

10th Annual General Meeting of the IEEE Sarawak Subsection

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The IEEE Sarawak Subsection successfully held its 10th Annual General Meeting (AGM) earlier this year at Swinburne University of Technology Sarawak Campus, Kuching. The meeting commenced with a welcome address by the outgoing Subsection Chair, Dr Hudyjaya, followed by the confirmation of the 9th AGM minutes. Reports on the Subsection's 2024 activities and financial standing were presented to attending members. A key highlight of the meeting was the dissolution of the 2023–2024 Executive Committee and the election of a new leadership team for the 2025–2026 term. The IEEE Sarawak Subsection is pleased to announce that Dr. Mark Tee has been elected as the new Chair of the Sarawak Subsection. The IEEE Sarawak Subsection extends its gratitude to the outgoing committee members for their dedicated service and looks forward to continued growth and collaboration under the new leadership.

10th AGM IEEE Sarawak Subsection

Date:
8th January 2025

Time:
06:30 PM – 08:00 PM

Location:
Room B311, Swinburne University of Technology, Sarawak Campus, Kuching
(Also available via Google Meet)



Position	Name
Chair	Mark Tee Kit Tsun
Vice-Chair	Lee Beng Yong
Honorary Secretary	Lau Bee Theng
Honorary Treasurer	Tay Fei Siang
Membership Development	Jacey-Lynn Minoi
Professional Activities	Almon Chai Wei-Yen
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IEEE-SSSB S.P.A.R.Ks Hands-On Workshop Series

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The IEEE Swinburne Sarawak Student Branch (IEEE-SSSB) launched its S.P.A.R.Ks initiative—Special Projects for Applied Research and Kickstarters—with a two-part workshop series aimed at helping students turn ideas into impactful projects and potential start-ups. The first workshop, held on 11th April 2025, introduced participants to applied research fundamentals and guided them through early-stage idea development, including identifying real-world problems and building practical frameworks. The second session featured Mr. Chris Edward, CEO/CTO of Cloud Design Studio, who shared practical tools and strategies for managing innovation-driven projects, offering a live demonstration of his productivity toolset. The initiative reflects IEEE-SSSB's commitment to empowering students through innovation, hands-on learning and entrepreneurial thinking within a supportive community.

S.P.A.R.Ks Workshop: Special Projects for Applied Research and Kickstarters

Date:
11th April 2025

Time:
02:00 PM – 3:30 PM

Location:
**IoT Lab, Swinburne University
of Technology,
Sarawak Campus, Kuching**



Chair of IEEE Sarawak Subsection, Dr Mark Tee, presents a token of appreciation to invited speaker Chris Edward ((left), CEO/CTO of Cloud Design Studio Sdn. Bhd. (LLC)

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IEEE-SSSB and FECS Research Connect Session

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The Swinburne Sarawak Faculty of Engineering, Computing and Science (FECS), in collaboration with the IEEE Swinburne Sarawak Student Branch (IEEE-SSSB), hosted the FECS Research Connect featuring Dr. Yoshiki Fukada, a Doctor of Engineering and Project Manager at Toyota's Frontier Research Centre in Japan. In his talk titled "Producing Happiness for All: Experiences in Toyota," Dr. Fukada explored how Toyota merges advanced technology with human-centric design to enhance quality of life, sharing real-world case studies such as hospital delivery robots and construction process replication to improve safety and productivity. The event attracted a full audience of students, staff and IEEE members, and concluded with a lively Q&A session where participants engaged with Dr. Fukada on interdisciplinary research, the future of automotive technology and career pathways in innovation. The session highlighted the value of connecting academic inquiry with industry practice and global insights.

FECS Research Connect:
"Producing Happiness
for All: Experiences in
Toyota"

Date:
7th May 2025

Time:
02:00 PM – 3:30 PM

Location:
Room B004, Swinburne
University of Technology,
Sarawak Campus, Kuching



Dr. Yoshiki Fukada (third left) with participants of the FECS Research Connect session.

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