

Latvia Section**Andrejs Romanovs****Highlights from the past**

- Report "Scientific Research in Riga Technical University in 2013", Prof. Leonids Ribickis, Riga, RTU, 14th October 2013
- IEEE Latvia Section as Technical Co-Sponsor of the RTU 54th International Conference, 14-16 of October 2013
- IEEE Latvia Section as Co-Organizer of the 1st IEEE workshop on Advances in Information, Electronic and Electrical Engineering, organized by Latvia and Lithuania Sections, November 26-27, 2013, Riga, Latvia
- Creation of IEEE Power Electronic Society, IEEE Industrial Electronic Society and IEEE Industrial Application Society Joint Chapter in December 2013
- Section elections held for the term 1/1/2014 - 31/12/2015

Future activities

- Co-Organizing of the 2nd IEEE workshop on Advances in Information, Electronic and Electrical Engineering with Lithuania Section
- Technical Co-Sponsorship of the RTU 55th International Conference

Best practices

- Section-level professional lecture for all members and guests "Scientific Research in Riga TU in 2013"

Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

- Re-vitalization of cooperation with IEEE Sections of Baltic Region
- Expand the activities of the Latvia Chapter of IEEE Computer Society and Education Society
- Difficult recruitment of new volunteers among both regular members and student members

Miscellaneous

- New chapter - IEEE Power Electronic Society, IEEE Industrial Electronic Society and IEEE Industrial Application Society Joint Chapter
- Hosting two Distinguished Lectures in 2014
- Cooperation with the professional societies in Latvia