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1. Highlights from the past

- BIOMS/EESMS 2011
- Biophotonics 2011
- ICUWB 2011
- ENERGYCON 2012
- HISTELCON 2012

2. Future activities

- Lessons learnt from the organized conferences in order to put in place a streamlined process
- Improvement of the communication (website and email news)
- Establish relationship with the major technical organization in the different sectors to better serve the stakeholders and improve the visibility IEEE at large

3. Best practices

- Very good support to conferences organizers in terms of bank accounts etc.
- Relationship with some key technical organizations already in place

4. Points of concern / Topics for future discussion

Global financial control: compliance with national regulations and request from IEEE headquarters

5. Miscellaneous

- New SPS chapter (born from the split of joint SP01/AES10 joint chapter
- Different Distinguished lectures given in Italy
- · Marconi ceremonial plaque at Villa Grifone