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To promote further technical activities development for the benefit of worldwide communities and to facilitate cooperation in the IEEE and with other associations

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Dear Colleague,

continuing the fruitful experience as IEEE Director, I would like to contribute as 2014 IEEE Vice President-Elect (becoming 2015 Vice President for Technical Activities) to the development of the technical activities of the IEEE and to their integration worldwide with local associations and communities for a mutual synergic growth.

Nowadays technology plays a key role in changing the world for the benefit of humanity: IEEE must continue to be the global lead in this scenario. With the extraordinary expertise that our technology-centric communities can offer, together we can face this challenge and enhance our profession. We should:

- ensure flourishing of the current technical fields and activities for high-quality innovative and timely knowledge, as well as develop interdisciplinarity and new technical areas;
- **promote inclusive internationalization and preserve diversity**, encompassing technological expertise, profession, culture, geographic origin, gender, and age diversity;
- empower technology-centric communities worldwide and engage the young generations with a human-centered approach, seeking for more networking opportunities through social networks and new media sources.

I will be glad, honored, and proud to be part of this effort, share my experiences, and catalyze technical activities and collaborations worldwide.

You can find my background, achievements, and position statement at http://vincenzopiuri.org

The elections will be held from August 15 **till October 1, 2013, 17:00 UTC**. Any IEEE member (**Graduate Student or higher grades**) who is member also of at least one Society can vote. You can access the ballot at http://www.ieee.org/about/corporate/election

I am definitely committed to contribute to empower you to develop your technical career and all communities that we serve. Do not miss this opportunity to shape together the future of our IEEE!

I hope that you will support me with your vote and by encouraging colleagues and graduate students to do the same.

If you have any questions or suggestions for IEEE activities, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you in advance!

Best regards

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