

Proposals Invited for Special Issues of the *Transactions*

The AdCom of the IEEE Power Electronics Society has authorized its flagship technical publication, the *IEEE Transactions on Power Electronics*, to publish one Special Issue (SI) each year.

Proposals for a Special Issue must include the following: (1) Guest Editor, (2) list of potential Guest Associate Editors, (3) time line, and (4) topic and areas of specialization (scope of the issue).

The following is an example of the suggested time line for a SI. This time line should be used routinely, because the SI is scheduled for publication in May of each year. Once the proposed SI has been approved, the Transactions Editor-in-Chief (EIC) and the Guest Editor will determine specific dates.

- Approval by AdCom: February of the first year
- Paper submission deadline: February of the second year
- First reviews: June of the second year
- Revised paper deadline: August of the second year
- Second and final review: September of the second year
- Final manuscripts: December of the second year
- Published: May of the third year

The following special issues are presently planned:

Special Issue on Integrated Power Electronics

Guest Editor: Dr. J.A. Ferreira

Planned Publication: May 2005

Special Issue on Automotive Power Electronics & Motor Drives

Guest Editors: Dr. A. Emadi and Dr. J. Shen

Planned Publication: May 2006

The deadline for IEEE Transactions on Power Electronics Special Issue proposals for the May 2007 Special Issue is February 4, 2005. Proposals for a SI are to be emailed to the *Transactions* EIC at the address given below. The *Transactions* EIC presents the submitted SI proposals and his recommendations to the AdCom at the annual February meeting for a decision.

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