



Sections Congress 2014 *Inspiring Our Leaders of Tomorrow* **22-24 August 2014 (Friday – Sunday)**

April 2013 Update

IEEE Sections Congress is...

The opportunity for IEEE volunteers from around the world to participate in a truly unique event. The congress provides the attendees to increase their leadership skills and to gain a working knowledge of IEEE.

It is also a venue to express concerns and opinions through the recommendations process. The recommendations, that the Section Delegates vote on, are then used by the IEEE Board of Directors to guide IEEE into the future.

Sections Congress 2014

Goals and Objectives

- Increase member engagement and Section vitality
- Provide training to
 - Develop leadership skills
 - Enable and nurture volunteering efforts
 - Share best practices
 - Learn about available programs
- Provide for networking opportunities at grass-roots level

Sections Congress 2014 Program Change

MGA Board approved change from a four to three day program.

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- Improve voting experience and increase number of voting participants with continual voting, using technology
- Allow for flexibility in making return travel arrangements
- SC14 Closing Ceremony held end of day Sunday
- Honors Ceremony held either Saturday or Sunday evening (TBD)

Sections Congress 2014 Logistics (* * updated information)

What	When/Where
Dates of Congress	22-24 August 2014
Registration Rate	**US\$650.00
City	Amsterdam, Netherlands
Venue	Amsterdam RAI-Exhibition and Convention Center
Hotels and Hotel Rates	**Room blocks being held at multiple hotels, 5 of which are within a 10 minute walk of RAI. More information will be provided when available
Primary Delegates	***Registration rate and 3 nights hotel stay is covered by MGA



Additional Logistical Aspects – expected to be available by June 2013

IEEE Meetings, Conferences &
Event Management team has
begun negotiations with a few
airlines for reduced fares

SC14 Select Key Milestones

- ▶ 1st Half 2013
 - ▶ Program tracks and workshop choices available
 - ▶ Registration rates available
 - ▶ Section budgeting begins

- ▶ 2nd Half 2013
 - ▶ Speakers identified
 - ▶ Section budgeting continues

SC14 Select Key Milestones

▶ 1st Half 2014

- ▶ Select Section Representative
- ▶ Registration live in February
- ▶ Make airline reservations

▶ 2nd Half 2014

- ▶ SC14 held 22-24 August 2014

SC14 Section Budgeting

- ▶ MGA will cover 3 room nights (Fri-Sun)
- ▶ MGA will cover Registration fee
- ▶ Region 3 will cover 1 room night (Thurs)

Additional information

Information on Sections Congress can be found at:

www.ieee.org/sc

QUESTIONS?

Please contact the SC2014 Region 3 Coordinator:

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