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Goal:

- SSIT Society Chapter Creation
- Stimulate Member Volunteerism,
- Senior Member Roundup Co-sponsor
- Form Election Committees for Section and LMAG
- Establish Webmaster team to integrate the Section, Chapter and Branch websites

Milestones

- Re-invigorated PELS Student Branch
- Top 10 in Senior Member Elevation
- Entered a Funding Project for Disaster Response Resources
- Joint AI Roundtable with Long Island Section

Obstacles:

- Lingering membership malaise and volunteer motivation and participation.
- Balancing Executive Committee professional responsibility with section activities.
- Balancing academic vs practicing engineering member perspectives and interests

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