

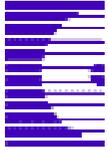
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Collaboration between ComSoc and “Sister Societies”

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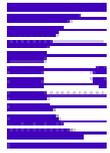
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What is Sister Society

- National or international society whose charter is similar to ComSoc's charter
 - Sister Society relationship with ComSoc can extend the society's reach to professionals around the world
- § Benefits for the Society members
- ◆ subscription and conference registration discounts, opportunities to participate in technical activities, joint technical activities, two-way information dissemination and so on..



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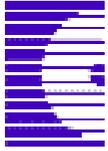
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Sister Societies at a Glance

- **BRAZIL** Sociedade Brasileira de Telecomunicacoes (SBrT)
- **CHINA** China Institute of Communications (CIC)
- **CHINA** The Chinese Institute of Electronics (CIE)
- **FRANCE** Societe Des Electriciens et Des Electroniciens (SEE)
- **GERMANY** Verband Deutscher Elektrotechniker/Informations-Technische Gesellschaft
- **INDIA** The Institute of Electronics and Telecommunications Engineers (IETE)
- **ISRAEL** Association of Engineers and Architects- Communications Group (AEAI)
- **ITALY** Associazione Elettrotecnica ed Elettronica Italiana (AEI)
- **JAPAN** The Institute of Electronics, Information and Communication Engineers
- **KOREA** The Korean Institute of Communication Sciences (KICS)
- **RUSSIA** The Russian Popov Society for Radio Engineering, Electronics&Communications
- **LATVIA** Latvian Informtaino Technology and Telecommunications Association(LITTA)
- **TAIWAN** Chinese Institute of Electrical Engineering (CIEE)
- **VIETNAM** The Radio & Electronics Association of Vietnam (REV)



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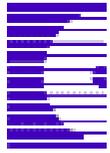
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Cooperation Agreement

- Mutual benefits for members:
 - § Paper submission to meetings at the same privileges of the Society members
 - § Conference registration at member rates
 - § Subscription fee for magazines, Journals and Transactions at reduced Sister-Society rates (publication side agreement)
- Promote mutual prosperity
 - § Publish, co-sponsor, mailing list
 - § SS members can be eligible to be voting members of technical committee elections..
- ComSoc provides Affiliate Membership to Sister Society members



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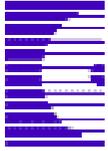
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Side Agreement Example

- Subscription fee for magazines, Journals and Transactions at reduced Sister-Society rates (yearly)
 - § IEEE Communications Magazine \$45
 - § IEEE Network \$45
 - § IEEE Wireless Communications \$45
 - § IEEE Communications Letters \$58
 - § IEEE Transactions on Communications \$65
 - § IEEE Journal on Selected Areas in Communications (JSAC) \$65
 - § IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking \$65
 - § IEEE Transactions on Wireless Communications: \$54



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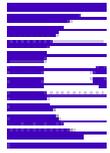
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Enhanced relationship

- Joint activities in Meetings and Conferences
 - § Co-sponsoring topical workshops that meet local interest
- Joint Publications
 - § A single issue on a special topic
 - § Regular joint publication
- Two-way information dissemination between Societies

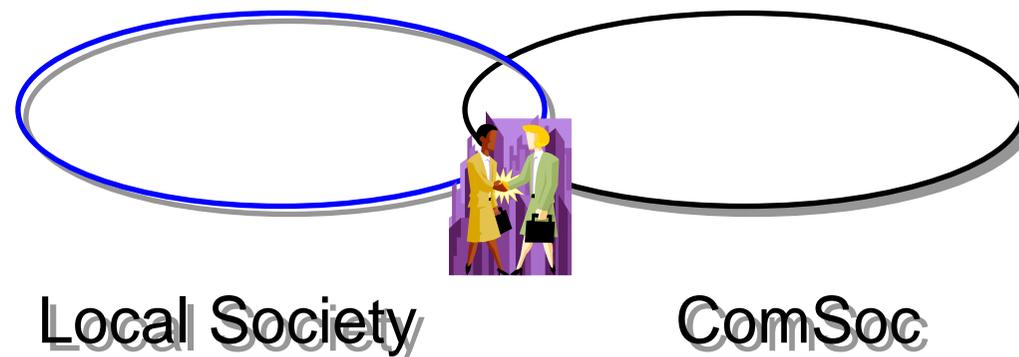


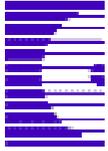
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For enhancing Sister Society activities

- Local chapters can play very important roles for enhancing joint activities
 - § To find out and propose “hot topics” that are beneficial joint activities for both Societies either for topical conferences or publications





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