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About Doug

Doug Zuckerman is very enthusiastic about running for VP-TA and looks forward to serving! Doug has been an active IEEE volunteer for 20+ years and currently within IEEE serves on the Communications Society's Board of Governors, Future Directions Committee, Big Data steering committee, Standards - representing IEEE on the OpenFog Consortium Board of Directors, and other key activities. Previously, he served as Communications Society President and in other high-level leadership positions in conferences, publications and membership, IEEE Technical Activities Board and IEEE Board of Directors. He received his BS, MS and PhD degrees from Columbia University and is an IEEE Life Fellow. His professional experiences at Bell Labs and Telcordia Technologies span the operations, management and engineering of emerging communications technologies, networks and applications. His work heavily influenced standards for management of telecommunications networks. Currently, he is a Consultant for Vencore Labs (Applied Communications Sciences).

Statement

I see an even brighter future for IEEE and with your help I will take us there. Thanks to members like you, IEEE is a great volunteer-based organization. We have the opportunity to make IEEE even greater across industry/academia, while assuring the true value of your membership. As VP-TA I will fight for an environment of openness, inclusiveness, supportive policies, reasonable budgets and shared decision-making. I will reach across IEEE's units (Member and Geographic Activities, Standards, etc.) to streamline joint activities and nurture collaboration.

To Achieve this vision, I will:

- **Expand New Technology Initiatives** – Invest more to position IEEE and its members as technology thought leaders.

- **Grow Standards Activities** – Create TAB "standards committee" to foster and coordinate cross-Society engagement with IEEE-Standards Association.

- **Build Education and Training** – With Educational Activities, apply TAB's competencies to grow Education and Training initiatives into a major activity, comparable to Publications and Conferences.

- **Leverage Collaborations** – Establish more collaborations with industry consortia and sister societies, while incentivizing cross-Society cooperation.

- **Assure Affordability** – Keep member expenses reasonable, for example avoiding introducing expensive new tools that are redundant with off the shelf products and services.

- **Achieve Diversity** – Attract/retain young professionals and women, globally, because they are IEEE's future.

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