

IEEE Student Branch Chapters

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Society Membership Dues...

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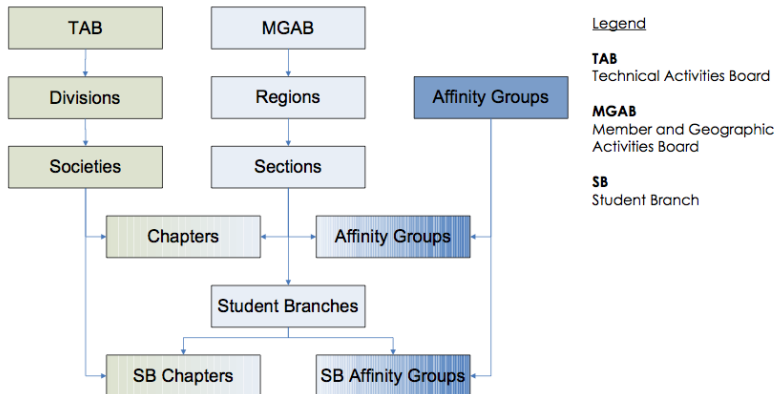
♦ 2013 Society membership dues

Society	Member Full Year	Member Half Year*	Student Full Year	Student Half Year*
IEEE Aerospace and Electronic Systems Society	\$25.00	\$12.50	\$13.00	\$6.50
IEEE Antennas and Propagation Society	\$15.00	\$7.50	\$8.00	\$4.00
IEEE Broadcast Technology Society	\$15.00	\$7.50	\$8.00	\$4.00
IEEE Circuits and Systems Society	\$19.00	\$9.50	\$10.00	\$5.00
IEEE Communications Society	\$26.00	\$13.00	\$13.00	\$6.50
IEEE Components, Packaging, and Manufacturing Technology Society	\$15.00	\$7.50	\$8.00	\$4.00
IEEE Computational Intelligence Society	\$29.00	\$14.50	\$15.00	\$7.50
IEEE Computer Society	\$54.00	\$27.00	\$13.00	\$6.50
IEEE Consumer Electronics Society	\$15.00	\$7.50	\$8.00	\$4.00

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... in IEEE structure



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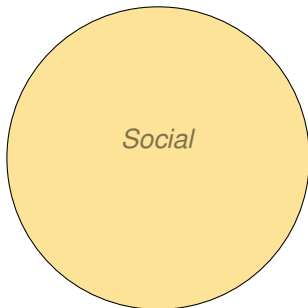
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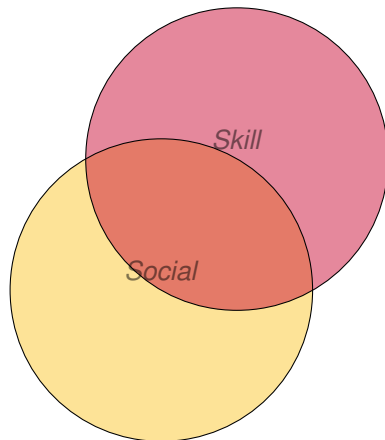
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- ▶ Society & Section Chapter contacts
- ▶ Society benefits
- ▶ Money

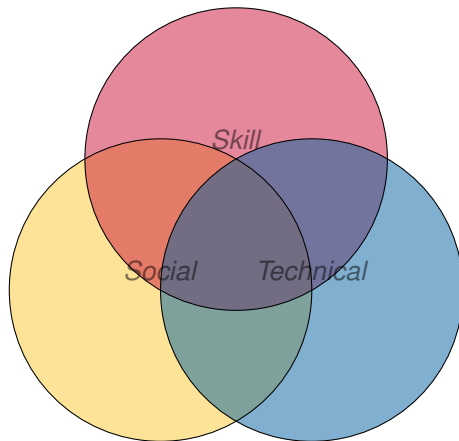
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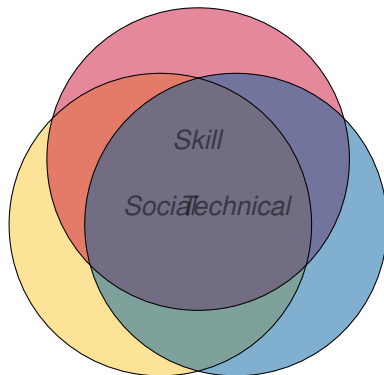
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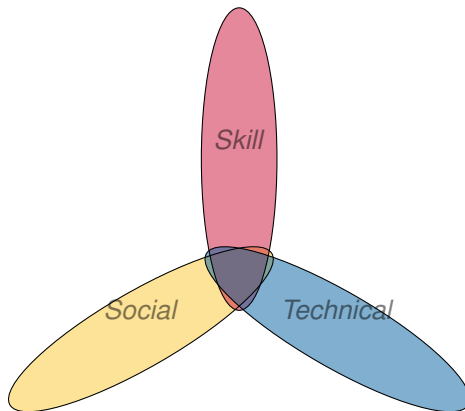
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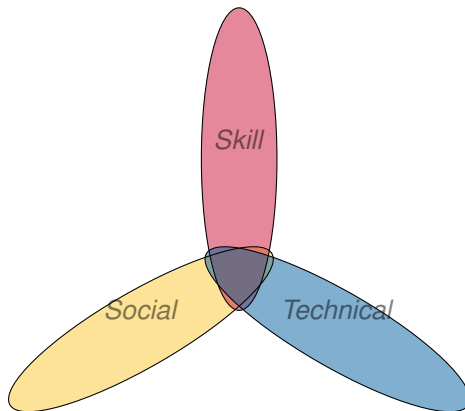
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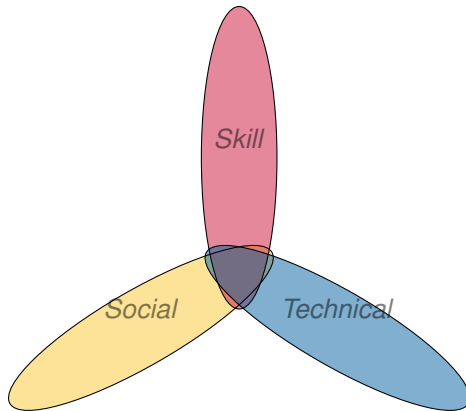
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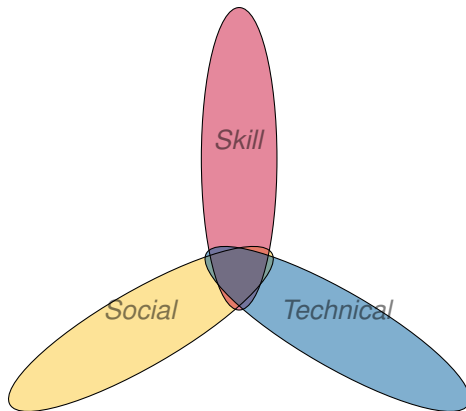
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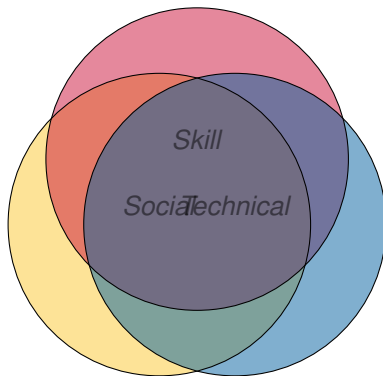
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Section (&Section Chapter)

Section Chair responsible for all activity in Section

Section Chapter Chair responsible for activities in section within scope of Society

Contact them or the appropriate person on their board directly. They will help you at your job.

Society Benefits

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Most popular is Distinguished Lecturer Program:

- ▶ High profile speakers within field
- ▶ You organize the venue
- ▶ Society pays the speakers' trip

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Section Chapters

have funds available to sponsor activities within their interest

Create a Chapter

http://www.ieee.org/documents/student_branch_chapter_formation_2010.doc

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FORMING A STUDENT BRANCH CHAPTER OF AN IEEE SOCIETY OR TECHNICAL COUNCIL

REQUIREMENTS TO FORM A STUDENT BRANCH CHAPTER OF AN IEEE SOCIETY OR TECHNICAL COUNCIL

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A Student Branch is required to establish a Student Branch Chapter. The petition must include:

- The name of the Student Branch.
- The school code.
- The name of the Society/Technical Council.
- The name and address of the Student Branch Chapter organizer (who will serve as interim Chair pending election of a regular Chair at a later organization meeting).
- Name of the Faculty Advisor, who is also a member of IEEE and the Society or a member of one of the Technical Council Member Societies.
- Written approval of the Student Branch Executive Committee.
- Signatures of at least six (6) IEEE Student Branch members, who are members of the Society or Technical Council.

The completed petition shall be submitted to the IEEE Member and Geographic Activities Administration Department.

Upon receipt of the petition, staff will verify the membership of the individuals who signed the petition. If the petition is in order, staff will take the necessary action to obtain formal approval of the petition by the Society President, the Region Director, and the Regional Student Activities Committee Chair.

SUBMIT COMPLETED PETITION VIA:

Email: petitions@ieee.org

Fax: +1 732 462 3637

Mail: IEEE Member and Geographic Activities
Geographic Unit Operations
445 Ross Lane
Hightstown, NJ 08520-4142
USA
Phone: +1 732 562 5511

PETITION TO FORM A STUDENT BRANCH CHAPTER OF AN IEEE SOCIETY/TECHNICAL COUNCIL

Name of IEEE Society: _____

Name of IEEE Student Branch: _____

School Code: _____

We, the undersigned, who are members of the above Society and IEEE Student Branch, hereby petition for approval to form a Student Branch Chapter in the Student Branch indicated above. We agree to adopt and adhere to the recommended Constitution previously approved for the IEEE Student Branch.

Signature of Petitioner	Member Number	Printed Name
1.		
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**** A QUALIFIED PETITIONER ARE REQUIRED FOR A STUDENT BRANCH TECHNICAL CHAPTER OR TECHNICAL COUNCIL CHAPTER FORMATION ****

** If a petitioner is a new member of IEEE and has not yet had a membership number assigned, please use the date the application was mailed or printed online and the Zip Code (U.S.) or City, Country in which IEEE was incorporated by law.

The following individual is serving as the Organizer of the Student Branch Chapter, who will serve as interim Chair pending election of a regular Chair at a later organization meeting (must hold grade of Graduate Student Member or Student Member).

Interim Student Branch Chapter Chair	Member #:
Name: _____	_____
Address: _____	_____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Country: _____ Email: _____ Fax: _____

Phone: _____

Branch Chapter Chair's Signature: _____

Date: _____

The action has the approval of the Student Branch Executive Committee.

Branch Counselor	Member #:
Name: _____	_____
Address: _____	_____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Country: _____ Email: _____ Fax: _____

Phone: _____

Branch Counselor's Signature: _____

Date: _____

The following individual is serving as the Branch Chapter Advisor, who is a member of both IEEE and the designated Society.

Branch Chapter Advisor	Member #:
Name: _____	_____
Address: _____	_____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Country: _____ Email: _____ Fax: _____

Phone: _____

Branch Chapter Advisor's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Student Branch Chapter Chair
Student Branch Counselor
Student Branch Chapter Advisor
6 (G)SM with society membership

Create a Chapter

http://www.ieee.org/documents/student_branch_chapter_formation_2010.doc

Which Student Branch could start a chapter?

2500511 2502601 2502641 2502973 2503111 2503141 2505231
2505461 2506971 2507703 2507723 2507783 2507853 2508031
2508051 2509181 2509473 2510051 2510643 2511033 2511101
2511183 2513843 2514471 2515121 2516021 2517933 2518123
2521483 2521643 2524003 2528451 2528512 2528704 2529454
2529941 2536124 2540703 2550003 2556803 2559201 2581563
2586161 2592303 2592913 2596101 2598233
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45889047 40102037 40135773 40162936 40357266 41257906
41324494 41359508 41424518 41452608 41556642 41637500
41639553 41681969
60025347 60034519 60038012 60038644 60040161 60041475
60040786 60048632 60053371 60056842 60058584

Maintaining the Chapter

- ▶ > 5 members with society membership
- ▶ > 2 meetings per year
- ▶ maintain a respectable level of activity

Should our Branch start a chapter?

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If you answered yes on 3 or more, starting a chapter is a great idea !

Extra Info

Student Branch Chapters Website

sites.ieee.org/mga-sac

Find all the information on all Societies, section chapters and student branch chapters in one location

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PES SB chapter Leuven launch : 'European Electrical Energy Sessions'

Posted on [April 30, 2012](#) by [mga-sac sb.Ch](#)

IEEE Student Branch Leuven PES chapter held a 4 evening technical event and reported about it in the PES eNews update!

[Link to article](#)

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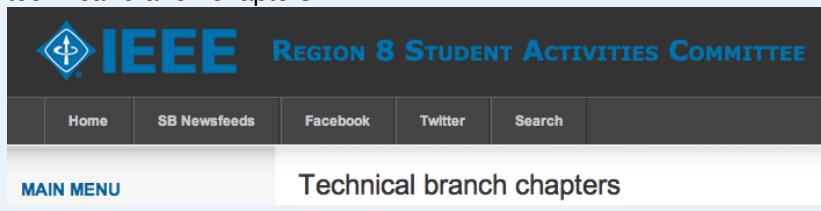
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Extra Info

R8SAC webpage

<http://www.r8sac.org/index.php/branch-operations-othermenu-40/21-technical-branch-chapters>



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<http://ieee-elearning.org/CLE/course/view.php?id=124>

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If you're a new Student Branch Chapter Chair and unfamiliar with the position, the Quick Start guide will provide you a step-by-step journey through what you need to know to carry out your responsibilities.

 [Student Branch Chapter Chair Quick Start Guide](#)

 [Please provide feedback on this Quick Start Guide](#)

Any Questions

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