.ni.ac.rs

Future activities

- The section and its chapters is taking part in organization of conferences in 2013:
 - 11th International Conference on Telecommunication in Modern Satellite, Cable and Broadcasting Service – TELSIS 2011, October 16-19, 2013, Niš, Serbia, www.telsiks.org.rs
 - 17th International Symposium Power Electronics Ee2013, October 30 - November 1, 2013, Novi Sad, Serbia, www.dee.uns.ac.rs
 - 21th Telecommunication Forum - TELFOR 2013, November 26 - 28, 2013, Belgrade, Serbia, www.telfor.rs
 - Student paper competitions for best papers in Student Branches (participants of the Student Paper Contest 2012), November 2012, Belgrade.
 - IEEEESTEC 2013, 6th International Students' Project Conference, November 2013, Niš, Serbia, <http://www.eestec.rs/ieeestec>

Best practices

- The section has established close relation with most of the national organizations (ETRAN, CIGRE and CIRED, YURIT), and student associations (EESTEC)
- Good connections to local industry

Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

- IEEE S&M Section is included in Legal Status Project.
- In next period IEEE S&M Executive Committee will try to form new chapters: Instrumentation and Measurement, Engineering in Medicine and Biology, Robotics and Automation, Control Systems, Vehicular Technology and Information Theory. The idea is to increase interest for the particular scientific areas and organize activities for members.

Miscellaneous

- Distinguished Lecturers program is part of the programs at our conferences as well as lecturers at Universities in presence of IEEE members, students and guests from industry in organisation of Chapters or Section.