

**Re: Next IEEE Region 3 ExCom Meeting - Monday - April 22, 2024 (8:00-10:00pm EDT)**

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Activity report for Savannah Section follows, meeting reports have been filed for all the prior meetings listed here:

We've had a busy first quarter of 2024 in the IEEE Savannah Section. Reports on the events below will be filed, but this newsletter will give you an idea of what's happened and what is yet to come.

On January 26, a planning dinner meeting was held at Berkeley Hall Club in Bluffton, where we discussed upcoming plans for the Savannah Section this year.

On February 10, IEEE Savannah Section Members, with the leadership of volunteers at Megawatt Lasers, participated in Girls' Engineer It Day (GEID). The project for the young students is the Flashlight Project, where students build a working flashlight, embossed with IEEE, to learn that engineering is fun and gives a sense of accomplishment!

On February 19, IEEE volunteers discussed our work with a volunteer group based in Beaufort County, SC. The volunteer group, under the trademark Silicon Garden, works across the Beaufort County School Board, Guidance Counselors, mentoring non-profits, and local businesses to promote STEM careers for young people. As a result of this meeting, Silicon Garden volunteers invited to Georgia Southern University to learn about the GSU STEM degree and certificate programs.

On April 1, the visit mentioned above took place. The Silicon Garden volunteers and a few young students were treated to a tour of the engineering and computing labs, met with the Dean of the College of Engineering & Computing, and stayed for lunch at the GSU Cafeteria. The tour was led by many of the officers of the Savannah Section, as they took time from their teaching schedules. The Georgia Southern faculty included Dean Craig Harvey and Professors Jiming Ji, Lei Chen, Masoud Davari, and Rami Haddad. Nancy Mead was in attendance as one of the invited volunteer guests.

Coming up on April 24, Lei Chen and Nancy Mead will participate in a Career Day at Hilton Head High School, with Georgia Southern University as one of the volunteer organizations to hold 2 sessions with interested students at 8:30 and 9:30 AM.

Additionally, Savannah Section officers Masoud Davari and Lei Chen attended Southeast Con, a large IEEE regional conference. They may report on that separately.

We'll try to keep you up to date on future events, and of course we welcome invitations from any of our members for site visits!

Nancy Mead - Savannah Section Treasurer

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On Thu, Apr 18, 2024 at 1:26 PM Donohoe, Pat <[donohoe@ece.msstate.edu](mailto:donohoe@ece.msstate.edu)> wrote:

Team,

Our next IEEE Region 3 ExCom meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 22, 2024 (8:00-10:00pm EDT). The Webex meeting link is provided below. Please send any agenda items or reports to me by 6:00pm EDT on Monday, April 22. The meeting materials will be available on the website by 7:00pm EDT. Any materials received after 6:00pm will be posted after the meeting adjourns.

The Region 3 Secretary Report is attached, which contains links for (1) the meeting information, agenda and reports (2) guidelines for ExCom reports (3) guidelines for Section reports and (4) the draft minutes of the 26 February 2024 ExCom meeting.

Thank you for your service to IEEE.

Pat Donohoe  
Region 3 Secretary

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IEEE Region 3 ExCom Meeting  
Hosted by Pat Donohoe

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