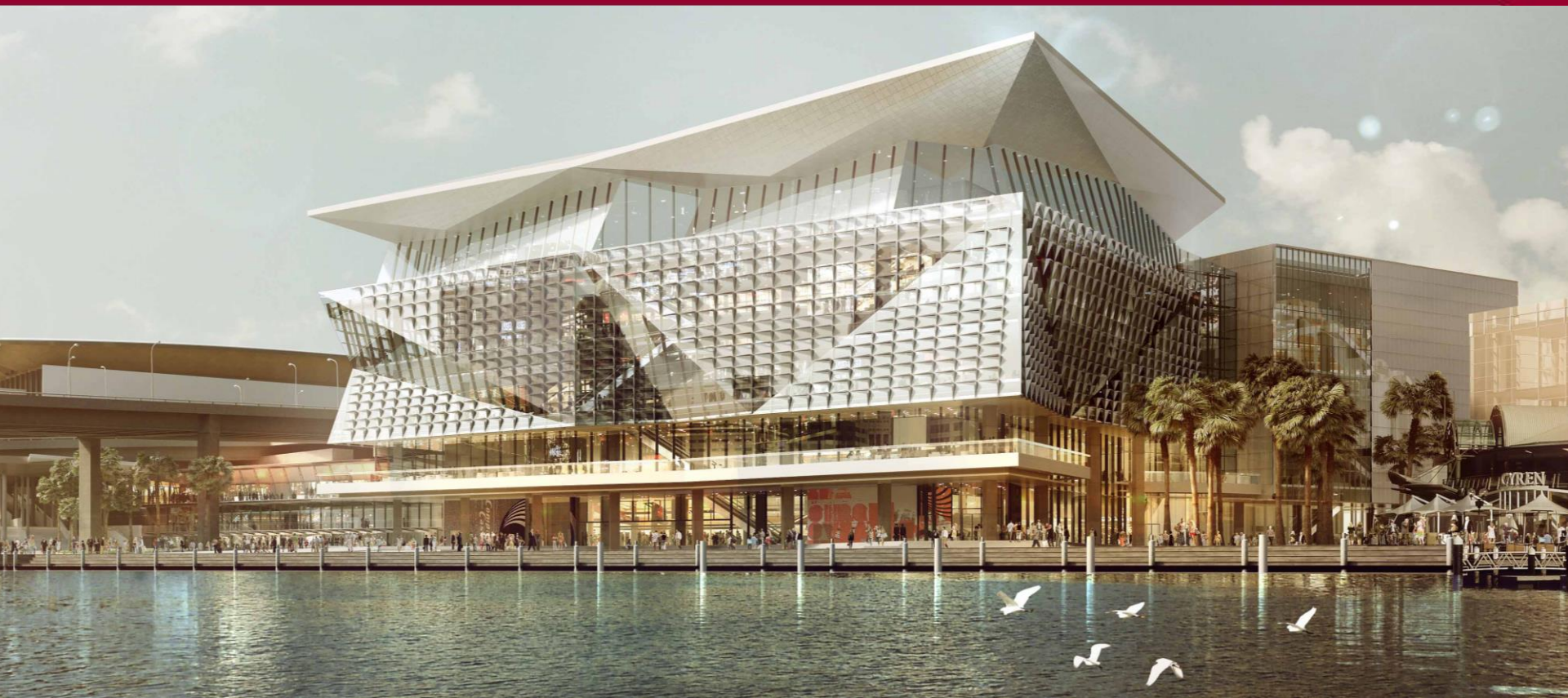


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IEEE Sections Congress Recommendations

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What are Section Congress Recommendations?

- a unique forum to collect input from our grassroots leadership to help shape the future of our organization
- the 2017 recommendations process builds on the experiences from previous events with some refinements



Supporting Documents

- A message from Vin Piuri, IEEE Sections Congress Program Committee Chair, highlighting the Sections Congress 2017 **Recommendation Process** (*Word document*)
- IEEE Region 8 Sections Congress Recommendations **Template** (*Word document*)
- **Member Segmentation Data** (specific to Region 8) (*Excel worksheet*)
- **Member Segmentation Highlights** (*PDF*)
- Recommendations Process 2017 (*PowerPoint presentation*)
- 2014, 2011 and 2008 Recommendations (*PowerPoint presentation*)



Recommendations process 1

- Each region is requested to submit up to three prioritized recommendations
- Recommendations must be based on evidence of importance to members as pointed out by the 2016 Member Segmentation Study - focus should be on high importance but low satisfaction
- Recommendations must support one of following strategic areas:
 - Networking
 - Skills Improvement
 - Public Service
- For each recommendation, the target member group(s) must be specified (e.g. YP, WIE, students, industry professionals, underserved geographic areas, ...)
- Recommendations are due 1 May 2017.

Recommendations process 2

- MGA OpCom will review the recommendations for clarity, potential overlap with other submissions and budget impact
- The region will be informed if the recommendation does not meet criteria, is currently in process, or may have significant budget impact
- All recommendations and back up information will be distributed to Sections Congress attendees by 30 June 2017
- Discussion on the recommendations will be encouraged via social media prior to, during, and after the Congress
- Voting by primary delegates can be completed anytime during the Congress, up to 9:00 am, Sunday, 13 August 2017, using the SC2017 mobile app and web
- Top three recommendations will be presented on 13 August 2017 at the Sections Congress Closing Ceremony

Products and services

(sorted by difference of total importance and total satisfaction)

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| 1 | Technical Skills (for example, algorithm development techniques) |
| 2 | Online access to standards |
| 3 | Continuing education opportunities |
| 4 | Promoting the appreciation of technology and our profession to the general public |
| 5 | Opportunities for professional networking |
| 6 | Representation on public policy issues related to the profession |
| 7 | Online access to transactions, journals, and magazines |
| 8 | Online access to conference proceedings |
| 9 | Interaction with other members |
| 10 | Open access publishing |

Recommendations Criteria Matrix

	Young Professional	Women in Engineering	Student	Entrepreneur	Industry Professional	Other Member Groups
Skills Improvement <ul style="list-style-type: none">– Technical Skills– Continuing Education Opportunities–						
Networking <ul style="list-style-type: none">– Interaction with other members– Local meetings with other professionals– Online meetings and webinars–						
Public Service <ul style="list-style-type: none">– Promoting the appreciation of technology and our profession to the general public– Representation on public policy issues related to the profession–						

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C3



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Questions?

