

Communications Systems Integration and Modeling Technical Committee

CSIM – TC

Hilton Garden Inn Hotel – Red River/ 18th Floor
Wednesday December 10th, 2014, 17:30-19:00

Stefano Giordano - TC Chair

Agenda

- ☐ Welcome & Introductions
- ☐ Approval of the agenda
- ☐ Approval of Meeting Minutes ICC 2014 (Sydney)
- ☐ Resign of Vice-chair
- ☐ Election of the Secretary
- ☐ Extension of the Chair position for other 6 Months
- ☐ Reports from GIMS/GITC
- ☐ Reports from TAC
- ☐ CSIM Status and Activities
- ☐ Reports on Conferences
- ☐ Reports on Publications
- ☐ Standard Liason
- ☐ Recertification of the TC/Revision of the P&P Document
- ☐ Next CSIM-TC Meeting
- ☐ Other Business/Adjournment

Welcome & Introduction



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The IEEE Communications Society is a community comprised of a diverse group of industry professionals with a common interest in advancing all communications technologies.

The IEEE Communication Society is organized in

- produce publications
- organize conferences
- foster educational programs
- promote local activities
- **work on technical committees**

✧ **24 Technical Committees**

✧ **13 Emerging Technical Sub-Committees**

Independent Society of the IEEE from 1972*
over 50.000 members

* although founded in 1952 with IRE – Institute of Radio Engineers

Grade	Fellows	Senior Members	Members	Student Members	Total Voting Members
Year 2013	1071	5769	33111	6298	46249

Governance

Elected Officers

VP Conferences Hikmet Sari



VP Member Relations Stefano Bregni



VP Publications Sarah Kate Wilson



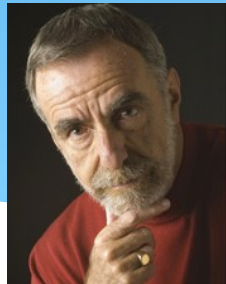
VP Standards Robert S. (Rob) Fish



VP Technical Activities Khaled Letaief



IEEE COMSOC
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Sergio Benedetto



Each position is for a term of two years

New elected President



Harvey A. Freeman
Term Beginning January 2015

Member-at-large

Gerhard Fettweis - Germany
Araceli Garcia Gomez - Mexico
Steve Gorshe - USA
James Hong - South Korea

Approval of the Agenda

Minutes of previous Meeting

IEEE COMMUNICATIONS SOCIETY
Communications Systems Integration &
Modeling Technical Committee (CSIM)

Meeting Minutes



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Communications Systems Integration & Modeling
Technical Committee



Meeting Minutes

12th June 2014 – Sydney, Australia

Document Title:	Meeting Minutes
Meeting:	CSIM Meeting
CSIM-TC Chair:	Stefano Giordano
CSIM-TC Vice Chair:	George Michailidis
CSIM-TC Secretary:	Christos Verikoukis
Meeting Recorder:	
Status/Issue:	
Data of last changes:	
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Location/Room:	Start (day and time):	Finish (day and time):
Sheraton Hotel, Sydney	12/06/2014 17.02 pm	12/06/2014 18.14 pm

Approval of Meeting Minutes ICC 2014 (SYDNEY)

Resign of Vice-chair

Due to an increased workload Prof. Michailidis asked the TC to accept his resignation from Vice-Chair position.

He recently became director of a data science and informatics institute and editor-in-chief of one of the major journals on statistics

The TC, considering the above reasons, accepted his decision

Election of the Secretary

Election Commission:

- Mike Devetsikiotis
- Nelson Fonseca
- Fabrizio Granelli

One self-nomination

Dzmitry Kliazovich

Dzmitry Kliazovich is a Research Fellow at the Faculty of Science, Technology, and Communication of the University of Luxembourg. He holds an award-winning Ph.D. in Information and Telecommunication Technologies from the University of Trento (Italy). He was a visiting scholar at the Computer Science Department of the University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA) in 2005 and at the School of Information Technologies of the University of Sydney in 2014.

Dr. Kliazovich is a holder of a large number of scientific awards, mainly from the IEEE Communications Society, European Research Consortium for Informatics and Mathematics (ERCIM) and Italian Ministry of Education. His work on energy-efficient scheduling in cloud computing environments received Best Paper Award at the IEEE/ACM International Conference on Green Computing and Communications (GreenCom) in 2010. He served as general and TPC chair in a number of high-ranked international conferences, including the IEEE International Conference on Cloud Networking (CLOUDNET 2014).

Dr. Kliazovich is the author of more than 90 research papers and Editorial Board Member of the IEEE Communications Surveys and Tutorials. He is a coordinator and principle investigator of Energy-Efficient Cloud Computing and Communications initiative funded by the National Research Fund of Luxembourg. His main research activities are in the field of energy efficient communications, cloud computing, and next-generation networking.

Extension of the Chair for other 6 Months

CSIM TC Officers

Officers for the next 6 months:

Stefano Giordano (Chair)
Christos Verikoukis (Vice-Chair)
Dzmitry Kliazovich (Secretary)

- Standard Liaison Harry (Charalobos) Skianis
- Student Competition Program Periklis Chatzimisios

Reports on GIMS/GITC

**GLOBECOM/ICC Management and Strategy
Committee**

GLOBECOM/ICC Technical Committee

GIMS
GIMS/GITC
GITC

Monday December 8th 8.00-12.00 a.m.

Monday December 8th 12.00-4.00 p.m.

Tuesday December 9th 2.00-6.00 p.m.

WORKSHOPS

Some numbers

ICC 2013 49 proposals; 29 accepted; 9 cancelled;

GC 2013 45 proposals; 22 accepted; 7 cancelled;

COMSOC Targets: around 20% of surplus

Typical sponsorship for these flagship events 200 – 350 K\$

POSTER PAPERS (INTERACTIVE)

TUTORIALS

Report from TAC

Technical Activities Council

TAC Wednesday December 10th 7.30-9.30
Hilton Garden III Hotel
Colorado Room

Technical Committees

Ad Hoc & Sensor Networks
Cognitive Networks
Communications & Information Security
Communications Quality and Reliability
Communications Software
Communications Switching & Routing
Communications Systems Integration & Modeling
Communication Theory
Computer Communications
Data Storage
e-Health
Green Communications & Computing
Information Infrastructure & Networking
Internet
Multimedia Communications
Network Operations & Management
Optical Networking
Power Line Communications
Radio Communications
Satellite & Space Communications
Signal Processing & Communications Electronics
Transmission, Access, & Optical Systems
Wireless Communications

Emerging Technical Subcommittees

5G Mobile Wireless Internet
Autonomic Communications
Cable Networks & Services
Cloud Communications & Networking
Innovation & Standards in Information & Communication Technologies (ISICT)
Integrated Fiber & Wireless Technologies
Internet of Things
Nano-Scale, Molecular & Quantum Networking
Situation Management
Smart Grid Communications
Software Defined Networking & Network Function
Virtualization
Social Networks
Vehicular Networks & Telematics Applications

TAC

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Other Activities

TAC

IEEE Fellows (101 nominations -> 39 elected)

Awards

Education

Distinguished Lecturers

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The actual list of distinguish lecturers is available here

<http://www.comsoc.org/about/memberprograms/distinguished-lecturers>

Some finish their term at the end of 2014 another group at the end of 2015

Every TC can propose up to 4 DL.

For the next two years period (starting in 2016) **16** out of **62** submissions were selected

Their term can be extended by other two years (on **15** submissions for extension only **5** were accepted)

Recertification

All the TCs are recertified every 3 years

Two TCs have a small number of members

They will have to declare their plan to increase the number of members

BoG is willing to recertify all the remaining TCs

It is very relevant that they update their Policies and Procedures



Michele Zorzi
Director - Education
& Training



Tarek El-Bawab TAC
Director Conference
Operations

The education and training board (lead by **Michele Zorzi**) thanks to the effort of **Tarek El-Bawab** obtained the following result:

TELECOMMUNICATION RECOGNIZED AS DISTINCT ENGINEERING EDUCATION DISCIPLINE

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Telecommunications Engineering Is Now a Distinct Education Discipline

The IEEE Communications Society led the effort to get the course recognized

By KATHY PRETZ 21 November 2014



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The movement to recognize communication/telecommunication engineering as formal engineering education discipline had its roots in the 2008-2009 time frame. [The first article](#) in this regards was published in January 2010 (*IEEE Communications Magazine*, Vol. 48, No 1, pp. 20). This article stimulated considerable community interest. A Telecommunication Engineering Education (TEE) US Workgroup/Taskforce was formed within [IEEE ComSoc's Education Board](#) in 2010-2011. [The position paper](#) of the group was published in September 2012 (Vol. 50, No. 9, pp. 14-6, September 2012; and Vol. 51, No. 3, p. 168, March 2013). This paper promoted the case for specialized Telecom Engineering education in the US and strengthened it; energized the TEE movement; and stimulated discussions involving IEEE Education activities and ABET in this regards.

As result of the TEE movement, the [IEEE Committee on Engineering Accreditation Activities \(CEAA\)](#) proposed changes in the Electrical and Computer Engineering accreditation criteria (to include communication-engineering dedicated provisions). In the same year (2012), ABET approved these changes and the CEAA formed an ad hoc committee (virtual team) to make detailed proposal(s) for these changes. ComSoc was represented in this committee by three members of the TEE Workgroup who took a lead in writing up the new criteria proposals (Tarek El-Bawab, Frank Effenberger, and Michael Kincaid). After nearly six months of discussions and deliberations, the CEAA approved a new criteria proposal in February 2013. This proposal was also approved by ABET Engineering Accreditation Commission (EAC) in July 2013; and by ABET Board on October 25, 2013. The proposed new criteria are published in ABET website (<http://www.abet.org/eac-criteria-2014-2015/>) and expected to be bases for ABET's accreditation visits as of fall 2015.

After several years of work by IEEE and the [IEEE Communications Society](#) (ComSoc), "telecommunications engineering" has been recognized as a formal engineering course of study in the United States. This recognition came earlier this month from [ABET](#), the accrediting body for academic programs in applied science, computing, engineering, and technology.

Other activities of Comsoc in the field of Education and Training



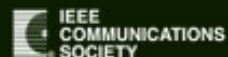
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Massive MIMO

and mmWave: Technology Insights and Challenges

ONLINE TUTORIAL
 from IEEE Communications Society
www.comsoc.org/FreeTutorials





Two of the most disruptive physical layer technologies being proposed for 5G and beyond MIMO and mmwave radio access.

So far, however, MIMO research has been largely incremental and with much of the published work in a form that is often opaque even accessible to the average engineer or so overly simplified as to be unhelpful. This presentation aims to provide an efficient understanding of 5G massive MIMO and its challenges, while linking with its context in the evolution of the field, including with a consideration on the qualitative impact of channel characteristics on power amplifier requirements.

On the receiver side, 5G MIMO techniques include Beamforming MIMO and SD-MA (SD-MIMO), relating this to a much better understanding of the challenges and solutions for implementing radio access technology in the non-terrestrial domain, or future bands, where channel conditions are impaired, frequencies and bandwidths also include new opportunities for PPT user design and channel imperfections. Included is an introduction to some of the 5G SD challenges in the context of Beamforming MIMO wireless radio access technology.

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“Communications Technology Changing the World”

More details

<http://www.comsoc.org/blog/ieee-comsoc-student-competitions-communications-technology-changing-world>

Student Competition Program Officer **Periklis Chatzimisios**

Awards and Recognitions

CAREER AWARDS *(Nominations due September 1 unless otherwise noted)*

- IEEE Communications Society Edwin Howard Armstrong Achievement Award
- IEEE Communications Society Distinguished Industry Leader Award *(Nominations due Feb 15 & Sep 1)*
- IEEE Communications Society Industrial Innovation Award
- IEEE Communications Society Award for Public Service in the Field of Telecommunications

SERVICE AWARDS *(Nominations due September 1 unless otherwise noted)*

- IEEE Communications Society Donald W. McLellan Meritorious Service Award
- IEEE Communications Society Harold Sobol Award for Exemplary Service to Meetings & Conferences
- IEEE Communications Society Joseph LoCicero Award for Exemplary Service to Publications
- IEEE ComSoc/KICS Exemplary Global Service Award

PAPER AWARDS *(Nominations due February 15 unless otherwise noted)*

- The IEEE Communications Society Best Tutorial Paper Award
- The IEEE Communications Society Fred W. Ellersick Prize
- The IEEE Communications Society Heinrich Hertz Award for Best Communications Letter
- The IEEE Communications Society Leonard G. Abraham Prize
- The IEEE Communications Society Stephen O. Rice Prize
- The IEEE Communications Society William R. Bennett Prize
- The IEEE Communications Society Award for Advances in Communication
- The IEEE Communications Society & Information Theory Society Joint Paper Award *(Deadline March 15)*
- IEEE Marconi Prize Paper Award in Wireless Communications

- * **Young author best paper award**
(over three year period; the first author needs to be at maximum 30 year old)
- * **Education Award**

Standards

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CSIM TC Standard Liaison **Harry (Charalobos) Skianis**

IEEE Standards in Education

ComSoc Standards Development Website

Standards Development Guidelines

To obtain the list of ComSoc standards projects, type in "Communications Society" and Search at: **IEEE Standards Status Report**

Many activities of COMSOC not limited only to the P.1900 Series
Visit <http://www.comsoc.org/about/boards/standards>

Call for participation

IEEE Communication Society Standards activities council

Software Defined and Virtualized Ecosystem Standards Activities

- * Study Group on “Security, Reliability and performance for Software Defined and Virtualized Ecosystems”
Contact: Spilios Makris, Chair spilios.makris@palindrometech.com
- * Research Group on “Software Defined and virtualized wireless access”
Contact: Fabrizio Granelli, Chair granelli@disi.unitn.it
- * Research Group on “Software Defined and virtualized ecosystem – Abstraction – Structure Network Objects (SNO)”
Contact: Ken Kerpez, Chair kkerpez@assia-inc.com
- * Task Group on “Service Virtualization”
Contact: Mehmet Ulema, Chair mehmet.ulema@manhattan.edu

You are cordially invited to participate in any of the standardization programs above. Please contact the individual chairs of the activities in which you are interested.

Call for participation

IEEE Communication Society Standards activities council

Internet of Things Standards Activities

- * Research Group on “IoT Architectures”
Contact: Jaeseung Song, Chair jssong@sejong.ac.kr
- * Research Group on “Communication and Networking infrastructures”
Contact: Stefano Giordano, Chair s.giordano@iet.unipi.it
- * Research Group on “IoT Services”
- * Task Group on “IoT APIs in E-health”

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See also <http://standards.ieee.org/innovate/iot/>

Research, Study and Working Groups

Research Group (RG):

*A Research Group(RG) is formed under IEEE ComSoc when enough interest has been identified in a particular area of study. The objective of a RG is to identify and address research issues that need to be solved on the way to standardization of technology. The output of the research group can take various forms, such as vision documents, research reports, white papers, collective publications in ComSoc Magazines and/or Journals, conference papers, tutorial, etc. In the process of the RG operation the Research Groups may identify specific standardization opportunities and may recommend forming one or more Study Groups. If the Research Group's consensus is that the opportunity is sufficiently mature for standardization the RG can directly generate a PAR (Project Authorization Request) and propose **formation of a WG** to carry out the standardization work. Research Groups can be formed and operate in ComSoc under the Standardization Programs Development Board (CSPDB) according with CSPDB and ComSoc Policies and Procedures. Should there be a consensus within the Research Group to operate under the IEEE-SA Industry Connections Program, CSPDB can facilitate and sponsor this activity.*

Study Group (SG):

*A Study Group (SG) is formed when enough interest has been identified in a particular area of study (under the sponsorship of an IEEE-SA Standards Sponsor(like ComSoc Standards Development Board).A SG work continues for 6 months with the objective of drafting a Project Authorization Request (PAR) for consideration by the Sponsor. The draft PAR may recommend a standards development process for the project. If the PAR is approved, **the SG gets disbanded and a Working Group (WG)** is formed to carry out the standardization activity spelled out in the approved PAR. A SG is a formal entity whose activities are governed by the Policies and Procedures of the Sponsor*

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- Identifying novel high-risk/high-payoff ideas
- Nurturing selected ideas towards pre-standardization maturity
- Allocating resources for Vision and Research Projects to advance such ideas
- Understanding and disseminating the essence of innovation
- Establishing journals and conferences related to innovation

Director: [Stephen F Bush - bushsf@research.ge.com](mailto:bushsf@research.ge.com)

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- Sanjay Goel (SUNY)
- Mehmet Ulema (Manhattan College)
- Tarik Taleb (NEC)
- R. Venkatesha Prasad (TU Delft)

Contact the director above if you would like to present ideas, participate in any of the activities below, have questions, or provide comments.

To participate, join the [CSPDB email list](#). A [wiki](#) is also open for user input.

See "[LET US KNOW HOW WE CAN HELP YOU](#)" on the sidebar for more detail.

Submit a [Project Request Form](#) for a new idea.

Third IEEE Workshop on Telecommunication Standards: From Research to Standards

Part of IEEE Globecom 2014, Austin, TX, USA
Workshop Day: 8 Dec. 2014

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Workshop Committee

Workshop General Chair

Dr. Tarik TALEB, NEC Europe Ltd.

Panel And Keynotes Co-Chairs

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Dr. Anass Benjebbour, NTT DOCOMO, Japan

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Important Dates:

Submission deadline

15 July 2014 (FIRM)

Acceptance notification:

01 September 2014

Camera ready version due:

01 October 2014

Workshop Day:

08 December 2014



Publicity Co-Chair **Periklis Chatzimisios**

Technical Endorsment

An ad-hoc commission composed by

Burak Kantarci

Periklis Chatzimisios

Dzmitry Kliazovich

was nominated by the TC to evaluate every conferences/workshops requesting technical endorsment and keep track of our members in the TPCs (each of the members of the TC can participate at most to 2 TPCs a year)

The endorsments of the TC are anyway reviewed and confirmed by the TC Chair

Thanks a lot for they hard work on this aspects

2014: CSIM Sponsored Events

WCSP2014 International Conference on Wireless Communications and Signal Processing October 23-25 2014, Hefei, China		1
Christos Verikoukis	UPC	
Jaime Lloret Mauri	Universidad Politécnica de Valencia	
Charalabos Skianis	University of Aegean	
ATNAC 2014 Australasian Telecommunication Networks and Applications Conference Nov 26-28, 2014 Melbourne, Australia		2
Dzmity Kliazovich	University of Luxembourg	
Ioannis Papapanagiotou	Purdue University	
Antonio Pescape	Universita' di Napoli	
EMTC 2014 EURO MED TELCO CONFERENCE Sep. 10-13, Naples, Italy		3
Joel Rodrigues	University of Beira Interior, Portugal	
Gregorio Martinez	University of Murcia, Spain	
Piotr Cholda	AGH University of Science and Technology, Poland	
CCEM 2014 IEEE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CLOUD COMPUTING IN EMERGING MARKETS Oct. 15-17, Bangalore, India		4
Sammy, Chan	City University of Hong Kong	
Alessio Botta	University of Bnapoli, Italy	
John Silvester	University of Southern California	
ICTC 2014 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ICT CONVERGENCE Oct. 22-24, Busan, Korea		5
Nizar Zorba	Qatar University	
Jesus Alonso-Zarate	CTTC	
Herwig Bruneel	Ghent University, Belgium	
WD 2014 - WIRELESS DAYS 2014 Nov. 12-14, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil		6
Abd-Elhamid Taha	Alfaisal University, KSA	
Vasco Soares	Polytechnic Institute of Castelo Branco, Portugal	
Youssef Iraqi	Khalifa University	

2014: CSIM Sponsored Events

NOF 2014 - INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE NETWORK OF THE FUTURE

Dec. 3-5, 2014, Paris, France

Esa Hyytiä	Aalto University
Ashraf Matrawy	Carleton University
Yang Xiao	The University of Alabama

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WISEE 2014 IEEE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON WIRELESS FOR SPACE AND EXTREME ENVIRONMENTS

October 30-31, 2014 Noordwijk, Netherlands

Fotis Lazarakis	NCSR 'Demokritos'
Thomas Lagkas	The University of Sheffield International Faculty, CITY College
Spyros E. Polykalas	TEI of Ionian Islands

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NOC 2014 - EUROPEAN CONFERENCE ON NETWORKS AND OPTICAL COMMUNICATIONS

June 4-6, 2014, Milan, Italy

Giacomo Verticale	Politecnico di milano
Deep Mehdi	University of Missouri-Kansas City
Steven Wright	University of Wisconsin-Madison

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TEMU 2014 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND MULTIMEDIA

July 28-30, 2014 Heraklion, Crete, Greece

Charabalos Skianis	University of Aegean
Christos Verikoukis	CCTC

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MOWNET 2014 - – International Conference on Selected Topics in Mobile and Wireless Technology

Sep 8-10 2014, Rome, Italy

Joel Rodrigues	University of Beira Interior, Portugal
Abdelhamid MELLOUK	UPEC, University Paris-Est Creteil Val de Marne
Periklis CHATZIMISIOS	Alexander TEI of Thessaloniki

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CITS 2014 The 2014 International Conference on Computer, Information and Telecommunication Systems

July 7-0 Jeju Island, Korea

Franco Davoli	University of Genoa
Mohammad S. Obaidat	Monmouth University
Helen Karatza	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

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2015: CSIM Sponsored Events

DRCN 2015 Design of Reliable Communication Networks

March 25-27, Kansas City, USA

Deep Mehdi	University of Missouri-Kansas City
Piotr Cholda	AGH University of Science and Technology, Poland
Youssef Iraqi	Khalifa University

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NETSOFT 2015 1ST Conference on Network Softwarization

April, 13-17 London, UK

Stefano Giordano	University of Pisa
Burak Kantarci	Clarkson University
Antonio Pescape	Universita' di Napoli

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WMNC 8th IFIP WIRELESS MOBILE NETWORKING CONFERENCE

Novisad, 23-25 June 2-15, Serbia

Youssef Iraqi	Khalifa University
Helen Karatza	Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
Nisar Zorba	Qatar University

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CSIM Status & Activities

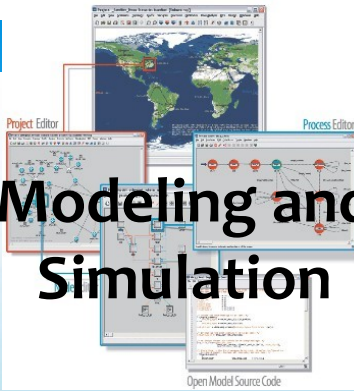
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Scope: the committee is concerned with the systems disciplines and modeling tools that **facilitate the integration** of information-transport equipments, subsystems, and networks into **communications systems**.

The committee particularly addresses *computer-aided modeling of integrated subsystems to answer architectural and performance questions*

CSIM-TC Domains

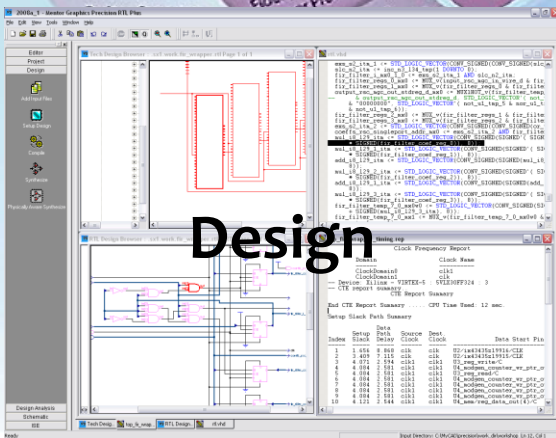
Modeling and Simulation



Integration

Measurements

Design



Performance Evaluation

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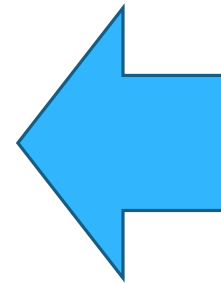
- * Several active initiatives (see later)
- * Currently: 262 members
 - * Website:
 - * http://cms.comsoc.org/eprise/main/SiteGen/TC_CSIM/Content/Home.html
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 - * <http://www.comsoc.org/~csim>
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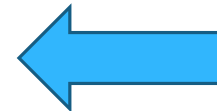
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A member becomes an Active Member if he/she has attended (physically present or by teleconference) two or more of the **prior six regularly scheduled CSIM TC meetings.** The CSIM TC Secretary shall maintain an attendance list for each of such meetings. All the CSIM TC meetings are open.

Special Interest Groups (DISBANDED)

SiG	Contact person
Cross-Layering	F. Granelli
Services Modeling and Simulation	M. Devetsikiotis
Measurements	A. Pescapè
Future Internet Testbeds	H. Skianis
Modeling and Simulation Tools	J. Rodrigues
Design and Performance	C. Verikoukis
Optimisation of Green Networking	
Smart Grid Communications	P. Chatzimisios

- SIGs have to be transformed
 - in a best reading action
 - in an active subgroup of our Social Network pages
 - in Special Session at IEEE CAMAD



CSIM eNewsletter

- In the past edited on the website and disseminated via our mailing list
- * Now this has to be evolved to Facebook, Linkedin and Twitter
- * Content:
 - * Reports from SIGs
 - * Research Articles & Reviews of published works
 - * CFPs from conferences, workshops, Special Issues supported by CSIM
 - * Research projects description
 - * Open Positions/scholarships
 - * Best paper awards from CAMAD, from the symposiums organized by CSIM or other supported conferences
 - * Reports/pictures from CSIM events
 - * IEEE distinguish lectures from CSIM members
 - * Demos/simulators
 - * Tutorials
- * **Editors:**
 - * **C. Verikoukis**
 - * **Dzmitry Kliazovich**

IEEE ComSoc - Technical Committee
on Communication Systems
Integration and Modeling (CSIM TC)

CSIM 2.0

- * CSIM should provide a forum to facilitate discussion and interaction among experts worldwide
- * Through Web2.0 tools:

twitter

Last Meeting 28

This Meeting 33 [+5]

@csimtc

LinkedIn

Owner: Fabrizio Granelli

Managers: Juliana Freitag Borin

Last Meeting 361

This Meeting 358 [-3]

IEEE ComSoc CSIM Technical
Committee

facebook

Last Meeting 47

This Meeting 56 [+8]



- * Live face to face meeting twice a year (at Globecom and ICC).
- * Remote participation using videoconferencing/voiceconferencing facilities were also experienced but the facilities are not always available (e.g. Elluminate)

CSIM Volunteers

- * Nelson Fonseca – Awards
- * Harry Skianis – Standard Liaison
- * Periklis Chatzimisios – Membership Development; Web Site and Web2.0 Management; Student Competition
- * George Michailidis – Smart Grid Ad-Hoc Committee

**We are in search for a volunteer for Web
2.0 activities:**

a CSIM Web 2.0 tools hacktivist!

CSIM Awards

- * Current awards:
 - * Conference Best Paper Award
 - * Best Paper Award
 - * Distinguished Service Award
 - * Career Achievement Award
- * Need to indicate qualified members to ComSoc awards and well as to IEEE awards
- * CSIM Awards Sub-Committee
 - * Chair: Nelson Fonseca

Publications

- * CSIM is available to support proposals for special issues on IEEE journals (ComMag, JSAC, etc.) and other editorial activities
- * CSIM can also propose some area for the **Best Readings** initiatives e.g.
 - Software Defined Networking
 - Network Function Virtualization
 - Measurements

Members Support & Evolution

- * Distinguished Lecturer Applicants
 - * Fabrizio Granelli
 - * Nelson Fonseca
- * Senior/Fellow Status Applicants
- * Volunteers for editorial board

Sponsored Events

Forthcoming Events



2015 London
2016 Kuala Lumpur
2017 Paris
2018 Kansas City



2015 San Diego
2016 Washington D.C.
2017 Singapore
2018 Abu Dhabi

2014

ICC

CAMAD

Globecom

14 Demos !!!!

Symp. on
“Comm. QoS,
Reliability and
Performance
Modeling”

TPC Co-Chair:
Stefano
Giordano

Date: June 10-
14 2014

Sydney, Australia
143 submissions
53 accepted;
Acceptance
ratio **37,06 %**

**General co-
chairs:**
Charalabos
Skianis, Christos
Verikoukis,
TPC Chairs:
Nikos Passas,
George
Koudouridis,
Ozgur B. Akan
Burak Kantarci,
Date: 1-3
December 2014

Athens, Greece
158 submissions
79 accepted
Acceptance
ratio **50 %**

Symp. on
“Comm. QoS,
Reliability and
Performance
Modeling”

Co-Chair:
George
Michailidis

Date: Dec. 8-12
2014

Austin, Texas
103 submissions
36 accepted
Acceptance
ratio **34,95 %**

IEEE CAMAD 2014

19th IEEE International Workshop on Computer Aided Modeling
and Design of Communication Links and Networks

IEEE CAMAD 2014

1-3 December 2014
Athens - Greece

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<http://www.ieee-camad.org/>

IEEE CAMAD 2015

* The University of Surrey, Guildford, Surrey, United Kingdom

* September 14-16 2015

General Chairs

- Prof. Rahim Tafazolli, University of Surrey, UK
- Dr. Periklis Chatzimisios, Alexander TEI of Thessaloniki, Greece

Technical Program Chairs

- Dr. Chuan Heng Foh, University of Surrey, UK
- Dr. Wai Pang Ng, Northumbria University, UK
- Dr. Burak Kantarci, Clarkson University, USA
- Prof. Zhili Sun, University of Surrey, UK

Panel Chairs

- Prof. Jamie Evans, Monash University, Australia
- Dr. Pei Xiao, University of Surrey, UK

Tentative Schedule

- | | |
|-------------------------------|----------------|
| • Paper Submission: | May 1, 2015 |
| • Notification of acceptance: | July 1, 2015 |
| • Camera-Ready Version: | August 1, 2015 |



2015

ICC

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Symp. on
“Comm. QoS,
Reliability and
Performance
Modeling”

Co-Chair:
Christos
Verikoukis

Date: June ‘15

London, UK

Number of Submitted
papers 161

General Chair:
Rahim Tafazolli,
Periklis
Chatzimisios

TPC Co-Chairs:
Chuan Heng Foh
Wai Pang Ng
Burak Kantarci
Zhili Sun

Date: Sept. 14-16

Guildford,
Surrey, United
Kingdom

Symp. on
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Modeling”

Co-Chair:
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Giordano

Date: Dic. 6-10

San Diego, USA

2016

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Performance
Modeling”

Co-Chair:
Christos
Verikoukis

Date: May 23-
27 2016

Kuala Lumpur,
Malaysia

General Chair:
TBD

TPC Chairs:
TBD

Date: TBD

TBD

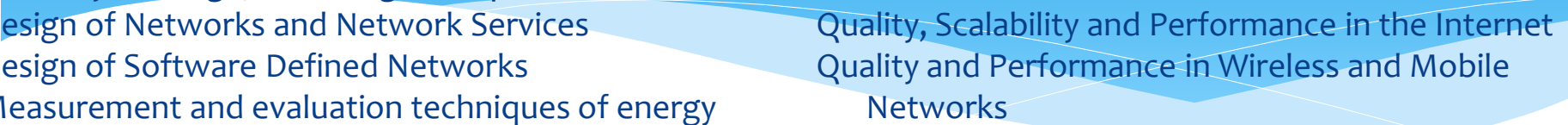
Symp. on
“Comm. QoS,
Reliability and
Performance
Modeling”

Co-Chair:
Dzmitry
Kliazovich

Date: TBD

Washington,
USA

Topics of Interest Globecom/ICC



Application / Service Oriented Networking	Quality in Multimedia Networks including Voice over IP and IPTV
Cross-layer Design, Modeling and Optimization	Quality, Scalability and Performance in the Internet
Design of Networks and Network Services	Quality and Performance in Wireless and Mobile Networks
Design of Software Defined Networks	Quality, Reliability and Performance in Optical and Multi-layer Networks
Measurement and evaluation techniques of energy efficient networks	Quality and Performance in Autonomic Systems
Measurement and evaluation techniques of energy efficiency of communication systems	Quality and Performance in Grid, Distributed and Cloud Computing
Metrics and Models for Quality of Experience (QoE)	Quality and Performance in Overlay (including Peer-to-Peer) Networks
Network design and evaluation of Energy Efficient (Green) networks	Quality and Performance for Network and Services
Network Measurement and Monitoring Techniques	Quality and Resource Allocation for Network Services, VPN, Web
Network Modeling	Resource Allocation for Networks and their services
Network Simulation Techniques	Scalability, Robustness and Resilience
Performance evaluation and design of cloud networks	Standardization Aspects of QoS and Reliability
Performance evaluation and design of cognitive network architectures	TCP/IP Performance
Performance evaluation and integration in Smart Grids communications	Traffic and Workload Modeling and Characterization
Performance Evaluation Techniques	Traffic and Workload Control
Performance Modeling of Next Generation Networks	Traffic Economics
Performance of Large Scale Experimental Platforms	Traffic Engineering and Traffic Theory

Actions for the next period

- ❖ To update the website
- ❖ Twitting and highlighting new topics on Twitter & FB
- ❖ **To increase the outreach of the committee**



All the CSIM TC activities
are voluntaristic
We are always in search of new volunteers

- TPC members
- SiG Activities
- Contributions to the Social Networks and our web site



- Organizing committee member
- Contribution to initiatives
- CSIM Officer
- Symposium Chair
- Special issue editor

Increasing effort, increased visibility, increased responsibilities

Committees of the CSIM TC

The following members were nominated for the CSIM TC Award Committee

- Mike Devetsikiotis
- Fabrizio Granelli
- Hussein Mouftah

Other Business/Adjourn

Thanks for attending!

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