Egypt

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Section Vitality

The last Section elections was organized in November 2021, the date of next elections is expected to be November 2023. We do not have the practice of Vice-Chair becoming the next Section Chair. Elections may result in this or not. Section ExCom meetings were done both face to face and virtually during the last months since November 2021. One of them was for closing the year of 2022. Another a planning meeting was organized in January 2022. Others were done before planning to organize a student and young professional summit for four countries (Egypt, Tanzania, Sudan and Libya). Another meeting was devoted to deciding upon joining Africa Council. It is expected to have more meetings in the future before signing MoUs with Industrial Partners and before important scientific conference approvals and to support events that needs the section financial support like IEEE day, Volunteer Empowerment Program and Egyptian Engineering Day event. These activities are used to retain and recruit members and they resulted in a good retention and recruitment values.

Students

There are tens of Student Branches (SB) in Egypt Section. List of Student Branches:

**East Cairo:**
- El Shrouk Academy - Active
- CIC - Active
- GUC - Active
- HTI - Active
- BUE - Active
- AUC (Not Active)
- Future - Active
- Safwa - Active
- MIU - Active
- AAST Cairo (Not Active)

**Middle Cairo:**
- Gezera Academy (Not Active)
- Modern Academy - Active
- Azhar - Active
- MTI (Not Active, May be dissolved)
- FCIH - Active
- Helwan - Active
- Mataria (Not Active)
- ASU (Not Active)
- IAET (Not Active)
- New Cairo - Active
- Beni Suif - Active

**West Cairo:**
- MUST - Active
- Zewail - Active
- MSA - Active
- ACU - Active
- O6U - Active
- AYA (Not Active)
- HTI October - Active
- AAST Smart - Active
- OHI - Active
- Fayoum - Active

**Delta:**
- Menofia - Active
Mansoura - Active  
Shoubra - Active  
Benha - Active  
Zagazig - Active  
Tanta - Active  
Kafrshiekh - Active

**Upper Egypt:**
Aswan - Active  
Mania - Active  
SVU - Active  
Azhar Qena (Not Active)  
Assuit - Active  
AAST Aswan - Active  
Souhag (Not Active)

**Coast:**
Alex SB - Active  
AAST Alex - Active  
AIET - Elections on going  
Suez Canal - Active  
Pharos - Active  
Port Said - Active  
Ismailia - Active

**Newly Established in 2021:**
Chinese University in Egypt - Active  
E-JUST - Active  
Heliploies - Active

**Newly Established Since Nov. 2021**
Horas University  
Badr University in Cairo

The student meetings held cannot be summarized here as they are hundreds. But they are tracked by a central team of 5 persons who act as geographical area coordinating representatives. The Section collaborated with the Students and Young Professionals to have a lot of technical and professional webinars in addition to organizing the Egyptian Engineering Day (Virtual Editions) and the Volunteer Empowerment Program.

Egypt section celebrated the winning of Nile University and Arab Academy of Science and Technology (AASTM T) who got the 2021 Outstanding Branch Counselor & Branch Chapter Advisor Award. In addition, Nile University got the exemplary Student branch award.

**Affinity Groups**
All Affinity Groups (YP, LM, WiE, SIGHT) exist in the Egyptian Section. They attracted a lot of funds by submitting proposals. For example, WIE has accepted the Egyptian section proposal for international leadership summit (ILS). It is expected to be organized next September. In addition, all affinity groups made a lot of activities. For example, Made in Egypt competition and Egyptian Engineering Day.

**Chapters**
There are more than 15+ Chapters in Egypt Section. The largest are Computer, Power and Energy, and Communication. More specialized chapters make a lot of events. For example, the MTT and AP chapters organized a joint workshop. The newly formed includes Dielectrics and Electrical Insulation Society Chapter. Dissolved Chapters include TEMS. Most of
them reported on time and received rebate. Most of them are organizing scientific conferences and webinars as the main technical activities.

**Industry**
Two industry ambassadors have been assigned. They work to foster relations with Industry. For example, industry experts are participating in events as speakers. Many MoUs are being developed with industrial companies.

**Activities since the last report**
The closing event is organized with excellent success.
Highlight some of the activities in your Section, with special attention to the things that work well, and things that don’t, so that your acquired know-how can be used by other Sections.

**Planned activities**
Highlight some of the future activities and initiatives in your Section.

**How Region 8 can be of help to your Section, members, and activities**
We need support from the Region 8 to fund the student and cross section young professional summit. We suggest also to add the local registrations issue on the agenda items during the R8 Committee meeting.
Photos from the closing session 2021

IEEE MTT AP Workshop Social Gathering, 19 March 2022