



# IEEE Sweden Section Annual Report 2003

## Meetings and Activities

- A Solid State Circuits Chapter was formed.
- A Component Manufacturing Technology Student branch was formed.
- 8 technical conferences were held.
- 48 meetings (including the AGM) were held.
- A process for revising the bylaws of the section was initiated.
- A senior membership elevation programme was initiated.
- The first steps in reviving the student branch at KTH were taken.

## Board activities

- During 2003 the IEEE Sweden Section Board had seven meetings.
- Robert Chin, ETS, KTH was appointed adjunct student activities officer.

## International activities

- Margaretha Eriksson was appointed to serve as Region 8 Membership Development Chair.
- Margaretha Eriksson was appointed to serve in the IEEE Women in Engineering Committee.
- Margaretha Eriksson was appointed to serve as Chapter co-ordinator for PCS, EMS, and SIT.
- Rolf Jansson and Margaretha Eriksson attended the Region 8 Meeting in Reykjavik.
- Rune Persson, Margaretha Eriksson, and Hans-Peter Nee attended the Region 8 Meeting in Zagreb.
- Margaretha Eriksson attended the EMS Board of Governors Meeting in Ottawa.
- Margaretha Eriksson attended the Women in Engineering Committee meetings in Savannah and Baltimore.
- Margaretha Eriksson held two Project Management Workshops in Egypt and Belgrade, respectively.
- The Section Board has worked for and has been appointed to arrange the 83<sup>rd</sup> IEEE R8 Committee Fall Meeting in Stockholm in October 2004.

## Members and finances

- Totally 1 912 active members, including life-members and affiliates, by the end of 2003.
- Four members, Jan Askne, Björn Ottersten, Christer Svensson, and Mikael Östling were appointed the highest IEEE grade Fellow.
- The Section received the annual rebate for 2003 in May. The report was delivered in due time to get the extra 10% rebate.
- The Financial situation is good and stable.

## Internal communication by e-mail

- As more than 90% of our members have e-mail, we have used this media as much as possible. Unfortunately, too many addresses are out of date, which causes us great problems.

## IEEE Sweden Section @ Internet

- Our web site [www.ieee.se](http://www.ieee.se) contains information about section, chapter and board activities, as well as contact information. We post almost all-relevant information on the website.

## IEEE Sweden Section Board year 2003

Hans-Peter Nee, Chair

Per Bodin, Vice Chair

Rolf Jansson, Treasurer

Rune Persson, Secretary and Webmaster

Mikael Gullberg, Membership Development

Margaretha Eriksson, Industrial Relations

Ragnar Kåhre, GOLD Officer

Cristina Andersson/Robert Chin, Adjunct Student Activities

## Chapters and their arrangements

- Antenna Propagation/Microwave Technology (AP/MTT) **3 meetings + 1 technical conference**
- Power Engineering/Power Electronics (PE/PEL) **2 meetings + 1 technical conference**
- Joint Scandinavian Component Manufacturing Technology (CPMT) **8 meetings**
- CPMT Student branch **2 meetings**
- Electron Devices (ED) **6 meetings**
- Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) **3 technical conferences**
- Engineering Management (EM) **3 meetings**
- Magnetics (MAG) **4 meetings**
- Vehicular Technology/Communications (VT/COM) **1 meeting + 2 technical conferences**
- Signal Processing (SP) **8 meetings**
- Solid State Circuits (SSC) **1 meeting**
- Computer Science/Software Engineering Chapter (C) **1 meeting + 1 technical conference**
- Chalmers Student Branch **1 meeting**

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Hans-Peter Nee, Chair,  
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