

Chairman's Message

by David Richmond

My term as Section Chair is ending soon and the gavel will be passed into the capable hands of Fred Jones. It seems just yesterday that I took the Chair from Bob Struthers. Thanks to Bob, and all his hard work, my transition was smooth. I hope I can provide the same for Fred. I'd like to thank all of the IEEE leaders for helping me move the Section forward. Local IEEE has had a very busy 1996, with the PES summer meeting and the Sections Congress '96 and planning for the Region 5 meeting to be held in Denver in the spring of '97. If you attended a Section or Chapter meeting, technical conference, tutorial, or just read the RockIEEE Overlook, you have benefited from the efforts of these officers who volunteered their time to the Denver

Section. The Denver Section leadership is working hard to see that the Section grows and improves in the ways that best addresses the needs of the membership. You can help by volunteering your ideas and/or your services so that the Denver Section can better serve all of its members.

The local Chapters have been busy arranging meetings for interested members. Membership is still our major concern. IEEE needs to be of value to warrant our money and time. You should now have your membership renewal for 1997. I sincerely hope you renew. The information in your renewal packet provides valuable reasons to maintain your membership. We are always looking at ways to reduce administrative costs and increase services to the

membership. Please renew or join and get involved.

Thank you again to all those who helped make 1996 a productive year for the Denver Section and my best wishes to the new officers for 1997.

Please plan to attend the joint Section and PES/IAS meeting which is advertised inside this Overlook. Election of officers is scheduled for this meeting. The following slate of officers has been proposed for the Denver Section Executive Board.

> Chair-elect Ron DeLyser

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At the time of publication, nominations for the offices of Vice Chair of Student Activities, and Secretary have not been received. Additional nominations for all Executive Board offices will be accepted until one week prior to the election. Please forward nominations to the Nominations Committee in care of Bob Struthers at (303) 843-2235.

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IEEE Denver Section has recently zoomed into cyberspace and connected to the information superhighway with the creation of a web page. Anyone with internet access to the World Wide Web can view the Denver Section homepage at the above URL. Currently the page includes links to IEEE magazines, publications, newsgroups, and conferences. There are links to help those interested in joining IEEE. There is online information about current events and happenings in the Denver Section, including a calendar of events with the Society conferences and meetings listed. One can also leisurely scroll down current and past RockIEEE Overlook issues. For those interested in the latest happenings at the seven student or school branches, there is a link to their homepages. For those thinking about switching jobs, or needing to find one, there are links to job listings and help guides. There is much more than can be listed, so please take the time to check out the homepage and send your comments to the webmaster whose email is hotlinked at the bottom of the page.

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Upcoming PES Events

December 12, 1996: Field Trip - Public Service Co. Lookout Mtn.

January 16, 1997: (Joint Sections Meeting) Bob Beale - "Professional Development"

February 20, 1997: Field Trip - Trigen Cogeneration Facility

March 20, 1997: "Overvoltage Protection"

April 17, 1997: Seminar - "Industrial Grounding"

May 15, 1997: Tony Jefferson - "Adaptive Var Compensation"

September 18, 1997: Jim Gorman - "Design E Motors"

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Nov 21

Joint Meeting with PES/IAS Chapter



JOINT MEETING

All Society Chapters Invited

Event:

Spouse/Companion's Night

(An excellent evening to invite someone

special.)

Where:

Ramada Mile High at 1975 Bryant

(Just NE of Mile High Stadium)

Time:

6:00 - 6:45pm

Social Time

6:45 - 8:30pm

Dinner, Election of Officers

and Meeting

Reservations: Call Barbara Linton at The Peterson Company - 303-388-6322 NLT November 18th

Election of Officers:

Denver Section

Joint PES/IAS Chapter

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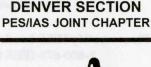
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Speaker:

Dr. Howard Bruner, Professor Emeritus, Colorado State University

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