



# R8 Young Professionals Committee

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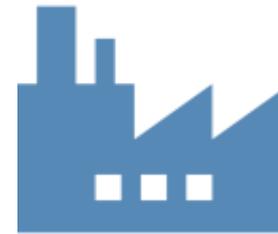


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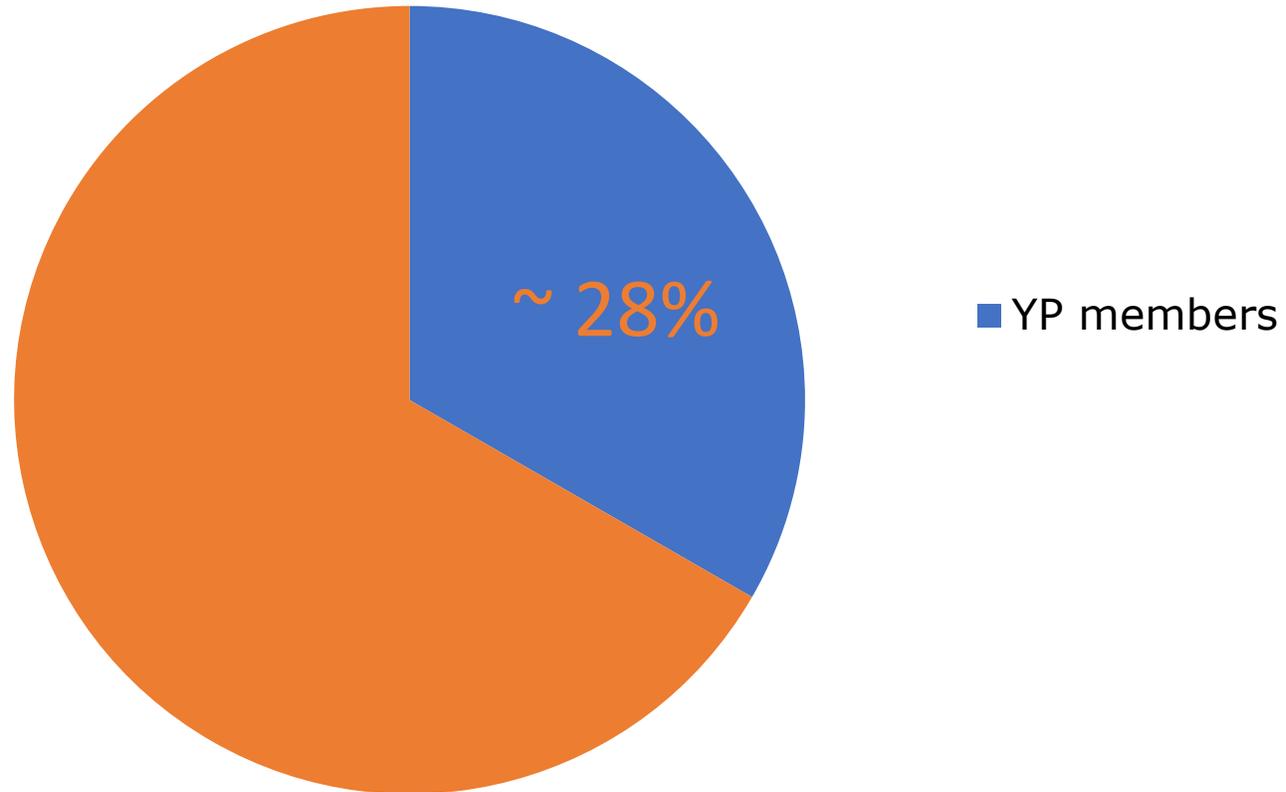
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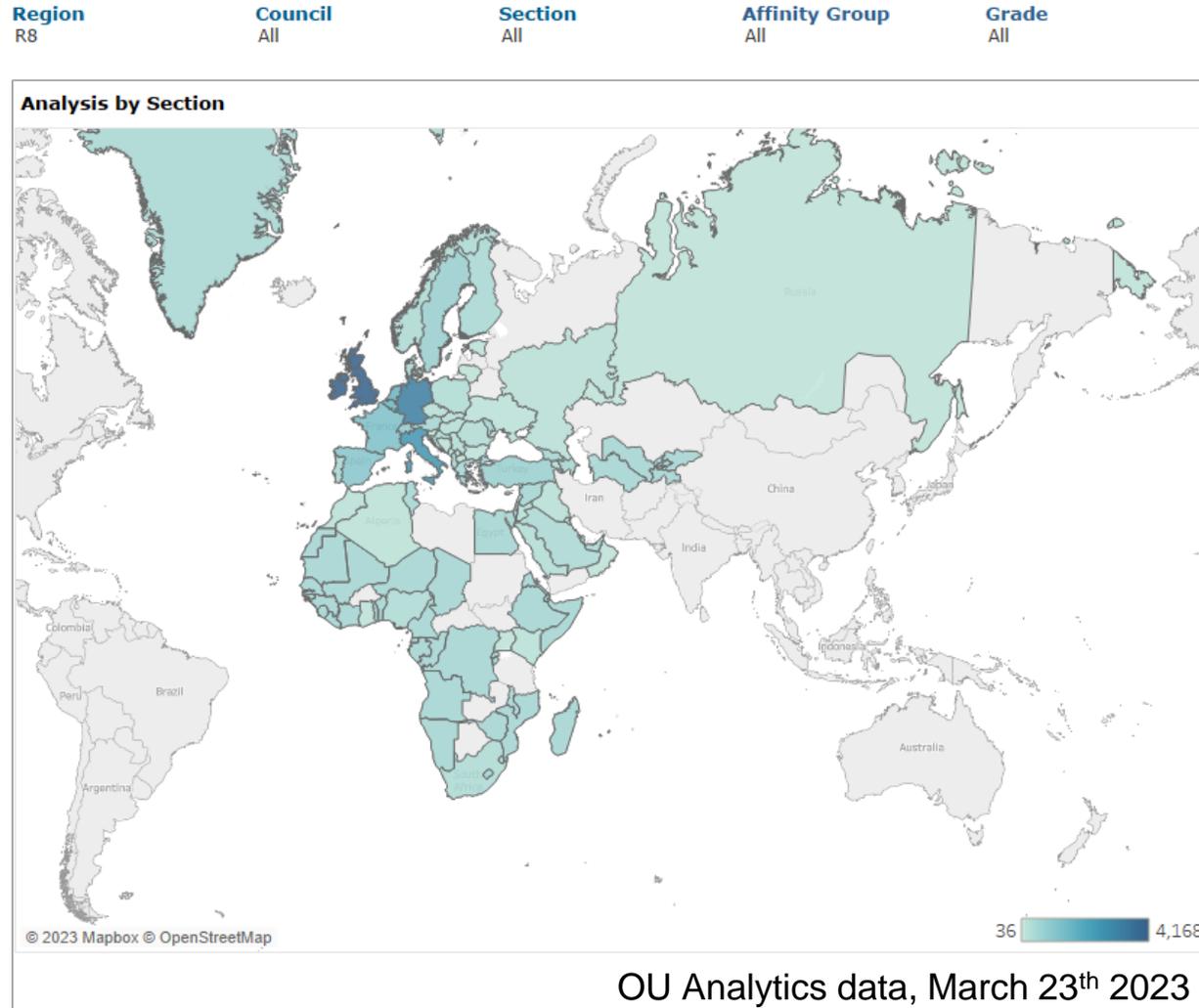


From the first degree up to **15 years** later

# Membership distribution in R8



# Young Professionals in Region 8



- 56 YP Affinity Groups
- Out of 59 + 12 Sections and Subsections, in R8

**Mauritius  
& Libya YP  
Affinity Group**



# Forming a new Affinity Group

- **Gather 6 YP members** in your section
- **Ask for endorsement** from your Section Chair
- **Fill in a petition** including each members, you will need to choose an interim chair until the election (once the petition is approved)
- **Submit the petition to your Section's Executive Committee and R8 Director** for approval.
- Once approved, send it to the IEEE Operations Center for final approval.

More info: <https://mga.ieee.org/resources-operations/formations-petitions#affinity>

# IEEE R8 Young Professionals past events



 **SEARCH EVENTS**

**2022**

210 in vTools

**Mandatory for AGs:**

- ▶ 2 reported events per year
- ▶ Elections every two years

# IEEE R8 Young Professionals Programs



Cooking something...

- Technically targeted networking circles, mentoring, ...
- Social impact driven challenges
- Climate oriented knowledge build up activities
- ...

We will be revealing more soon!

# Young Professional Awards



## Region 8 YP Awards

- Region 8 Outstanding Young Professionals Affinity Group Award (\$400 award)
- Region 8 Young Professional Exceptional Volunteer Award

Eligibility criteria can be found at R8 YP Operations Manual. Link [here](#).

**Application window:** April 1<sup>st</sup> to June 1<sup>st</sup>



## IEEE YP Awards

- Theodore W. Hissey Outstanding Young Professional Award
- Young Professionals Hall of Fame Award (\$500 award)
  - **Congrats to Tunisia YP AG! Winner of 2022!**
- MGA Young Professionals Achievement Award

Eligibility criteria can be found at [yp.ieee.org](http://yp.ieee.org)



# Apply for event funding

Call for applications:  
March 15<sup>th</sup> to April 15<sup>th</sup>



## Meet Up Funding

**up to \$1500**

*to engage members and volunteers to grow their professional networks; Meet-ups should take place in conjunction with large-scale events*

## Local Activity Funding

**up to \$750**

*to engage members at local YP communities*

## Student Transition and Elevation Partnership (STEP) Funding

**up to \$500**

*to bring together students and young professionals*



Funding criteria here: <https://yp.ieee.org/volunteers/event-funding/>

# 2023 IEEE R8 Cross Sectional Congresses



ASYP	NASYP	CEuSYP	WESYP	MESYP	Hellenic SYP	Nordic SYP
Abuja, Nigeria	Cairo, Egypt	Krakow, Poland	Lausanne, Switzerland	Aqaba, Jordan	✘	✘
Baze Univ.	Egypt Univ. Inf (EUI)	Cracow UT	EPFL Campus	Jordan Univ.		
SB & YP	Section & YP	CUTSB	EPFL SB	SB & YP		
27 <sup>th</sup> – 29 <sup>th</sup> July	25 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup> August	?	15 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> Sept	28 <sup>th</sup> – 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept		

- Hellenic participating sections will be invited to CEuSYP
- Nordic participating sections will be invited to WESYP

## 2024 IEEE R8 Student & Young Professionals Congress

- Open the call for hosts → APRIL



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