

R8 Technology History Activities

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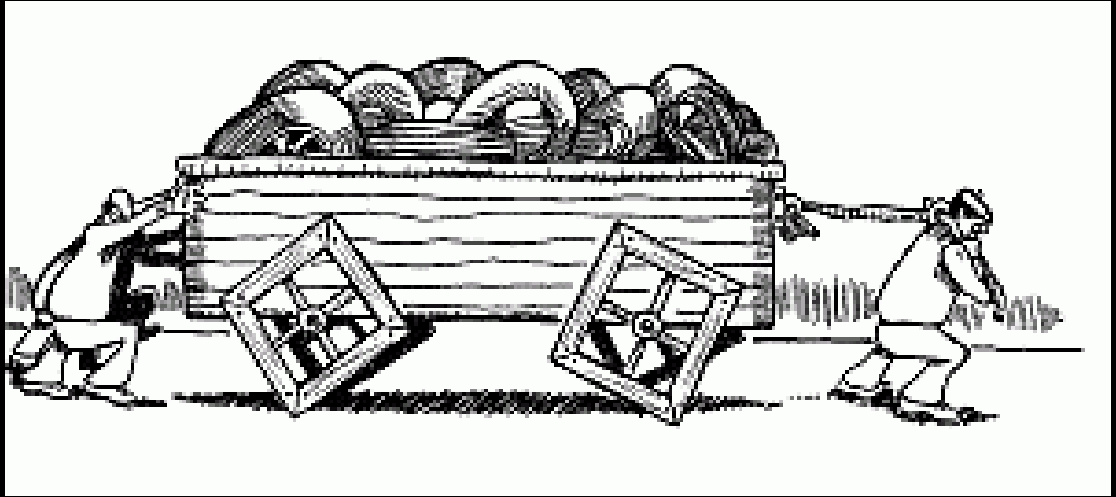
Primary mission: encourage recognition of achievements and inventions in science and engineering fields in R8, promote awareness of them and their significance.

Secondary mission: persuade Sections and Chapters in R8 to preserve the history of their committee minutes and their events and maintain availability via web access..

R8 History Activities:

- Purposes:** 1. *Encourage students and young professionals to take interest in the historical development of science and engineering: enables better preparation for “inventing the future”, a central aspect of IEEE’s humanitarian mission..*
2. *Documenting the historical record of things relevant to IEEE R8.*

It is important not
to re-invent the
wheel



'invent the future' - using

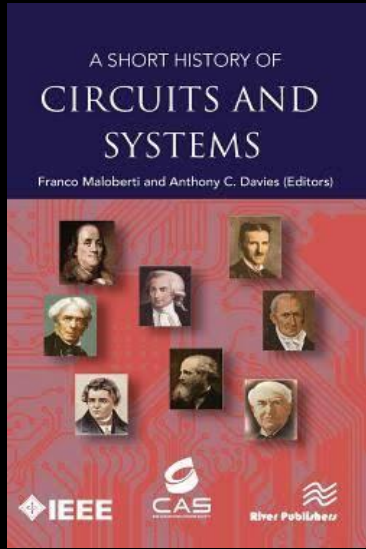
Science

Mathematics

Intuition

Creativity

Not knowing anything of the past means
having no perspective of the future



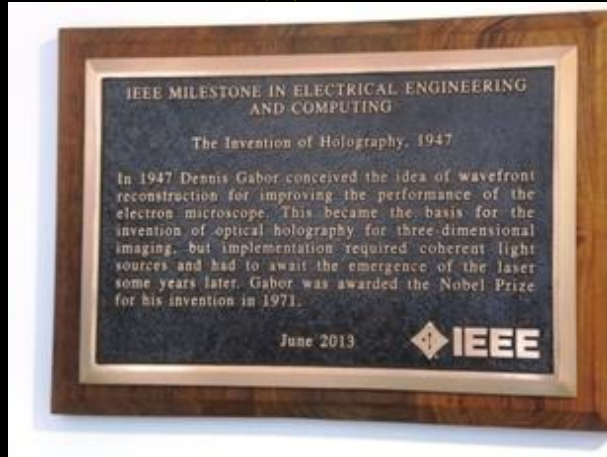
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e-book is FREE to ALL (thanks to
CAS President Franco Maloberti)

*(produced to a very tight schedule, thanks to
many authors and River Publishers)*



Several new milestones in
RS – but scope for many
more !!

Recognition



Thank you for looking and listening

Important Announcement about HISTELCON 2019
HISTELCON 2017 will be in Japan in August 2017, the date and place of HISTELCON 2019 should be announced there.

R8 Sections wishing to bid for HISTELCON 2019 must submit their bids by {?? end of April 2017 ??}

The selection subcommittee which evaluates the bids will report by {?? end of May 2017 ??}.

Bids must be credible: HISTELCONs are ***not*** a means of creating a financial surplus, so support is essential.