



# Andrejs Romanovs

## Candidate, VC Member Activities

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# About me

- Associate Professor and Senior Researcher at the Information Technology Institute, Head of Department of Modelling and Simulation, Riga Technical University (Latvia).
- 35 years professional experience developing numerous information systems for state and private business worldwide.
- Over 20 years academic experiences, director of two international Master study programs “Logistics and Supply Chain Management” and “Cybersecurity Engineering”.
- Professional interests include modelling and simulation of complex information systems, cybersecurity, logistics and supply chain management, as well as education in these areas.
- Author of 100+ textbooks and papers in scientific journals and conference proceedings in the field of Information Technology.
- Chair of over 20 international scientific conferences.

# Qualification

- MGA Membership Recruitment and Recovery Committee, 2017-2021 (Chair 2019-2020)
- MGA Admission and Advancement Committee, 2019-2021, member
- R8 Chapter Coordination Committee, 2021-2022, Chair
- R8 Membership Development Subcommittee, 2015-2021 (Chair 2017-2018)
- Latvia Section, since 2008 (Chair 2012-2013, 2016-2017)
- Computer Society Latvia Section Chapter founder and Chair, 2010
- Latvia Blockchain Group founder and Chair, since 2018
- Riga Technical University (Latvia) Student Branch, Counselor, 2011-2017
- Co-Founder and Co-Chair of annual IEEE conferences:
  - ❑ Advances in Information, Electronic and Electrical Engineering, since 2013
  - ❑ RTU Wireless and Optical Communications, RTUWO, since 2015
  - ❑ Information Technology and Management Science ITMS, since 2018

# Qualification

- IEEE MD Officers global training program - 2020, MGA Membership Recruitment and Recovery Committee
- Two IEEE R8 Membership Development Training Workshops (2017 Slovakia, 2018 South Africa) – R8 Membership Development Subcommittee
- 14 IEEE Senior Member Review panels with 9.5K Senior Members elevated (2019-2021) - MGA Admission and Advancement Committee
- “Chapter Panorama” 3-day long Chapter Coordination event (2022) - R8 Chapter Coordination Committee
- Numerous conferences, exhibitions, public events in Latvia Section (2008-2022), incl. IEEEExtreme, IEEE Baltic Cooperation, IEEE Day, Scientific Weeks, etc.

# Vision

**Goal - to make practical improvements to membership services that inspires member to call IEEE their technological sweet home.**

- coordination of Member Activities focusing on member satisfaction and Sections needs as top priority
- fostering members awareness of IEEE activities and existing benefits
- promote and support MA volunteers in R8 Sections, creating easy to use guides, orientation and trainings
- clear and sustainable approach/tools for MA volunteers by increasing diversity and awareness of other volunteers activities
- IEEE membership promotion at IEEE Conferences/events

# Why vote for me?

- ✓ 7 years of Membership Development leadership
- ✓ Region 8 Volunteer Award 2017



- ✓ Experienced in both academia and industry
- ✓ Multi-levelled IEEE activities (*Chapter-Section-Region-MGA*)
- ✓ Experienced in Member and Technical Activities