

Ukraine Section

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Getting Closer to Industry

- IEEE Ukraine Section Executive Committee appointed Industrial Relations Committee for 2016 - 2017 to improve Industrial Relations. The task of this Committee is to create a database of industrial partners.
- The most successful co-operation with industry sponsors are carried out through IEEE Conferences and workshops. We expect to find new industry partners through the 2017 First IEEE Ukrainian Conference on Electrical and Computer Engineering (UKRCON).
- IT companies help the student teams to participate in the IEEE Xtreme. At the moment, we are developing partnerships with IT companies which are interested in IEEE certification. Example of industry sponsorship: student chapter of IEEE Computer Society was successfully created in IEEE Lviv Polytechnic Student Branch.

Students and Young Professionals

- Every two years, the IEEE Ukraine Section in cooperation with the IEEE Region 8 supports the participation of one representative from each student branches and young professional affinity group in the SYP. This year IEEE Ukraine Section delegation at the IEEE Region 8 SYP Congress 2016 includes 7 persons from Kyiv, Kharkiv and Lviv.
- To improve Student Activities the IEEE Ukraine Section Executive Committee appointed Student Activities Committee for 2016 - 2017. The task of this committee is to coordinate operation of student branches and overall student activities. We hope to increase the number of IEEE students and young professionals and student activities in 2017.
- The Section provides technical support to the student teams participating in the IEEE Xtreme competition. One of the teams, based on the results of the contest, took place in the first 50 from the top.

Section Vitality

For the first time, the Appointment Committees (Education Activities, Membership Development, Conference Coordination, Chapter Coordination, etc) of the IEEE Ukraine Section have been established and approved. The active work of the committees should provide vitality and sustainability of the Section.

Miscellaneous / Recommendations / Feedback

- In 2016 and all 2017, the IEEE Ukraine Section is celebrating its 25th anniversary.
- In next year the first IEEE Milestone Ceremony will be held. We also plan to submit several new Milestone applications this year.