

# IEEE Ottawa Communications Society, Consumer Electronics Society, and Broadcast Technology Society Joint Chapter (ComSoc / CESoc / BTS)

## Ottawa Chapter Best Practices

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## Serving The Members and Community



# Activities and Initiatives for Serving Members

- **DL seminars/Tours**
- **Local meetings and workshops**
- **Conferences**
- **Holding Activities for YP, WIE, & Student Members**
- **Relationship with the Community**
- **Membership & Development**



# DL seminars/Tours

## The Chapter managed to organized successful 5 distinguished lectures:

- 1. "Joint Symposium on Optical Communications" by DL: Prof. Bhaskar D. Rao, University of California, San Diego, USA. Friday March 18, 2016.
- 2. "SDN/NFV Technology Trends and Academic Research in Canada" by DL: Prof. Bhaskar D. Rao, University of California, San Diego, USA. Thursday November 26, 2015.
- 3. "Terrestrial broadcast vs. LTE-eMBMS: Competition and cooperation" by DL: Marco Breiling, IEEE BTS distinguished lecturer, Chief scientist of the broadband & broadcast Fraunhofer Institute for Integrated Circuits (IIS), Erlangen, Germany. Wednesday November 18, 2015.



# DL seminars/Tours

- ▶ 4. "Agility for an App-centric Network - Integrated Management of Software Defined Infrastructure" by DL: Prof. Bhaskar D. Rao, University of California, San Diego, USA. Thursday November 12, 2015.
- ▶ 5. "Self-Organizing Small Cell Networks" by DL: Dr. Ekram Hossain (IEEE Fellow), Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada. Monday, March 30, 2015



# Local Meetings and Workshops

**The Chapter managed to organized successful 15 technical seminars, here some **example**:**

- 1. "IEEE Standards Development Ecosystem and ComSoc Standards and Standards-related Activities" by Dr. Alexander D. Gelman, Director - Standardization Programs Development IEEE Communications Society. Tuesday April 5, 2016.
- 2. "Applications of Petri Nets in Communications - Calculation of Probability Distributions of Performance Variable in Petri Net Models" by Dr. Faruk Hadziomerovic, Independent Consultant, Ottawa. Thursday, April 16, 20, 2015.



# Local Meetings and Workshops

- ▶ 3. "Challenging Problems and Opportunities in Semiconductors and Microsystems" by Kenneth D. Wagner, ITAC Semiconductor Microsystems Council Chairman, Distinguished Engineer, PMC-Sierra, Inc. Thursday, March 26, 2015
- ▶ 4. "Challenges in the Next Wave of Connectivity " by Dr. Patrice Gamand, Ph.D, RF Fellow and Technology Manager, Corporate CTO office, NXP Semiconductors. Friday, March 20, 2015.
- ▶ 5. "An Overview of the Build in Canada Innovation Program (BCIP)" by Helen Braiter, Director, Build in Canada Innovation Program (BCIP), Ottawa Canada. Tuesday February 4, 2015..





# Conferences




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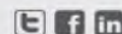


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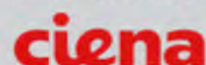
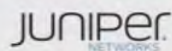
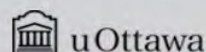
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# Holding Activities for Young Professional, WIE, & Student Members

- ▶ The Ottawa Chapter held meetings, seminars and workshops at Algonquin College, University of Ottawa, and Carleton University. Many students attended these events. All these events were co-organized with the student branches of these academic institutes.
- ▶ The Ottawa Chapter held meetings young professional (formerly GOLD) and WIE.
- ▶ Many students also participated as volunteers in IM 2015



# Relationship with the Community

- ▶ The Chapter heavily involved in strong relationship with local **industry**, **academia**, **Ottawa Tourism**, and **City of Ottawa** in the preparation for hosting workshops, symposia, and conferences in Ottawa.
- ▶ Local high tech and communications industry (more the **1800**) and academia (**4**) in Ottawa are very supportive in providing funding, sponsorship, speakers, advertisements as well as making their facilities available for the seminars, workshops, and field tours.



# Chapter Membership Development

- ▶ The Ottawa Chapter works closely with Ottawa Section MD Committee with the objective to recruit new members to ComSoc.
- ▶ The Ottawa Chapter is also maintaining the membership retention by contacting the members to renew their membership.
- ▶ At the beginning and/or during coffee breaks of each technical seminar, or social event the Chapter always promotes MD and encourages nonmembers to become IEEE ComSoc members.
- ▶ Also as part of the retention and MD, the Chapter encourages members to apply for Senior Membership and for IEEE Fellow. Also, inspire active members to be volunteers with the Chapter or in ComSoc conferences.





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