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2020 EAC R10 Committee Report

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Committee Structure
1. Chair: Lance Fung
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Objectives
The IEEE Region 10 Educational Activities Committee (EAC) provides guidance and assistance to Region entities in organizing, pre-college education programs, Teacher-in-service program (TISP) and other EAC related activities, and, publicizing educational opportunities available from the Institute.

Projects / Tasks
2. IEEE R10 EA Awards for Outstanding Group and Individual
3. R10 EA Awareness Sessions
4. R10 Project Reaching Locals
5. R10 EA Social Media Challenge

Outcomes
Project 1: Winner and Runner-up: HK Section and SB NIT Durgapur (Pre-University); PES Malaysia Chapter and University of Malaya SB (University)
Project 2: Group Award: IEEE Education Society Chapter, Hyderabad Section and Individual Award: Mohammad Hafiz Ismail of Malaysia Section
Project 4: Reports from 13 OU’s, 8 countries, 12 local languages used and multi-thousand participants
Project 5: Winners on Innovative and Popular Category

Finance
1. Project 1: USD2,500 (USD1,500 claimed)
2. Project 2: Budget from Award Committee
3. Project 3: Nil
4. Project 4: USD10,000 (USD3,900 awarded)
5. Project 5: USD200 (USD150 awarded)

Total Finance: USD12,700
Details of Project 1

- Establishment of objectives, evaluation criteria and judging panel for the new innovative challenge
- Call for 2020 R10 EA New Innovative Challenge
  - Submission Deadline: 17th April, 2020
  - Notification: 15th May, 2020
  - Reporting and claims for expenses: 27th November, 2020
- Support for expenses up to $500 and $300 for Winner and runner-up in Pre-University and University Categories respectively
- Support up to $150 for SIX commendation projects
- Total Budget: USD$2,500
- Note: Five groups did not submit report – Event cancelled due to COVID-19
Details of Project 2

- Awards for recognition of active promotion and participation in IEEE EA activities.
- Establishment of objectives, evaluation criteria and judging panel for R10 EA Awards
- Promote, encourage and support for submissions to IEEE EAB Awards from R10 OU’s
- Call for Nomination of Awards
  - Announcement: 2\textsuperscript{nd} March, 2020.
  - Nomination Deadline: 1\textsuperscript{st} May, 2020
  - Extension of Deadline: 15\textsuperscript{th} May, 2020
  - Submission of Evaluation to Award Nomination Committee: 10\textsuperscript{th} July, 2020
  - Approval of nomination: 1\textsuperscript{st} September, 2020
- Budget for plaques and certificates provided by R10 Award and Recognition Committee
Details of Project 3

- To increase awareness of EA activities and resources in IEEE R10 and IEEE EAB
- Promotion of EA Opportunities and Activities through presentation in Webinars, Collabratec and Social Media
- Three Webinars planned with regular communication through R10 Newsletters, Collabratec, Social Media and Website
- 20/6/20: “IEEE EA Resources and Getting Involved”;
- 24/7/20” “IEEE Project Reaching Locals”;
- 20/9/20: “EA Track in R10 SYWL Congress”
Details of Project 4

IEEE R10 OU’s are invited to conduct activities for reaching out to the community with local languages in order to:

- raise the awareness of IEEE’s brand and logo,
- enhance public understanding of engineering and technology,
- provide a trusted source of educational resources and services,
- inspire a worldwide audience and expand knowledge for the benefit of humanity.

Activities in the forms of webinars, videos, radio broadcasts, interviews, production of subtitles for IEEE flagship events, Workshops, Hackathon, MOOC and a range of innovative projects

Countries reported activities: Japan, India, China, Pakistan, Indonesia, Bangladesh, Malaysia and Hong Kong SAR.

Languages used: have included Japanese, Bengali, Malay, Hindi, Telugu, Urdu, Malayalam, Sindhi, Kannada, Gujarati and Chinese.

Awards: Certificates of Appreciation and USD300 to OU’s for support of future activities (Granted to 13 OU’s)
Details of Project 5

- **Objective:** the IEEE R10 EAC Social Media Challenge was launched to encourage IEEE R10 members to share their learning and reflections from the virtual activities that they are participating in, during the unprecedented times of COVID-19.

- **Call and deadline:**
  - Submission Deadline: 31st July, 2020
  - Notification: 10th December, 2020

- **Winner Popular Category:** Akhya Katiyar (UP section)

- **Winner Innovative Category:** Christian Enoval (Philippines Section) and Mallellu Sai Prashanth (Hyderabad Section)

- **Prize:** Certificate of Appreciation and USD50