

Strategic Planning

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Goals

To assist the Region 8 Committee to develop in an appropriate manner to meet all the IEEE-related needs of the Region and to continue to adhere to the R8 Committee Vision and Mission and to advise on amendments to this Vision and Mission and to monitor compliance with the IEEE Strategic Plan.

Progress against goals since the last report

Kick-off meeting of the 2023 committee took place on 2 March. Initial challenges and opportunities for the Region were identified by the members and a list was compiled. The list will be filtered down to 2-3 topics that will be discussed in depth during the committee meeting in Bucharest and the rest of the year, with the goal of having a document with recommendations as a deliverable at the end of the year.

Points of Concern

There is no continuity in the strategic planning, and many of the discussions and proposals are not passed to the next leadership of the Region. We will consider procedures that ensure that the documents produced by the committee are accessible to the next leaders of the Region for their possible implementation.