

Ghana Section Eric Kuada

## **Getting Closer to Industry**

Majority of our members have traditionally been from industry with rather relatively few faculty members. Collaboration with industry partners has however not been very successful.

Organizing relevant workshops that target employees of specific industries have been quiet effective last year.

# **Attracting and Supporting Future Members**

We have over the past two years been organizing the IEEE Ghana Section research seminar series that is held in collaboration with the various university in the country. This serves as publicity for the Section and attract new members.

Reduction is membership dues will go along way to increase membership and also retain old members.

# **Section Vitality**

The Quarterly Research Seminar Series and doing well to bring more conferences to the country will improve on the section vitality.

We are in the process of setting up a committee for student project competition. This will serve as a reverse job search for recent graduates and also increase the publicity and popularity of IEEE in Ghana

#### **IEEE** in Africa

We will continues to take active part in the IEEE Africa virtual conferences.

### Support from IEEE Office in Vienna, Austria

Not sure yet.

### Miscellaneous / Recommendations / Feedback

PowerAfrica2017 Conference: The IEEE-Ghana Section will be hosting the Power and Energy Society flagship Conference "PowerAfrica", in Ghana. The PowerAfrica2017 conference will be held 27th to 30th June, 2017 at the Ghana Institute of Management and Public Administration (GIMPA).