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A. IEEE Ottawa Section Events

1. IEEE Ottawa Section Workshop on Adverse Response Monitoring

Title: "Patient Safety: Adverse Response to Medication"

Organized by: IEEE Ottawa Section in conjunction with Biosogn Speakers: Wayne K. Hindmarsh (University of Toronto, Leslie Dan

Faculty of Pharmacy)

Radu Leca (Biosign Technologies)

Tofy Mussivand (Ottawa Heart Institute)

George Mihalas (European Federation of Medical Informatics)
David Silver (Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratories)

Marilyn Sue Bogner (Institute for the Study of Human Error)

Sponsors: IBM, TELUS, Emergis, Biosign Technologies, OCRI, IEEE Ottawa Section

Date & Time: Thursday Feb 21 - Friday Feb 22, Time: 8:00 Am - 7:00

PM

Location: The Chamber, Ben Franklin Place, 101 Centrepointe Drive,

Ottawa, Ontario, Canada K2G 5K7 Tel: +1 613-727-6700

Parking: No fee at the visitors parking (Free of Cost)

For more details, please go to: http://ottawa.ieee.ca/ims/warm2008/ For on-line registration please go to:

https://www.beanstream.com/secure/IEEECCECE2006/registration.asp (or Follow the registration link on the main webpage http://ottawa.ieee.ca/ims/warm2008/)

2. Seminar: Advances in Wireless Sensor NETWORKS, by ComSoc/BTS Joint Chapter

Title: Advances in Wireless Sensor Networks

Speaker: Dr. Hussein T. Mouftah, Canada Research Chair and Distinguished

University Professor SITE, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada

Date: February 27, 2008.

Time: Refreshments, Registration and Networking: 06:45 p.m.;

Seminar: 07:00 p.m. - 08:30 p.m.

Place: Algonquin College, 1385 Woodroffe Ave., School of Advanced Technology, Building-T, Room T129

Parking: No fee after 5:00 p.m. at the Visitors' Parking Lots 8 & 9.

Please respect restricted areas.

Admission: Free. Registration required. To ensure a seat, please

register

by e-mail contacting: Wahab Almuhtadi at almuhtadi@ieee.org. Organized By: The IEEE Ottawa Joint Chapter of Communications Society and

Broadcast Technology Society and Algonquin College IEEE Student Branch

Contact: For more details: http://ottawa.ieee.ca/comsoc/index.html or open the attached pdf file.

3. Two seminars: UWB Antennas and Channel Characteristics & 3D Propagation Modeling and Characteristics for High Speed Mobiles, by AP/MTT Joint Chapter

Title 1: UWB Antennas and Channel Characteristics

Title 2: 3D Propagation Modeling and Characteristics for High Speed Mobiles

Speaker: Prof. Werner Wiesbeck, Distinguished Lectures

Date: February 27, 2008 Time: 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Place: Conference Room on the 2nd floor GenieView Inc., 3701 Carling

Avenue,

CRC Building 94,Ottawa, ON, K2H 8S2

Admission: Free

Organized By:IEEE Ottawa AP/MTT Joint Chapter

Contact: qiubo.ye@crc.ca

4. Seminar: HIGH TEMPERATURE INSULATING MATERIALS, by Chapters of DEIS, IMS, and PES

Title: High Temperature Insulating Materials

Speaker: Gorur Govinda Raju, Emeritus Professor University of

Windsor,

Windsor, CANADA

Date: February 27, 2008.

TIME: 10:00 a.m. Registration and Networking; 10:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Seminar.

Place: National Research Council, 1200 Montreal Road, Ottawa,

Building M-50, Room 115.

PARKING: No fee at the visitor's parking. Please respect restricted areas.

Organized & Sponsored By: the Joint IEEE Ottawa-Montreal Section DEIS

Chapter,

IEEE Ottawa IMS, PES Chapters, and EPMG of INMS/NRC.

Admission: Free but registration is required for security reasons.

To ensure a seat, please register by e-mail, to Mahmoud Abou-Dakka.

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B. IEEE News

1. IEEE Plaques Presentation to Minister of Natural Resource Canada

On behalf of IEEE Canada and IEEE Canada Electrical Power Conference

Wahab Almuhtadi, Chair of IEEE Ottawa Section and Branislav Djokic, Past Chair of IEEE Ottawa Section met with Honorable Mr. Gary Lunn, P.C.,M.P

Minister of Natural Resource Canada on Dec. 6, 2007 in his office at the Parliament Hill, and presented Plagues of Recognitions to the Minister

for

his kind support to the IEEE Electrical Power Conference 2007 held in Montreal

(www.ieee.ca/epc07) and to the Electrical Power Symposium 2006 held in

Ottawa

(www.ieee.org/eps2006) . Both Chair and Past Chair invited the Minister to

attend the upcoming IEEE Electrical Power Conference 2008 that will

be held

in Vancouver (www.ieee.ca/epc08). The Minister accepted the invitation.

2. IEEE ICCST Conference, Prague, Czech Rep.

Title: 2008 IEEE International Carnahan Conference on Security

Technology

Date: October 13 - 16, 2008

Place: Diplomat Hotel Prague, Czech Republic More information: visit http://www.ieee.org/iccst08

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