IEEE Central Texas Section
2021 Spring Officer Training Overview
Thursday, May 6, 2021
Virtual via ZOOM

Prepared by: Central Texas Section Officers and Past Central Texas Section Officers
Agenda

12:00 pm  Introduction  Dr. Larry Larson

Training Session Begins, Expeditor- Andrew Bluiett

12:15pm  Chair position role and duties  Dr. Larry Larson/Kenny Rice

12:30pm  Vice Chair role and duties  Andrew Bluiett/Leslie Martinich

12:45pm  Treasurer role and duties  Bill Martino/Kenny Rice

1:00pm  Secretary role and duties  Martha Dodge/Joe Redfield
Central Texas Section

- Approximately 4000 members in Austin, San Antonio, surrounding area
- One of largest sections in Region 5
CTS Mission

For Central Texas Section to be RELEVANT to the members and community at large.

1. Chapter vitality: Min 3-5 meetings, relevant topics, increase attendance, audience satisfaction

1. Improve Communications and Training

1. Building communities of Interest: K-12, Student engagement, YP

1. CTS Initiatives: Collaboration with other consortiums/councils, special interest groups, industry, government and academia

1. Collaboration with other sections, regions, and societies

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Student Organizations

Student Branches
University of Texas – Austin  STB01971
Texas State University  STB04141

Student Affinity Groups
University of Texas – Austin, Psi  HKN023

Student Branch Chapters
University of Texas – Austin, C16  SBC01971
University of Texas – Austin, COM19  SBC01971A
University of Texas – Austin, PE31  SBC01971C
University of Texas – Austin, RA24  SBC01971B
Texas State University, C16  SBC04141A
2020-21 Section Officers

- Chair – Larry Larson
- Vice Chair – Andrew Bluiett
- Secretary – Martha Dodge
- Treasurer – Bill Martino
# 2021 CTS Leadership

**CTS Officers:** Chair: Larry Larson; Vice Chair: Andrew Bluiett; Treasurer: Bill Martino; Secretary: Martha Dodge; Past Chairs: Fawzi Behmann, Leslie Martinich

## Standing Committees & Coordinators

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## CTS Executive Committee

- Section Officers: Chair, Vice-Chair, Treasurer, Secretary
- Immediate two Past Section Chairs
- Manager of Electronic Communications
- Chairs of all IEEE CTS Chapters & Affinity Groups

**Total – 24 members (Quorum – 13)**

## CTS Section Committee

- Section Officers: Chair, Vice-Chair, Treasurer, Secretary
- Immediate two Past Section Chairs
- Manager of Electronic Communications
- Standing Committee Coordinators:
  - Awards and Recognition
  - K-12 STEM
  - Manager of Electronic Communications
  - Policies and Procedures
  - Professional Activities
  - University Student Liaison
  - vTools Coordinator

**Total – 14 members (Quorum – 8)**
# 2021 Chapter Leadership

**CTS Officers**  
Chair: Larry Larson; **Vice Chair**: Andrew Bluiett; **Treasurer**: Bill Martino; **Secretary**: Martha Dodge  
**Past Chairs**: Fawzi Behmann, Leslie Martinich

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2021 Chapter & Affinity Group Officer Training
Overview
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Chair

Prepared by: Dr. Larry Larson/Kenny Rice
Section Chair 1

- Ensures that Section, including Chapters and Affinity Groups are fulfilling IEEE mission and goals
- Manages the operation of the Section and ensures the best interest of local members are met
- Represents the Section to the Region Committee and/or other IEEE organizational units.
Section Chair 2

- Chairs of the IEEE Section Executive Committee (ExCom), and presides at meetings
- Represents the Section at IEEE gatherings and Regional Committee Meetings
- Manages Section red tape
  - signs section documents/accounts
  - finds volunteers for non-elected positions
D. CHAPTER OFFICERS

Officers of the Chapter shall be at least a Chair, a Vice Chair, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. The Chapter may combine the offices of Secretary and Treasurer.

1. Each member of the Chapter Committee shall be an IEEE member of Graduate Student Member, Member, Senior Member, or Fellow grade and a member of the parent Society. Officers of a Joint Chapter must be a member of at least one parent Society. The Chapter Chair shall serve as Chair for all meetings of the Chapter, the Chapter Committee, and the Chapter ExCom where such ExCom exists. To be an officer of a Technical Council Chapter, an individual must be an IEEE voting member of a Society which is a Member Society of the Technical Council.

2. The Chapter Vice Chair shall assist the Chair in the coordination of all Chapter activities. At the request of the Chapter Chair or in the absence of the Chapter Chair, the Chapter Vice Chair shall chair meetings of the Chapter, Chapter Committee, or Chapter ExCom.

3. The duties of the Chapter Secretary shall include correspondence, the keeping of the minutes of the Committee meetings, mailing notices, and submission of meeting reports to the parent Section Secretary or Secretary/Treasurer at the end of each year and such other duties as are assigned to him/her by the Chair.

4. The duties of the Chapter Treasurer shall include the development of a Chapter budget for approval by the Section, accounting of all Chapter funds, keeping financial records, and submitting a financial record to the Section.
5. Officer Terms and Eligibility:
   - a. All officers shall be elected by Chapter members of Graduate Student Member, Member, Senior Member, and Fellow grade. Elections for all officers shall take place every one or two years, in accordance with the term of office as defined by the parent geographical unit that assumes responsibility for the Chapter management.
   - b. The term of office for all officers shall be one or two years. The parent geographical unit that assumes responsibility for the Chapter management must define the officer term as one or two years and record it in its local operating procedures document; if the officer term is not recorded in the local operating procedures document, it shall be two years. An individual may continue in the position until a successor has been duly elected and takes office.
   - c. The term of office shall normally be from 1 January through 31 December. MGA Operations Manual, Section 9 page 103
   - d. The consecutive period of service in any one office shall normally not exceed four years. All officers shall not serve in any one position, in any single organizational unit, more than six years in total. Exceptions to this rule require approval by the Chair of the parent geographical unit that assumes responsibility for the Chapter management who will annually report such exceptions to the Region Director.

6. The names of the newly elected/appointed officers (voting and non-voting) of the Chapter shall be reported to the IEEE MGA department, via the Section or Council Secretary, within 20 days following election/appointment.
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Vice Chair

Prepared by: Leslie Martinich/Andrew Bluiett
Section Vice Chair

- Supports Section Chair
- Selects topics for discussion at Section Meetings
  - Works with Section Secretary and Chair
- Works with Chapter Chairs
  - Ensure they offer programs focused on increasing member engagement
- Steps in for Section Chair if needed
- Attends Monthly Section Meetings
- Organizes Annual Training Event
Vice Chair

- Supports Chair
  - Availability (committees, meetings, conferences, training)

- Attend Society Tech Meetings and Admin Meetings
  - Available to advertise events, recognize achievements, network

- Vitality
  - Focus on tools to increase member engagement

- Training to learn the duties of Chair
  - Attend PES conference, IEEE e-learning tools

- Attend all Meetings

- Support Local Workshops and Conferences
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Treasurer

May 6, 2021
Austin, TX

Prepared By: Bill Martino/Kenny Rice

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Finance related duties of Chapter and Group officers

1) Participate in the annual Section budgeting process by forecasting Chapter or Group revenue and expenses for the upcoming year.

2) Review the proposed Section budget, then participate in the Winter Planning Meeting. Members of the ExCom vote to approve the annual Section Budget in this meeting.
Finance related duties of Chapter and Group officers

3) Manage Chapter or Group events according the approved budget – exceptions need approval from the Section Chair.
Chapter/Group Funds

- Chapters and Groups receive funds primarily from:
  - Annual dues rebate, based on prior year activity -- $200 or $275
  - Support from IEEE Societies and MGA Committees, such as PACE and Life Members
  - Chapter or Group events, such as Workshops with an attendance fee
  - Donations – usually from a corporation, but sometimes from an individual
  - Support from the Section
Chapter/Group Funds

• Chapters and Groups are entitled to receive funds generated by their own activities, including the annual IEEE Rebate.

• Unspent funds derived from Chapter and Group activities remain are retained by the Chapter or Group from fiscal year to fiscal year. This does not include unspent “support dollars” from the Section.

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Chapter/Group Funds

- Chapters and Groups may share surplus funds from an activity, such as a workshop, with other Organizational Units, such as the Section. The allocation is defined in an MOU.
Duties of the Treasurer to Chapters and Groups

1) Reimburse Chapter or Group expenses paid by a person
2) Pay bills incurred by the Chapter or Group for an approved activity
3) Provide periodic financial reports showing OU receipts and expenditures vs the budget
4) Provide a form to aid the annual budgeting process, including an estimated balance forward
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#### Total Expenses

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#### Net Income

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#### Balance to Carryforward to 2022, as of 03/31/2021

| $ 309.72 |

#### Approved 2021 CTS Support

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#### Balance Available to Spend in 2021, as of 03/31/2021

| $ 309.72 |
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Overview

Position: Secretary

Prepared by: Martha Dodge, Joe Redfield
The secretary is an officer and serves on the OU Executive Committee, and is the keeper of the OU documentation, e.g.

- Past meeting minutes and reports,
- Lists of current and past OU Officers,
- Agreements/contracts with local organizations,
- Past strategies and plans of the OU,
- Other important non-financial information (financial is Treasurer’s role)

Term:
- Typically 1-2 years, not to exceed 4 years, but up to 6 years with Section approval (the OU above, geographically)
IEEE Officer Position Secretary

Typical Chapter/Group Secretary Activities:

• Schedules regular and special **OU meetings in vTools**

• **Documents attendance in vTools** ("Report Meeting")

• **Updates officer positions in vTools** ("Officer Reporting")
  - IEEE will then give officers **permissions** for vTools and the IEEE member database (OU Analytics)

• Notifies ExCom members of upcoming meetings/events

• Records minutes of monthly OU ExCom meetings

• Distributes minutes to the ExCom

• Ensures regulatory and bylaws compliance, with ExCom

• Submits annual meeting summary to IEEE Section
File Storage

• The OU ExCom or Chapter Committee should discuss the best way to retain documents
  • Hard copy is cumbersome
  • OU-owned laptop passed from Secretary to Secretary
  • OU Google Drive file location with access granted to all officers (and other volunteers as appropriate)
  • Piazza is a platform used by many universities. “Professors” can manage the access for the “students” as they change.
  • OU website with password protected access.
  • CDs and USB drives
Thank you!