

Activity & Progress Reporting

Section Autumn Meeting - 27th October 2022

1. Chapter/Affinity Group:	COM19-CS23 Joint Chapter on Communications and Control (Ireland Section)
2. Committee Members	<p>N. Athanasopoulos, Queen's University Belfast</p> <p>David Naughton, Xerenet Ltd. Bishopstown, Cork</p> <p>Prof Maire O'Neill, Queens University, Belfast</p> <p>Karen McMenemy, Queens University, Belfast</p> <p>Dave Priyan, Xilinx.com, Dublin</p> <p>Eoin Kenny, HEAnet, Dublin</p> <p>Ning Li, FG Wilson (Eng) Ltd, Belfast</p> <p>William Scanlon, Queens University, Belfast</p> <p>Luiz A. DaSilva, Trinity College, Dublin</p> <p>Dr Nicola Marchetti, Trinity College, Dublin</p>
3. Reporting Officer:	N. Athanasopoulos QUB
4. Overview of current plan and activities:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Continuation of seminar / webinar series (2 speakers confirmed for 2023 already) ii. Establish chapter committee, recruit active members, elections for chapter positions iii. Sponsor technical event within Ireland (ISSC conference 2023)
5. Key Achievements and member value/services to date:	Establishment of seminar series, co-sponsorship of all-Ireland conference on signals and systems (ISSC 2022), expansion of IEEE activities in QUB (student branch, seminars etc)
6. Key Challenges:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inactive chapter committee
7. Deficits/Required Resources:	<p>Advice/mentoring on recruiting chapter members</p> <p>Funding for organisation of face to face seminars within Ireland.</p>
8. Actions/Support requested from the Section:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Would need mentoring / advice on recruiting chapter committee members, as it seems chapter is inactive
9. Action Plan:	Continue technical webinar/seminar series, establish active chapter committee and initiate election procedure



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