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Dear Team Members,

I am currently in Region 10 for a meeting. Just want to give following updates for the R3 ExCom Meeting on 11-27-2023:

Suggestion for R3 Secretary, Pat Donohoe to add a new item 8.d to the Agenda under conferences. Life Members Committee invites all R3 Section members to participate in this in-person conference in 2024. Suggest following verbiage in red or you may shorten description.

"8.d - 2024 Life Members Inaugural Conference in Austin, Texas (14-16 Apr) - contact Kulangara (imkulang@gmail.com); See R3 Knowledge Base segment for Life Members for registration / hotel reservation / program details."

I'll be having a dual role as R3 LMC Coordinator and as a member of MGA IEEE life members committee (LMC) in 2024 – 2025 (s). I plan to support Region 3 and MGA IEEE LMC in the respective positions for the upcoming year (s).

(A) R3 LM Coordinator for 2024-2025:

- (A1) Thanks to R3 team members, Section / LMAG Chairs who completed at least two LMAG activities per year in 2023, followed through MGA petition process for forming new LMAGs and other R3 programs of interest to life members committee (LMC). R3 Director / R3 Director Elect and the Life Member Committee (LMC) encouraged and supported to accomplish these tasks.
- (A2) I accepted the offer of the Director-elect Eric Gregorian (confirmed by R3N&A Committee) to serve as R3 Life Member Committee Coordinator for 2024-2025. Thanks for Eric's confidence in me to serve as LM Coordinator in R3 to fulfill the interests of life members and the IEEE LMC during his term as director.

(B) IEEE LMC Voting Member 2024:

(B1) Director Theresa nominated me for the position of a voting member in MGA IEEE LMC and MGA contacted me to submit a follow up application

for this position. Thanks to Theresa and Kristin who encouraged me to submit the application.

(B2) I was notified by the MGA Board a few days back that I am selected / appointed by the MGA Board to serve as a voting member of IEEE life members committee (LMC) starting 2024.

Report Start – Region 3 LM Activities

- (C) A snapshot of the R3 Life Members Activities and a 2-years outlook:
- (C1) 7-new LMAGs formed in Region 3: (2023 R3 new LMAGs Name / No / Date / Chair / email ID
- (C1a) Mississippi MS / LM30039 / Apr 27 / (Rajeev Agrawal & Roger King) rkag@yahoo.com
- (C1b) Canaveral FL / LM30507A / Aug 17 (Macaulay Osaisai) mosaisai@ieee.org
- (C1c) Eastern NC / LM30171 / Aug 18 (Clay Cranford & Magreth Mushi) / claycran@gmail.com
- (C1d) Palm Beach FL / LM30553A / Sep 12 / (Hari Kalva & Mohammad Ilyas) hari.kalva@fau.edu
- (C1e) Piedmont SC / LM30387 / Sep 21 (Lee Stogner & David Fillion) l.stogner@ieee.org
- (C1f) Charlotte NC / LM130169 / Sep 28 (Jim Conrad) jmconrad@charlotte.edu
- (C1g) Jamaica country of Jamaica / LM30097 / Nov 8 (Christopher Udeagha & Halden Morris) udeaghac@vahoo.com ***********
- (C2) LMAG in process of Dissolving in R3: Due to no activities and no Section /LMAG officers for 4-years - Winston - Salem NC / LM30175 is in the process of being dissolved by MGA Board **********

(C3) Number of LMAG Activities in 2023 for each LMAG:

Atlanta Section (LM30003) / 2

Eastern North Carolina Section (LM30171) New

Palm Beach Section (LM30553A) New

Orlando Section (LM30551) / 4

East Tennessee Section (LM30713) / 3

Melbourne Section (LM30595) / 5

Huntsville Section (LM30025) / 2

Alabama Section (LM30001) / 2

Charlotte Section (LM30169) / New

Piedmont Section (LM30387) / New 1

Western North Carolina Section (LM30173) / 2

Coastal South Carolina Section (LM30383) / 3

Columbia Section (LM30385) / 0 (A-2, Wyman Williams)

Daytona Section (LM30577) / 1 (A-3, Raul Ortega)

Northwest Florida Section (LM30557) / 19

Louisville Section (LM30031) / 5

Mississippi Section (LM30039) / 6

Canaveral Section (LM30507A) / New 1

Lexington Section (LM30029) / 5

Tallahassee Area Section (LM30555) / 1 (A-5, Patrick Kung)

Winston-Salem Section (LM30175) / 0 (A-1, James Imanian)

Jamaica Section (LM30097) New

Columbia Section (LM30385) / 0 (A-2, Wyman Williams) / Angelo Ferraro; Daytona Section (LM30577) / 1 (A-3, Raul Ortega) / Ronald Gedney; Tallahassee Area Section (LM30555) / 1 (A-5, Patrick Kung) / Thomas Bellarmine: Winston-Salem Section (LM30175) / 0 (A-1, James Imanian)

The above LMAGs will be on Probation if these LMAGs do not have 2-events per year before Dec 31, 2023.

Request Area Chair to follow up with LMAG / Section Chair to:

[(C3.1) - conduct two-minimum required number of events per year before 12/31/2023 for Section to receive Standard Rebate.

I(C3.2) - conduct six-minimum number of events per year before 12/31/2023 for Section to receive Bonus Rebate from MGA.

[(C3.3) - conduct more than six-events per year before 12/31/2023 to participate by selfnomination in LMAG /LM Individual / Global Awards of Life Members Committee

(C4) An outlook for petitions to form LMAGs in R3 during 2024-2025 (ongoing activities:

(4a.1a) Total Number of Sections in R3 (41)

(4.1b) Total Number Sections in R3 having LMAGs (23)

(4.1c) Sections identifying life member numbers that do not have LMAGs but qualified to form LMAGs proposed to petition LMAGs in 2024-2025 (18)

Richmond Section (149)

Central Virginia Section (135)

Central Tennessee Section (126)

Hampton Roads Section (118)

Jacksonville Section (108)

Gainesville Section (87)

Miami Section (86)

Broward Section (82)

Virginia Mountain Section (77)

Chattanooga Section (66)

Savannah Section (63)

Memphis Section (53)

Central Georgia Section (49)

Central North Carolina Section (41)

Central Savannah River Section (39)

Mobile Section (32)

Evansville-Owensboro Section (31)

Tri Cities Section (24)

(5) Invitation / Information for Registering / Reserving hotel / viewing program details for 2024 Life Members Conference in Austin, Texas during April 14-16, 2024. See the R3 Knowledge base platform for Life Members.

Report End

Best wishes for a safe and happy holiday season. Jacob M Kulangara PE R3 LM Coordinator IEEE Life Senior Member jmkulang@gmail.com

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