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# Dale Blair, Editor-In-Chief April 25, 2002

#### **Editor**

◆ Appointed Dr. G. Lachapelle, University of Calgary, Associate Editor for Navigation Systems.

#### M. Barry Carlton Award

◆ 2001 M. Barry Carlton Award: P. Lombardo, M. V. Greco, F. Gini, A. Farina, and J. B. Billingsley, "Impact of Clutter Spectra on Radar Performance Prediction" IEEE Transactions on Aerospace and Electronic Systems, July 2001, pp. 1022-1038.

#### **Editorial Procedures**

- Revised the "Information for Authors" to include <u>self-plagiarism</u> that was assessed to be part of the overall plagiarism problem.
- ◆ Attend the IEEE AES Publication Summit on March 5, 2003
- ◆ Attended IEEE Panel of Editors meeting on April 4-5, 2003.
- ♦ Request quote on the cost of using Manuscript Central for web-based manuscript review for the transactions
- ◆ Investigated and identified the problem with quality of PDF files of transactions articles on IEEE Xplore web site. IEEE Headquarters is posting scanned versions of our articles. The articles are scanned at IEEE Headquarters at IEEE AESS expense to convert it to "IEEE" SGML-tagged format (PDF file plus other referencing information). I requested that IEEE pursue posting the PDF files that IEEE AESS provides with the information that IEEE creates after scanning the article. I have request IEEE to give us a cost of this process to IEEE AESS.
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