



R8 Young Professionals Committee

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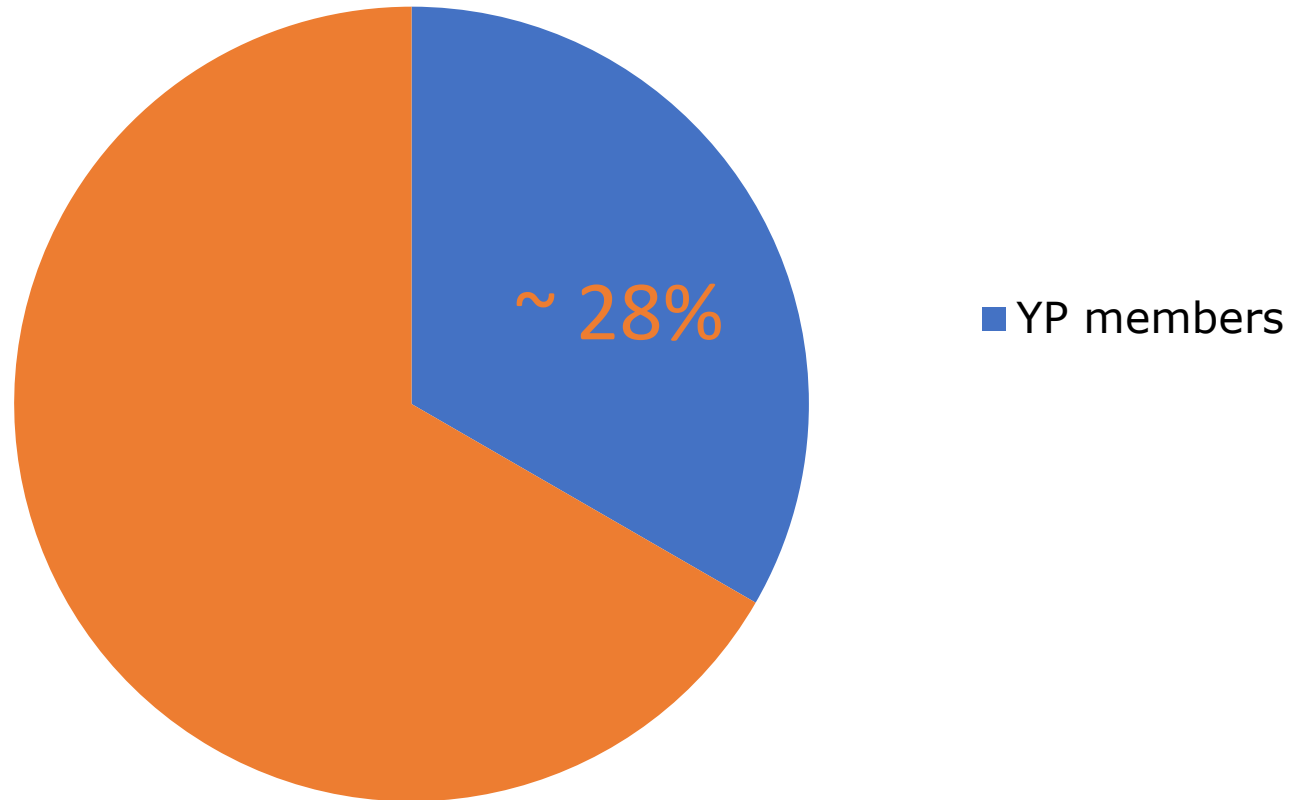
What do you mean

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youngprofessionals ?

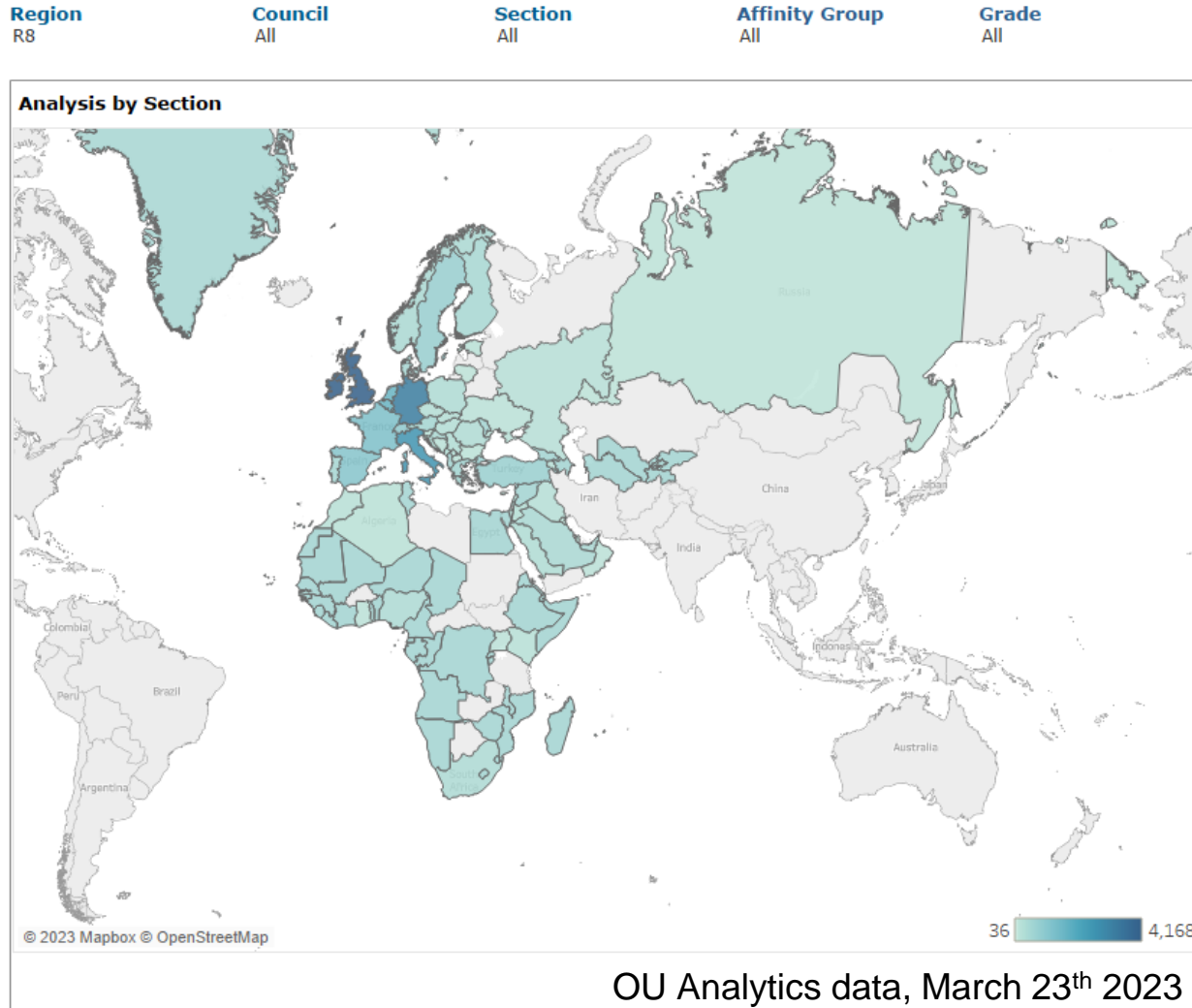


From the first degree up to **15 years** later

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**

welcome
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TO THE
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TEAM



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 1st to June 1st



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



Apply for event funding

Call for applications:
March 15th to April 15th



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 th – 29 th July	25 th – 27 th August	?	15 th – 17 th Sept	28 th – 30 th 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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Thank you for your
attention!

