SEEKING EDITOR IN CHIEF

*IEEE Annals of the History of Computing*

The IEEE Computer Society seeks applicants for the position of editor in chief, serving a two-year term starting 1 January 2015. Prospective candidates are asked to provide (as PDF files), by 31 August 2014, a complete curriculum vitae, a brief plan for the publication’s future, and a letter of support from their institution or employer. Applicants will be notified of the search results shortly after the November 2014 CS Board of Governors meeting.

**Qualifications and Requirements**

Candidates for any IEEE Computer Society editor in chief position should possess a good understanding of industry, academic, and government aspects of the specific publication’s field. In addition, candidates must demonstrate the managerial skills necessary to process manuscripts through the editorial cycle in a timely fashion. An editor in chief must be able to attract respected experts to his or her editorial board.

**Major responsibilities include**

- actively soliciting high-quality manuscripts from potential authors and, with support from publication staff, helping these authors publish their manuscripts;
- identifying and appointing editorial board members, with the concurrence of the Publications Board;
- selecting competent manuscript reviewers, with the help of editorial board members, and managing timely reviews of manuscripts;
- directing editorial board members to seek special-issue proposals and manuscripts in specific areas;
- providing a clear, broad focus through promotion of personal vision and guidance where appropriate; and
- resolving conflicts or problems as necessary.

Applicants should be able to show involvement in the computer history community, and must have clear employer support.

**Contact Information**

For more information about the position or the search process or to submit application materials, please contact:

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