

IEEE

San Diego Section

11:00

Reception

12:00

Banquet

13:00

Distinguished Visitor Talk

14:00

New Officer Installation

14:15

Awards Presentation



Our Venue La Gran Terraza, University of San Diego

Our Speaker Colin McAndrew, Bell Labs and NXP (retired) presents “Oops: Technical Bloopers of Good Engineers” Even good engineers make mistakes. We should always learn from such bloopers (both our own and those other people make) and strive to ensure not only that we do not repeat them, but also that we are alert for similar mistakes others may make. This talk will present some things you were taught in school that are in practice problematic. I give some examples of bloopers I have seen during my career. I show why you should pay attention to, and not just blindly use, public domain software. I also include recommendations for how you can improve the quality of your presentations and writing.

Our Special Thanks to Dr. Kathleen Kramer, USD, for making this event possible.

Our 2025 Officers

Chair Upal Mahbub

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Treasurer Hua Zhu

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Members at Large Larry Hamerman, William Torre, Liangping Ma, Kathleen Kramer, Gabriel Alcala, Upkar Dhaliwal, Theresa Hache, and Bansi Patel

Past Chair Michelle Thompson

Our Past Chairs

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1980 David Buck
1981 Joseph Birney,
1982 Carl F. Gerle, Jr.
1983 Harlan Faller
1984 Kesh Bakhru
1985 Peter Lanner
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1988-89 Michael
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1989-90 Richard
Milligan
1990-91 James Bussert

1992-93 Robert Lobbia
1994 Cathy Quick
1995 Hana Abu Salem
1996 Ken Kalbfell
1997 Jim Walker
1998 Steve Adamson
1999 Fred Harris
2000 Stephen
Stubberud
2001 Christine Williams
2002 Kathleen Kramer
2003 David Bernardin
2004 Steve Adamson
2005-06 Terry Hache
2007 Anthony Spurgin
2008 Ram Parameswaran
2009-10 Mark Frankfurth
2011-12 Xun Luo
2013-14 Steve Smiley
2015-16 Upkar Dhaliwal
2017-18 Gabriel Alcala
2019-20 Kathy Herring
Hayashi
2021 Zhensheng Zhang
2022-25 Michelle Thompson

2025 Honorees

Chapter, Section, and Affinity Group Service

Lei Sun	Distinguished Service provided to Vehicular Technology Society Chapter
Greg Laugle	Distinguished Service provided to Oceanic Engineering Society Chapter
Zhensheng Zhang	Distinguished Service provided to San Diego Section
Pirazh Khorramshahi	Distinguished Service provided to Computer Society Chapter
Jeff Shi	Distinguished Service provided to The Big Chapter
Valeri Paul	Distinguished Service provided to Women in Engineering Affinity Group
Hassan Ghoudjehbaklou	Willingness to Serve Chapters and Section
Bill Torre	Willingness to Serve in the reorganization of the Life Members Affinity Group
Terry Hache	Distinguished Service in Section Communications and Outreach
Hua Zhu	Distinguished Service provided to the San Diego Section

Community Service

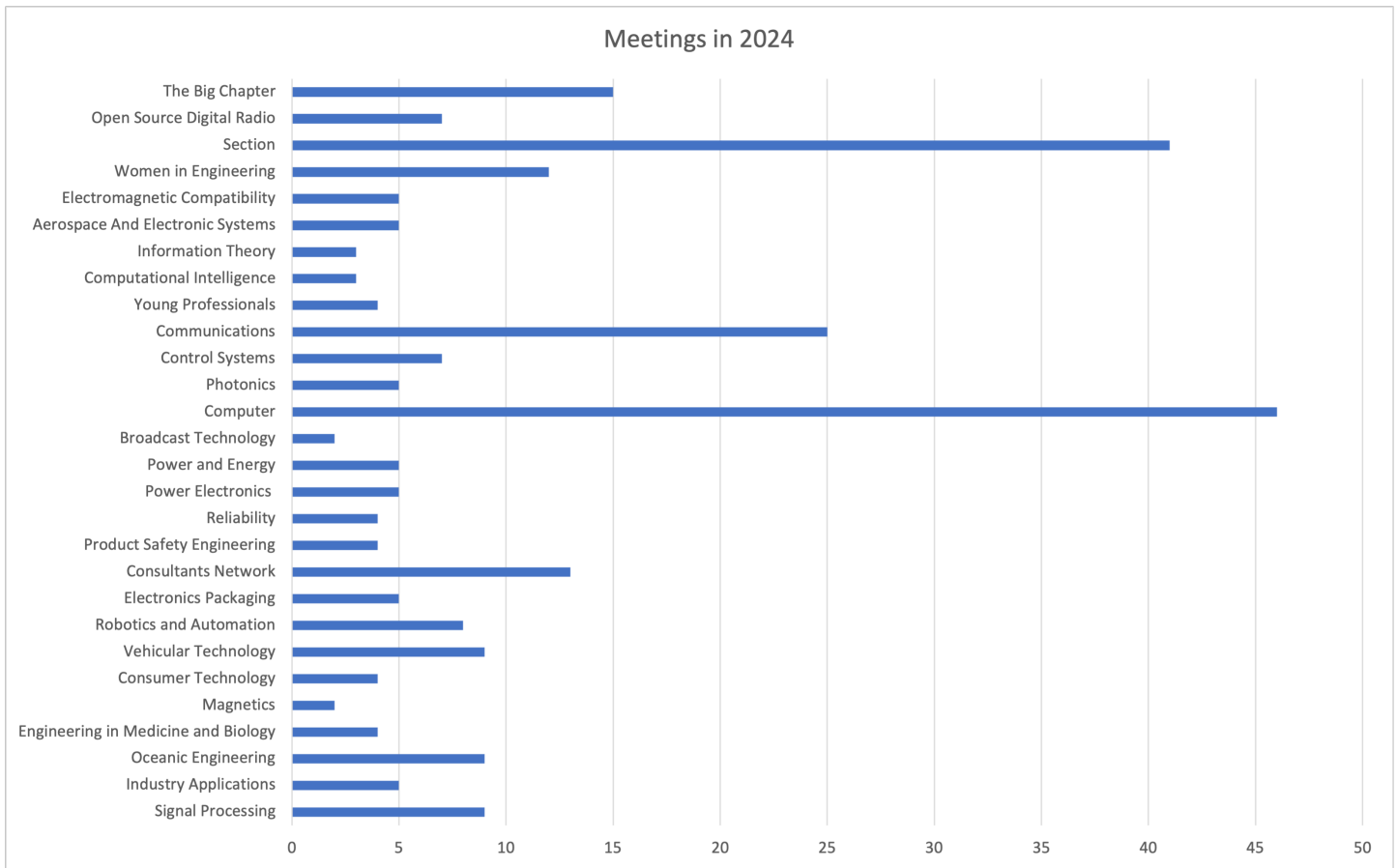
ATEC	Outstanding Community Service
Gabe Alcalá	Community Service, Distinguished Service provided to the San Diego Section.
Qualcomm	Outstanding Community Service
Nancy Trevelyan	Community Service provided to the San Diego Section
Debra Kimberling	Community Service provided to the San Diego Section

Student Service

Vaishnav Srinivas	San Diego Section, Service to Students
Mustahsin Zarif	UCSD, Distinguished Service
Jonathan Zhou	UCSD, Distinguished Service
John Cizin	USD, Phoenix Award
Nandu Koripally	SDSU, Phoenix Award
David Ramos	SDSU, Phoenix Award
Jacob Butcher	SDSU, Phoenix Award

Below, San Diego IEEE members enjoy a day at the Del Mar Electronics and Manufacturing Show.





Year at a Glance

We saw an increase in memberships in all Chapters.

We saw an increase in activity for all Chapters.

We had 266 events in 2024, compared to 88 in 2023.

When student events are included, the event total is well over 300.

We could not have done this without our many volunteers.

Thank you for your time and effort. We would not have such an active and successful Section without your hard work and dedication.