

# IEEE Bosnia and Herzegovina Section Report March 2011

## Officers:

**Executive Officers** (Term Start Date: 1 January 2011, Term End Date: 31 December 2012)

- Chair: Mrs. Dusanka Boskovic
- Chair Deputy: Dr. Milorad Bozic
- Treasurer: Mrs. Sabina Dacic
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## **<u>Committee</u>** (in election)

- Educational Activities: Dr. Novica Nosovic
- Membership Development Officer: Mrs. Dusanka Boskovic
- Professional Activities: Dr. Adnan Salihbegovic
- Student Activities: Mrs.Sabina Dacic
- Student Representative: Alvin Abdagic
- Web: Mr. Teo Eterovic

## Affinity Groups: (in election)

- WIE Chair: Dr. Lejla Banjanovic-Mehmedovic.
- GOLD Chair: Mr. Omer Tanovic.

## **<u>Chapters</u>** (in election)

- 1. Communications Society Chapter COM019: Chair: Dr. Narcis Behlilovic,
- 2. Joint Computing Intelligence/Computer Society Chapter: CIS11/C16: Chair: Dr. Haris Supic.
- 3. Power Engineering Society Chapter PE31: Chair: Dr. Salih Carsimamovic.

### Membership:

Statistics from Membership Development indicate the following:

The IEEE Bosnia & Herzegovina Section has in total **163 active members** (180 in April 2010): **7** Senior Members, **138 Members** (including **50** Graduate Student Members), **11 Student Members**, and **4** Associate Members, **3** Affiliate Members.

### Date of above results by using SAMIEEE: March 5, 2011

### Meetings: held since October 2010

Technical meetings and Activities: (4 meetings) Administrative meetings: (5) Social (2) Educational Meetings (2) The number of meetings were reported thorough Legacy 2009 L31 MEETING REPORT FORM, and only a required number of meeting using the IEEE vTools Meeting System.

### Activities in the near future:

- Technical co-sponsorship of 2 conferences:
  - 1. **18th International Conference on Systems, Signals and Image Processing IWSSIP 2011**., to be held in Sarajevo, June 16 18, 2011. <u>http://iwssip.etf.unsa.ba/</u>
  - XXIII International Symposium on Information, Communication and Automation Technologies, to be held in Sarajevo, October 27-29, 2011. <u>http://icat.etf.unsa.ba/icat-2011/cms/</u>

Volunteer and Membership Motivation Presentations are planned to be organized at the conferences,

- Revive Chapter activities
- Improve industry relations and attract more members from the industry
- Continue with the program of Section-level lecture series



## Best practices:

- 1. VIII SYMPOSIUM ON INDUSTRIAL ELECTRONICS INDEL 2010, in Banja Luka, on 4-6 November 2010. IEEE BH Section organised social event and Membership Motivation Presentations.
- 2. VIII International Symposium on Telecommunications "BIHTEL 2010" held in Sarajevo, on 22-24. November 2010. At the VIII BIHTEL organized by the members of the IEEE BH Section, Chapter Communications, distinguished lecturers were invited to present perspectives for research in the area of telecommunications in the private and public companies in the region.

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3. IEEE B&H GOLD AG was local host for the IEEEXtreme 4.0, and it took place at the Faculty of Electrical Engineering in Sarajevo, with Omer Tanovic serving as a Proctor.

ETFSarajevoDragons were ranked 24th among 970 teams.

#### Topics to be discussed in London:

• How to attract more Student Members after Bologna system shortend 5 year studies to 3 years?

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