

IEEE ComSoc Bahrain Chapter (CH08827)
1st ExCom Meeting

Date : Wednesday 18 January 2017

Time : 6 pm- 9 PM

Location: Juffair, Bahrain

Attendance: Chapter Chair: Mohab Mangoud
Chapter Vice-Chair: Wafeeq Ajoor
Chapter Treasurer: Homam Khawajki
Chapter Secretary: Asim Mehmood

Agenda

- 1. Welcome message, Chapter Formation, Officers duties, Chapter Website
- 2. Chapter strategic planning and setting main objectives
- 3. Proposed activities for 2017 (to do list)
- 4. Financial issues and sponsorship

Minutes of the Meeting

- **1. Welcome message , Chapter Formation, Officers duties, Chapter Website**

The chapter was formed on 13 December 2016, Bahrain chapter was added to comsoc : <http://www.comsoc.org/about/chapters/bahrain-chapter>

- Officers positions have been announced to all founders and chapter active members, The ExCom has been formed with the approval and acknowledgement of all members.
- Website has been set up by Dr. Mohab and the new domain was assigned to the chapter
<http://bahrain.chapters.comsoc.org/>

- **2. Chapter strategic planning and setting main objectives**

- Gather professional members in the field (networking) in ICT, wireless com., optical communications areas from academia and industry in Bahrain in order to cooperate and compliment each others for the benefit of Bahrain communications society.
- To enrich telecom society with state of the art of communications. and focus on services and applications that is suitable for Bahrain and GCC
- Increase the number of graduates , mentoring and consulting in the field of communications
- Organizing / participating in telecom job carrier fairs

3. To do list in 2017

- Preparing Chapter Banner and Roll up stand and
- Printing IEEE comsoc membership development material
- Organizing 2nd Wireless communications forum with university of Bahrian
- Organizing tech. seminars series (in collaboration wz: Batelco-VIVA-Zain-Menatelcom)
- Membership development for Bahrain chapter ComSoc
- Building consultancy group/database
- Website development
- Apply for ComsSc awards (at the end of the year)

4. Financial issues and sponsorship

- Launching our sponsorship seeking campaign (packages)
- Submitting the funding requirement support application / questionnaire to IEEE Comsoc.

Sincerely,



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IEEE Bahrain Section Vice-Chair
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