



## IEEE Tokyo Section Life Members Affinity Group

This issue follows the election result of the new LMAG-Tokyo officers, the handing-over meeting from resigning officers to new officers, and greetings from both the resigning and the new officers. The latest LMAG-Tokyo statistics are also reported.

### 1. Election of New Officers

The LMAG-Tokyo board meeting selected the new officers for 2013 term conforming to the Tokyo Section Bylaws.

- 2012 1<sup>st</sup> meeting: Listing up the candidates (2012.06.29)
- Announcement to members and asking for additional candidates
- As no additional candidate was proposed, LMAG board finally selected the next officers in its 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting (2012.10.03) as follows:
  - Chair : Kunio TADA (Professor Emeritus, the University of Tokyo)
  - Vice Chair: Yukou MOCHIDA (France Telecom Japan)
  - Secretary : Tetsuya MIKI (The University of Electro-Communications)
- Announcement to the members on the process and the result (2012.11.30)

### 2. Resigning and New Officers Meeting

The handing-over meeting between resigning and new officers was held on 27<sup>th</sup> Dec. 2012 at the IEEE Japan Office (19F, Shin-Aoyama Bldg., 1-1-1, Minami-Aoyama, Minato-ku, Tokyo) from 16:00 through 17:00.

In the meeting, mainly following items were presented and discussed, aiming at smooth hand-over.

- 1) It is desirable that LMAG acts as freely as possible.
- 2) Regular events and annual schedule.
- 3) "LMAG-Tokyo Management and Procedures" based on "IEEE Life Members Affinity Group Management and Procedures" but modified by reflecting two-year operation experiences
- 4) Other suggestions for LMAG operation



Handing-over Meeting

### 3. Greetings from both Officers

#### 3.1 Resigned Officers (2010.10.08 – 2012.12.31)

On 2010.10.08 LMAG-Tokyo was formed, just on the IEEE Day. In these beginning days, the LMAG operation was continuous trial-and-error. However, thanks to many relevant people's warm support, the operation has gradually got under way.

On the belief that one of the most important missions of LMAG should be to transfer valuable knowledge and experiences of aged members to younger generation scientists and engineers, we actively collaborated with GOLD (Graduates Of the Last Decade), WIE (Women In Engineering) of JC (Japan Council) and TPC (Technical Program Committee) of Tokyo Section as well. Thus, lecture meetings and "Collaboration Meeting" with GOLD and WIE were held in a timely manner.

A memorable event was the IEEE Technical Tour of Japan (2012.05.20-28) promoted by JCHC (Japan Council History Committee) for which LMAG fully supported. Another never forgettable event was the general assembly of LMAG-Tokyo held on 2011.03.11, just on the day of the Great Disaster of East-Japan.

On the other hand, here comes good news. On

2012.12.19, LMAG-Kansai was formed. From 2013, Prof. TADA, new LMAG-Tokyo Chair will serve as Regional Life Members Coordinator of Region10.

Finally, we really hope LMAG activity will highly develop not only nation-wide but in Region10 and world-wide.

Chair: Kohei HABARA, Vice Chair: Shiro USUI, Secretary: Yukou MOCHIDA



Resigned Officers (Left to Right):  
MOCHIDA Secretary, HABARA Chair, USUI Vice chair

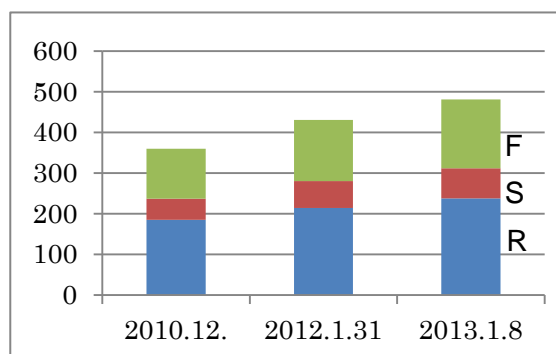


New Officers (Left to Right):  
MIKI Secretary, TADA Chair, MOCHIDA Vice chair

## 4 LMAG-Tokyo Current Statistics

LMAG-Tokyo has welcomed 64 new members on 1st Jan. 2013 which resulted in 481 in total, great increase from the number as of its inauguration: 362. Today, LMAG-Tokyo has about 40% of R-10 Life Members. We sincerely hope active participation of new members in LMAG activities. Statistics is as follows.

	2010.12.	2012.1.31	2013.1.8
Fellow	123	151	169
Senior	52	66	74
Regular	185	214	238
Total	360	431	481



### 3.2 New Officers (2013.01.01 – )

As officers for the new term, we wish all the LMAG-Tokyo members a Happy New Year 2013 and hope that you will continue to enjoy your valuable Life-Membership fully.

Your advantage in addition to the exemption of IEEE membership fee includes participating in LMAG events for exchanging your experiences and opinions with the same and also younger generations. Such activities based on your long-time membership in IEEE will further enlighten us all and surely contribute for the better society.

In these two years, with leadership of Past Chair, Dr. Habara, LMAG-Tokyo established the following two activity areas: One is a series of lecture meetings sometimes in collaboration with other sectors of IEEE Tokyo Section and Japan Council. The other is periodical publishing of this Newsletter. On the basis of this good tradition, our activities in the new term will further include collaboration with the newly formed LMAG-Kansai and hopefully with overseas LMAGs.

Recent good news is that Dr. Habara will receive "Region 10 Outstanding Volunteer Award" in March for his above mentioned contributions.

We look forward to your active participation.

Chair: Kunio TADA, Vice Chair:  
Yukou MOCHIDA , Secretary: Tetsuya MIKI

## Event Information

The general assembly of LMAG-Tokyo will be held on March 14. Details will be announced.

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