

IEEE Malaysia Section Newsletter IEEE Sarawak Subsection

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IEEE Alternative Lighting Project (ALP)



The IEEE Sarawak Subsection and IEEE Swinburne Sarawak Student Branch had co-organized a two-days study trip to few remote villages in Bau and Sematan on May 2019. The objective of this visit is to find suitable locations for the implementation of the second phase of the Alternative Lighting Project, which was implemented last year at Kampung Pulau Salak. The team was lead by Dr. Then Yi Lung

Sponsorship & Awards



The Sarawak Energy Berhad (SEB) had donated a sum amount of RM50,000 for the second time to IEEE Sarawak Subsection as a Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) partner in April 2019 to support the community and school programs in Sarawak. The first donation was made last year for similar purpose. This year, the amount of donation will be utilized to run humanitarian technology projects as well as for educational activities.

Seminar



On 29th May, the IEEE Sarawak Subsection had invited Prof. Dr. Amir Azam Khan from University Malaysia Sarawak (UNIMAS) to conduct a seminar on “Critical issues related to integrity of High Voltage Overhead Electrical Conductors for long distance Power Transmission” at Swinburne Sarawak Campus.

On top of that, the IEEE Sarawak Subsection and IEEE Swinburne Sarawak Student Branch was announce as the winner of R10 Educational Activities Challenge 2019 which organized by IEEE Region 10 Educational Activities Committee (EAC). The team lead by Dr. Jacey Lynn Minoi titled “Computational Thinking through Game Co-Creation Approach” won the university category while the student branch won the Pre-University Category. The student branch submitted a proposal with an educational program titled “STEM Outreach Robotics Challenge for Secondary Schools” and the committee is now working on the preparation for this program will be held on the 12 and 13 August 2019.

2nd International Conference on Computer and Drone Applications (IConDA 2019)



University Teknologi Mara (UiTM) Sarawak will be organizing the 2nd International Conference on Computer and Drone Applications (IConDA) on 19 – 21 December 2019 at Kota Samarahan, Sarawak with the theme, “Technological Convergence for Digital Economy Advancement”.

For more info, please visit the [conference website](#)