

Algeria Section

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Getting Closer to Industry

There are not many meetings between university and Industry in Algeria. However, there are several national conferences on electrical engineering and computer science organized in various universities. Industry sponsors attend to such events. We need to enhance IEEE relationship with industry because the quasi totality of the members is issued from academic institutions, mostly from universities and laboratories. The major success is mainly the contact between laboratories and Industry. However, we think that contact between industry members should be encouraged, in particular between those issued from developed countries and third world countries. IEEE should perhaps encourage rich laboratories to give donation of second-hand scientific material to laboratories which doesn't have enough material to make experimental research. Indeed, there is a lack of research material to let Industry be interested in our laboratories. We are going to contact the former students who are now working in industry. Moreover, we plan to organize visits to different companies in order to encourage them to be IEEE member.

Attracting and Supporting Future Members

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IEEE in Africa

There are some things which could be done such as to encourage known professors and industrials to share their knowledge and experience with African people by giving conferences and plenary lectures. Moreover, offer the old material which is not used by rich laboratories to African institutions.

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Miscellaneous / Recommendations / Feedback

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