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Position Statement Summary ([full position statement](#))

IEEE has not kept pace with changing profession, it must adjust or gradually diminish in relevance. My three main goals are to

increase relevance to industry, tie better to academia and government, e.g.:

- consulting services to corporate, government for cross-technology evaluation
- practitioner reports, trend papers of timely, practical value, help members recognition
- host modern events and meetups targeted to industry, culminating in Industry Congress

innovate IEEE by introducing offerings, e.g.:

- recruit members from 18M SW developers, talent mgmt., distinguished member grade
- tighten workflow connecting TAB and SA for right-timing of agile, lighter standards
- corporate partnership with SMBs and startups in addition to enterprises

expand global membership in Asia/Africa, strengthen Americas/Europe:

- grow IEEE-USA into IEEE-Global-Policy, extend with IEEE-Asia, IEEE-Europe
- collaborate with sister organizations, such as NAE, AAAI, ACM, ASM
- revert growing dues trend, subsidize from other revenue sources

IEEE Accomplishments Summary (full [accomplishments](#), [activities](#), [pubs](#), [patents](#))

As a (Past) **Chair of Industry Engagement** (2018) 2015-2017

- created a portfolio of products: Infrastructure Conference, Confluence of AI & Cybersecurity, Industry Summit, etc.
- formed IEEE Industry Engagement Standing Committee and Industry Advisory Board
- worked closely with all VPs and management council
- initiated proposal for Industry Congress

As the **Audit Committee Chair**, 2018

- oversaw Global Spec; harmonized committee with MOUs

As **Computer Society President** (2014) and Division Director (2017-2018)

- reduced financial deficit by 37%, introduced new revenue sources
- introduced prestigious "Spirit of Computer Society" Award
- spearheaded IEEE CS 2022 Report, lead Tech Trends, initiated IEEE Computing Now
- introduced Special Technical Communities (STC); started 3 conferences
- on Magazine/Transactions boards, many conferences PC and general chair

Biography: Dr. Dejan Milojicic is a distinguished technologist at Hewlett Packard Labs, Palo Alto, CA (1998-) leading system software teams over 4 continents and projects with budgets of millions US\$. He worked at the OSF Research Institute in Cambridge, MA and at the Mihajlo Pupin Institute in Belgrade, Serbia. Dejan received his PhD from Kaiserslautern University, Germany; and his MSc/BSc from Belgrade University, Serbia. He was a technical director of the Open Cirrus Cloud Computing Testbed, with academic, industrial and government sites in the US, Europe, and Asia. He has published 2 books and 180 papers; he has 31 granted patents. He is an IEEE Fellow (2010) and ACM Distinguished Engineer (2008). Dejan was on 8 PhD thesis committees and taught Cloud management course at SJSU. As president of the IEEE Computer Society (2014), he started Tech Trends, the top viewed CS news. As the industry engagement chair, he started IEEE Infrastructure'18 conference.

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