Region 2 Report

Director-Elect Barry Tilton

Region 2 Annual Meeting
Hershey, PA, May 3-5 2019
D-E Engagement

Learning experiences with the Board

- Attended November 2018 Board Series as Director-Elect-Elect for training in Vancouver
  - Met current and future Directors
  - Attended strategy sessions
  - Represented Region 2 in non-voting role due to Director’s absence
  - Joined Future Directions and Industry Partnerships working groups.
  - Inducted into Eta Kappa Nu

- Attended February Board Series in Tampa as formal Director-Elect
  - Supported strategic dialog on Region realignment (8 & 10 expanding to 3, 1-6 being potentially reduced to 5)
  - Attended publications debates on the move towards open access pubs

- Supported GRC as Region rep, and attended CVD in April
Evolved PACE Process

Process adjustments to add fairness and spread out funding

- Process was reviewed and evolved to answer issues and concerns coming from last year’s distribution
  - PACE is critical for support of smaller section initiatives, less so in the larger
  - Often the large sections do not pursue PACE as a funding option
  - Pure first-time events are a priority, since there is no other precedent for funding, repeating events must show a value not achievable by modifying the core budget of the section or seeking direct funding
  - The focus is on professional development of the current workforce – there are other supports for student and educational efforts

- An additional change has been added to ensure equity on CVD
  - ONE representative from each section can seek PACE support for attendance. This will avoid CVD bleeding off a substantial total, but ensure representation.
Contact Information

Barry C. Tilton, P.E., PMP, SM-IEEE-HKN, Fellow AGS

- E-mail: barrytilton@ieee.org
- Phone: (703) 298-3371
- Facebook: barry.Tilton
- Twitter: @Martian928
- Linkedin: btilton
- WORK E-MAIL: Barry.Tilton@Vricon.Com

 QUESTIONS??