# IEEE Communications Society Technical Committee on Smart Grid Communications

**IEEE SmartgridComm 2019** 

Venue: Room 2, Wenjin Hotel Beijing

Time: 17:30-18:30, Oct. 21st

# Agenda

- Welcome and Introduction
- Reports on Nominations, Conferences and Journals
- Reports on TC Awards
- Revision of Policies and Procedures
- Election of Officers
- Any Other Business

## **Mission Statement**

- Support the IEEE Smart Grid Initiative
- Promote ComSoc's position in the development and promotion of smart grid related technologies
- Ensure that ComSoc members play a decisive technological role in smart grid communications, control, and computing

Website: http://sg.committees.comsoc.org/

## **Officers**

- Chair: Yingjun Angela Zhang, CUHK, Hong Kong
- Vice Chair: Hamed Mohsenian-Rad, UCR, USA
- Vice Chair: Hans-Peter Schwefel, Aalborg, Sweden
- Secretary: Christian Wietfeld, TU Dortmund, Germany

## **Special Interest Groups**

- SIG Communications and Networks to Enable the Smart Grid
  - Chair: Andrea Tonello, U. of Klagenfurt, Austria
  - Vice Chair: Hongjian Sun, U. of Durham, UK
- SIG Cyber Security and Privacy for the Smart Grid
  - Chair: Chen Chen, Xi'an Jiaotong University, China
  - Vice Chair: Kevin Dong Jin, IIT, USA
- SIG Active Distribution Grids and Microgrids
  - Chair: Zhao Xu, PolyU, Hong Kong
  - Vice Chair: Junhua Zhao, CUHK Shenzhen, China
- SIG Smart Metering, Demand Response and Dynamic Pricing
  - Chair: Sid Chau, Australia National University
  - Vice Chair: Hossein Akhavan-Hejazi, UC Riverside

## **Special Interest Groups**

- SIG Big Data Management and Analytics
  - Chair: Hamed Mohsenian-Rad, UC Riverside
  - Vice Chair: Marco Levorato, UC Irvine
- SIG ICT-Enabled Transactive Energy and Grid Economics
  - Chair: Lijun Chen, Colorado
  - Vice Chair: Emiliano Dall'Anese, Colorado
- SIG Energy Storage and Electric Vehicles
  - Chair: Chris Develder, U. Ghent, Belgium
  - Vice Chair: Hamid Nazaripouya, UC Riverside
- SIG Energy Internet and Energy System Integration
  - Chair: Qinglai Guo, Tsinghua, China
  - Vice Chair: Hao Zhu, UT Austin, USA

## Member Development

- Our TC has 231 registered members.
- To become a member, sign up the TCSGC mailing list at <a href="https://comsoc-listserv.ieee.org/cgi-bin/wa?SUBED1=asgcc&A=1">https://comsoc-listserv.ieee.org/cgi-bin/wa?SUBED1=asgcc&A=1</a>
- To become an active member, attend at least two out of the last five TCSGC meetings
- TCSGC meetings are held twice a year at IEEE ICC and IEEE SmartGridComm.

# **Nominations**

## **Nominations**

- IEEE Globecom 2019 SAC Smart Grid Communications:
   Suzhi Bi, Shenzhen U, China
- IEEE ICC 2020 SAC Smart Grid Communications: Hongjian Sun, Durham University, UK (to replace Anna Scaglione, Arizona State University, USA)
- IEEE Globecom 2020 SAC Smart Grid Communications:
   Yang Xiao, The University of Alabama, USA
- IEEE ICC 2021 SAC Smart Grid Communications: György Dán, KTH

# Nominations (Cont'd)

- IEEE SmartGridComm 2020
  - Communications and Networking Symposium: Fang Yang, Tsinghua University, China
  - Control and Operation Symposium: Hongjian Sun, Durham University, UK
  - Grid Analysis and Computation Symposium: Chen Chen, Xi'an Jiaotong University, China

Call for Nominations announced regularly via the TCSGC mailing list

If you are interested in being nominated, please contact one of the officers

# **Journals and Conferences**

## **IEEE JSAC**

- Special Issue on Communications and Data Analytics in Smart Grid
- Guest Editors
  - Yingjun Angela Zhang (CUHK, TC Chair)
  - Hans-Peter Schwefel (Aalborg, TC Vice Chair)
  - Hamed Mohsenian-Rad (UC Riverside, TC Vice Chair)
  - Christian Wietfeld (TU Dortmund, TC Secretary)
  - Chen Chen (Argonne, SIG Chair)
  - Hamid Gharavi (NIST)
- Manuscript due: June 1, 2019
- Publication date: First Quarter, 2020

## **IEEE ICC 2019**

- Selected Areas in Communications (SAC) Symposium,
   Smart Grid Communications Track
- May 20-24, 2019, Shanghai, China
- Chair: Kemal Akkaya, Florida International University
- Number of TPC members: 30
- Number of papers submitted: 29
- Number of papers accepted: 10

### **IEEE GLOBECOM 2019**

- Selected Areas in Communications (SAC) Symposium,
   Smart Grid Communications Track
- Dec. 9-13, 2019, Waikoloa, HI, USA
- Chair: Suzhi Bi, Shenzhen University, China
- Number of TPC members: 44
- Number of papers submitted: 36
- Number of papers accepted: 16

# **TCSGC Awards**

## **TCSGC Awards**

#### Outstanding Service Award

- The nominee must be a TCSGC member at the time of nomination
- The nominee must have been a TCSGC member for a sustained period of time and have made significant contributions to TCSGC over the period

#### Technical Achievement Award

- The nominee must be a TCSGC member at the time of nomination
- The nominee must have done outstanding technical work in the field of the TCSGC
- The nominee must have achieved a high degree of visibility for the work and for TCSGC in the community

## **Selection Criteria**

- Outstanding Service Award:
  - Distinguished record of service to the TCSGC community, including organization of TCSGC endorsed symposia and workshops
  - Providing exceptional leadership within the TCSGC
  - Promotion of TCSGC activities and interests in the TCSGC research community
- Technical Achievement Award
  - Involvement with the TCSGC
  - Outstanding technical work in the field of the TCSGC
  - High degree of visibility for his/her work and for TCSGC in the community.

## **Awards Committee**

- The Awards Committee was formed on March 16, 2019
- Awards Committee Chair: Hans-Peter Schwefel (Vice Chair of TCSGC)
- Awards Committee Members:
  - Hamed Mohsenian-Rad (Vice Chair of TCSGC)
  - Christian Wietfeld (Secretary of TCSGC)
  - Vincent Wong (Past Chair)

## **Call for Nominations**

- First call for nominations was sent to the TCSGC mailing list on the following dates:
  - Outstanding Service Award: distributed on May 2, 2019, with deadline June 20, 2019
  - Technical Achievement Award: distributed on May 15, 2019,
     with deadline June 27, 2019
- Subsequent reminders were sent on May 21 and June 11,
   2019
- Both call for nominations were communicated on the Technical Committee meeting on May 21, 2019 at ICC 2019
- The deadline was extended to July 20, 2019.

## **Awardees**

Will be announced at the Banquet

# Policies and Procedures: Revision

## Background

- Technical Committees Board of IEEE ComSoc has its P&P approved in ICC 2019
- All TCs' P&Ps should comply with that of the Technical Committees Board
- The revised P&P:
  - https://sg.committees.comsoc.org/files/2019/10/
     TCSGC-Policies-and-Procedures-V4.pdf

# Highlight of Revision: Membership

- A TC member must be a ComSoc member.
- Only active members can elect and be elected the TC officers, including the Chair, Vice Chair, and Secretary.
- Individuals who are not ComSoc members are welcome to participate in TC activities as Collaborators.
- Collaborators are eligible to become Appointed Officers (e.g., advisors, SIG Chairs, etc.)

# Highlight of Revision: Awards

- Awards Committee: The TC Chair shall appoint an Awards
   Committee consisting of four members, including at least one
   TC elected officer unless Col exists for all elected officers
- The Chair of the Awards Committee shall submit an awards selection report to the Director-Technical Committees for approval
  - The process conducted to select the award recipients
  - The names of all candidates
  - The names of the award recipients and the associated justification

# **Election of Officers**

## **Election of Officers**

- The nominal term of Chair, Vice Chair, and Secretary is two years
- The term of appointed officers coincide with that of the elected officers
- An elected officer can be elected to a different officer position within the TC
- The new officers will take office on the 1<sup>st</sup> date of January after the election

## **Candidates**

- Chair
  - Andrea Tonello, University of Klagenfurt, Austria
- Vice Chairs
  - Christian Wietfeld, TU Dortmund, Germany
  - Chris Develder, Ghent University, Belgium
  - Marco Levorato, UC Irvine, USA
- Secretary
  - Fang Yang, Tsinghua University, China

# **Next Meeting**

• ICC 2020, 7-11 June 2020, Dublin, Ireland

# Thank you!