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List the activities carried out to foster relations with Industry and the results obtained. List the initiatives planned during the next 6 months and their expected outcomes. How can the Region help your Section in your industry-related activities?

A good deal of collaborations have been conducted with private and governmental agencies. During the recent IEEE PES Conference in Abuja Nigeria, there was a lot of networking which is expected to yield benefits in the near future.

List the activities addressed to Students and/or Young Professionals and the results obtained. List the initiatives planned during the next 6 months and their expected outcomes. How can the Region help in your students and YP-related activities?

At the Nigerian Section, the YP have been one of our strongest affinity groups who have participated and driven many of the Section activities such as the IEEE day and Section Webinars either as volunteers or as facilitators.

List the activities carried out to retain and recruit members and the results obtained. List the initiatives planned during the next 6 months and their expected outcomes. How can the Region help in your membership-related activities?

The Nigerian Section has done quite well in recruiting new members through direct and adopted meetings with potential members. The Nigeria Section has recently improved on the membership payment system by providing options. The new system is expected to increase the membership sign-up and renewal in the next six months to one year. Screen reader support enabled.

List the activities intended to support chapters, affinity groups, and student branches and the results obtained. List the related initiatives planned during the next 6 months and their expected outcomes. How can the Region help in your support to chapters, affinity groups, and student branches?

The Nigeria Section has recently adopted some lessons learned and good practices from some sections in Region 1 and also in Region 8 to improve our reporting and rebate maximizing for all Agility groups not only for the associated benefits but also to ensure that we establish a good level of efficiency within the Section.