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To: Region 3 ExCom
Fr: Chris Hardy, R3 Conf Comm Chair
Re: Conference Committee Report
August 21-22, 2014

Sections Congress 2014 (SC14) is upon us (21 – 24 August) and we currently have 37 Sections represented from Region 3. Region 3 is holding its fall Committee meeting in Amsterdam in conjunction with SC14. The meeting begins Thursday 8/21 at 2pm and continues Friday 8/22 from 8am to approximately 2pm. The latest SC14 schedule can be found here:
http://www.ieee.org/societies_communities/geo_activities/sections_congress/2014/sc2014_schedule.html

The next SoutheastCon will be April 9-12, 2015 in Fort Lauderdale, FL at the Hilton Fort Lauderdale Marina hotel. It is sponsored by the Broward Section. The conference website is here:

<https://www.xcdsystem.com/SoutheastCon/abstract/index.cfm?ID=u2DWr0P&CFID=6599628&CFTOKEN=16660428&jsessionid=d430d1888914851d3850226a33514f161343>

Many thanks to Don Hill and his staff in Lexington for a successful 2014 SoutheastCon. Congrats also for closing the conference books in record time.

The 2016 SoutheastCon will be in Norfolk, VA on 30 March - 3 April, 2016. It is being hosted by the Hampton Roads Section.

Your conference committee is also working on the following items:

- Working with local sections to create proposals for the 2017 and 2018 SoutheastCon conferences.
- Closing the books on previous SoutheastCon conferences.
- Continuing to develop Region 3 conference guidelines to help organize and run successful conferences within the region.
- Update list of other IEEE society and technical conferences held within Region 3. Make list readily available on Region website.

Your 2014 Conference Committee members include:

Chair - Chris Hardy
Mentor – Jim Conrad
Past Chair – Sean Haynes
Senior Representative – Jim Howard
Regional Student Activities – Pat Donohoe
Senior Representative Sub-Committee – Jim Howard
Southeastcon 2015 Sub-Committee – Eric Ackerman
Southeastcon 2014 Sub-Committee – Don Hill

Southeastcon 2016 Sub-Committee – Sean Haynes, Jennifer Ammentorp
Donghui Wu
Bill Yang
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Respectfully submitted,

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