

Austria Section

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Highlights from the past

- 13th Annual EMC Symposium, April 3-4 2014, "Campus Seibersdorf", Lower Austria, many Austrian companies as well as academic institution
- 27th Conference on Software Engineering Education and Training, CSEE&T, April 23-25 2014, Klagenfurt, Austria
- 2014 Microelectronic Systems Symposium (MESS), May 8-9 2014, Vienna, Austria, co-organized with the Austrian Electrotechnical Association (OVE)
- 16th International Conference on Transparent Optical Networks (ICTON), July 6-10 2014, Graz, Austria, around 500 participants
- A lot of workshops and excursions organized by the several Student Branches of the IEEE Austria Section (Graz, Linz, Klagenfurt, ...)

Future activities

- 22nd "Austrochip", Austrias annual conference on microelectronics, Oct. 9, 2014, Graz, Styria
- ICCVE2014, International Conference on Connected Vehicles & Expo, November 3-7, 2014, over 500 participants expected
- Election of a new Executive Committee of the IEEE Austria Section at the General Assembly of our Section in autumn 2014

Best practices

- Good connections to local industry
- Good connections to related organizations like the Austrian Electrotechnical Association
- Good cooperation of academic institutions (Universities, Universities of Applied Sciences, Austrian Institute of Technology, Austrian Academy of Sciences, ...) in the IEEE Austrian Section
- IEEE Austria Section offers a special travel and conference grant to support student members of the IEEE Austria Section in participating at conferences, workshops and other educational activities

Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

- Enhance co-operation of the several Student Branches of our Section as well as co-operation with the "YoungOVE" of the Austrian Electrotechnical Association (OVE). How to finance travel costs?

Miscellaneous

- Foundation of Young Professionals Affinity Group in the IEEE Austria Section
- "Most Active Student Branch Award" will be awarded for the third time to the most active Student Branch in our Section at the general assembly
- Re-activation of "dead" Chapters and Student Branches
- Motivate IEEE Members in Austria to become IEEE Senior Members