Kuwait Section

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Highlights from the past

• Knowledge Cafe titled Human Brain and Technology, held in Kuwait City on 2nd of June 2014, attended by Engineers, Future Engineers and Family Members
• Kuwait University and private Universities Faculty member meeting with IEEE Kuwait Section Board member to discuss Student paper and project contest.
• 2nd IEEE GCC Steering Committee Meeting held in Muscat, Oman in June 2014, for the preparation work of the 8th IEEE GCC Conference and Exhibition to be held in Muscat, Oman during first week of February 2014.
• IEEE GCC: is a Regional Consul for Arab Gulf States (Bahrain, Kuwait, Qatar, Oman, Saudi Arabia and United Arab Emirates) to promote IEEE Activities in the Gulf Region with the help of the IEEE Sections in these States, and involve the Future Engineers in all Technical Universities in IEEE Activities.

Future activities

• IEEE Kuwait Section is planning to involve all Governmental and private Universities in Kuwait with the help of Student Branches and Educational Activities Committee, to select the first prize winner of the best paper and best project on the level of each University and then on the level of the State of Kuwait. This action shall be done from Sept. 2014 up to December 2014.
• The winners shall be nominated to participate in IEEE R8 Student Contest to be held in 2015.
• IEEE Kuwait Section shall Nominate all the winner to participate and present their paper and projects in the 8th IEEE GCC Conference to be held in Muscat, Oman in February 2015.
• IEEE Kuwait Section is joining all IEEE Sections in GCC to Organizing the 8th IEEE GCC Conference and Exhibition to be held in Muscat, Oman in Feb.2015.

Best practices

• Involving private Companies and Governmental Entities to sponsor future Engineers to participate in Local and Regional Conferences and also to get intense field training during summer period.
• Involving Students from Technical Universities to participate in Volunteer work during IEEE GCC Conferences and Local Social and Technical Events, these Volunteers shall get some appreciation token or certificate from IEEE Kuwait Section.

Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

• Expedite the Rebates Process from the Headquarter.

Miscellaneous

• New student Branches established within IEEE Kuwait Section in 2014:
  - IEEE American University of Kuwait Student Branch.
  - IEEE Kuwait University Computer Section Student Branch.
  - IEEE Kuwait Gold Affinity Group (Young Professional)