



FIGURE 7. From left: the other two winners, Dini Nuzulia Rahmah (first place), Dr. Winston Fang (ISCE 2013 cochair), Mr. Stephen D. Dukes (vice president of conferences, IEEE CE Society), and Dr. Wen-Chung Kao (cochair).

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A Special Event for Young Professionals at the ICCE–Berlin 2013

At the IEEE International Conference on Consumer Electronics–Berlin (ICCE–Berlin), there was a special event for the young professionals and graduate students that attended the conference. The event consisted of two parts: the first part was a talk by IEEE Consumer Electronics (CE) Society President Stefan Mozar (Figure 1), and the second part was a visit to one of the landmarks of Berlin, the TV tower (Figure 2).

The talk by Stefan Mozar was “Being More Effective in Your Personal and Work Life.” It touched a very important point in the lives of young professionals, which is to deal efficiently with one’s time. As we know, there are various demands that affect our daily life, and finding the right balance is not easy. The talk approached this topic step by step: What is productivity? How do I become more productive? What are my goals for the next few years? How do I balance my life? The participants were provided a workbook, which could be taken home to find answers to these questions.

After the talk, the group headed over to the Berlin TV tower, one of the



FIGURE 1. Stefan Mozar, president of the IEEE CE Society, giving a talk to the attendees.



FIGURE 2. Attendees gather on top of the TV tower in Berlin.

most prominent buildings in Berlin. The 368-m tower provides an astonishing view of Berlin and all of its sights. What a great venue to wrap up the first day of ICCE–Berlin!

Beginning this year, the IEEE CE Society will offer its young professionals and students more events like these at its conferences. The talks will cover topics that have a direct impact on the

lives of young professionals and will provide an extra value when visiting one of the upcoming CE Society conferences. So watch out for these special events for young professionals.

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