

R3 Member Communications Committee (MCC)

Monthly Chair Report – April 19, 2021 (4)

Committee Agenda:

Member Communications Committee (MCC) Presentation Charts for October ExCom Meeting – Sonya Dillard
Recurring Meeting Time Change 6:00pm – 7:00pm CST

1st Tuesdays of the Month, recurring until December 1, 2021.

Our MCC Volunteers will be continuing to serve in their current positions for the year 2021.

Member Communications eNotice Initiative

Promote Member Development Training throughout the Region

Collect information and disseminate to R3 on training to be used for obtaining CEUs for continuing education.

R3 Website Update – Lucas Sweet & Stephen Hopkins

Finished and launched the new R3 website online.

Welcome Stephen Hopkins as the Backup Webmaster for R3

R3 Social Media Update – Dr. Ebonee Walker

Continuing to post and promote Social Media via all platforms

Launched the R3 Google Form for collecting information for Member Communications

Please tag our R3 Social Media platforms during your local events

R3 Newsletter Update – Bill Labelle & Evelyn Licona

Newsletters are published quarterly

R3 Fellows Application Session for November – Hulya Kirkici

Host a Fellows Application Seminar for the Region twice per year (August & November)

If anyone wants to submit their application for IEEE Fellow, please contact hkirkici@southalabama.edu

Committee Notes:

The MCC initiated two successful eNotice Monthly Blasts in March and April of 2021. Region 3 meeting attendance continually increasing each month, due to virtual Region 3 meeting invitations.

R3 Member Communication eNotices are submitted at the end of this month. The May announcements will be collected on the link below to submit your meetings (via Goggle Docs) and allow anyone in R3 to attend.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1hB7Pk6O_F4F-Lk3iGis1SZDzqNDvO9VJGt-yj1kGdCY/edit

This Monthly Email Blast has been utilized by several sections thus far. We want to expand to all sections of R3 by the end of this year. An email will be sent out to all Section Chairs each month during the 3rd week, requesting that Section's submit the meetings/links for registration to sessions that they welcome other R3 attendees to participate. This is a win-win for knowledge sharing, professional development for our members, and increasing participation of the Sections. During the beginning of each month, another email will be sent to all R3 Members letting them know about the upcoming meetings for the following month.

Dr. Hulya Kirkici led a Publications informational seminar on what to do and how to submit Publications within IEEE. She will also be leading 2 Fellows Application Sessions annually in August and November. Currently, Hulya has scheduled a tentative date for the next Fellows Application Webinar on For information on submitting your Fellows Application, obtaining references, or for a copy of the presentation slides, please contact hkirkici@southalabama.edu

The next IEEE R3 MCC meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 4th, 2021 at 6:00pm. May the 4th be with you! 😊