



IEEE Tokyo Section Life Members Affinity Group

On March 11 we held our “IEEE Tokyo Section Life Members Affinity Group (LMAG-Tokyo)” 2011 General Assembly, which will be reported below. Immediately after this event, the “Great East Japan Earthquake” shook the “U-port Building”, where we had our meeting. We could finish our assembly without any incident, however we learned later about this huge disaster. Now we want to offer our deepest sympathy for our members and friends affected by this disaster and wish them early recovery.

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Chair Greeting



It has already passed half a year since our Inauguration General Assembly was held on October 8, 2010 supported by many IEEE colleagues. We have been trying to do all we could for the spirit of our LMAG: to enrich each member’s life through wide-ranged collaboration, stemming from their invaluable long-ranged experiences and deep knowledge, resulting in contribution to IEEE activities or more widely human welfare.

As Chair of this group, I hope LMAG-Tokyo’s activity will contribute to future science and technology development worldwide through collaboration not only among LMAG members but also young scientists and engineers.

In this General Assembly we review our progress, and discuss together about the coming year’s plans. Progress report for 2010 will be covered by Dr. Mochida, Secretary, and the planning for 2011 will be proposed by Dr. Usui, Vice Chair. I hope these objectives will be achieved through your active contributions and supports.

IEEE Tokyo Section Life Members Affinity Group
Chair Kohei HABARA

2011 General Assembly Report



(From left) LMAG Vice Chair Usui Ph.D.,
Chair Dr. Habara, Secretary Mochida Ph.D.

The IEEE Tokyo Section Life Members Affinity Group 2011 General Assembly was held on Friday, March 11, from 2:00 pm at U-Port Building, Tokyo. After the greeting by Dr. Habara, Chair, the progress report about the 2010 activities by Dr. Mochida,

Secretary, and planning about 2011 activities by Dr. Usui were presented and approved.

It was mentioned that the number of Life Members in Tokyo Section reached 414 in January by adding 49 on the number of December 31, while the total number of Life Members in Japan reached 542. It was also introduced that LMAG will organize lectures in 2011 together with Tokyo Section Technical Program Committee. Also LMAG will cooperate with Japan Council History Committee for inviting "IEEE Milestone Technical Tour Program" to Japan sponsored by IEEE Life Members Committee.

Further expectations to LMAG such as its members' lectures for young or student members were expressed by the audience in the floor.

In details, please read [the General Assembly report](#) in the LMAG-Tokyo site (Japanese only).



Attendees on the General Assembly: 17 persons

Reminder of membership renewal

In order to ensure the continuation of all your member services and publications for 2011, it is necessary that you verify your membership information and confirm those IEEE publications you wish to continue to receive. You can do this online at www.ieee.org/renew, or by returning the enclosed paperwork sent from IEEE Head Quarter.

If you haven't already done so, please consider making a donation to the IEEE Life Members Fund and help sustain meaningful and deserving programs that you care most about. Over US\$300,000 in annual philanthropic support is distributed from the Life

Members Fund to: encourage and enhance interest in engineering, science and math at all educational levels; promulgate the history of electrical and information technologies; and utilize the vast experience of IEEE Life Members.

For more information, e-mail supportieee@ieee.org.

Event information

First LMAG-Tokyo Lecture in 2011

You are invited to "Lecture and mini-panel" event, which will be held on May 31 (Tuesday) at 2:30 in IVY Hall of Aogaku-kaikan, Tokyo, under the title of "Update of Global Managed Data Network Service — Referring to Japanese and European Service Providers, NTT Communications and Orange Business Services —" by Dr. Shuji TOMITA, Chairman of itSMF Japan (and also member of LMAG), co-sponsored by Technical Program Committee of IEEE Tokyo Section. For more details, please go to the announcement on [LMAG-Tokyo site](#).

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