

# Larry K. Wilson Regional Student Activities Award

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# **Nominee Information**

Supply the full name, IEEE membership number, grade, and contact information of the individual being nominated.

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Name of Nominee	Pamella Oliveira
Current Volunteer role(s)	Translation Group - R9 SAC Team Webmaster - Universidade de Brasilia Student Branch Webmaster- IEEE UnB SSIT Student Branch Chapter
IEEE Membership Date	03/06/2014
IEEE Member Number	92980371
Years of IEEE membership	4
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Student Address (Immediate)	
Student Mobile Phone Number	
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Citation	(No response)

#### Student Branch Information

Student Branch Name	Universidade de Brasilia
Student Branch Code	
Student Branch Counselor	João Luiz de Azevedo Carvalho
Student Branch Counselor Telephone Number	
Section Name(enter the name of the section alone. do not append the word Section)	Centro-Norte Brazil
IEEE Region	9

## **Nominator Information**

Nominator Name	Brenda Vilas Boas
Nominator Member Number	
Current IEEE Position	Student Activity Committee
Nominator Email address	brenda.v.b@ieee.org
Nominator Phone Number	

## **Additional Information**

Past accomplishments (list of achievements for which the person is being nominated) [350 words]

She was founder and 2017 chair of the IEEE SSIT Student Chapter. Because of Pamella's motivation, determination and humanitarian point of view, the SSIT chapter had received many important awards during its first year of foundation. Some of the prizes that Pamella and her team had received are:

- IEEE R9 Exemplary Chapter Award 2017 SSIT
- 2nd place on IEEE Day 2017 Long Video Contest "Donating life in one day"
- 2nd place at IEEE Day 2017 Regional Contest "Helping is in the blood"
- 2nd place in 2017 IEEE Brazilian Success Cases on Sustainability and Social Responsibility - "Hair donation: fighting against cancer".

In 2017, Pamella was also selected as IEEE Day ambassador. She developed a fanpage on Facebook to share information about IEEE Day events taking place in Brazil and motivating people to create events. Moreover, she was webmaster of IEEE UnB student branch and was awarded 3rd place at the 2017 R9 Website Contest.

Pamella is a motivated experienced IEEE volunteer who is always available to share knowledge about IEEE procedures. In that regard, she has contributed in many ways to students branches in her section and in Brazil by creating tutorials in Portuguese about e-mail accounts, website request, membership subscription and funding request.

# Accomplishment 1 (350 words)

As 2016-2017 chair of the IEEE UnB student branch, Pamella created the "Shameless - Oratory Workshop" to help students to talk in public. Besides, she have organized the directive body of the student branch, started a task force to document the branch activities, and created tutorials, like vTools, website, and student branch petition to help other student branches in Brazil. As a branch leader, Pamella created the "IEEE UnB Student Branch Exemplary Group Contest" that recognized the outstanding student chapter or affinity group within UnB based in their activities and organizational aspects. In addition, She is co-creator of the IEEE UnB Week, an event that engages student branch, student chapters and affinity groups from UnB to share IEEE culture on campus.

## Accomplishment 2 (350 words)

In addition, Pamella has motivated and supported the foundation of seven student chapters at UnB: Education Society (ED), Computer Society (CS), Power and Energy Society (PES), Communications Society (ComSoc), Control Systems Society (CSS), Circuits and Systems Society (CAS), and Society on Social Implications of Technologies (SSIT). From those, Pamella was directly involved with the foundation of the ED, PES and SSIT student chapters, being the first chair of SD and SSIT, and actively contributing to PES activities. With ED chapter, Pamella was awarded 1st place in 2016 IEEE Brazilian Success Cases on Sustainability and Social Responsibility due to the Electron project which use educational kits to teach electronic basics in public schools. At the PES chapter, Pamella has contributed to its activities and 2016 annual report which lead the chapter to be internationally recognized with the seventh place at the High Performing Student Branch Chapter Program from PES. With SSIT chapter, Pamella structured the chapter organogram, created projects and social campaigns based on the sustainable development goals of United Nations. As a result, the chapter had huge accomplishments winning 5 prizes on its first year of foundation.

#### Accomplishment 3 (350 words)

The organizational structure of the UnB student branch is certainly a legacy left by Pamella. She is a very organized leader and is always finding ways to better manage her team. As such, Pamella proposed a presidential committee for UnB which is formed by the chair of the UnB student branch and the chairs of UnB student chapters and affinity groups. The goal of the presidential committee is to promote synergy among activities of the IEEE bodies and increase

IEEE membership at UnB. With this administrative organization the number of projects within chapters increased as well as the number of volunteers. IEEE membership had increased in 47% and the number of volunteers increased 100% in comparison to April of 2016.

# Other Accomplishments (500 words)

#### 1-Articles/reports

Pamella co-authored the following articles and/reports:

#### 1.1-Articles

- -Electron Project-RNR 2016
- -Electron Project-RRR 2016
- -Hair donation campaign for people with cancer-RNR 2017
- -IEEE SSIT UnB Article for IEEE SSIT Newsletter November 2017
- -Hair donation campaign for people with cancer-The Darrel Chong Student Activities Award 2018
- -Solidarity Campaign-The Darrel Chong Student Activities Award 2018

## 1.2-Reports

- -Activity reports- UnB SB 2016
- -Financial report-UnB SB 2016
- -Activity reports- ED SBC 2016
- -Financial report-ED SBC 2016
- -Annual Report IEEE PES UnB-2016
- -Activity reports- SSIT SBC 2017
- -IEEE Day 2017- Ambassador
- 2- Winner of the 2014 IEEE R9 Student Ethics Competition

#### 3-Participant of the events:

Pamella represented the SB at Regional Meetings of 2014 and 2016, the National Meetings of 2015, 2016 e 2017 and at the I Workshop-IEEE Center-North Brazil Section in 2016. She has participated at the 2014 and 2016 IEEE R9 Student Ethics Competition. In addition, she participated in the Learning Shot Canvas Methodology - FinTech Startup, organized by R9 Young Professional and the Time Management Course (GTD) promoted by IEEE UnB SB. She also participated at IEEE Day 2014 organized by UnB SB. In 2015, she participated on training promoted by the Electron Project.

# 4-Organizer of events:

During her 4 years of volunteering, Pamella has organized a variety of IEEE events, such as: IEEE Days, internal trainings, change of SB direction board, selective processes for income volunteers, social events, humanitarian actions, and others. Moreover, she had the idea to create the IEEE Week at UnB SB where the SB, its chapters and affinity groups promote IEEE culture throughout activities and events. Besides, she had organized:

- -2014-Medical Imaging Course (EMBS)
- -2016-Electron Competicion (Electron Project)
- -2016-Selective Process of the Electron Project
- -2016-Internal training-Oratory (Electron Project)
- -2016-Management change 2016 (UnB SB)
- -2016-Leadership Course-Labx (ED)
- -2016-IEEE Day 2016 (UnB SB)
- -2016-Internal training-LATEX (UnB SB)
- -2016- Student branch Barbecue (UnB SB)
- -2016- Student branch IEEE B-day (UnB SB)
- -2017-Management change 2017 (UnB SB)
- -2017-Selective Process SSIT 1º/2017
- -2017-Cine Debate: Hidden Figures and Women in Engineering
- -2017- IEEE Week UnB 2017
- -2017-Hair donation campaign for people with cancer (SSIT)
- -2017-1st smart ideas contest for smart cities (SSIT)
- -2017-Selective Process SSIT 2º/2017
- -2017-IEEE Yellow Week (SSIT and EMBS)
- -2017-Blood Donation Campaign-Event IEEE Day 2017 (SSIT)
- -2017-IEEE Day 2017(UnB SB)
- -2017-Solidarity Campaign(SSIT)

For more information, see the annex: Vouchers and certificates.

5-Fundraising for IEEE Week UnB 2016 Pamella lead the proposal to the R9 Voluntary Contribution Fund (FCV) for fundraising to the event. An amount of US\$ 1000.00 was awarded to the UnB SB.

- 6- Event Ambassador: IEEE Day 2017
- 7- Gave Lectures on:
- -Presentation of Sucess Cases-RNR 2016;
- -First Workshop-IEEE Center-North Brazi Section (2016)
- -Presentation of Success Story Contest 2016 RRR 2016
- -Presentation of Sucess Cases RNR 2017;
- 8-Creation and support to student chapters:
- 2016-ED-Creation
- 2016-CS-Support
- 2016-PES-Creation and support
- 2016-ComSoc-Support
- 2017-CSS-Support
- 2017-CAS-Support
- 2017-SSIT-Creation
- 9- Translation Team-R9 SAC Team: member since 2016, translating from Spanish to Portuguese.

## Volunteer Role(s)

- Translation group, R9 SAC Team (2016 present)
- -Webmaster Universidade de Brasilia Student Branch (2016

- present)
- -Webmaster- IEEE UnB SSIT Student Branch Chapter (2017-present)
- IEEE SSIT SBC Director of Event and Project Management
- IEEE UnB SSIT Student Branch Chapter Chair (2017)
- Section Ambassador for IEEE Day 2017
- IEEE UnB Student Branch Chair (2016 2017)
- IEEE UnB ED Student Branch Chapter Chair (2016-2017)
- IEEE UnB ED Student Branch Chapter Vice-Chair (2016)
- IEEE UnB EMBS Student Branch Chapter Treasurer (2014 2015)