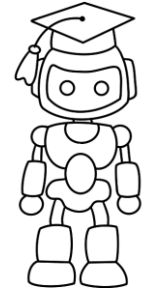




Mississippi Section

Section Chair Report
Lightning Round

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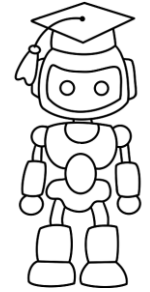
Section Officers:

- Chair: Thomas Field
- Vice Chair: Mokhles Abdulghani
- Secretary: Akanksha Wankhade
- Treasurer: Winnfort Myles
- Affinity Groups: LM/YP/WIE
- Year of Last Election: 2024
- Duration of Term: 2 Years
- Does Section have separate Bylaws/Operations Manual: Y

2024 Major Successes:

- Active student branches at all major Mississippi universities
- Active engagements with student branches.
- Released an approved Section Operations Manual
- In-person section volunteer Training at the University of Southern Mississippi (LMAG sponsored event)
- IEEE Day event at the Mississippi State University

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Goals:

- Retain and Increase Members
 - Return to Pre-Covid Monthly In Person Meetings
 - Return of PACE Activities
 - Improve Communications with Members
 - Increase Technical Chapter/Affinity Group Activities

Milestones:

- Meetings
 - Monthly Section Meeting Scheduled
 - New PACE Chair and Activities Planned
 - 2 webmasters, website being updated and list-server updates
 - Technical Chapters/Affinity Groups to have elections in 2025
 - Work with Technical Chapters/Affinity Groups on in person meetings

Obstacles:

- Willingness of People to Volunteer
- Past/Current Members Perception of Local IEEE Participation Since COVID

Opportunities:

- New Members since COVID
- New Volunteers
- Decrease of COVID Fear for In-Person Meetings/Networking