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It was great to see so many of you at IEEE SoutheastCon 2019! Congratulations to Eric Grigorian and his team on a job well done!

Gregg's report discusses a few things that I was going to mention – MOUs and the IEEE Board Series in Atlanta – so I won't go over those again. Please make sure you read his report for that information. I do want to mention that I am in the process of considering people for the R3 Committee positions. If you have any interest in staying in the position you are in, moving to a new position, or know of someone that may be a good fit for one of the positions, please let me know! As a reminder, the R3 standing committees can be found <u>here</u>.

I have been asked to co-lead a joint TAB/MGA ad hoc committee on Chapters. The purpose of the committee is to discuss how MGA and TAB can work together to provide better support to the chapters. If you have any issues you want us to discuss, or any ideas for how to improve chapter support, please contact me. I'm meeting with the other co-chair this week at the Board Series to review our charter and we have identified our committee members. I'm looking forward to finding a way to help our Chapters be stronger and better connected to each other, their Section/Region, and their Society.

Don't forget that you have access to the Region 3 "Cookbook" that provides recipes/steps for running various types of events. You can read about the cookbook and download a zip of the files here. Feel free to use these as a starting point, and edit them to fit your own Section!

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Thanks, Jill R3 Director-Elect 2018-2019

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