

Section Executive Meeting Friday, September 9, 2011 1 - 2:30pm ENGR 4003 (Dining Room)

- 1. Review and approval of minutes of the last meeting
- 2. Action Items and Reports
 - a. Chair
 - b. Vice-Chair
 - c. Past-Chair
 - d. Treasurer
 - e. Secretary
 - f. Technical Activities
 - g. Membership Development
 - h. Awards and Scholarships
 - i. Student Activities
 - j. WIE
 - k. GOLD
 - l. Webmaster
 - m. Newsletter
 - n. TISP
 - o. Oceanic Engineering Society Chapter
 - p. Computer/Communications/CAS Chapter
- 3. Other business
 - a. Nominations for 2012-13 Section Executive
 - b. NECEC 2011
 - c. Sections Congress summary
 - d. Fall Regional Meeting
 - e. IEEE Canada Humanitarian Initiatives
 - f. AGM
 - g. Next Meeting

ARTICLE V Nomination and Election of Officers

Section At the end of the term of the office of Chair, the Vice Chair serving during the

- 1 preceding term will have the option of automatically becoming the Chair. If the Vice Chair declines to assume this role, the nomination/election procedure described below will take place .
- Section The Section Chair with the approval of the Section Executive Committee shall
 - 2 appoint a Nominating Committee consisting of three members, not currently elected officers of the Section. The chair of the Nominating Committee will normally be the immediate past Chair of the Section.
- Section The slate of nominations prepared by the Nominating Committee will be
 - **3** announced to the Section membership and, following this, a minimum of fourteen days allowed for additional nominations by petition. To be valid, the petition must be signed by ten or more voting members.
- Section Candidates to serve as Section officers must be of Member, Senior Member or4 Fellow Grade.
- Section The election will be carried out by secret ballot, either mailed to the membershipor made available electronically.
- Section Elections shall take place in odd-numbered years. The timetable for the election
 - **6** procedure is as follows:
 - September 15: Appointment of Nominating Committee

October 15: Announcement of Nominations

October 31: Close nominations by petition; mail ballots or publish electronically

November 30: Count ballots and announce results

- Section A plurality of the votes cast shall be necessary for election. Members of
 - 7 Associate, Member, Senior Member or Fellow grade are permitted to vote in the Section and subunit elections.