Call for recommendations for "IEICE Milestone," a program commemorating the 100th anniversary of the Institute of Electronic, Information and Communication Engineers

Founded in 1917, this institute will mark its 100th anniversary in 2017. To commemorate this milestone, it will confer the "IEICE Milestone" on distinguished R&D accomplishments that have been discussed in the IEICE and have had significant impacts on either our society and everyday lives, the industry, or the development of science and technology. The aims of this program are to look back at the history and significance of research and development in the electronic, information and communication fields, and to transmit the process of technology creation to next-generation researchers and engineers who will bring about further innovations over the next 100 years.

Therefore, we are calling for recommendations to be submitted in accordance with the following requirements and procedure:

1. Qualifications for making a recommendation: No specific qualifications; anyone may submit up to three recommendations (IEICE membership is not a requirement)

2. Distinguished accomplishments to be recommended:
   (1) Fields: Accomplishments in the research fields covered by the IEICE (electronic, information and communication fields)
   (2) Period: Anytime between 1917 and 2016
   (3) Subject matter: (a) knowledge/technology, (b) product, (c) service, or (d) establishment or proposal of a new concept related to knowledge/technology, a product or a service

3. Recommendation procedure: Complete the attached Recommendation Form and send it as an email attachment to the email address shown below. Make the subject of your email "Recommendation for IEICE Milestone."

4. Number of recommendations: Up to three recommendations per person

5. Recommendations deadline: August 31, 2016

6. Announcement of selection results: September 2017 (planned)

7. Notes:
   (1) No inquiries about the statuses of recommendations or the selection process will be accepted.
   (2) Recommenders' names will not be made public when the selection results are announced.

8. Handling of personal information: Personal information related to submitted recommendations will not be used for any purpose other than that of reviewing such recommendations.

9. Submit your recommendation(s) to:
   • IEICE Milestone Receipt
     Finance and Administration Dept.
     IEICE Headquarters Office
   • Email: milestone@ieice.org