

CHAPTER REPORT

Name of Chapter: Russia Chapter

Chapter Officers: Igor Kompanets – Director Victor Belyaev – Chair Sofiya Torgova – Secretary Boris Umanskii – Treasurer

Chapter Report for the Board of Directors' Meeting: -January 13, 2013.

Number of technical meetings held since last Board Meeting: 3.

1. Meetings of Chapter Committee.

a) Meeting 13.11.2012.

Lebedev Physical Institute. Attendance: 6 Chapter Committee members, as well as O. Maximova, D. Chausov, M. Svetlov – invited.

Agenda:

- 1. Information by Kompanets I. and Belyaev V. about 20th ADLT-2012 in Crimea (Ukraine).
- 2. Information about 21st ADLT-2013 in Russia.
- Former proposal to hold ADLT-2013 in Ulyanovsk cannot be realized (O. Maximova was in charge). V. Belyaev suggested Moscow (Moscow State Regional University (MSRU), Mytishchi Campus) as the venue and to hold the meeting in frame of Exhibition "ExpoElectronics" together with Non-commercial Partnership of Producers of Lighting Devices (NPP LD) (there is preliminary agreement with Dr. V.E. Dolin, Head).
- 3. Reports of leaders of student branches.
- 4. Revision of SID Bylaw.
- 5. Nomination to Russia Chapter Director for 2013-2015. Victor Belyaev has been nominated as Director. Maxim Sychov was nominated as Chairman, and Igor Kompanets as First Vice-Chairman.
- 6. Miscellaneous.
- b) Meeting 20.12.2012.

Lebedev Physical Institute. Attendance: 7 Chapter Committee members. Agenda:

1. Information about January SID Board of Directors Meeting and preparing of Russia Chapter Reports.

- 2. Information on the special issue of Journal "Electronics: STB" devoted to SID 50-Aniversary (articles by V.Belyaev, I. Kompanets and others).
- 3. Information on Student Branches activities (V. Belyaev).
- 4. Miscellaneous.

2. Technical meeting: the 20th Symposium "Advanced Display and Lighting Technologies" (ADLT-2012) in Crimea, Ukraine, October 8-12 – joint meeting of three SID Chapters: from Belarus, Russia and Ukraine. More than110 participants, 65 plenary, oral and poster papers.

3. ADLT-2013 preparation.

a) Meeting 28.11.2012.

Crocus Expo Hall (at the Exhibition Power Electronics 2012). Attendance: 2 Chapter Officers (I. Kompanets & V. Belyaev), E. Dolin (NPP LD), Semenova A. (Exhibition "ExpoElectronics" Organizer).

- Discussion of cooperation between the ADLT-13 partners.
- b) MSRU staff. Meetings with MSRU administration on Local Organizing Committee staff, application of sponsorship from Moscow Region Government.
- c) V. Belyaev, A. Bugrimov (Dean of Phys & Math Faculty of MSRU) actions to make the event web site.
- d) Sending 1st Information Letter.
- e) Application to SID on ADLT'13 support. Application and budgets have been sent to SID VPE, Manager and Officers.
- f) Sending letters with sponsorship requests.
- g) Publication of ADLT-2013 advertisement in Magazine "Electronics: Science, Technology & business".

4. Student Branches activities

Bylaws, plans and conferences of Student Branches are preparing. The delay was in the accounts openings for SID financial support.

5. Regular Display Seminars in House of Scientists, S-Petersburg.

Monthly. Attendance10-20 SID members/ 10-20 non SID members / Total 20-35. Chair – Dr. M. Sychov.

6. Regular Seminars of Liquid Crystal Society "Commonwealth" on Liquid Crystal R&D, Moscow.

Monthly. Attendance 5-10 SID members/ 10-15 non SID members / Total 15-25. Chair – Dr., Prof. A. Kaznacheev..

7. Russia Chapter site <u>http://www.sidchapters.org/russia/</u> update using materials of the SID 2012 Symposium, ADLT-2012 Symposium and prepared documents for ADLT-2013 Symposium.

Report submitted December 26, 2012 by Igor Kompanets, Chapter Director