

Action call for LMC to organize our 37,000 life members to vote for LMC in October. If we have the largest number of votes, the LM Fund will receive a grant of \$5,000.

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**From:** Karen Galuchie <[k.galuchie@ieee.org](mailto:k.galuchie@ieee.org)>  
**To:** Life Member Committee Chair, .....  
**Sent:** Sunday, July 23, 2023, 1:01 PM

Dear IEEE Foundation Program Partners,

The IEEE Foundation will be executing four (4) LinkedIn polls during October 2023. Each poll will feature three to four donor-supported program partners from each of the Foundation’s five pillars – Illuminate, Educate, Engage, Energize and Future. Since the Engage and Future Pillar have fewer programs, these two pillars will be combined into a single poll.

The Program that receives the most votes during the Poll will receive a \$5,000 grant added to its IEEE Foundation held Fund (ties will be split evenly).

Your program has been selected by the IEEE Foundation Board as one of the IEEE Programs to be featured as part of the poll. The polls will be broken down as follows via the IEEE Foundation LinkedIn Channel:

**Announce Competition - Sunday, 1 October**

**Poll #1: Illuminate**

Launch Monday, 2 Oct - votes count from 2 Oct to 8 Oct. Winner will be announced on Monday, 9 October.

Programs include:

- IEEE Smart Village
- IEEE SIGHT
- EPICS in IEEE
- IEEE MOVE

**Poll #2: Educate.**

Launch Tuesday, 10 Oct - votes count from 10 Oct to 16 Oct. Winner will be announced on Tuesday, 17 October.

Programs include:

- TryEngineering
- PES Scholarship Plus
- IEEE REACH
- Region 4 Science Kits for Public Libraries

**Poll #3: Engage/Future**

Launch Wednesday, 18 Oct - votes count 18 Oct to 24 Oct. Winner will be announced on Wednesday, 25 October

Programs to include:

- **IEEE Life Members**
- IEEE TechEthics
- IEEE History Center
- IEEE Women in Engineering

**Poll #4: Energize.**

Launch Thursday, 26 Oct - votes count from 26 Oct to 1 Nov. Winner will be announced on Thursday, 2 November.

Program to include:

- IEEE HKN
- IEEE Awards
- IEEE Electron Devices Society Awards

We look forward to launching this initiative and having your program, volunteers and staff help to engage your LinkedIn followers to participate and vote in the polls. You are encouraged to prepare for the polls by following the IEEE Foundation on LinkedIn and socializing with your community.

Meetings will be organized by Pillar to answer questions and share more information as the polls get closer. In the meantime, let us know if you have any questions.

Thanks, Karen G

PS - I endeavored to include everyone, feel free to share the email along if I forgot to include someone.

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