



**SC2023**  
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**2023 R10 SNPIC Update**

Ottawa, Canada | 11 AUG

# Committee Members



Takako Hashimoto  
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Seishi Takamura  
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Nia Kurnianingsih  
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(SM, Karachi, m)



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(SM, New Zealand North, m)



# 2023 R10 SP/NI Committee Plan

## Committee Structure

1. Chair: Takako Hashimoto
2. Members: Seishi Takamura, Nia Kurnianingsih, Basabi Chakraborty, Harry McDonald, Parkash Lohana, Nirmal Nair

## Budget

- Project 1: USD 25K  
Project 2: \$200  
Project 3: None

## Objectives

To promote the growth and successful operations of R10 through strategic planning

1. Support new initiatives that are expected to empower members and communities in the future
2. Encourage more members/non-members to participate in R10 activities
3. Towards Successful Region Realignment

## Project / Task Measurable

- Project 1: # of Proposals, Impact (# of participants), Outcome (result report, recommendations) ,  
Project 2: Discussion with R10 Members, and Proposed Solutions  
Project 3: Define Virtual Conference Values, etc

## Projects / Tasks

### Project 1: Strategic Planning and New Initiative Fund

- Support for larger inter-committee and inter-OU projects on initiatives such as Climate Change, Diversity & Inclusion or underserved membership (up to \$10K)
- Support for more members/non-members participation

### Project 2: Consideration for Successful Region Realignment

### Project 3: Consider Virtual Flagship R10 Conference(s)

## Major Milestones & Timeline

- Project 1: Call for proposals by April, Review and Selection by July, Receive result/interim reports by November,  
Project 2: by November  
Project 3: by November

# Progress of Project 1

## Strategic Planning and New Initiative Fund

### Description

- Initiate **a new fund scheme** for the removal of Section Incentives
- Promote and encourage **larger inter-committee and inter-OU projects, inter-zone**
- Align with the priorities of IEEE BoD such as **Climate Change, Diversity & Inclusion, Underserved Membership, etc.**
- **Virtual conferece, region realignment, etc.**
- 1–2-year project with up to \$10K
- Expect matching co-funding and sponsorship from other sources
- Proposals will be evaluated by **Quality, Feasibility, Impact** and **Continuity, Experience/Capability** of the proposal team, and future potential
- **Further discussions** will be held to determine which projects are appropriate.
- Work together with Ad Hoc Com.

### Outcomes

Report and/or Video  
Recommendation

## Estimated Budget

- \$25K+
- \$200 / each proposal

## # of Recipients

- 5-10

## Progress

- **Sent Call for proposals In May (Web, NL, mail)**
- Discussing with Ad-hoc Com Chairs (CC, Volunteer Training)
- Climate Change from ACT, TENSYPMP etc. (July)
- Energy Transition from Indonesia + Malaysia (Aug)
- Volunteer Training (Virtual) from Mousmi,
- Education Society Flagship Conf. in AP + R10 (TALE)

## Plan

- Review proposals
- Promote the program in SC
- Receive interim reports by November

# IEEE R10 New Initiatives Program 2023

**Online Form** <https://www.ieeer10.org/spinc-cfp/>  
**Point of Contacts** IEEE R10 SPNIC Chair ([takako@ieee.org](mailto:takako@ieee.org))

## Objective

- Support potential new initiatives to empower members and communities

## Eligibility

- Open to all IEEE members, supported in any OU in Region 10
- Proposals that bridge multiple OUs and/or from multiple countries are welcome

## Terms and Conditions

- No less than US \$1,000 and up to a maximum of US \$10,000
- Proposals are executed as IEEE R10 activities to be implemented by one or more OUs, preferably with other communities in different countries.
- All disbursement requests shall be made within 12 months from the start of the project.

## Schedule

- Proposals Deadline – Ongoing until 30th, Nov 2023.
- Notification of Acceptance: Within 6 weeks of submission.

# Progress of Project 2

## Consideration for Successful Region Realignment

### Description:

- Region Realignment was officially approved by the IEEE BoD in Nov. 2022
- Assuming R10 and R11 structures to be officially launched in 2028, we will consider various issues that may arise in the future and discuss and propose solutions
- Collaboration with Zone Representative

### Potential Issue

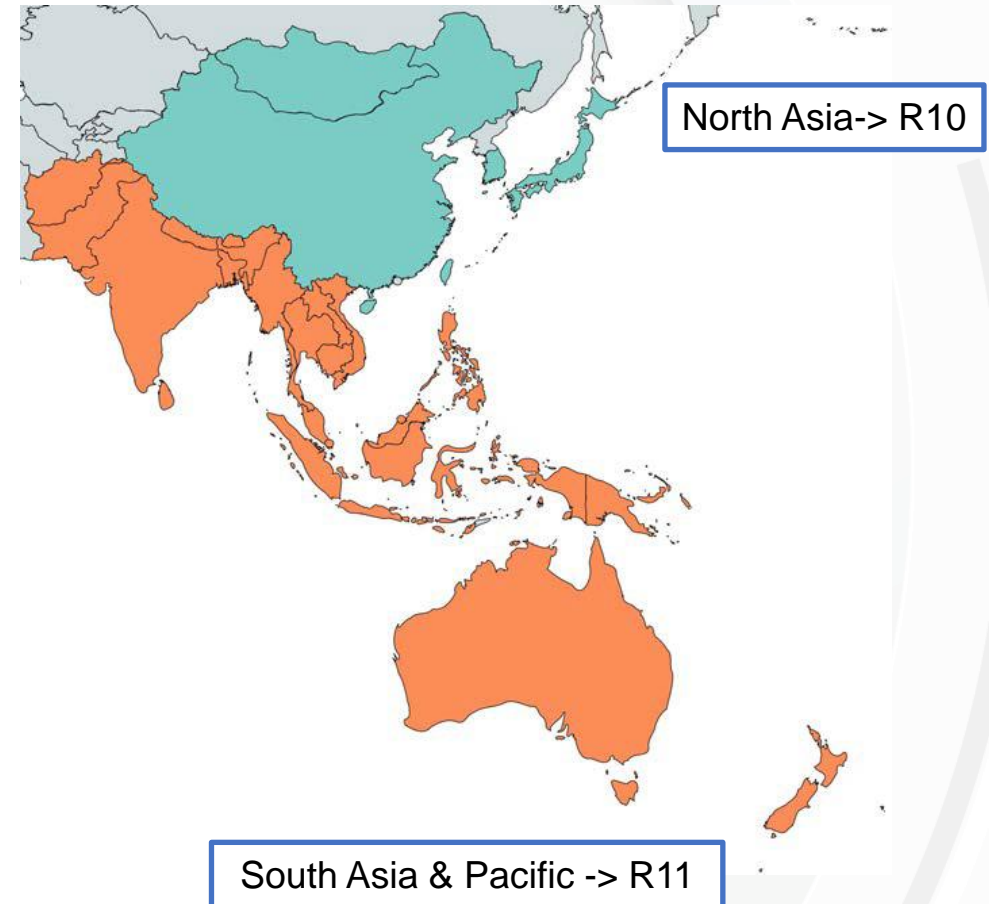
- Document development (by law, OM)
- Consultation and Communication with members (Publicity)
- Promotion/Survey at Section Congress, AGM

### Progress

- Promoting Region Realignment in R10 NL (Aki, and Seishi)
- Promoting RR Social Media (Web, FB)
- Preparation for SC

### Plan

- Promotion RR in SC
- Promoting Region Realignment in R10 NL



# Progress of Project 3

## Consider Virtual Flagship R10 Conference(s)

### Description:

Define Targets, Audiences, Values, etc. of Virtual Conferences  
In 2021 SP/NIC conducted a survey for R10

Subsections/Sections/Councils on the challenges and opportunities, best practices, and operation ideas for holding another conference.

Based on this survey, the details of a virtual conference in R10 will be discussed.

### Progress

Considering a strategy  
Discuss with CTS, CQM, VC TAB

### Plan

Draft a strategy for Virtual Flagship Conferences in R10

