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- **Undergraduate / Graduate Scholarship Awards**

Essay topic for the 2015 scholarship award:

Ray Kurtzweil, along with others, has predicted that "technological singularity" will be reached around 2045, greatly changing the relationship between humans and machines"

Deadline for award application and scholarship packets: **Midnight, Thursday, Sep. 17, 2015.**

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IEEE Orlando Section Executive Committee Meeting

Date: Tuesday, August 11, 2015

Time: 6:30 - 7:00 pm - Social and Dinner; 7:00 - 8:00 pm Executive Committee Meeting

Place: Orlando Business Development Center, District 2 (affiliated with the UCF and the S.B.A.) at 3218 East Colonial Drive, Suite #G, Orlando, FL 32802

Directions: In Herndon Plaza just east of Maguire Blvd. This is the shopping center across

Colonial Drive from Fashion Square. It is on the west end of the building, around the building at the Southwest corner from the HH Gregg entrance.

Cost: Meeting attendance is free to all IEEE members and Non-IEEE members.

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- **Julie Ann Kent - Computer Society**
- **Jose Rodriguez**
- **Gamini Bulumulle**

The last A&A Review Panel meeting was held on 27 June in London, England. The next Senior Member Review Panel Meeting will be held on 18 July in Indianapolis, IN.

For details on how to apply for IEEE Senior Member grade and view the 2015 review panel meeting dates, visit the [IEEE Senior Member homepage](#). For Senior Member inquiries, contact: senior-member@ieee.org

Helpful Senior Member web links:

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