## IEEE Power & Energy Society (PES) Singapore Chapter

## Minutes of 2023 2<sup>nd</sup> Committee Meeting

Date: 26th July 2023

Time: 6:30-8:30 pm

Venue: Genius Central Singapore

## Present:

Dr. Dhivya Sampath Kumar (DSK) - Chairperson

Dr. Anurag Sharma (AS) - Vice Chairperson

Dr. B.M.S. Muhammad Ramadan (MR) – Treasurer

Dr. Tan Kuan Tak (TKT) - Secretary

Dr. Sivaneasan Balakrishnan (SB) – Member

Dr. Jimmy Peng (JP) – Member

Dr. Yan Xu (YX) – Member

Dr. Elsa Feng (EF) – Member

Dr. Yan Ziming (YZ) – Member

## Absent with apology:

Mr. Tan Teck Lee (TTL) – Member

Dr. Dipti Srinivasan (DS) - Member

Dr. Naayagi Ramasamy (NR) – Member

Mr Can Berk Saner (CBS) – Member

No.	Items	Action By
1.	Chairman's Report	
1.	Review by DSK of the following events conducted in 2023:  • 2 technical seminars conducted by NTU on 7 Jun and 26 Jul 2023  • 1 WiE networking event on 16 Feb 2023  • 1 DLP lecture by Prof. Saifur Rahman on 2 Mar 2023  • 1 Spring Party with Seniors at Martha Active Ageing Centre on 28 Jan 2023	Info
2.	Technical Events in 2023	
2.1	The following technical events are planned to be organized in the forthcoming months:  • Technical seminar to be conducted with National Metrology Centre in Oct 2023	To follow up by  AS, DSK  NR
	<ul> <li>Webinar</li> <li>Technical seminar on Condition monitoring</li> <li>Technical seminar on inverter-based resources (IBR)</li> </ul>	SB JP
2.2	Distinguished Lecture Program (DLP)  DLPs by the following speakers are to be organized:  Prof. Bikash Pal on 1 Dec 2023 (planning in progress)  Prof. Nando in Oct 2023  Prof. Claudio in Dec 2023	To follow up by AS AS YX

2.3	Workshops	To follow up by
2.5	<ul> <li>Symposium to be organized by PES Singapore Chapter &amp; PES student committee (tentatively on 19 Oct 2023)</li> </ul>	AS
	Fee structure for the event to be planned to decided	
2.4	Industrial Activities	
	<ul> <li>Industrial visit to Cleantech Lab for PES members &amp; students to be discussed &amp; arranged with National Metrology Centre (NMC)</li> </ul>	To follow up by YX
2.5	Student Activities	
	SIT PES student branch application has been set upby SB.	Info
	Workshop to be organized by NUS student branch.	To follow up by CBS and JP
2.6	Social/Community Activities	To follow up by
	<ul> <li>IEEE PES Family Day at Singapore Discovery Centre for PES members and their family members to be organized on either of the following proposed dates: 9 Sep, 7 Oct, 14 Oct.</li> </ul>	TTL
	<ul> <li>This event is planned to be made free for IEEE PES Members, and</li> </ul>	
	each member can bring one guest (non-member). Alternatively,	
	each member can bring their family members (no limit to number of	
	pax) instead of a guest.	
	<ul> <li>The activities will include eco sustainability tour, buffet lunch and permanent exhibits gallery tour.</li> </ul>	
2.7	Outreach/Membership Activities	
	<ul> <li>Recruitment drive for EPE students conducted by SB to recruit PES student members in SIT.</li> </ul>	Info
	<ul> <li>As Student branch in NTU is inactive, a new NTU PES student branch is to be formed.</li> </ul>	To follow up by YZ and XY
3.	Awards for 2023	
3.1	IEEE PES student travel conference grant of amount S\$500 per student to be resumed for the next three years.	Info
3.2	<ul> <li>Sponsorship of one S\$500 book prize for SIT EPE student during graduation ceremony by IEEE PES Chapter. Follow up procedures with SIT Alumni and Advancement Division is required.</li> </ul>	To follow up by TKT
4.	Web Matters	
1.	YZ to take over MR in web matters starting from August 2023	To follow up by YZ & MR
5.	Budget Planning for 2023	
	Inputs by committee members to plan budget for remaining 2023	To follow up by
	<ul> <li>Budget to include technical events, social events, community events, DLPs, workshops, industrial activities, student activities, annual dinner, book prizes and community/social events.</li> </ul>	all

6.	AOB	
6.1	To send reminder/notification to all Singapore PES members to	To follow up by
	vote for the 2023 IEEE PES Elections.	MR

6.2	<ul> <li>Engage in discussion with IEEE R10 PES meetings to explore how to support the skillsets required by the workforce.</li> <li>List of prominent/eminent speakers to be provided to IEEE R10 PES Director during biweekly meetings.</li> </ul>	JP
	Recorded by: TKT  Vetted by: DSK	