# IEEE Life Members Reception Welcome Guests

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IEEE Life
Members
Committee
responsible
to:

#### IEEE

for supporting the interests of existing & future life members

**IEEE Foundation**for management of *IEEE Life Members Fund* 



### **IEEE Life Members Fund (LMF)**

- Established by AIEE in 1944 as "The Members-for-Life Fund"
- One of the donor designated funds administered by the IEEE Foundation
- Depends upon donations from IEEE members and friends
- Supports ongoing programs and awards grants to projects



### **Using the LMF the LMC Supports:**

Activities of interest to life members, engineering students and potential engineers that:

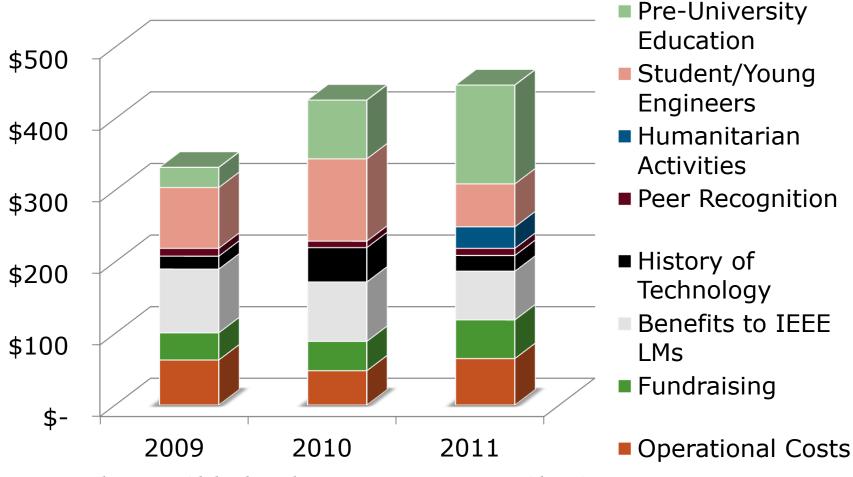
Reflect the breadth and range of the engineering field

Make a significant, positive, global impact on the profession

Improve the awareness of engineering



#### LMC Support in thousands



Made possible by the generous contributions of IEEE members and friends to the LMF



## About the Supported Activities Ongoing Programs & Grants



## **Ongoing Programs**

## IEEE Life Member Graduate Study Fellowship in Electrical Engineering

Awarded to a graduate student in the area of electrical engineering

### IEEE Life Members' Fellowship in Electrical History

Supports one year of graduate work or post-doctoral research in the history of electrical science and technology





## **Ongoing Programs**

## IEEE James H. Mulligan, Jr. Education Medal

Presented annually for a career of outstanding contributions to education in the fields of interest of IEEE



Raj Mittra, 2011 Mulligan Medal recipient

## Washington Internship for Students of Engineering (WISE)

Enables an outstanding engineering student to learn about the public policy process



#### **Grants - Goal**

Provide seed money to
IEEE units and
other charitable organizations
for innovative projects in
electrotechnology and related fields
that will make a lasting impression
on communities worldwide



#### **Grants - Areas of Interest**

#### **Education**

 Expand and enhance engineering, science and technology education opportunities for teenagers through mid-career professionals

## History of Technology

 Increase awareness of the impact and influence of early technology on the present and future

## Applying Technology for Humanitarian Causes

 Implement or disseminate replicable, sustainable, technology-based solutions for humanitarian causes in underserved areas



### **Grants - Important Considerations**

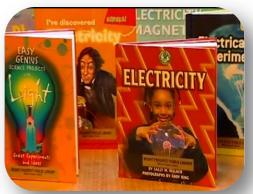
- Innovative
- Well-defined need
- Impactful
- Measurable outcomes
- Outside of normal operations of applicant
- Related to IEEE fields of interest





## **LMF Education Grants Science Kits for Public Libraries**





Enabled the IEEE Chicago Section to help 26 libraries in rural and urban areas across nine states in IEEE Region 4 to

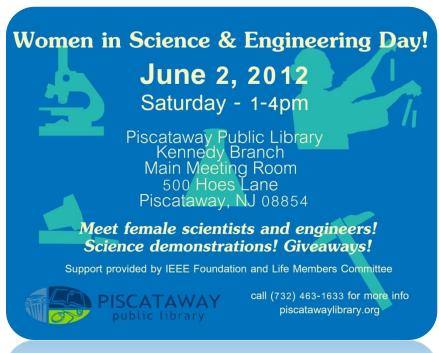
encourage the curiosity of children by making science kits available

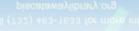




## LMF Education Grants Women in Science & Engineering Day

Promoting women in science and engineering through an open house and exhibit at the Piscataway Public Library on Saturday, 2 June 2012







## LMF History Grants Celebration of the Invention of PKS Cryptography





Commemorated the discovery of Public Key Cryptography at the United Kingdom Government Communications Headquarters (GCHQ) in 1960-75 with the 100th IEEE Milestone



## LMF History Grants Admiral Hooper Recordings Transcription Project

Creating a searchable transcription of Rear Admiral Stanford Hooper's recorded memoirs regarding the development of radar & radio prior to 1945. Making the transcript broadly available in electronic and hard copy



## LMF Humanitarian Grants Establish a Low Vision Center

Helped to establish a low vision center serving visually impaired adult residents of Southern Fairfield County, CT







## LMF Humanitarian Grants Bringing Light to "Le Refuge" Health Centre



Build a 2 kw peak photovoltaic based micro AC network for a non-profit Health Center. It serves children and their mothers in an isolated location of the Burkina Faso bush.



## Ways to Support the IEEE Life Members Fund

John Meredith Director, IEEE Foundation



Advancing Technology for Humanity

## About the IEEE Foundation

- Established by IEEE in 1973 as a US public charity
- Board of 12 Transnational Directors

Furthers the **Scientific** & **Educational** Purposes of IEEE





Award grants to innovative projects

Support IEEE programs with donor dollars

Raise and manage money

Provides philanthropic services in support of IEEE

Encourage spirit of charitable giving



## **Ways to Give - Today**

- IEEE Life Member Profile
- IEEE Life Members newsletter
- Online giving ieee.org/donate
- Corporate Matching Gifts
- Tribute Giving (in honor/memory)
- Donor Advised Funds
- Appreciated Securities
- Cash prize/honorarium





## **Incentives for Giving to LMF**

Life members who donate US\$50+ to LMF receive a LM pin in accordance with their grade Limit 1 pin per member





Donors who give
US\$100+ receive a
limited edition coaster
depicting an historic
IEEE Engineering
Milestone

### **Ways to Give - Tomorrow**



Leave a Bequest in Will or Trust

"IEEE Life Members Fund of the IEEE Foundation"

Name IEEE Life
Members Fund as
beneficiary of
retirement plan
or life insurance





## **Ways Donors are Recognized**

Annual Giving

- Advocates Association (US\$100 to \$999)
- Leadership Association (US\$1,000 or more)

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Cumulative Giving

• IEEE Heritage Circle

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## Contact the IEEE Foundation or the Life Members Committee

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For information about donating to the Life Members Fund - <a href="mailto:donate@ieee.org">donate@ieee.org</a>
Make an online gift to the Life Members Fund at www.ieee.org/donate

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