

Aerospace & Electronic Systems Society

**Chapters Update
2016 Fall BoG meeting**

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Outline

- Team
- Chapters
 - US Chapters
 - International Chapters
 - Active / Inactive Chapters
- Awards Best Chapter (submitted)
 - 3 year goals/ ideas to increase participation
- Chapter Activities
 - Chapter Chair Toolbox (updated/posted)
- Chapter Issues (Funding)
 - Updates from Chairs – Meetings Needed
- Extra : DASC discussion

Team

- Membership – George Schmidt
- Chapters – Erik Blasch
- Europe – Leo Ligthart
- South America – (open)
- Database – (Judy)
- DL coordination – Kathleen Kramer
- Senior Membership – Jose Bolanos
- Student / YP – (current representatives?)
- Bonus – Asia – Walt Downing

2017 would need BoG member for Chapters but general inquires are available with the chapter chair toolbox

Chapters Summary since April

Issues

- Chapter info
 - Chapter Chair letter available
 - Drafted AESS welcome letter, not sure approved by President

- Webinar
 - Central TX (Walt)
 - Provided example case that could go into letter

- Senior Member campaign
 - Should remind Chapter chairs each year
 - IEEE NAECON (Dayton Chapter) provided forum for many
 - Should do at chapters/AES sponsored conferences

Chapters Summary Reports

Student Chapters

- Interest
 - Coastal LA, Central Tx

Reports

- Received
 - International Directors – compiled information
- Received
 - Germany, Ukraine
 - Columbia, Poland
 - Bangalore

Chapters Summary since April

US Chapters

- Interest
 - Coastal LA
 - Buffalo

Student Chapters

- **Rowan – Student**
 - Sent details at last meeting, but received no updates
 - **Jacob Cullen**, Rowan University ECE Undergrad (?)

International Chapters – since May

■ **Beijing**

- IEEE Geoscience and Remote Sensing Society (GRSS).

Walt Downing, met with Tsinghua University

They are looking into establishing a strong AES Chapter in Beijing in the future (Mark Davis)

■ **Czech Republic**

- 15 members, trying to engage submission. Success at DASC

■ **Student Chapter (New)**

- Peoples Education Society University Aerospace and Electronic Systems Society Student Branch Chapter in the Bangalore Section

Chapters Awards

- Best Chapter – International
 - 2013 – Ukraine
 - 2014 – Poland
 - 2015 – need more details (Germany)
 - 2016 – (Bangalore)
 - Discussions to get more chapter reports

- Best Chapter - US
 - Central TX (Walt), see AESM article
 - 2016 ?

- Best Student Chapter – International / US
 - Could designate - Columbia

Drafted Certificate- if no formal award plaque

Chapter Funding Requests

- One requested for a large conference report
- Replied that should seek something at \$250 with no feedback (which is listed in the welcome letter)

Inactive Chapters (July 2016)

SECTION/COUNCIL	SUBUNIT	2013 mtgs	2014 mtgs	2015 mtgs	July 2016 Discussion
AES10					
BALTIMORE	AES10	2	2	0	Cardinale emailed
CLEVELAND	R07/IM09/A ES10/IE13/E MB18	5	0	0	Blasch email, no response
COLOMBIA	AES10	7	0	0	Blasch emailed
CONNECTICUT	AES10	1	0	0	Willett emailed
ISLAMABAD	AES10	1	0	0	Not sure who to email
ITALY	AES10	9	4	0	Alfonso responded
MOHAWK VALLEY	AES10	0	2	0	Blasch talked in person
ORANGE COUNTY	AES10	4	3	0	Kathleen emailed
PIKES PEAK	AES10	2	0	0	Problem chapter, worked 2013
RUSSIA SIBERIA	MTT17/AES10/IM09/CO M19/AP03	0	0	0	DISSOLVE
SAINT LOUIS	AES10	5	2	0	Blasch emailed, no response
TWIN CITIES	AES10	1	2	0	Blasch emailed, fixed

AESS Chapters

- Have we met our goal of 1-3 per year?
 - Region 1: 9
 - Region 2: 5
 - Region 3: 6
 - Region 4: 2 ?
 - Region 5: 8
 - Region 6: 4
 - Region 7: 7
 - Region 8: 19
 - Region 9: 5
 - Region 10: 13
 - Student: 8

<http://ieee-aess.org/chapters/all>