

N&A Committee Report

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ITSoc Committees 2017

- Awards: Ex-officio: Elza Erkip (chair), Emina Soljanin, 2016-2017: Stephen Hanly, Tsachy Weissman, Wei Yu, 2016-2017: Tor Helleseth, Alexander Holevo), Olgica Milenkovic, Venkatesh Saligrama
- Cover: Ex-officio: Elza Erkip, 2016-2017: Andrew Barron (chair), 2016-2018: Ueli Maurer, Alex Vardy, Wei Yu, 2017-2019: Ioannis Kontoyiannis, Yossi Steinberg
- Conference: Ex-officio: Elza Erkip, Daniela Tuninetti, Ruediger Urbanke, 2015-2017: Abert Guillen i Fabregas, Ubli Mitra, 2016-2018: Emanuele Viterbo (chair), Brian Kurkoski, 2017-2019: ???
- Constitution & Bylaws: Ex-officio: Michelle Effros (chair), Alon Orlitsky
- External Nominations: Ex-officio: Ruediger Urbanke, 2016-2017: Dave Neuhoff, Rob Calderbank, Ubli Mitra, 2017-2018: ???
- Fellows: 2015-2017: Bertran Hochwald, Vijay Kumar, Roy Yates, 2016-2018: Helmut Boelcskei (chair), Emina Soljanin, Emanuele Viterbo, 2017-2019: Ning Cai, Max Costa

ITSoc Committees

- Membership: Ex-officio: Emina Soljanin (chair), 2015-2017: ,2016-2018: Sid Jaggi, Vijay Kumar, Alfonso Martinez, Lav Varshney, 2017-2019: ???
- Nominations & Appointments: Ex-officio: Michelle Effros (chair), Alon Orlitsky, 2015-2017: Dan Costello, 2016-2018: Amos Lapidot, 2017-2019: ???
- Massey: Nick (Chair), Elza (ex officio)
Amos (2015-16), Olgica (2015-16), Raymond (2015-16)
- Online: Ex-officio: Elza Erkip, Ruediger Urbanke, 2007-2018 Adriaan van Wijngaarden, 2011-2017: Nick Laneman, 2015-2018: Anand Sarwate (chair), 2016-2018: Mine Alsan, Evyatar Hemo, 2017-2019: ???
- Shannon: Ex-officio: Ruediger Urbanke (chair), Elza Erkip, Emina Soljanin, 2016-2017: Rob Calderbank, 2017-2018: Joachim Hagenauer, Shlomo Shaimai, Paul Siegel, Sergio Verdu
- Wyner: Ex-officio: Ruediger Urbanke (chair), Alon Orlitsky, 2016-2017: Han Vinck, Ram Zamir, 2017-2018: Frank Kschischang

C&B Committee Report

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2017 Agenda

The committee seeks input on issues of interest and then makes recommendations in the fall meeting. To date, 2 issues have been raised:

- Consider language on diversity (technical / regional / industry / under-represented groups).
 - “The Nominations and Appointments Committee shall:
(a) stimulate nominations and at the same time, keep track of under-representation of key populations for future nominations.”
 - “The Chair should seek nominations for members-at-large from broad constituencies of the Society to guarantee a fair representation from the key technical disciplines of the Society, including representation from industry.”
- Consider addressing Bylaws inconsistencies introduced with recent changes to terms for the IT Society Paper Award.