



May 2011

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### May 2011 Section Meeting

#### "Party Time!! IEEE May Social with the Senators!"

**Date:** Tuesday May 10, 2011  
**Time:** Arrival: 6:30 PM  
Game: 7:00 PM  
**Place:** Harrisburg Island Senators Ballfield  
**Lunch Cost:** \$20 members and guests, \$10 for students  
**Contact:** To register and for additional information (and directions), contact Vittal Balasubramanian, phone: 938-7368, email: [b.vittal@ieee.org](mailto:b.vittal@ieee.org) or Karthik Balasubramanian: [karthik.ace@gmail.com](mailto:karthik.ace@gmail.com)

Our Harrisburg Senators will be playing the Altoona Curve Team and we can be there to see our Team's victory (we hope). We have made arrangements to have Clubhouse seating and a catered meal. So, we should stay dry & have full stomachs even if it rains a little! The Section will be underwriting part of the cost so we will only be asking members/guests to contribute \$20 for the event. Students, as usual, will be half-price (\$10).

Karthik Balasubramanian will be our Section's Host/Guide for the gala social event and you should contact him, or his brother Vittal, ASAP, to make your reservation. The Section has to make a firm commitment very shortly, so please respond quickly. Also, we will be held accountable for "no-shows" so we will be coming after those in this category.

Members should plan on parking on the Harrisburg Island's Parking area and then walking to the Ballfield on the north end. Karthik will be greeting you at the gate (he will have an IEEE Susquehanna Section sign) and will give you your ticket(s) and directions to the Clubhouse area.

This should be a really fun night, please come and join your Section's members!

### Ideas for PACE

The Susquehanna Professional Activities Committees for Engineers (PACE) is seeking ideas for future chapter activities in addition to our upcoming Resume Writing Workshop (date and time to be determined shortly). Ideas could include career development, job searching, networking, or? Our PACE committee also seeks one or more people willing to provide an hour or two of help to plan our future activities. Please contact [RoyHoffer@aol.com](mailto:RoyHoffer@aol.com) with your ideas! (Or if you can volunteer sometime.)

### Senior Membership Drive

We will be having the Senior Membership drive on Saturday April 30, 2011, at PSU Harrisburg from 10:00AM to noon. If you are interested to be nominated or nominate a candidate, contact Larry Brown ([lbrown007@comcast.net](mailto:lbrown007@comcast.net)).

### IEEE 2011 International Microwave Symposium

The IEEE Microwave Theory & Techniques Society (MTT-S) International Microwave Symposium for 2011 (IMS2011, <http://ims2011.org>) will be held in Baltimore as the centerpiece of *Microwave Week 2011*, from Sunday, June 5 through Friday, June 10, 2011. Our close proximity to Baltimore provides our interested members with a great opportunity to observe and hear about the latest developments in all areas related to the RF and microwave technology.

IMS2011 will feature over hundred technical, focus, special, workshop, and short course sessions, as well as a few panel and rump sessions. IMS2011 Exhibition will span for three days and will include over 500 exhibiting companies. Several companies will present application seminars on the show floor.

In addition to IMS2011, the technical program of *Microwave Week* includes the IEEE Radio-Frequency Integrated Circuit Symposium ([www.rfic2011.org](http://www.rfic2011.org)) and the Automatic Radio-Frequency Techniques Group Conference ([www.arftg.org](http://www.arftg.org)).

For registration and additional information visit the symposium website (<http://ims2011.org>). Early registration ends on May 20<sup>th</sup>. Students and life member discount and single day registration are also available.

Counties Served: Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Juniata, Lancaster, Lebanon, Mifflin, Montour, Northumberland, Perry, Snyder, and York.