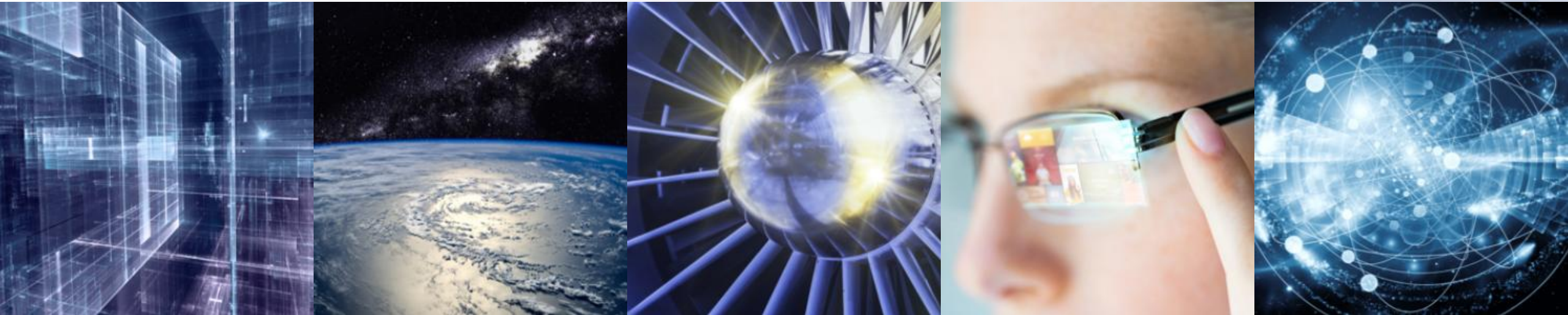




Chapitre UFFC France 2025 - Réunion 3

Serge DOS SANTOS

Chair of IEEE UFFC France Chapter

9 juillet 2025, INSA Centre Val de Loire, Blois, France

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Agenda

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| 1) Welcome - keeper of the minutes – Minutes Approval | Chair : Sylvain Chatillon et S. Dos Santos | 9h-9h20 |
| 2) UFFC state of the art in France | Chair : Serge Dos Santos | 9h20-9h45 |
| 3) Elections Action Plan – Student representant | Chair : Serge Dos Santos | 9h45-10h15 |
| 4) Fundings | Chair : Serge Dos Santos | 10h15-11h |
| 5) Review of business case and task setting | | 11h-12h |
| 1) Young Professionnal activities | Chair : Cécile Floer | |
| 2) Action with Industries | Chair : Nicolas Félix | |
| 3) Student activities | Chair : Serge Dos Santos | |
| 6) Lunch | | 12h-13h30 |
| 7) Visit of the Inserm Ibrain U1253 experimental facilities at INSA Centre Val de Loire, Blois Campus | | 13h30-14h |
| 8) 14:00-14:30 Tech Talk : "Parcours scientifique : des nanomatériaux innovants aux micro-supercondensateurs 3D", Souad ABOU ZEID, GREMAN, CNRS, Blois | | |
| 9) Technical Meetings Ultrasonics | Chair : Lori Bridal | 14h30-15h |
| 10) Technical Meetings Ferroelectrics | Chair : Bertrand Vilquin | 15h-15h30 |
| 11) Technical Meetings Frequency Control | Chair : Ausrine Bartasyte | 15h30-16h |
| 12) Communication | Chair : Ivan Suarez et François Varray | 16h-16h30 |
| 13) Secure the next meeting | | 16h-30-16h45 |
| 14) Any Other Business (AOB) | | 16h-45-17h |
| Adjourn 17h | | |

Welcome !



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Joint Chapters

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North Jersey Section Chapter,MAG33/UFFC20/SEN39 (CH01290)
Oregon Section Jt. Chap, COM19/UFFC20 (CH06047)
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Tokyo/Japan Sections Jt Chap,UFFC20 (CH10042)
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Vancouver Section Jt Chpt, IM09/MAG33/NPS05/UFFC20 (CH07151)

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IEEE Ultrasonics,Ferroelectrics,&Frequency Control (UFFC020)

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Pontificia Universidad Catolica del Peru,UFFC20 (SBC03241J)
Shenzhen Institutes of Advanced Technology,UFFC20 (SBC17881A)
Simon Fraser University,UFFC20 (SBC70031A)
Sogang University, UFFC20 (SBC79201A)
Sri Sai Ram Engineering College,UFFC20 (SBC60981AJ)
Univ of Texas San Antonio,UFFC20 (SBC29971B)
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UFFC state of the art in France

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France Section Chapter,UFFC20

Region

(Tout)

Section

(Tout)

Count by Region and Grade					
Region	Council	Section	Grade Category	Grade	Total
R8	Region 8 - No Council	France Section	IEEE Grades	Associate Member	1
				Graduate Student Member	3
				Life Fellow	2
				Life Member	2
				Life Senior	1
				Member	43
				Senior Member	14
				Student Member	3
				Total	69
			Other Grades	Affiliate	2
				Total	2
			Total		
Total					71

Effectif 2 mai 2024 :

- 68 membres IEEE UFFC
- 12 Senior Member
- 5 membres étudiant UFFC

Effectif 8 juillet 2025 :

- 71 membres IEEE UFFC
- 6 membres étudiant UFFC (+1)
- 14 Senior Member (+2)
- 5 Life Members
- 0 Fellow !
- OBJECTIF : 4 Fellows en 2035 !

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Elections Action Plan – Board constitution

France Section Chapter, UFFC20 (CH08924)

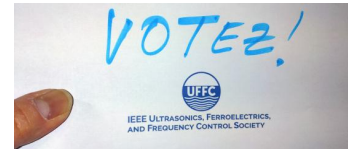
Officer Positions	
Position Title	Reported Officers ?
Chapter Officers	
Chapter Chair	Serge Dos Santos
Chapter Secretary	Sylvain CHATILLON
Chapter Treasurer	Cyril Lafon
Chapter Vice Chair (Ferroelectrics)	Bertrand VILQUIN
Chapter Vice Chair (Frequency Control)	Ausrine Bartasyte
Chapter Vice Chair (Ultrasonics)	Sharon Bridal
Other	
Representative (VP Communications)	Ivan Suarez-Castellanos
Representative (VP Industrial Relations)	Nicolas Felix
Representative (VP Students)	Position Vacant Recent Past Officers: Manon Caudoux
Representative (Young Professional)	Cecile FLOER
Webmaster	Francois Varray

<https://officers.vtools.ieee.org/>

1. Bureau approuvé le 22 avril 2025
2. Constitution du futur bureau (11)
3. Proposition :
 1. Appliquer une politique de rotations U, F, et FC de la thématique du Président du Chapitre UFFC France
 2. 2025-2027 : Ultrasons (SDS)
 3. 2027-2029 : Ferroelectrics ou Frequency Control
 4. 2029-2031 : Frequency Control ou Ferroelectrics
 5. 2031-2033 : Ultrasons
 6. 2033-2035 : etc.

4. Proposition ...

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Elections 2025 Action Plan

France Section Chapter, UFFC20 (CH08924)

1. Organisation des élections : Chapter Chair + Secretary -> S. Dos Santos, B. Vilquin, S. Chatillon
2. Validation des postes du Bureau du Chapitre (11 postes)
3. Enotece pour déclaration des candidatures aux 11 postes du bureau (1 mars 2025 - **20 mars 2025**)
4. Enotece pour élections sur voting : 21 mars 2025 – **31 mars 2025**
5. Réactualisation des officers sur vtools : 1 avril 2025 – **7 avril 2025**
6. Réunion du bureau IEEE UFFC France : 22 avril 2025 (lancé en décembre 2024)

IEEE **vTools** **VOTING**

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Welcome, Serge Dos Santos

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Saved Ballots

Type	Name	Dates ?	Organization	Options
✓	2024 France Section Chapter, EMB18 Election Feb 2024	08 Feb 2024 01:00 AM - 08 Feb 2024 12:00 AM	France Section Chapter, EMB18	Preview Print (PDF) Manage
✓	Copy of 2024 France Section Chapter, EMB18 Election	07 Feb 2024 12:00 AM - 07 Feb 2024 11:59 PM	France Section Chapter, EMB18	Preview Print (PDF) Manage
✓	2023 France Section Affinity Group, WIE Election	26 Aug 2023 12:00 AM - 26 Aug 2023 11:59 PM	France Section Affinity Group, WIE	Preview Print (PDF)

Past Ballots

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✓	2024 Universite Paris-Saclay Election	02 Oct 2024 12:00 AM - 03 Oct 2024 11:59 PM	Universite Paris-Saclay	Preview Print (PDF)

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Fundings for 2025

- ▶ <https://ieee-uffc.org/post/news/call-special-program-funding-applications-uffc-global-outreach-symposiums>

Il existe différentes sources de financement possibles pour 2025 :

- recherche de sponsors industriels : Serge + Nicolas
- demande de financement exceptionnel auprès de IEEE France sur des actions ponctuelles compatibles avec la feuille de route de IEEE France
- demande de financement auprès de la société UFFC pour des actions 2025 : voir avec Lin et Dragan

Financement confirmé pour 2025 : 500 USD

- demande de financement sur des actions spécifiques :
 - WIE
 - SIGHT
 - Humanitarian
 - etc.

Donations 2025 : MoU Vernon

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Donations :

2024 : Gold : 2326€

2025 : Gold : 2500€

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PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers) France Section Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Association Loi 1901, Having its registered office at c/o SEE, 17 rue de l'Amiral Hamelin, 75116 Paris cedex 16, Represented by René Garelo, in his capacity of President,

Hereafter the « Partner »

AND

VERMON, Having its registered office at 67 RUE FROMENTEL 37000 TOURS, Registered at the trade register of R.C.S. Tours under the number 32931039500044, Represented by Etienne FLESCH, in his capacity of President,

Hereafter « VERMON »

The Partner and VERMON may individually be referred to as "Party" and, collectively as "Parties".

PREAMBLE

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IEEE France is the Organisational Unit (OU) supervising and managing the IEEE French members, their chapters and affinity groups.

VERMON is a French company that design and manufacture customized state-of-the-art ultrasound transducers for medical and industrial applications.

The Parties have then decided to collaborate to support the development of the IEEE UFFC France Chapter (hereafter the "Project") and to conclude the present Agreement, in order to determine the terms and conditions for carrying out the Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows.

1) Purpose

This agreement (hereafter the « Agreement ») and its Appendices aim to establish the terms and conditions for carrying out the Project. The Agreement is governed by the terms of the General Terms and Conditions - Partnership (hereafter the « GTC ») attached in Appendix 1.

The Parties have the objectives to IEEE UFFC FRANCE, and VERMON for its participation in the development of the IEEE UFFC FRANCE CHAPTER.

2) Parties' contribution

2.1. VERMON's contribution

For the period from September 1st, 2024, to Dec 31st, 2024, VERMON sponsored a networking cocktail hosted by the France UFFC Chapter during the IEEE-UFFC congress in Taipei. The event took place at the Grand Hilai Hotel on Wednesday, September 25th, after the UFFC-JS technical sessions. It marked a special occasion to celebrate the foundation of the France UFFC Chapter, which had been approved by IEEE UFFC-S earlier that year.

VERMON directly covered the costs of the cocktail, totaling 2,326.26€ (see Annex 1). The event was organized by volunteers from the IEEE UFFC France Chapter. This sponsorship constitutes VERMON's contribution to supporting the France UFFC Chapter for the stated period.

Appendix 1: GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS -PARTNERSHIP

2.2 The Partner's contribution

In order to contribute to the Project, the Partner undertakes to organized the aforementioned event.

3) Compensation

For the entire duration of the Agreement, the Partner undertakes to mention VERMON's support on all communication media related to the Project and in particular to reproduce VERMON's logo on all written documents related to the Project, in accordance with the provisions of the Intellectual Property article of the GTC.

The Partner authorises VERMON to mention its support action in its own internal and external communication, on all media.

4) Duration

The Agreement shall become effective as from 01/09/2024 and shall remain in effect till Dec 31st, 2024, unless earlier terminated according to the terms of the GTC. The term of the Agreement is fixed and unchangeable and can only be extended by means of an amendment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this Agreement by electronic signature (DocuSign).

For VERMON	For the Partner
Name: Nicolas FELIX Title: VP Product Strategy and Marketing Date: 05/11/2024	Name: René GARELLO Title: President Date: 05/11/2024

[Signature of Nicolas FELIX]

[Signature of René GARELLO]

[Signature of Etienne FLESCH]

[Signature]

Donations 2025 : MoU TPAC – DB SAS



Donations :

2025 : Bronze : 500€

2026 : Bronze : 500€

2027 : Bronze : 500€

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AND

DB SAS or any other company affiliated with DB SAS

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The Parties have the objectives to organize technical events with industries, universities, schools of engineering, involving students, Young Professionals and Members of the IEEE UFFC France Chapter with the objective of its participation in the development of the Innovation.

2) Parties' contribution

2.1. DB SAS's contribution

In order to contribute to the Project, DB SAS undertakes to make a financial contribution of 500 €/year all taxes included to the Partner (hereafter the « **Financial contribution** ») under the conditions set out in the GTC. The Financial contribution aims to cover the costs of the IEEE UFFC France Chapter.

Payment of the Financial contribution will be made by bank transfer to the Partner's account after the Agreement's signature:

Account owner: IEEE FRANCE SECTION
RIB: 30066 10791 00010221701 85
IBAN: FR76 3006 6107 9100 0102 2170 185
BIC: CMCIFRPP

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3) Compensation
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The Partner authorises **DB SAS** to mention its support action in its own internal and external communication, on all media.

4) Duration
The Agreement shall become effective as from Jan, 1st 2025 and shall remain in effect for 3 years, unless earlier terminated according to the terms of the GTC. The term of the Agreement is fixed and unchangeable and can only be extended by means of an amendment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this Agreement by electronic signature (DocuSign).

For DB SAS	For the Partner
Name: Philippe Joos Title: Responsible for the Research and Innovation Market Date: 05/02/2025 	Name: René GARELLO Title: President Date: 05/02/2025 



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AND ¶

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Event	U / F / FC	Date, Lieu	Budget	Responsable
Event 1	Ultrasonics	2024, Aubière	1000€	Lori Bridal
Event 2	...	...		
Event 3	...	...		

Le 03/04/2024 à 22:10,
Daniel STEVENS a écrit :
Hi Serge,
#3 should be "Chapter
Committee Expense".
You can name the
report "France Chapter
Expense"
Best,
Dan

Frais Technical Meeting INSA CVL

9/07/2025

(Budget disponible 2025 : 3000€+500
USD)

1. Repas 6 personnes
2. Missions :
3. etc.

Donations :

Gold : 2500€

Silver : 1500€

Bronze : 500€

Créer une nouvelle note de frais

* Champ obligatoire

Report Name * Report Date * Expense Report Purpose Level 1 * 1 Expense Report Purpose Level 2 * 2

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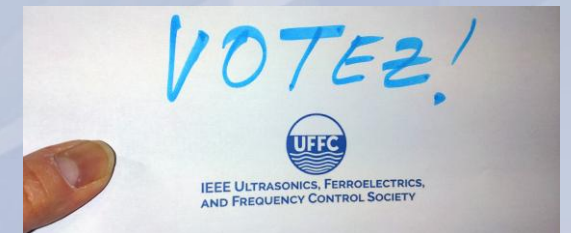
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<https://corporate.ieee.org/resources/travel-medical-and-insurance/ieee-expense-report>

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Fundings

Actions	Budget 2025	Responsables	Autres
Gold Vernon	+2500€	S. Dos Santos, N. Felix, C. Lafon	
Bronze TPAC	+500€	S. Dos Santos, P. Joos, C. Lafon	
UFFC Society	+500 USD	S. Dos Santos, Y. Li	
Actions YP	-200€	C. Floer, S. Dos Santos	Approuvé le 19 février 2025
Actions Students	-400€	S. Dos Santos + ...	Approuvé le 9 juillet 2025
IUS Cocktail	-1500€	L. Bridal, A. Bartasyte	Approuvé le 9 juillet 2025
Réunions techniques	-500 USD	C. Lafon et S. Chatillon	Approuvé le 9 juillet 2025
Budget DL UFFC	-200€	B. Vilquin	Approuvé le 19 février 2025
Autres (Drapeau IEEE UFFC, etc.)	-200€		



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Review of business case and task setting

Recommendations for the business plan, with the France Section point of view (René Garelo)

- 1/ Link with the UFFC Community which is quite diverse. Provide a recognition for this activity within the Section. Benefit from the Section support when **organising seminars, workshop and conferences**, and for **financial aspects** (bank account, etc.). Benefit from the Section communication strategy.
- 2/ I'm suggesting seminars for the interactions. Also, a presentation of these potential activities via a **webinar**, that we could publicize via **LinkedIn and Youtube**.
- 3/ Again, as Section chair, I suggest to have a diversity of actions, large enough for running for the title of "Chapter of the Year".
- 4/ List of **labs and University/ Engineering Schools**. List of **members engaged in IEEE activities**.

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|--|---|
| 1. Événement IUS Taipei (25 sept 2024) | Chair : Lori et Omar |
| 2. Etudiants | Chair : Serge et Ausrine |
| 3. Industriels | Chair : Nicolas (médical) et Bertrand |
| 4. Communication | Chair : Ivan |
| 5. Young Professionnals | Chair : Serge (SYP Grenoble 2024) et Cécile Floer |
| 6. Affiliations des labos des membres IEEE | Chair : Emilie (2024), Lori (2025) |

Review of task setting : Students

Chairs : Serge, Ausrine

Rappel : Effectif 3 dec 2024 :
6 membres étudiant UFFC et 1 UFFC Student Branch Chapter (Franche-Comté)

- 1. Actions effectuées : 9 sept 2024, Manon Caudoux élue au Bureau UFFC
- 2. Actions à mener : création de Student Branch UFFC Chapters
- 3. Réactivation du seul chapitre étudiant français UFFC (Besançon)
- 4. Création de chapitres étudiants UFFC (Paris, Lyon, Nancy, Lille, Blois, etc.)
- 5. <https://students.ieee.org/student-opportunities/contests-for-students/>
- 6. Participations aux actions IEEE R8 (Newsletter, SYP, etc.)

Proposition pour 2025 : allocation d'un budget Etudiants UFFC : 400€

Unit: University of Franche-Comte,UFFC20 (SBC18341A)

MANAGE OFFICERS

Instructions

Please make changes for the officer positions for the selected organizational unit below.
Requests for new Student Branch, Student Branch Chapters, and Student Branch Affinity C (show more)
Before submitting an officer report, please check the officer log to see if a submission has up to 72 hours (business days) for your submission to be reviewed before sending in a dup

Officer Positions

Position Title	Reported Officers ?
Executive Officers	
Chair	Etienne VAILLANT
Other	
Advisor	Vincent Laude
Secretary	Position Vacant
Treasurer	Position Vacant
Vice Chair	Position Vacant
Webmaster	Position Vacant

Select an Organizational Unit here to manage: ?

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Simon Fraser University,UFFC20 (SBC70031A)

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Review of task setting : Industriels (2024)

1. Industriels

Chair : Nicolas (médical) et Bertrand



IEEE UFFC Chapitre Français

531 abonnés

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La France excelle dans les ultrasons et la piézoélectricité pour les applications médicales : transducteurs, imagerie, thérapie et logiciels. Une opportunité unique s'offre à nous de renforcer notre écosystème en créant des liens entre acteurs industriels et académiques, favorisant ainsi l'innovation, le progrès médical et industriel dans le CND.

IEEE UFFC Chapitre Français propose de fédérer l'ensemble des acteurs rejoignez nous

#Innovation #Ultrasons #UFFC #France #IEEE #piezoelectricité

AI: BrightHeart DESKi Sonio Philips Diagnoly

Materials: Arkema

Systems: MODULEUS TPAC LECOEUR ELECTRONIQUE

Consumer: ID4US

Transducers: GE HealthCare IMASONIC PYTHEAS Technology Vernon SONAXIS

Therapy: Theraclion CAIRDAC Cardiawave VeinSound TheraSonic EYETECHCARE

Carthera EDAP TMS

Diagnostics: Arterya AUSTRAL Dx eMyosound E-Scopics Resolve Stroke echOpen

AdEchoTech ICONEUS Lumibird Medical - Quantel Medical, Ellex & Optotek

Sonoscanner - Premium Ultrasound Scanners Robeauté SuperSonic Imagine

deepColor Echosens

<https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:7210699463001018369>

https://www.linkedin.com/posts/nicolasfelix_update-2025-de-la-cartographie-ieee-uffc-activity-7342584997263949824-

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Industrial Relations IEEE-UFFC France (2025)

Chair : Nicolas Felix

- ▶ Mapping 2025 of Medical Ultrasound and Piezoelectrics companies to be released Sept 2025
- ▶ Mapping 2025 of NDT companies to be initiated (support of COFREND?)
- ▶ Activation of industrial companies
 - Need clear value proposition of IEEE-UFFC France on what it can bring to them
 - Clarity on events schedule and benefits for them (Talent acquisition, events, networking, academic-industrial relation, technical and scientific information? ...)
 - Regular update and communication on IEEE-UFFC France is mandatory
 - Short term: IUS 2025 cocktail
 - No problem to engage financially industrial partners but needs to be for a purpose

https://www.linkedin.com/posts/nicolasfelix_update-2025-de-la-cartographie-ieee-uffc-activity-7342584997263949824-eVpF/?utm_source=share&utm_medium=member_desktop&rcm=ACoAAAAk_ogBLLpfxF8vrSYqJzx2wrHWO3s_24E

<https://www.linkedin.com/feed/update/urn:li:activity:7210699463001018369>

Review of business case and task setting : Communication (2024)

1. Communication

- Page LinkedIn 361 (200 en sept) followers avec un bon engagement
- Newsletter active avec 300 contacts français qualifiés (principalement participants français à IUS sur les 5 dernières années)

<https://www.linkedin.com/company/ieee-uffc-france/>



UFFC-S Newsletter - June 2024

<https://mailchi.mp/92072d9e3758/ieee-uffcs-august-newsletter-412425?e=2744de483c>

Chair : Serge et Nicolas

France Section Chapter, UFFC20 (CH08924)

« IEEE UFFC France Chapter Finally Founded »

Chapter summary for upcoming UFFC AdCOM

Serge Dos Santos, PhD, UFFC France Section Chapter Chair

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Bertrand Vilquin, Member of the UFFC France Section Chapter Board

François Varray, Member of the UFFC France Section Chapter Board

August, 22th 2024

Le 29/07/2024 à 22:27, Lin Yi a écrit :

Dear chapter officers,

I am gathering information for the UFFC AdCOM report. Please would you spare some time to write up about the activities of your chapter, and feel free to attach photos.

I will remind you about this about 2 weeks from now.

Thank you very much

Lin Yi, Ph.D.

Chapters Chair

Ultrasonics, Ferroelectrics, and Frequency Control Society

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Communications (2025)

Chair: Ivan SUAREZ-CASTELLANOS

- ▶ Granted access and publishing rights in LinkedIn.
 - Other channels: E-Mails? BlueSky?
- ▶ First post on the details of new elected board.
 - Impressions: 1655
 - Engagement Rate*: 10.1%

*Calculated as: (Clicks + Likes + Comments + Reposts + Follows) / Impressions.
- ▶ Regular posts ideas:
 - Monthly featured profiles of board members, laboratories or companies.
 - Monthly update on upcoming events.
 - Event recaps.
 - Highlight new IEEE UFFC publications from a partner French laboratories.
- ▶ Engagement ideas
 - Polls: Ultrasound-related questions, debate.
 - Q&A discussions: Open question about one of the UFFC fields.

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📢 Présentation du nouveau conseil d'administration du chapitre français de l'IEEE UFFC! 🇫🇷

Nous sommes ravis de vous présenter le bureau élu pour le mandat 2025-26, qui dirigera le chapitre français de l'IEEE UFFC.:

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👤 Lori BRIDAL, Vice-President Ultrasonics
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⚡ Ausrine BARTASYTE, Vice-Chair Frequency Control
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👤 Cécile FLOER, Young Professionals Représentative
🏭 Nicolas FELIX, Industry Representative
🌐 Ivan SUAREZ-CASTELLANOS, Communications Chair
📝 Sylvain CHATILLON, Secretary

Ce nouveau conseil représente un mélange dynamique de perspectives académiques et industrielles - unies par un engagement commun à faire progresser la science, à encourager la collaboration et à soutenir la communauté locale des ultrasons, de la ferroélectricité et du contrôle de fréquence en France.

Les événements à venir, les possibilités de mise en réseau et les moyens de s'impliquer seront publiés sur cette page!

📩 Vous souhaitez collaborer ou vous impliquer davantage ? N'hésitez pas à contacter l'un des membres du conseil d'administration ou à nous envoyer un message via LinkedIn ! Nous serions ravis d'avoir de vous rencontrer.

#Leadership #ScientificCommunity #STEMLeadership #ProfessionalDevelopment
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👤 Luis Sandoval and 21 others

1 comment • 3 reposts



Review of business case and task setting : site Web (2024)

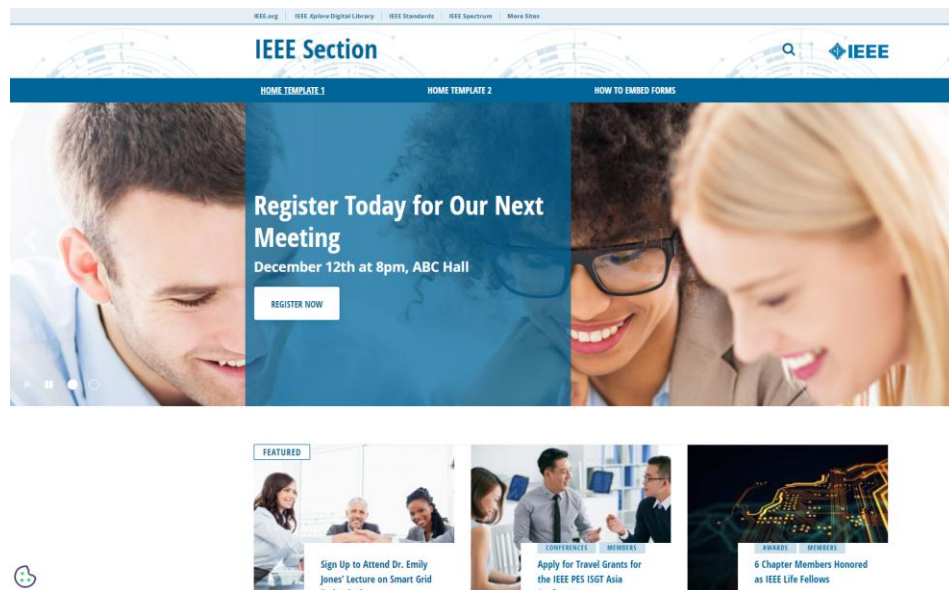
1. Communication

Chair : François, Ivan et Nicolas

il faut partir d'un template et il y en a deux qui pourrait le faire :

IEEE Sites (Official) <https://r1.ieee.org/dci-template/>

IEEE PES Template (For PES Chapters and Committees only) <https://cmte.ieee.org/pes-template/>



Website Update

Chair : François Varray

- Several solutions have been looked at IEEE level

BUT

- A proposition was made to put all the France Chapter onto the same page in the IEEE France Section:

<https://ieeefrance.org/chap-uffc20/>

- Some questions remain:
 - How to modify the page (only the France Section has access now)
 - How to add new event in the event of the chapter inside the webpage

<https://ieeefrance.org/2025/04/03/nouveau-bureau-du-chapitre-uffc-france/>

Review of task setting : Young Professionals

Chairs : Cécile Floer et Serge (SYP Grenoble 2024)

AG IEEE France, 3 décembre 2024

Young Professionals 2024

Événements passés 2024

- Organisation et participation à une diversité d'activités pour les jeunes professionnels, englobant à la fois des compétences soft et hard. Workshop, poster, keynote.



<https://ieeefrance.org>



Young Professionals 2024

Budget 2025

YP Section FY Budget for 2025	Number of YPs	Transportation	Inscription (including hotel)	Nights	Prize/night	TOT
RB Mentoring Meeting (France)	2	150		1	125	540
RB Western SYP (Allemagne)	2	250	350			1200
STB Day	2	150		1	100	500
Scientific Day	2	150		1	100	500
IEEE Day	0	0		0	0	0
EMC 2025	1	0		0	0	0
RB Volunteer Leadership Training (Admin)	1	150		1	125	270
Barbecue/Poster	1					30
						3040

Income		Expenses	
Section	1000	Event Transportation+ hotels	3040
YP funding step	500	Event participation	700
YP funding local	750	STBday	500
YP funding Meet-up	1400	Scientific day	750
Industry	1400	Mentoring day	1500
Mentoring Meet	1000		
Total Income	6550	Total Expenses	6490

Young Professionals 2024

Événements 2025

• Niveau R8 :

- Mentoring Meet : journée de mentorat organisée au niveau de la région 8 pour guider les étudiant(e)s et les jeunes professionnels dans leur carrière. Implication des collaborateurs (France chapters and Estonia, Switzerland, Italie sections). Des sessions de mentorat thématiques liées aux chapitres en France seront proposées.
- WeSternSYP 2025 : Symposium des Young Professionals de l'Ouest, prévu en 2025, réunissant des étudiants et jeunes professionnels de la région.

• Niveau France :

- Génies de l'avenir : événement dédié au monde des ingénieurs. WeSternSYP 2025 : Symposium des Young Professionals de l'Ouest, prévu en 2025, réunissant des étudiants et jeunes professionnels de la région.
- STBDay : journées dédiées à la réunion des SBs France.

Plan d'action YP UFFC 2025 :

1. Assurer la transition student → Professionnels UFFC
2. Participer aux projets YP France Section (niveaux R8 et niveau France)
3. Budget 2025 200€ voté le 22 avril 2025



Young Professionals Update

(Chair : Cécile FLOER)

- Official approval of an IEEE local Student Branch at Université de Lorraine (June 2025)
 - *Chair Niloufar DIZANGIAN*
 - *Treasurer Merlin LIMON*
 - *Secretary Jessica MONALDI*
 - *Student Branch Counselor Cécile FLOER*
 - *Currently 14 active members*
- Goals:
 - make academia attractive for PhD students
 - keep people involved in IEEE after defending their PhD
 - promote all the IEEE student activities from Region 8
- Next event in fall 2025



Review of task setting : Young Professionals (YP) and Industry

Chairs : Serge et Cécile

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- 2. Participer aux projets YP France Section (niveaux R8 et niveau France)

<https://ieeer8.org/category/technical-activities/action-for-industry/about-afi/>

Adopté le 19 février 2025 sur budget 2025 :

- 200€ travel YP UFFC

IEEE R8 Afi - Industry Events & Initiatives					
Upcoming IEEE R8 Key Regional Events					
Conferences:					
- June 4-6, 2025, 21st IEEE R8 EUROCON, Gdynia, Poland - August 24-26, 2025, 9th IEEE R8 RTSI, Gammarth, Tunisia - September 30 – October 2, 2025, 9th IEEE R8 HISTELCON, Bonn, Germany - December 10-12, 2025, 17th IEEE R8 AFRICON, Polokwane, South Africa					
xSYPs:					
XSYP	CEUSYP	Africa SYP	MENA SYP	Nordic SYP	WESYP
Section	Turkey	Ghana	Tunisia	Lithuania	Germany
Entities involved	Istanbul Technical University Student Branch	UPSA Student Branch	INSAT SB, STB12541	IEEE Lithuania Section , SB AG, YP AG, WIE AG	Young Professionals Germany, IEEE TU
Date	May 23-25	22nd - 25th August	August 25 to 28, 2025	28 to 30 August 2025	11th - 13th September 2025
Proposed venue	Istanbul Technical University	University of Professional Studies, Accra	INSAT – National Institute of Applied Sciences and Technology, Tunis	Primary Venues: VILNIUS TECH: Workshops and plenary sessions. TV Tower: Gala dinner and thematic evening. City Center: Social and cultural activities.	Hamburg University of Technology

Review of task setting : Woman in Engineering (WIE)

1. WIE

Chair : Ausrine



IEEE Women in Engineering Highlights

Read the October Chair's Message here.
In this edition, we delve into the core values of the IEEE Women in Engineering (WIE) program, review the 2024 program assessment, and outline our future goals. We've prepared detailed statistics to enhance your knowledge, presented in this WIE Women in Engineering Program Bulletin deck.

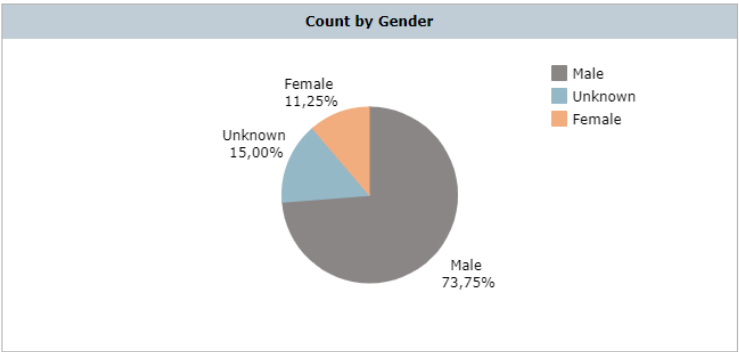
The IEEE Women in Engineering International Leadership Conference (WIE ILC) invites sponsorship for this global conference. The conference will be held 15-16 May 2025, at the Signia by Hilton, in San Jose, California.
[Click here for more details](#)

Register to join the WIE WIE Award Ceremony (Virtual).
[Click here for more details](#)

Select OU of your Volunteer Role

Region (Tout) Section (Tout) Grade (Tout) IEEE Status Active HKN Member (Tout)

Count by Region and Grade							
Region	Council	Section	Grade Category	Grade	Total		
R8	Region 8 - No Council	France Section	IEEE Grades	Associate Member	3		
				Graduate Student Member	4		
				Life Fellow	2		
				Life Member	2		
				Life Senior	1		
				Member	53		
				Senior Member	12		
				Student Member	2		
				Total	79		
			Other Grades	Affiliate	1		
				Total	1		
			Total				80
			Total				80



<https://wie.ieee.org/>

WIE IEEE France SECTION : Chair Florence SEDES

<https://ieee-france.org/2024/01/09/edito-florence-sedes/>

Review of task setting : Woman in Engineering (WIE)

1. WIE

Chair : Ausrine

UFCF Women Chapter

- Sensibilisation à la thématique de l'égalité et aux avantages de la mixité
- Mécanismes de discrimination sexuée dans les différents espaces de la vie sociale (travail, insertion professionnelle, éducation,...)
- Formation: repérer les stéréotypes de genre, les analyser et y remédier dans les situations professionnelles et sociales diverses
- Comment faciliter et augmenter la présence féminine dans les formations scientifiques et la recherche

Actions :

Rencontres/activités entre femmes ;

Ressources ajoutées/communications sur les sites internet existants & réseaux sociaux ;

Sensibilisation de l'ensemble des membres UFCF ;

Sensibilisation des jeunes à l'égalité des chances et aux métiers scientifiques ;

Review of task setting : Candidature IUS 2025

Chair : Cyril Lafon



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Damien GARCIA
General Co-Chair
CREATIS, Lyon, France

- > Associate Editor of IEEE Transactions on UFFC
- > IEEE Ultrasonics Symposium Technical Program Committee
- > IEEE Ultrasonics Symposium track leader, Blood flow measurement
- > Short course lecturer, IEEE Ultrasonics Symposium, since 2018
- > Organizer of a 5-day UFFC School on ultrasound imaging, Lyon, France, 2019
- > Short Courses Co-Chair, IEEE Ultrasonics Symposium 2023 Montréal



Cyril LAFON
General Co-Chair
LabTAU, Lyon, France

- > President elect of the International Society on Therapeutic Ultrasound 2019
- > Organizer of the 3rd International Symposium on Therapeutic Ultrasound, Lyon (ISTU), 2003
- > Member of the organizing committee of the 16th ISTU, Utrecht, Netherlands, 2016
- > Member of the organizing committee of the IUS 2016, Tours, France
- > IEEE Ultrasonics Symposium Technical Program Committee

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE



Stéfan CATHELINE
Short courses ou Technical ?

- > IEEE Ultrasonics Symposium Technical Committee
- > SPIE Biophotonics West, Technical Committee
- > Member of the organizing committee of the 16th International Tissue Elasticity Conference (ITEC), Avignon, France, 2018
- > Member of the organizing committee of the Optical and Ultrasound Summer School (OFUS), Lyon, France 2016



Aghan O'REILLY
Short courses ou Technical

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Hervé LIEBOOTT
Local Arrangements ou communication ?

- > Associate Editor of IEEE Transactions on UFFC
- > Since 2010, TPC Vice Co-Chair of Group 1 medical ultrasonics, IEEE IUS
- > Since 2014 member of the Technical Program Committee, IEEE IUS
- > 2014-2016 Associate member of the Bio Imaging and Signal Processing Technical Committee of the IEEE Signal processing Society
- > 2016 Local Arrangements co-chair, IEEE IUS, Tours, France
- > Main organizer of the 1st challenge at IUS: PICMUS, Tours 2016. Co-organizer of the SAVI Challenge, Kobe 2018
- > Since 2019, Challenge organization co-chair at the IEEE IUS



Juan TU
Communication Co-Chair??

- > Co-Chair of the Frontier Acoustics Symposia (FAS), Shenzhen, China, 2017 and 2019
- > Member of the Organization Committee of Nanjing Forum 2017, Nanjing, China
- > The 16th World Federation for Ultrasound in Medicine and Biology Congress (WFUMB), Taipei, Oct. 13-17, 2017: Co-Chairs of *Theranosis* Special lecture
- > The Westlake International Forum on Ultrasound in Medicine and Biology (WFUMB) in conjunction with the International Contrast Ultrasound Society (ICUS) meeting, Hangzhou, China, 2016: Co-chairs of Breakfast meeting on Nov. 12
- > Co-Chair of Biomedical Ultrasound for the 9th international Symposium on Modern Acoustics, Nanjing, China, 2012



Sandrine IOCHEM
Local Arrangements

> ISTU 2023 Organizing committee

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE



Apolline N'DJIN
Local Arrangements ou sponsors ?

- > IEEE Early Career Award committee member, International Society for Therapeutic Ultrasound (2020)
- > Main Organizer of the 4th Annual Workshop "France (re) Imaging (WFRIU 2016)" on interventional imaging, Lyon, France
- > Co-Organizer of the Annual Symposium "Recherche en Imagerie et Technologie pour la Santé (RTIS 2017)", Lyon, France.

Guillaume FERIN
Sponsors



Wei-Ning LEE
Exhibit and Sponsorship Co-Chair?

- > IEEE Early Career Award committee member, International Society for Therapeutic Ultrasound (2020)
- > Main Organizer of the 4th Annual Workshop "France (re) Imaging (WFRIU 2016)" on interventional imaging, Lyon, France
- > Co-Organizer of the Annual Symposium "Recherche en Imagerie et Technologie pour la Santé (RTIS 2017)", Lyon, France.



Marie MUELLER
Financial Co-Chair

- > Technical Program Committee and Track Leader, IEEE Ultrasonics Symposium since 2019
- > Member of the Scientific Advisory Board, International Symposium on Ultrasonic Characterization of Bone (2017 and 2019)
- > Member of the Program Committee, International Conference on Image Analysis and Recognition (2019)
- > Member of expert panel, Ultrasound topic, Congress of the European Society of Biomechanics (2017)

Guy CLOUTIER
Title ?



Serge DOS SANTOS
Short courses ou Technical ?

- > Vice-Chair of the IEEE France Section, Technical Activities of Members
- > Member of the organizing committee of the IUS 2016, Tours, France
- > Petitioner and Chair of the IEEE UFFC France Chapter
- > Short Courses Co-Chair, IEEE IUS 2016, Tours, France
- > Ambassador of the "Action for Industry" IEEE RB Committee



Aurélie BARTASYTE
Short courses

- > IEEE Ultrasonics Symposium Technical Program Committee
- > Co-chair, "International Workshop on Piezoelectric Materials and Applications in Actuators", 2019, Lyon, France
- > JNSRE2018 "8ème Journées Nationales sur la Récupération et le Stockage d'Énergie", 2018, Besançon, France

Review of business case and task setting : new proposals

Recommendations for the business plan, with the France Section point of view (René Garelo)

- 1/ Link with the UFFC Community which is quite diverse. Provide a recognition for this activity within the Section. Benefit from the Section support when **organising seminars, workshop and conferences**, and for **financial aspects** (bank account, etc.). Benefit from the Section communication strategy.
- 2/ I'm suggesting seminars for the interactions. Also, a presentation of these potential activities via a **webinar**, that we could publicize via **LinkedIn and Youtube**.
- 3/ Again, as Section chair, I suggest to have a diversity of actions, large enough for running for the title of "Chapter of the Year".
- 4/ List of **labs and University/ Engineering Schools**. List of **members engaged in IEEE activities**.

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|--|---------------------------|
| 1. 2026 = une journée IEEE UFFC France
et Nicolas Félix et Lori Bridal | Chair : Sylvain Chatillon |
| 2. Cartographie avec annuaire des acteurs académiques sur les thématiques UFFC | Chair : Lori Bridal |
| 3. Soutien de la prochaine candidature française pour l'organisation d'IUS en France | Chair : Cyril Lafon |
| 4. Création d'un logo (cf LAUS) | Chair : ? |
| 5. Collaboration inter pays (Suisse, 2026) | Chair : Bertrand Vilquin |
| 6. Événement YP pour étudiants en thèse/master UFFC | Contact : Labtau/CEA |

Ferroelectrics (Vice- Chair Bertrand Vilquin)

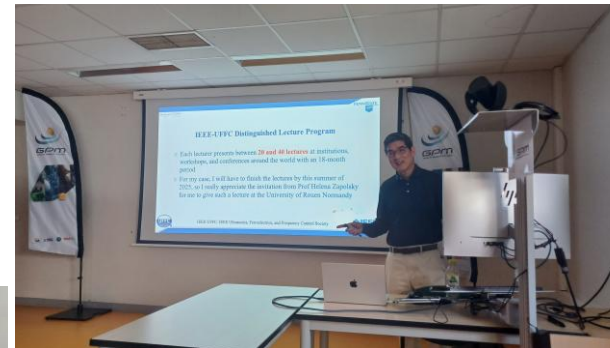
1) France Tour: UFFC Distinguished Lecturer – Prof Long-Qing CHEN – PennState
Tech Meetings:

Lyon – 18/06/2025 – 21 attendants

Paris-Saclay – 19/06/2025 – 21 attendants

Rouen – 20/06/2025 – 45 attendants

Bordeaux – 23/06/2025 – 26 attendants



Long-Qing Chen - Distinguished Lecturer



Long-Qing Chen
The Pennsylvania State University
Region 02 (Eastern U.S.)
Email

July 2024 - June 2025
Distinguished Lecturer

Ferroelectrics

Lectures

Thermodynamics and Phase-field Method of Ferroelectric Domains
Long-Qing Chen

2) Summer School E3AI (23-27/06/2025) labelisée IEEE France

<https://ieeefrance.org/event/energy-efficient-embedded-artificial-intelligence-e3ai/>

3) Tech Meeting: Japan-France Symposium on the Creation of Oxide Materials with Innovative Functions – Lyon - 10/07/2025

Parrainage d'événements IEEE UFFC France 2025

- ▶ Dominique CERTON et Nicolas SENEGOND : workshop international "MUT2025" les 17 et 18 Juin 2025 en co-tutelle GREMAN/VERMON
(<https://mut2025.sciencesconf.org/>)
- ▶ Bertrand Vilquin : WS "ferroelectronics" lors de la conférence DATE 2025 qui aura lieu à Lyon en avril 2025 et organisé dans le cadre d'un conseil de IEEE, le CEDA (Council on Electronic Design Automation)
<https://www.date-conference.com/date-2025-call-papers>
- ▶ Bertrand Vilquin : une école d'été "Ferro Artificial Intelligence" à Bordeaux en juillet 2025 dans le cadre des projets H2020 FVLLMONTI et FERRO4EDGEAI.

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Break ... et photo

The day
the coffee break broke...

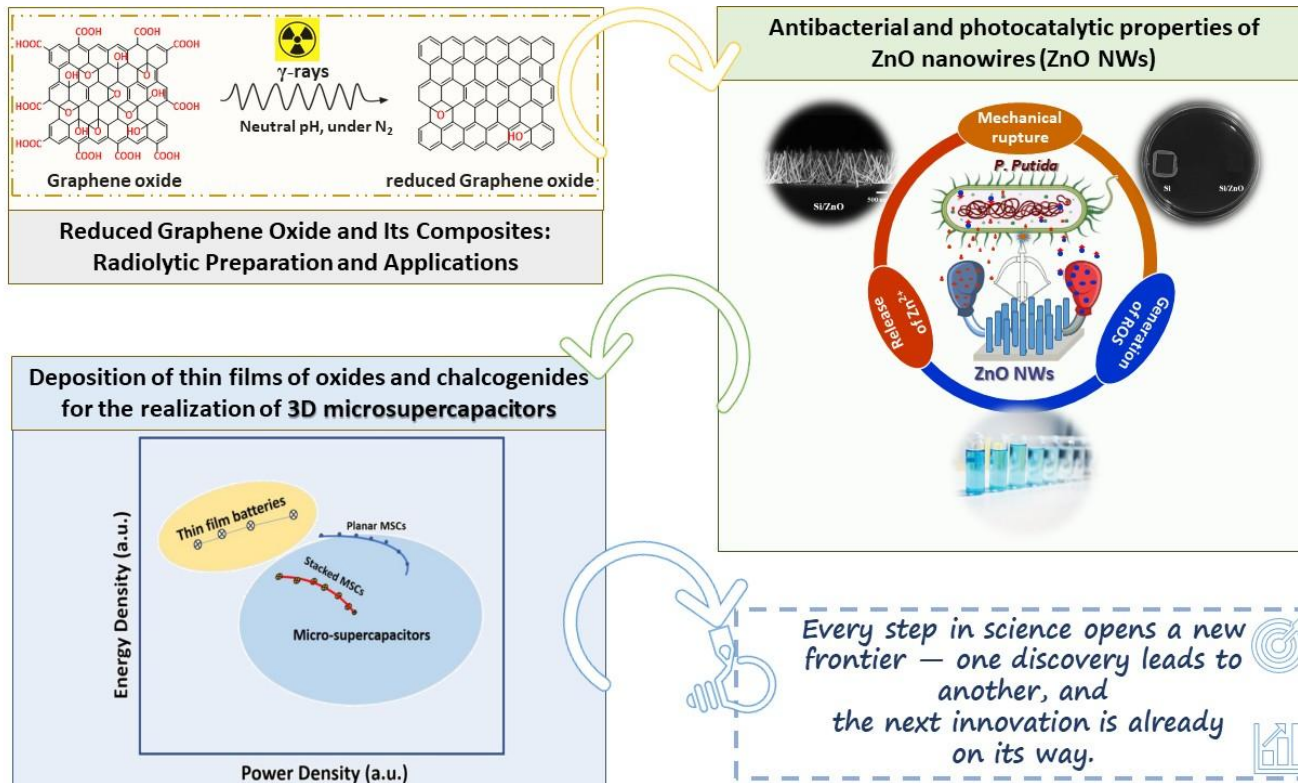


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Technical Talk : 2 pm July 9th, 2025

Des nanomatériaux innovants aux micro-supercondensateurs 3D



Souad ABOU ZEID, PhD

Technical Meetings

1. Meeting 6 : Nov-Dec 2026 Ecole Doctorants (Projet HINA)
2. Meeting 7 : Invitation de DL (Distinguish Lecturers IEEE)
3. Meeting 8 : Candidature IUS 2028
4. Meeting 9 : Journée « Ultrasons et médecine fœtale », automne 2025
5. Meeting 10 : Prix de Thèse SFGBM RITS 2026 +UFFC Chapter
6. Meeting 11 : Ecole Doctorants Bordeaux, "Ferro Artificial Intelligence«
7. Meeting 12 : Microfluidics et biodevice – Juin 2025
8. Meeting 13 : Identifier d'autres chapitres (IM, Sensors, CEDA)
9. Meeting 14 : Journée US (journée Mars-Avril 2026)
10. Meeting 15 : Evènement IUS IEEE Utrecht 2025
11. Meeting 16 : demi-journée technique avec le CEDA 2026
12. Meeting 17 :

Responsable : Ausrine Bartasyte

Resp. : Serge Dos Santos et Bertrand Vilquin

Responsables : Cyril Lafon et Damien Garcia

Resp. : Georges Haddad et Serge Dos Santos

Responsable : Lori Bridal

Responsable : Bertrand Vilquin

Responsables : Omar et Cécile

Responsable : ?

Responsable : Nicolas, Lori et Sylvain

Responsable : Lori Bridal et Ausrine Bartasyte

Responsable : Bertrand Vilquin

Technical Meetings in 2024

Kick-off meeting UFFC France Chapter, May 2 in Tours

- ▶ 12 registered – 11 IEEE & 1 guest attended

RITS Session: Ultrasound, Ferroelectrics and Frequency Control, June 6 in Aubière

- ▶ 27 registered – 6 IEEE & 26 guests attended

Clinical transfer of ultrasound super-resolution: L. Denis

Lead-free ultrasonic transducers, challenges and opportunities: S. Margueron

Current trends and prospects in biomechanical energy harvesting for leadless pacemakers: E. Lefeuvre

Dual-mode ultrasound interstitial catheter for image-guided conformal HIFU therapy: experimental validation: T. Biscaldi

Technical day, UFFC French Chapter, September 9 in Paris-Saclay

- ▶ 11 registered – 8 IEEE & 1 guest attended

R&D in NDE and ultrasound at the CEA List: P. Calmon

UFFC French Chapter Cocktail at IEEE UFFC Joint Symposium, September 25 in Taipei

- ▶ 49 registered – 30 IEEE attended

UFFC Technical Meeting 2

- ▶ 17 registered
- ▶ Brain functional ultrasound imaging: T. Deffieux

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Microfluidics & Biodevices workshop #3

- 3rd edition, 12-13 June 2025, Institut Jean Lamour, Nancy
- 44 participants
- 2 IEEE Distinguished Lecturers invited

3rd Workshop on Microfluidic & Biodevices

GDR Groupement de recherche
MNF Micro et nano
fluidique

June 12-13, 2025
Campus ARTEM, Nancy, France



Day n°1: June 12th afternoon

14:00 -15:40	Session 1: Organ on Chip (Moderator: Prof. Halima ALEM-MARCHAND) - Amphitheatre, Mines Nancy 14:00-14:35: Utilizing Organ-on-a-Chip in Biomedical Engineering and Biotechnology as an Alternative to High-Throughput Models Dr. Sueila FLEURY-ROSA IEEE Engineering in Medicine & Biotechnology Society (EMBS) Distinguished Lecturer Meinig School of Biomedical Engineering, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14853
	14:35-15:00: Harnessing Organ on Chip technology for Basic Science and Clinics Dr. Stéphanie DESCROIX (CNRS research director) Head of Macromolécules et microsystèmes en Biologie et en Médecine (MMBM) Team, Institut Curie ; Deputy Director of the Institut Pierre Gilles de Genes
	15:00-15:25: Nanopillars as drug delivery system in Microfluidic Blood Brain Barrier model Prof. Elmira ARAB-TEHRANY Laboratoire d'Ingénierie des Bio Université de Lorraine, France
	15:25-15:40: Microfabricated interdigitated electrodes for real-time monitoring of intestinal cells IBD mouse model Agathe LEMEE Measurement and Electronic Architectures & Nanomaterials and Health Groups Institut Jean Lamour (UMR 7198) Nancy, France
15:40-16:10	Coffee break
16:10 -17:40	Session 2: Microfluidics (Moderator: Dr. Cécile FLOER) - Amphitheatre, Mines Nancy 16:10-16:35: Fluid Flow Measurements in Nanofluidics Using Holographic Microscopy (online) Prof. James FREED Head of Medically Advanced Devices Laboratory at the UCSD Professor in both the Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering at the Jacobs School of Engineering, and the Department of Surgery, University of California at San Diego, USA
	16:35-17:10: Digital Microfluidics as a Chemical and Biological Sensing Platform Dr. Hyeyun MOON IEEE Sensors Distinguished Lecturer Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering University of Texas at Arlington, USA
	17:10-17:25: SAW devices for DNA duplication (PCR) Clémence DISCARA Micro and Nanosystems Group Institut Jean Lamour (UMR 7198) Nancy, France
	17:25-17:50: Digital PCR for clinical applications Dr. Valérie TAILLIE (CNRS research director) Head of the Translational Research And Microfluidics group (TRAM) Université Paris Descartes, France ; President, CSO and co-founder of METHYS Dx

3rd Workshop on Microfluidic & Biodevices

Day n°2: June 13th morning

9:00-10:00	Session 3: Lab on Chip (Moderator: Prof. Omar ELMAZRIA) - Patrick Aiot Room, UL 9:00-9:35: Development of an Inkjet-Printed Sensor using Ink loaded Food-Based Nano Conductive paste for Electrochemical sensing of Insulin: A First attempt (online) Prof. Sanket GOEL IEEE Sensors Distinguished Lecturer MEMS, Microfluidics and Nanoelectronics (MMNE) Lab, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS) Pilani, Hyderabad Campus, Hyderabad, India
	9:35-10:00: Development of portable and cost-effective Lab-on-chip for virus detection Prof. Anas AZZAM Mechanical and Nuclear Engineering, Khalifa University, UAE
10:00-10:20	Coffee Break
10:20-10:50	Session 4: Medical devices and AI (Moderator: Dr. Julien CLAUDEL) - Patrick Aiot Room, UL 10:20-10:45: Smartphone-Based RGB Imaging for Biophysical Skin Analysis and Health Metric Extraction Dr. Fabrice DE OLIVEIRA Research director i-Virtual, Metz, France
	10:45-11:10: Digital Acceleration in Experimental Science: Gaining Speed Without Losing Rigor — The Role of AI & the Data Toolbox Anis MEZIANE Founder and CEO Think 2, Metz, France
	11:10-11:35: Wearable-Derived Behavioral and Physiological Biomarkers for Classifying Unipolar and Bipolar Depression Severity Dr. Yassine OUAZ Lille Neurosciences & Cognition Centre de Recherche en Informatique, Signal et Automatique, Lille, France
	11:35-12:00: Camera-Based Contactless Measurement of Physiological Parameters Dr. Djamaledine DJELDJEL Measurement and Electronic Architectures Group Institut Jean Lamour (UMR 7198) Nancy, France

Organization Committee:

- Halima ALEM-MARCHAND : Professor UL (UL/ENSIC)
- Julien CLAUDEL : Associate Professor UL (UL/FST)
- Djamaledine DJELDJEL : Associate Professor UL (UL/IUT-NB)
- Cécile FLOER : Associate Professor UL (UL/IUT-NB)
- Omar ELMAZRIA : Professor UL (UL/PolysTech)

Registration:

Please complete this form to allow us to better assess the number of attendees. Registration is free but required. You can send your response by June 2, 2025.

Registration link:

Thank you



Technical Meeting : cocktail event for IUS 2025

Estimated number of participants : 50 (any help to improve this estimate is most welcome)

Format: snack/cocktail. Suggest more technical content than last time with organization of short presentations from IEEE UFFC France YP attendees with posters at the meeting (requires some A/V).

Sponsors: How to recognize the sponsorship fully. Time to speak at the event, logo on communications...

Managing invitation and attendance: Only French attendees at IUS invited or shared in the program?

Space to meet:

- The PCO has explained that there is little or no room availability before 8:30 or after 18:00 at the Venue site.
- Meeting with Chris deKorte on Friday to see what spaces could be used off-site.
- **Proposal date : Tuesday Sept 16th, 12h30-14h**

Cocktail event for IUS 2025

Program is already very full. When do you think the most ideal time would be for our event?

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IEEE
IUS 2025
International Ultrasonics Symposium
September 15 - 18, 2025 || Utrecht, Netherlands

IEEE IUS 2025 Program Grid											
Monday (Sept 15)			Tuesday (Sept 16)			Wednesday (Sept 17)			Thursday (Sept 18)		
8:30 - 10:30	Short Courses AM (Part 1)		8:00 - 9:45	Official Opening and Plenary Session 1		8:30 - 10:00	Lecture		8:30 - 10:00	Lecture	
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break		10:00 - 11:00	Posters, exhibitors, and coffee break		10:00 - 11:00	Posters, exhibitors, and coffee break		10:00 - 11:00	Posters, exhibitors, and coffee break	
11:00 - 12:30	Short Courses AM (Part 2)		11:00 - 12:30	Lecture		11:00 - 12:30	Lecture		11:00 - 12:30	Lecture	
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch (on own)	DUE Day	12:30 - 14:00	Lunch (on own)	WIE Lunch Seminar	12:30 - 14:00	Lunch (on own)	Student Career Networking	12:30 - 14:00	Lunch (on own)	Student Pitch
14:00 - 16:00	Short Courses PM (Part 1)		14:00 - 15:30	Lecture		14:00 - 15:30	Lecture		14:00 - 15:30	Lecture	
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee Break		15:30 - 16:30	Posters, exhibitors, and coffee break		15:30 - 16:30	Posters, exhibitors, and coffee break		15:30 - 16:30	Posters, exhibitors, and coffee break	
16:30 - 18:00	Short Courses PM (Part 2)		16:30 - 18:00	Lecture		16:30 - 18:00	Lecture		16:30 - 17:30	Lecture	
18:00 - 20:00	Student Social		18:00 - 19:00	Ultrasonics Awards		18:00 - 18:30	Travel to Banquet Dinner	President's Reception (18:00 - 19:00)	17:45 - 19:00	Closing	
			19:15 - 21:00	Welcome Reception		18:30 - 23:00	Banquet Dinner		19:00 - 20:30	Student Goodbye	

Journée « Ultrasons et médecine fœtale », 10-11 mars 2025 (reportée à l'automne)

1. US Tech talk 1 « Ultrasons et médecine fœtale », Responsables : Georges Haddad et Serge Dos Santos



Dr. Georges Haddad, Génétique médicale,
Past President du CFEF, Collège Français
d'échographie fœtale

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- Intervention (confirmée) : Alexandre BALLOUT, CEO des centres SFFERe- CEO de NATAL BOULOGNE Group
- Lieu : Clinique Mosaïque, La Chaussée St Victor
- Salle 80-90 personnes
- Thèmes envisagés : US et diagnostic prénatal; US et médecine fœtale, IA, sondes, etc.
- Sponsors : IEEE UFFC, IEEE EMBS, CFEF, Samsung, etc.
- Fiinancement EMBS envoyée le 31/10/2024 **et obtenu** en février 2025

Le 23/02/2025 à 02:19, Deidre Artis a écrit :

Dear Serge,

You were approved for \$1085 for the MSA Initiative Funding you requested. I have sent the section to receive the funds. Please work with the Section for disbursement of the funds.

Thank you,
Deidre

Upcoming Tech Talk

1. FC Tech talk 1 Responsable :
2. US Tech talk 2 Responsable :
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AOB (Awards, Fellow, DL)

Awards 2024

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- Bénévolat (1 candidature l'année dernière)
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Pour Gerard-Andre Capolino <gerard.capolino@u-picardie.fr>

Sujet Re: Information Commission "Fellow"

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le 17/11/2024 à 18:39, Gerard-Andre Capolino a écrit :

Bonsoir,

Merci pour votre confiance.

Pour être clair, comme je le suis toujours, nous allons encourager TOUTES les candidatures en nous adressant à tous les présidents de chapitres ou de groupes d'affinité qui doivent identifier les candidats potentiels de leurs thématiques ainsi que tous les membres "Senior" de la section qui peuvent légitimement espérer devenir "IEEE Fellow" un jour.

Je précise également que ce n'est pas une candidature mais une nomination et que les évaluations ne se font QUE sur la base des performances scientifiques dans toutes les catégories.

Bien cordialement,

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Fellows IEEE

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France Section Chapter,UFFC20

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R8

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France Section

Count by Region and Grade

Region	Council	Section	Grade Category	Grade	Total
R8	Region 8 - No Council	France Section	IEEE Grades	Associate Member	3
				Graduate Student Member	4
				Life Fellow	2
				Life Member	2
				Life Senior	1
				Member	53
				Senior Member	13
				Student Member	3
				Total	81
			Other Grades	Affiliate	1
Total			1		
Total	82				

Condition pour postuler au grade de IEEE Fellow : être Senior Member depuis plus de 5 ans !

Proposition : pour 2025, compléter la liste des candidatures avec les 8 SM-xx <= SM-20

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Bien cordialement,

Proposition de candidatures IEEE Fellow soutenue par le Chapitre IEEE France
15 janvier 2025

Le 06/01/2025 à 10:07, Serge DOS SANTOS a écrit :

Chers collègues,

en cette nouvelle année 2025, recevez mes meilleurs vœux de santé et de prospérité.

Action urgente SVP : nous sommes 80 membres UFFC France et je propose de constituer une liste de candidats potentiels au grade de Fellow. Merci de me suggérer des noms de collègues avant la fin de la semaine. Je rappelle que les candidats ne sont pas forcément inscrits à UFFC en 2024 ou 2025. C'est également un moyen de renforcer notre communauté et d'augmenter le nombre de membres de notre chapitre.

Merci d'avance de votre collaboration.

Bonne journée,

Serge

Senior Members

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Bridal	Sharon	Senior Member	SM-08,
Kouame	Denis	Senior Member	SM-23,
Laude	Vincent	Senior Member	SM-17,
Lafon	Cyril	Senior Member	SM-25,
Bouakaz	Ayache	Senior Member	SM-20,
Dos Santos	Serge	Senior Member	SM-16,
Makram-Ebeid	Sherif	Senior Member	SM-08,
Elmazria	Omar	Senior Member	SM-19,
Reinhardt	Alexandre	Senior Member	SM-23,
LE FLOCH	Jean-Michel	Senior Member	SM-16,
Levassort	Franck	Senior Member	SM-23,

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Proposition : pour 2025 solliciter les 53 Members pour faire un dossier de promotion Senior Member (Responsables : Serge Dos Santos + Lori Bridal)

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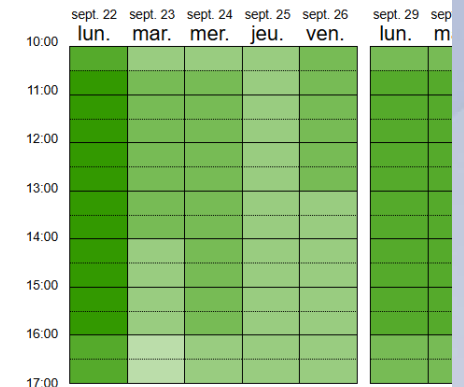
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Ivan Suarez
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Serge DOS SANTOS

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Lori Bridal



1. Lundi 22 septembre 2025, 10h-17h, Institut FEMTO CNRS, Besançon, France.
2. Responsable : Ausrine Bartasyte
3. Thèmes proposés pour la communication : WIE and Students
4. Lien à envoyer en e-notice

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Any Other Business

1. Feedback from IEEE UFFC Administrative Committee Meeting Monday, 12 May 2025 (Lori)
2. Communication of UFFC France Chapter to IEEE UFFC AdCom, April 2025 (Serge)

IEEE UFFC Administrative Committee Meeting

Date: Monday, 12 May 2025

Location: Queretaro, Mexico

Time: 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM Central Mexico Time

Attendees: Ahmad Safari, Alfred Yu, Andrew Bell, Andrew C Markel, Andrew Feeney, Andreja Erbes, Archita Hati, Astri Bjørnetun Haugen, Barbara Malic, Brooke Richtik, Chris De Korte, Christine Demore, Dai Lopez, Dan Stevens, Debismitta Dutta, Debra Coler, Dragan Damjanovic, Ekkehard Peik, Filip Boder, Hana Ursic, Hana Uršič, Helen Mulvana, Holly Lay, Jan Brown, Jian-Yu Lu, Jiangyu Li, Jon Ihlefeld, José Mauricio López Romero, Koen Van Dogen, Lin Yi, Liz Donley, Lori Bridal, Madeleine Hertel, Mark Schafer, Michelle Dolgos, Nasim Basij, Omer Oralkan, Rodolphe Boudot, Siddhartha Ghosh, Sohee Barnett, Steve Freear, Tali Ilovitsh, Thomas Buttiens, Yook-Kong Yong

Admin: Colleen Brick, Conference Catalysts

France Section Chapter, UFFC20 (CH08924)

« IEEE UFFC France Chapter Finally Founded »

Chapter summary for upcoming UFFC AdCOM

Serge Dos Santos, UFFC France Section Chapter Chair

Bertrand Vilquin and Ivan Suarez, Members of the UFFC France Section Chapter Board

April, 24th 2025

De: Lin Yi <lin.yi.dr@ieee.org> À: Lin Yi <lin.yi.dr@ieee.org> Envoyé: Sun, 13 Apr 2025 06:09:01 +0200 (CEST) Objet: UFFC AdCOM chapter Report - due 4/26

Dear Chapter leaders, We are about one month towards the UFFC AdCOM. Please would you send me 1-2 pages summary/report of your chapter operation starting from the last report (~ August/Sept 2024). I would appreciate a few bullet points with event photos. I appreciate it if you send to me two weeks from now, i.e. 4/26. Thank you very much.

Lin Yi, Ph.D., UFFC Chapters Chair Group Supervisor NASA-JPL/Caltech

Merci de votre participation

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Annexes

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French UFFC Chapter Cocktail : Taipei, IUS

Thanks to the kind patronage of Vernon, French participants at the Joint Symposium of IEEE UFFC in Taipei will be invited to a cocktail on Wednesday at 18 h

Registration is free but registration with vtools will be required (maximum number of registrations ~40 due to room size).

The purpose of the event is to introduce the chapter fully to the French UFFC community, to provide privileged time for networking and just to have a nice time together.

Chairs : Lori and Omar



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Review of task setting : Young Professionnals

1. Young Professionnals

Chair : Serge (SYP Grenoble 2024)



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1. Next IEEE R8 SYP Meeting : TBD

Fundings

- ▶ <https://ieee-uffc.org/post/news/call-special-program-funding-applications-uffc-global-outreach-symposiums>

Any Other Business (AOB)

1. Communication at IEEE IUS
2. Communication at IEEE UFFC Newsletter
3. Communication RS



<https://ieee-uffc.org/post/news/ieee-uffc-france-chapter-finally-founded>

https://www.linkedin.com/posts/serge-dos-santos-ph-d-2465b214-kick-off-meeting-uffc-france-chapter-activity-7181306118290198529-ixxC?utm_source=share&utm_medium=member_desktop

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IEEE Chapter

The 5 main points – Requirements and minimum service

► 1. Minimum Active Requirements

- The chapter must hold **at least two technical events** per year and **report these activities** to remain active.
- The chapter should serve its local members by providing relevant activities and resources.
- The chapter reports to and can draw resources from the respective IEEE Technical Activities (TA) Society and the **IEEE Member and Geographic Activities (MGA)** it belongs to. This includes funding, speakers, and new activity proposals.

► 2. Chapter Chair Responsibilities

- Ensure the **chapter is active** and provides services to its members.
- Organize at least two technical events per year.
- Work on the sustainability of the chapter by **training future leadership**.

► 3. Leadership Committee: have an ExCom

- A leadership committee of 3-5 people is recommended for better sustainability, broader reach, more ideas, and task distribution.
- This ensures the chapter can run bigger and better events.