**IEEE India Council-**

IEEE India Council is the umbrella organization which coordinates IEEE activities in India. Its primary aim is to assist and coordinate the activities of local "Sections", in order to benefit mutually, and avoid duplication of effort and resources. IEEE India Council was established on 20th May 1976 and is one of the five councils in the Asia Pacific Region (Region 10 of IEEE).

**Mission Statement-**

IEEE's core purpose is to foster technological innovation and excellence for the benefit of humanity.

**Sections-**

An "IEEE Section" is an IEEE entity which caters to the needs of a specified geographical area. At present, there are 10 IEEE Sections in India (listed alphabetically):

1. Bangalore Section
2. Bombay Section
3. Calcutta Section
4. Delhi Section
5. Gujarat Section
6. Hyderabad Section
7. Kerala Section
8. Kharagpur Section
9. Madras Section
10. Uttar Pradesh Section

**Student Branches-**

An "IEEE Student Branch" is an IEEE entity which helps students in a specific educational institution. Presently there are 327student branches located in all major Universities and Engineering Colleges all over India. Each Student Branch is attached to the nearest IEEE Section.

**Chapters-**

An "IEEE Chapter" groups IEEE members who share a common interest in a specific domain. Usually Chapters are attached to the nearest IEEE Section. Some Chapters have decided to be directly attached to the India Council. The following Eight Chapters are attached to the IEEE India Council:

1. NPS 05/IE 13: Joint IEEE Chapter of Nuclear & Plasma Sciences Society and Industrial Electronics Society
2. AES 01/COM 19/LE 036: Joint IEEE Chapter of Aerospace & Electronic Systems Society, Communications Society and Lasers & Electro- optics Society
3. ED 15/MIT 17: Joint IEEE Chapter of Electronic Devices Society and Microwave Theory & Techniques Society
4. CPMT 21: IEEE Component, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology Society
5. EM 14/IA 34: Joint IEEE Chapter of Engineering Management Society and Industry Applications Society
6. Co 16: IEEE Computer Society
7. PE 31: IEEE Power Engineering Society
8. E 25: Education Society Chapter

**Awards-**

IEEE India Council has constituted Awards to recognize the individual or collective efforts of the membership in promoting the interests of IEEE as reflected in the operation of India Council and its entities.

**2015 India Council Student Branch Award:**

**Congratulations!!**

**1st Prize: Sri Sivasubramaniya Nadar College Of Engineering – Madras Section**  
**2nd Prize: G H Raisoni College of Engineering – Bombay Section**  
**3rd Prize: MES College Of Engineering – Kerala Section**

Summary:  
Congratulation to the 11 student branches who have made the prequalifying round for the IC Award of Outstanding Branch 2015. Nominations were taken from these student branches and three winners were announced (list above).

*Team: Dr. Suryanarayana Doolla, Vice Chair Awards (IEEE India Council). Jury: Mr. Anthony Lobo, Dr. Rajesh Ingle, Dr. Suresh C Pal.*

List of colleges qualified for the 2015 award based on their performance in reporting and membership:

2015 Finalists for IEEE IC Outstanding Student Branch Award

| **Code** | **Institute** |
| --- | --- |
| STB20461 | Indian Institute of Technolgy-Kharagpur |
| STB28391 | Tkm College of Engineering |
| STB31251 | MES College of Engineering |
| STB34411 | University Visvesvaraya College Of Engineering |
| STB60541 | Datta Megha College of Engineering |
| STB60551 | Sri Sivasubramaniya Nadar College of Engineering |
| STB61321 | Nirma Inst Of Technolgy |
| STB62361 | G H Raisoni College of Engineering |
| STB64831 | Rajagiri School of Engineering & Tech |
| STB64851 | Vidyalankar Inst Of Technology |
| STB98631 | Natl Inst of Technology-Karnataka |