

2017 IEEE Annual Election

Candidates for IEEE Region 5 Delegate-Elect/Director-Elect, 2018-2019



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What do you believe are the major issues facing the IEEE?

Retaining Young Professional membership and promoting industry partnership.

The value of an IEEE membership should be an exciting opportunity for young professionals and we must continue to highlight the benefits to our young engineers from both networking and sustained IEEE activities involving Section, Society and Chapter programs

Partnership with Industry has been a major part of my ten years of active conference and section development. A region director should be working to develop annual industry forums and outreach programs to build long-term alliances with employers and professional organizations.

What do you think is the number one goal for the IEEE leadership?

The continuing goal of IEEE leadership is to provide vision and awareness of the industrial revolution which we have seen in our profession. We cannot be a 'siloes' professional program where members only see the value of their own specializations. I strongly support the strategic planning of IEEE's Future Directions program to meet the IEEE mission of Advancing Technology for Humanity. We are once again in the beginning of great technology advances and IEEE leadership must work to make new tools (eg telecommunication, data analytics, networking, cloud computing and medicine) available to the population at large.



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What do you believe are the major issues facing the IEEE?

Our organization must strive to maintain relevance to both student members and regular members. The typical student member is introduced to only a fraction of the opportunities, activities and resources of the IEEE. We must strengthen interactions and build bridges to all engineering students to show how the organization is relevant to their job search, technical currency, networking and future career development activities. A valuable student experience will also make the retention of regular members easier because they will appreciate the value of the community of members striving to make the world a better place through technology.

What do you think is the number one goal for the IEEE leadership?

We must continue our focus on delivering value to both regular and student members. Feedback from our members highlights that most do not think they are getting a good value for their IEEE dues. Additional resources must be allocated to improving the value proposition and increasing engagement with students and regular members. Students are our future members and leaders. I also give high priority to the governance of the organization. It is our responsibility to ensure that the member's money is spent effectively and wisely on programs that deliver increasing value to all members.

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What motivates you and what qualifies you for the position you are seeking?

Throughout my 25 years of IEEE activities I have provided results and opportunities to international, national, regional and local programs. I am motivated by the many successes of conference and section programs in changing the way our members perceive the value of their volunteer efforts. As a successful conference organizer, IEEE section and chapter chair, I have performed administrative, editorial, educational and advisory duties. Having served our members in both the Washington DC and Denver areas I have brought agility, innovation and sustained financial growth to many programs. Make it fun, and the members will come.



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I have the capabilities and expertise necessary to fulfill the requirements of Director:

- **Demonstrated Commitment:** Over the last decade, I have held Section level positions including Chair of the Denver Section. In Region 5, I have held numerous positions and am currently an Area Chair.
- **Proven Leadership:** I have received two Regional level awards; the Individual Outstanding Achievement Award and a special award for PACE Program Activities.
- **Time Resources:** I have the luxury of setting my own schedule. Thus, I am able and willing to devote as much time and effort as necessary to Region 5 commitments.