IEEE Sweden Section Introduction 2021
Prof. Andrei Gurtov, Chairman
Sweden Section

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1884
AIEE
American Institute of Electrical Engineers
Thomas Edison, Alexander Graham Bell, and other notables founded the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

1912
IRE
Institute of Radio Engineers
Pioneers of wireless technologies and electronics founded the Institute of Radio Engineers.

1963
IEEE
Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers
AIEE and IRE merged to become the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, or IEEE.

1965

IEEE Sweden Section
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Facts

- Approximately 2000 members as on date
  - Hence a large Section
- Has hosted several congresses, conferences and pan-Nordic events
- Usually known for benchmarking the quality of events
- Several awards in the recent years
- Representatives from Sweden in key IEEE global committees
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Major board activities

▸ Support chapters, affinity groups and student branches with resources to execute to the best of their capabilities
▸ Coordinate chapter activities to bring in better collaboration
▸ Maintain accounting, including budget process, report to Skatteverket and IEEE headquarters, reimbursing members
▸ Membership drives such as senior membership drive, twice a year
▸ Publish and circulate newsletters
▸ Be the voice of IEEE members in Sweden
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