



# Closing Remarks – IEEE Region 8 Meeting

*Region 6 Director*

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▶ ***Advance technological innovation and excellence for the benefit of humanity***

- IEEE is behind the technology that **drives innovation and better living.**
- IEEE is a **global thought leader** on prominent technology advancements and issues

▶ ***Inspire, Enable, Empower and Engage Members of IEEE***

- The people, the industry and the culture of our region have global impact and responsibility

➤ ***2017: Create the Next Generation of IEEE***

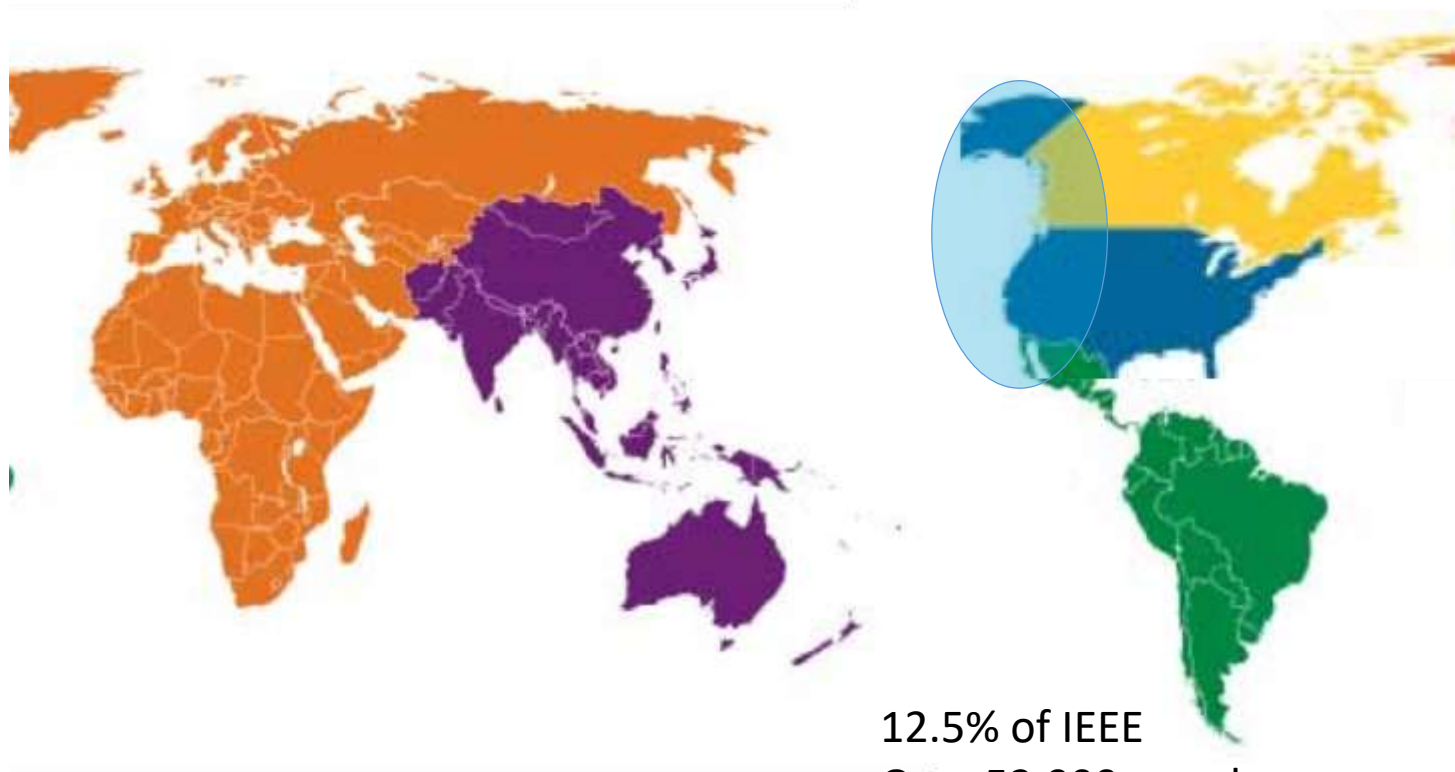
➤ ***2018: Transforming IEEE as an organization for the 21.x Century***

*3 of our last  
4 meetings  
were joint !*

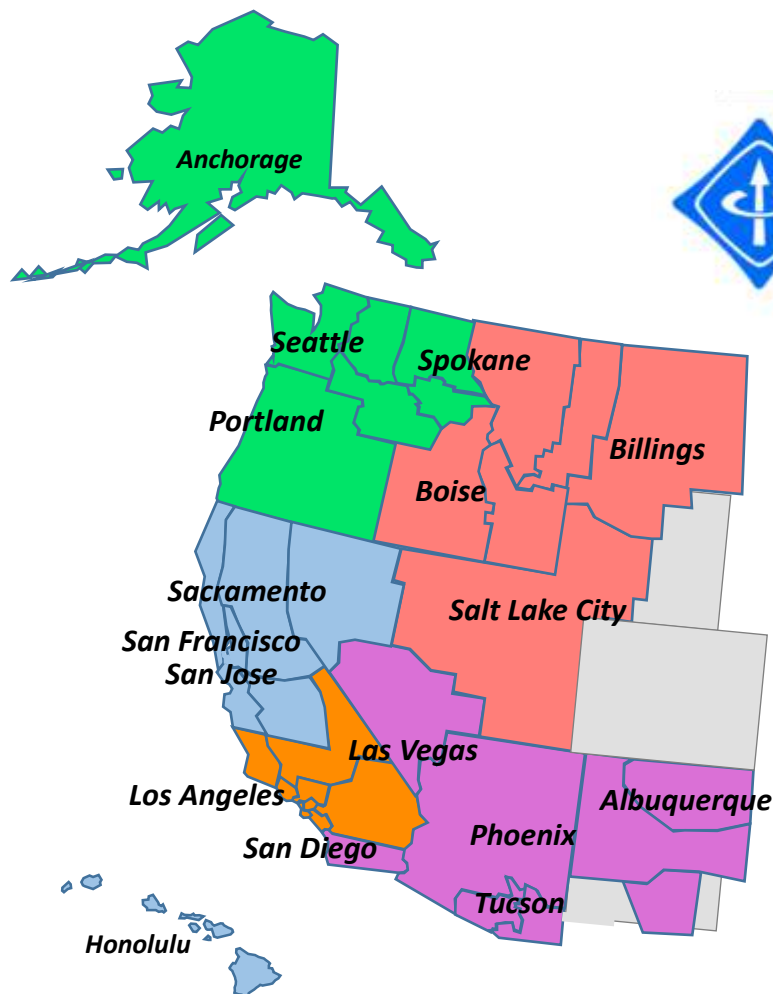


## *Anchorage*






► We are here!



12.5% of IEEE  
Over 52,000 members



# IEEE Region 6

-  Central Area
-  Northwest Area
-  Northeast Area
-  Southwest Area
-  Southern Area

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*Actions speak louder than taglines.*

- ▶ We help our members to advance technology-
  - Technical Activities underlies all our activities
- ▶ We advance the public imperatives
  - Educational Activities
  - Student and College Activities,
  - STEM/Pre-College Activities,
  - Humanitarian Activities
  - Government Relations
  - History
  - Ethics
  - (Public Visibility)



# Rules of Region 6

*Advance technological innovation and excellence for the benefit of humanity*

- ▶ Be cool. Be creative.
- ▶ Use our superpowers for good.
- ▶ Don't be boring.



# IEEE Region 6 and IEEE Region 8

- ▶ We see the world as full of IEEE Region 6 people – Region 6, not by address, but because they are cool, creative, using their super-powers for good and un-boring.
  - We don't see you as a market, but as a resource for SPARKing new ideas and new collaborations.



- ▶ So glad I got to visit Greece (and Latvia, UAE, Egypt, Germany, Austria, Bulgaria, Nigeria, and all of your many countries all in one meeting.

