ARTICLE IX - PUBLICATIONS

Section 1: Publications Board

The Publications Board shall formulate the policies for IEEE Computer Society publications and shall advise and monitor its operations committees which are charged with the execution of these policies. The Publications Board has the responsibility for recommending new periodicals publications, monitoring the quality of present publications, altering the scope and direction of present publications, recommending termination of publications and making budgetary recommendations to the Finance Committee and Board of Governors. The Publications Board shall be chaired by the vice president for publications.

Section 2: Membership


Section 3: Operations Committees

The Publications Board shall have operations and ad hoc committees as defined in the IEEE Computer Society Policies & Procedures Manual.

Section 4: Appointments

Except as otherwise provided in the IEEE Computer Society Policies & Procedures Manual, the vice president for publications shall appoint the chairs of its operating and ad hoc committees, and liaisons to other IEEE Computer Society program boards and committees.

Section 5: Editor-in-Chief Appointments and Terms

1. There shall be an editor in chief appointed for each periodical publication.

2. The Publications Board shall recommend to the president candidates for each editor in chief position, as specified in the IEEE Computer Society Policies & Procedures Manual, at various times as required.

3. The president, with the advice and consent of the Board of Governors, shall appoint each editor in chief for a term not to exceed two years. In the case of a new periodical, the initial appointment may be for a maximum of three years.

4. Editors in chief may serve a maximum of two consecutive terms in a given position.

3. The president, with the advice and consent of the Board of Governors, shall appoint each editor in chief, EICs may be appointed for a maximum of two consecutive terms for a given position. A first term is three years and a reappointment is for a two-year term. For a new publication, the first three-year term of office of the EIC shall begin on 1 January of the first year of publication.