**Pulp, Paper, and Forest Industries Technical Committee**

**Young Engineering Professionals Program**

February 27, 2018

One of the challenges the Pulp, Paper, and Forest Industry faces going forward is attracting and retaining new, young electrical engineering professionals to the industry. Recognizing this need, the IEEE Pulp, Paper, and Forest Industry Committee (PPFIC) has arranged with the IEEE Industrial Applications Society (IAS) to provide a limited number of partial financial sponsorships for young engineers to attend their upcoming 64th Annual Conference in Appleton, Wisconsin. This provides a low cost way for young engineering professionals to experience this forum for the exchange of electrical applications technology relating to forest products based industries. This is a great way to meet other industry engineers, learn solutions to real mill needs, and network with senior professionals from the industry.

**What is included?**

* 50% off Conference Registration
* One Tutorial
* Conference Reception
* Vendor Exhibition
* Meals at the Conference
* Free First year of IEEE and IAS Membership

**What are the requirements?**

* Full time employee of a Forest Products Industry end-user (Pulp, Paper, Board, Tissue, Lumber, etc.) or consulting engineer working in support of clients in the Forest Products Industry
* Less than 5 years of experience in the Industry.
* Never have attended a IEEE PPFIC Conference previously
* 30 years of age or younger
* The young engineer must attend one PPFIC sub-committee meeting and the general committee meeting on Tuesday
* You are only responsible for your travel and hotel costs
* Conference Registration and IEEE Membership will be refunded after you attend the 2018 IEEE PPFIC Conference in Appleton. If you are unable to attend after registering, normal cancellation policy will be in effect.

**A few highlights from the Conference:**

The Conference begins with the Welcome Reception on Sunday Night, June 17, 2018.
A selection of great papers and some very interesting tutorials to be presented during the Conference.

The PPFIC Subcommittee meetings are on Tuesday, June 19th from 12:00pm until 5pm. The subcommittees are where the papers, tutorials, and other topics are generated for upcoming conferences.

We have four subcommittees consisting of:

 DCS – Drives and Control Systems

 PCEMC – Process Control, Engineering, Maintenance and Construction

 PDS – Power Distribution Systems

 TSSC – Training, Safety, Standards and Codes

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Name Click or tap here to enter text.

Title (Electrical Engineer, Reliability Engineer, etc.) Click or tap here to enter text.

IEEE Member # Click or tap here to enter text.

E-mail Address Click or tap here to enter text.

Subcommittee You Would Like to Attend Click or tap here to enter text.

Tutorial You Would Like to Attend Click or tap here to enter text.

Company and Location Click or tap here to enter text.

Address Click or tap here to enter text.

Phone Number Click or tap here to enter text.

College Click or tap here to enter text.

Degree and Graduation Date Click or tap here to enter text.

Return information by **MAY 11, 2018** via e-mail to:

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The final selection of the successful applicants will be based on the qualifications listed above, the order that the applications were received, and how many applicants there are from different companies (we’d like to spread the opportunity around as much as possible). Successful applicants will be notified as quickly as possible so they can register and get airline tickets locked in at the best possible rate.

We are looking for feedback as well – If you have questions, comments, or suggestions to make this work better in the future, please send them to Emily Held at the e-mail address listed above.