

## **Austria Section**

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### **Getting Closer to Industry**

We recruited officer positions with industry representatives. We also intensified our relations with the national electrotechnical association OVE and co-organize events.

### **Students and Young Professionals**

Students are our most effective instrument. We sponsor their activities both with logistics and finance. They are active locally and internationally, invite speakers, organize seminars and excursions, etc. The link to youngOVE is important as well.

### **Section Vitality**

The main source of technical activities are the chapters and individuals that act on behalf of societies. We support their conferences etc. with our experience. Currently we are setting up the life member group in Austria.