

IEEE Meeting Minutes

Committee / Group: Life Members Affinity Group – Connecticut (LMAG-CT)

Meeting Type: Luncheon Meeting

Date: 27 February 2026

Time: 12:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Venue: Casa Mia at the Hawthorne

1. Call to Order

The LMAG-CT Luncheon Meeting was called to order at **12:00 PM**.

2. Attendance

Below people attended the Luncheon.

Hemchandra Shertukde

George Arnold

Marshall Greenspan

Paul Chuhnov

Rich Forselius

Lauren Gaunt

Jeffrey Katz

Maurice Klee

Tony O'Brien

Krishnarao Pattipati

Philip Rubin

Amitkumar Tunara

3. Round of Introductions

A round of introductions was conducted to allow attendees to become acquainted and to share their professional backgrounds and interests.

4. Declaration of LMAG-CT Secretary

It was formally announced that **Amit Tunara** will serve as the **Secretary of LMAG-CT**.

5. LMAG-CT Website Overview

An overview of the LMAG-CT website was presented. Discussion focused on methods to keep the website active and current, including:

- Regular content updates
 - Posting of upcoming events
 - Increased member engagement
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6. Use of IEEE VTools

Members discussed leveraging IEEE VTools to:

- Distribute e-Notices
 - Publish event updates
 - Improve communication with LMAG-CT members
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7. SAP University Alliances

Amit Tunara shared an update on one of SAP America's initiatives, **SAP University Alliances**. This program enables academia to prepare students for the Intelligent Enterprise and the experience economy, engage with SAP events, build industry partnerships, and equip graduates for the SAP ecosystem. Amit shared this idea with team members associated with Universities/Schools to leverage it for students.

8. IEEE CT effort to get Gerber Scientific recognized as an IEEE Milestone

Jeffrey Katz delivered a demonstration on the IEEE CT efforts to get Gerber Scientific recognized as an IEEE Milestone, outlining its objectives, historical significance, and

nomination process. Announcement made for Events at Yale School of Engineering and Applied Sciences that may be of interest to LMAG-CT.

9. IEEE AgeTech Initiative Presentation

George Arnold gave a presentation on the IEEE AgeTech Initiative, highlighting its mission and role in advancing technology solutions for aging populations.

10. Presentation on AI Diagnostics on Human Heart

A technical presentation was delivered on **AI-infused failure diagnostics of the human heart**, focusing on the application of artificial intelligence for enhanced cardiac diagnostics and early fault detection.

11. Discussion on AI Diagnostics in Power

A discussion was held on the **detection of minor discharge using acoustic devices**, including their potential applications and benefits.

12. Future Meetings

It was agreed that similar LMAG-CT luncheon meetings will be held **twice per year**. The **next luncheon meeting** is planned for the **August timeframe**.

13. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at **2:00 PM**.

Minutes Prepared By:

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