



**Memorandum of Understanding  
between  
the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Incorporated  
and  
the Asociación Española de Ingenieros de Telecomunicación**

To encourage the exchange and dissemination of technical information, and to promote understanding and cooperation among the members of the Asociación Española de Ingenieros de Telecomunicación (AEIT) and The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Incorporated (the "IEEE"), these organizations have entered into an agreement on the following matters:

### **1. MISSION OF THE PARTIES**

The IEEE is an educational and scientific nonprofit organization. As such, all activities of the IEEE, including all activities in cooperation with AEIT contemplated by this Agreement, must be consistent with and must further IEEE's scientific and educational purposes and comply with all laws applicable to IEEE.

The AEIT is an association whose aims are to impel and to contribute to the progress of the techniques related to the profession of engineer of Telecommunication, as well as to the diffusion of them and, in general, to carry out all the other activities that legally can be made concerning the improvement and the development of the telecommunications and their associated members.

### **2. VISITING MEMBERS**

When a member of the AEIT visits outside Spain in a location/country where the IEEE has a Section/Council, or a member of the IEEE visits Spain, for a period not exceeding one year, they are invited to avail themselves of the facilities, services and programs of the other institution under the same conditions as those granted to members of the host institution – except for voting privileges.

Upon arrival, the visiting member should present the host institution with their membership card, for identification purposes.

### **3. JOINT ACTIVITIES**

The IEEE and AEIT may, subject to agreement on specific items, enter into joint projects, events, and products such as conferences, forums, publications, history,

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standards, educational materials, awards, etc. Joint activities devoted to preserving and sustaining the environment, teaching math and science to children, improving technology awareness in the general public, and improving the image of the members of both organizations and the profession, will also be explored.

The Technical Societies/Technical Councils of the IEEE and AEIT are encouraged to develop joint activities, based on additional individual agreements which will become supplements to this agreement. It is understood that communication will take place with the IEEE Spain Section during the negotiations about these joint IEEE - National Society activities.

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#### **4. COORDINATION OF TECHNICAL MEETINGS**

To the extent practical, communication will take place when any part of the IEEE proposes to conduct a technical conference or event in Spain, or if AEIT intends to hold a conference or event outside Spain.

In addition, access to each organizations schedule of technical conferences and events shall be made available to the other party.

IEEE will provide access to their technical conferences listing through an electronic database on the IEEE website (available at <http://www.ieee.org/conferences>), searchable by several attributes (e.g., location). Contact information for the conference or event chair is available to allow for potential partnering.

The AEIT will provide access to all the technical and administrative information that consists in its website [www.aeit.es](http://www.aeit.es), as long as it is not information that, by its own nature, has to remain restricted to the members of the AEIT.

#### **5. PUBLICATIONS**

Members of one organization may receive certain publications of the other organization at reduced rates. Such publications and rates shall be specified in a supplement to this agreement.

#### **6. STANDARDS INFORMATION**

IEEE and AEIT may agree to exchange information on their respective Standards activities, and may agree to encourage mutual participation in Standards development.

#### **7. REVIEW, AMENDMENT AND TERMINATION**

Amendments to the agreement may be proposed at any time, but will not be valid until they have been approved by both the IEEE and AEIT.

Other cooperative agreements, which may be made in the future, such as between AEIT and a Technical Society/Council of the IEEE, shall be documented in a supplement to this agreement.

The term of this agreement shall be for a duration of three (3) years, from 1 January 2007 to 31 December 2009, subject to termination by either party on three months notice in writing. Renewal is contingent upon approval by both institutions.

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