

Women in Control Newsletter

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1. Editor's Note:

Greetings Everyone! I hope your summer is going well. I have moved from Michigan Tech, and will join University of Southwestern Louisiana this Fall. It was nice to meet some of you during the ACC in June. I look forward to meeting some (and more!) of you during the IEEE CDC in December.

Please share with us your professional and personal news, job openings, success stories etc. Let us keep this newsletter alive and healthy!

Sincerely,

Fahmida Chowdhury

2. Bozenna's Article:

Dear Friends,

The time is passing so fast, in fact too fast for me. Almost a half of summer is gone !!!

It is still time to wish you a very relaxing and beautiful summer.

Tomorrow I am taking a trip to Europe for 3 weeks: Cyprus, Greece, Hungary and Poland and I have just come from the SIAM Meeting in Stanford, California.

Let me share with you a few words about our nice "get together " at the last ACC. Over twenty women participated. We discussed mostly statistics, how many women are members of the IEEE CSS , how many women are senior members (about 7), how many are the IEEE Fellows (about 3), etc.

We have decided to write the next article to the Control Magazine about this interesting data.

In the meantime I ask all of you for contributions to our Newsletter. Below you will find one from Cheryl. Thank you, Cheryl for your contribution. I know that Fahmida will tell you more about our meeting. I will be in touch with you after my coming back.

With my very best wishes to you. Enjoy this summer as much as you can -

Bozenna

3. Two women elected to IEEE CSS Board of Governors

CONGRATULATIONS to Bonnie Heck and Molly Shor for being elected to the Board of Governors of the IEEE CSS!

4. From Cheryl B. Schrader:

In February 1997 the IEEE Board of Directors met in San Antonio , Texas. From 5-7 p.m. on February 13 ,1997 the IEEE Women in Engineering Committee held a forum highlighting Patricia L. Eng. Present was IEEE Control Systems Society (CSS) Board of Governors and Member Activities member ,Cheryl B. Schrader. The topic of the forum was "A national survey of women and men engineers: A study of the members of 22 engineering societies". The evening followed with engaging conversation with the IEEE CSS President , Panos Antsaklis, and IEEE CSS president-elect, Harris McClamroch. The IEEE Women in Engineering Committee maintains a World Wide Web site, accessible through the IEEE home page <http://www.ieee.org/> or directly by <http://www.ieee.org/women.html>. The committee can be contacted by e-mail at women@ieee.org.

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