# **Announcements**

## IEEE TENCON-2019 at Kochi during 17-19 Oct 2019

TENCON is the flagship premier international technical conference of IEEE Region 10. The Theme for TENCON-2019 is "Technology, Knowledge, and Society". It will be held during 17 – 20 Oct 2019 at Hotel Grand Hyatt, Bolgatty, Kochi, Kerala. Conf. website <a href="http://www.tencon2019.org">http://www.tencon2019.org</a>

# IEEE INDICON-2019 at Marwadi University, Rajkot, Gujarat during 13-15 Dec 2019

IEEE INDICON-2019, the flagship conference of the IEEE India Council will be held at Marwadi University, Rajkot, Gujarat from December 13 to 15, 2019. Conf. website <a href="http://indicon2019.in/">http://indicon2019.in/</a>

## 2019 IEEE Region 10 Awards to IEEE India Council OUs

IEEE India Council Newsletter extends hearty congratulations to the India Council OUs and the individuals for receiving the 2019 R10 awards as detailed below

#### **Organizational Units Awards (8 out of 17)**

- R10 Outstanding Large Section Award: IEEE Kerala Section
- R10 Outstanding Medium Section Award: IEEE Pune Section
- R10 Outstanding Small Section Award: IEEE Kharagpur Section
- R10 Best Membership Growth Medium Section Award: IEEE Pune Section
- R10 Humanitarian Technology Activities Outstanding Section Award: IEEE Pune Section
- R10 Student Activities Committee Outstanding Student Branch Award First Place : D. Patel Institute of Technology, Gujarat Section
- R10 Student Activities Committee Outstanding Student Branch Award–Third Place: Dr. Akhilesh Das Gupta Institute Of Technology And Management, Delhi Section
- R10 Women in Engineering Outstanding Section Affinity Group Award: IEEE Kerala Section WIE Affinity Group

## **Individuals Award (4 out of 11)**

- R10 Outstanding Volunteer Award: Rajesh Ingle, Pune Section
- R10 Education Activities Outstanding Volunteer Award: A. Premlet, Kerla Section
- R10 Young Professionals Outstanding Volunteer in Academic Award: Abhishek Appaji, Bangalore Section
- R10 Young Professionals Outstanding Volunteer in Industry Award: Abey Easow Joseph, Kerala Section
- 2019 MGA Larry K Wilson Regional Student Activities Award: Sahil Sameer, Kerala Section

## **IEEE Regional Exemplary Student Branch Award 2019**

- Natl Institute of Technology Karnataka, Bangalore Section
- B.M. Sreenivasalah College of Engineering, Bangalore Section
- Visvesvaraya Univ College of Engrg, Bangalore Section
- Central University of Karnataka, Bangalore Section
- G H Raisoni College of Engineering Nagpur, Bombay Section
- Universal College Of Engineering, Bombay Section
- A.D.Patel Institute of Technology, Gujarat Section
- Chengannur College of Engineering, Kerala Section
- College of Engineering-Karunagappally, Kerala Section
- Sri Sivasubramaniya Nadar College of Engineering, Madras Section

#### **IEEE India Council Awards – Call for Nominations**

IEEE India Council Awards Committee invites nominations for the following awards for the year 2019

# 1. Outstanding Volunteer Award

- a. IEEE Volunteer (Age greater than 35)
- b. IEEE Volunteer (Age equal to and below than 35)
- c. Outstanding Student
- d. Outstanding WIE Student
- e. Outstanding YP

#### 2. Outstanding Student Branch Award

- a. Outstanding Student Branch
- b. Outstanding Upcoming Branch

## 3. India Council Outstanding Industry Award

- a. IEEE IC Technologist of the Year 2019
- b. IEEE IC Women technologist of the Year 2019
- c. IEEE IC Technology Start Up of the Year 2019

## 4. India Council Leadership Awards

- a. India Council Lifetime Achievement Awards for IC Chairs
- b. India Council Leadership Awards for Section/Subsection Chairs

Nomination Deadline: Sept 2019

For the full announcement & guidelines, pl. refer <a href="http://sites.ieee.org/indiacouncil/files/2019/05/recognize-the-contribution-of-volunteers-at-various-levels-and-student-branches.pdf">http://sites.ieee.org/indiacouncil/files/2019/05/recognize-the-contribution-of-volunteers-at-various-levels-and-student-branches.pdf</a>

Apply at: https://ieee.checkboxonline.com/ICAWARDS2019.aspx

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# India Science Fest at IISER, Pune on Jan 11-12, 2020

Aspiring Minds, partnering with Harvard South Asia Inst, NASSCOM and Social Alpha (Tata Trust) is organizing India Science Fest at IISER, Pune during 11-12 Jan 2020 with the aim to create India's largest public science event and get excellent scientists engage with students, faculty and professionals.

The highlights of this Science Fest include:

- 30+ scientists will give talks, debate and demystify science and engineering with confirmed speakers from MIT, Yale, UCSD, IITs, NCBS, Tsinghua Univ, at the Fest.
- Exciting AI exhibits, robots, and scientific marvels
- Opportunity to present your science and engineering to the world
- Roundtables to discuss science and technology policy in which experts discuss how to make science in India world class.
- Workshop for school students to connect our young minds to global science and engineering
- Close interaction with the world's best minds facilitating specialist sessions and one-on-one meetings for deep discussions

The Fest is organizing the following **competitions** and present cash prizes to the winners.

- **Talk your thesis:** This is an initiative to connect the (invisible) MS/PhD students to the society at the large. They will be invited to give a 10 minute public talk on their thesis at the Festival.
- **Perform your project:** In this competition, people will perform their science project through any means talk, act, demo, dance, etc. providing a platform to exhibit their great science coupled with innovative method of presentation.

Deadlines for the submission of Final Applications is 13th October. Register soon at: <a href="https://www.indiasciencefest.org/participate">https://www.indiasciencefest.org/participate</a>

Please find the flyer at <a href="http://bit.ly/2kijaFu">http://bit.ly/2kijaFu</a> For more details on the festival, pl. visit <a href="https://www.indiasciencefest.org/">https://www.indiasciencefest.org/</a>

# Call for Nomination: IEI-IEEE Joint Award for Engineering Excellence – 2019

The Award would recognize the outstanding individual contribution either in the Government, Industry, Academia, or Research and Development organizations. Work done in India will only be considered for the Award. This Award comprises a medal and a certificate. Nominations will be accepted till 31 October 2019, and the Nomination Form can be downloaded from: <a href="https://ieeebangalore.org/ieee-iei-excellence-award-nomination/">https://ieeebangalore.org/ieee-iei-excellence-award-nomination/</a> For more information send email to iei.ieee.jans.award@gmail.com