IEEE Buenaventura Section

OpCom Meeting Minutes

# February 28,, 2022; 6:30 PM

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## Attendees

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| Doug Askegard | Victor Lin  |
| Nathalie Gosset | Momin Quddus |
| Deron Johnson | Bob Rumer |
| Jerry Knotts | Mohammad Tehrani |

## Minutes of Previous Meeting

Minutes were accepted as submitted.

## Local Highlights

Aerospace

Mohammad: No meeting is planned for March.

Computer

Deron: [Wordle for Nerdles](https://www.ieee-bv.org/meet/2022-03-cs) by Karl Geiger is scheduled for March 9.

ComSoc

Victor: Plans to collaborate with LA area ComSoc to bring in a distinguished lecturer. Victor is also asking some LMU professors if they would like to give a talk.

EMBS

Bob: Plans to meet with chapter officers in the next two weeks. Would like to get clarity about in person meetings.

Entrepreneurship

Jerry: The February 24 meeting by Utah Section about the history of Silicon Valley was very interesting.

Microwave

Momin: February virtual meeting was "Latest Discoveries about Neutron Stars ". No meeting is planned for March.

ED/CAS

Chair is vacant. Deron sent list of Electron Devices members and Circuits and Systems members to Doug.

## Recognition Brunch/Dinner

Doug reported that the "small" room at Los Robles Greens is available on March14 and 16. For this they would need a decision by March 1, and a 10 day notice for headcount. March 30 is also available. Chef's Choice menu is $25/person + 20% gratuity + tax.

We discussed inviting section/chapter officers and STEM volunteers. Invitees may bring one guest.

Proposed March 30 at Los Robles Greens. 5:30 PM doors open, 6:30 PM dinner, Chef's Choice menu. Approved.

Doug will send Momin the file for the award certificates.

## Treasurer's Report - Nathalie

Our fundraising goal is $3779 for STEM events. We have been approved for $2000 from Techbridge Girls.

Treasurer's Report was accepted as submitted.

## Region 6 OpCom

Buenaventura Section was not represented.

Doug has communicated with Charlie Jackson. This was a Region 4/Region 6 joint meeting online. Charlie hopes to make videos from the meeting available soon.

## Other Meetings

Doug mentioned that Charlie Jackson told him no R6 Southern Area meeting is scheduled yet. They are waiting for Covid restrictions to clear.

The next [IEEE Sections Congress](https://sections-congress.ieee.org/) will be August 11-13, 2023 in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada. Nathalie reminded us that we will need to set aside funds for travel. We have $1000 allocated this year.

## Next Meeting

**Monday, March 28, 2022; 6:30 PM PDT.**

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 PM.

## Event Scheduling

[www.ieee-bv.org/conferences-and-events](https://www.ieee-bv.org/conferences-and-events/)

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| **Schedule** | **Chapter** | **Contact** |
| 1st Tue of month | Entrepreneurship | Jerry K. |
| 1st Wed of month | RAS/IAS | Doug A. |
| 2nd Tue of month | Communications | Victor L. |
| 2nd Wed of month | Computer | Deron J. |
| 3rd Tue of month | Microwave | Momin Q. |
| 3rd Thu of month | Aerospace | Mohammad T. |
| Last Mon of month | Section OpCom | Momin Q. |
| Last Tue of month | ED/CAS |  |
| Last Wed of month | EMBS | Bob R./Reza F. |
| Last Thu of month | Photonics | Sudhan |