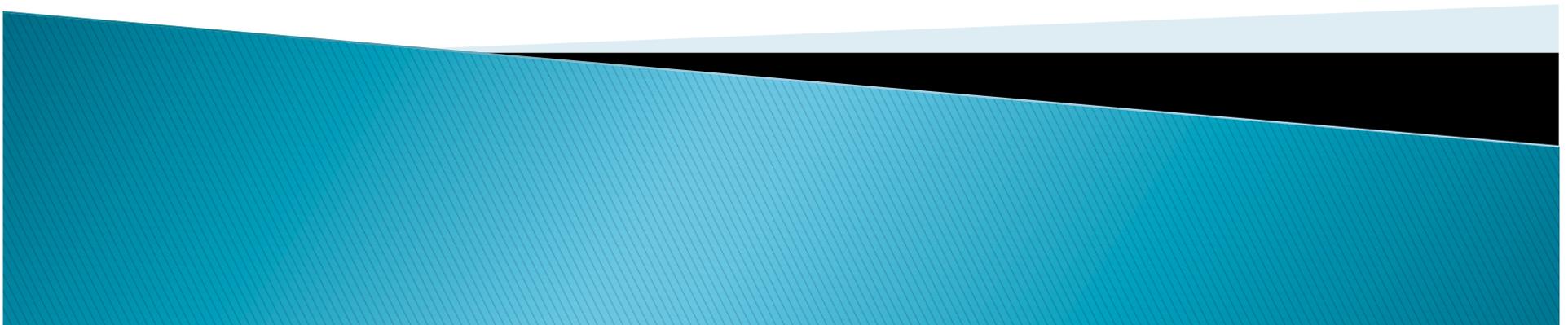


# IEEE Technical Committee on Computer Communications (TCCC) at CCW'12

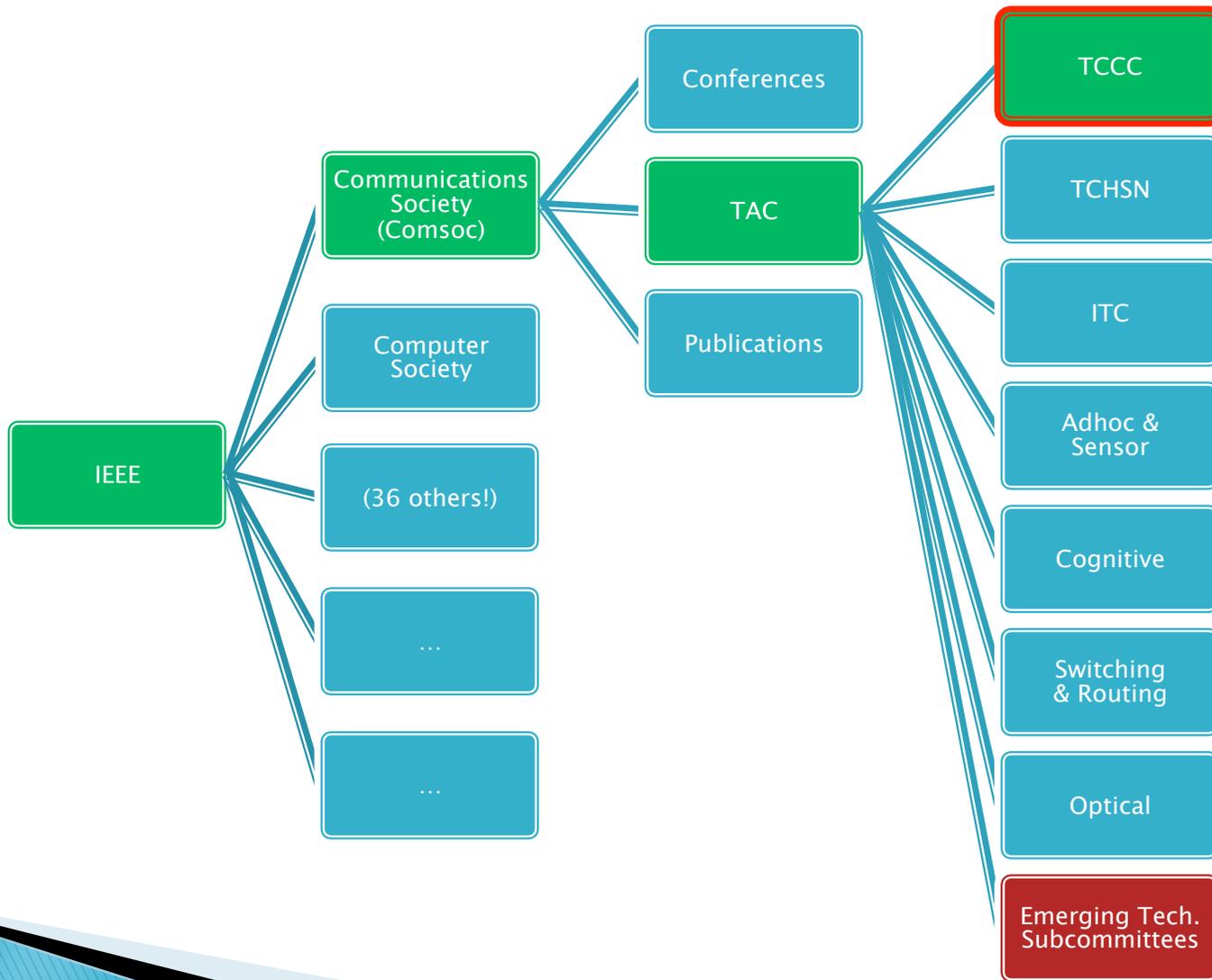
Dan Massey (Colorado State)  
With Thanks to Joe Touch (USC/ISI)



# Agenda

- ▶ Introduction
- ▶ Status
  - 2011 /12 activity report
  - Open items
- ▶ Open discussion

# IEEE TAC Structure



# Our role...

- ▶ *Represent your interests*
- ▶ *Coordinate your requests*
- ▶ Support the community:
  - Provide a forum (via our email list)
    - Seek community interest e.g. tech experts
    - Academic/research job ads
  - Organize CCW
  - Provide tech. endorsement to meetings
    - Nominate Globecom/ICC symposium co-chairs
    - Infocom
    - Other conferences of general interest to data networking

# TCCC Management

- ▶ Officers (elected Oct 2012)
  - Chair: James Sterbenz
  - Vice-Chair: Jörg Ott
  - Secretary: Dan Massey
- ▶ Additional support:
  - Conference coordinator: **TBD**
  - *Conference management monitor*: **TBD**
  - *Standards representative*: R Venkatesha Prasad (“vp”)
  - *Smart Grid Ad-Hoc Committee repr.*: Fan Zhong
  - *Cloud reps*: Chunming Qiao, Kun Yang
  - *Web coordinator*: Patrick Seeling
- ▶ Reps. to endorsed meetings

# TCCC Member Portal

- ▶ <http://www.comsoc.org/~tccc>
- ▶ Information on:
  - CCW
  - Endorsed conferences
  - Meeting minutes
  - Mailing list – *shift to IEEE servers is in progress*
  - Procedures and policies
  - Officers' contacts

# TCCC Mailing list

- ▶ Goal: to support the TCCC membership
  - Promote technical discussions of computer communications issues
  - Provide information on relevant IEEE issues
  - Provide a venue for community discussion
- ▶ Currently supports the wider network community as an open bulletin board for meetings, journals, job posts
  - Ongoing effort to keep posts broadly on-topic

# Conference Endorsements

## ▶ Procedure

- Reqt specifications in place (see TCCC website)
- Process currently established and in-use
- ComSoc adopted some of our procedures
  - Request 2–3 months in advance of calls for papers
  - Encouraging reporting requirements

## ▶ Endorsement status:

- 2012: ~30 requests/year
  - Accepted: Comsnets'12, WONS '12
  - Roughly 10% acceptance rate
  - Declined requests because too regional, non-scientific/commercial, organizational issues, past accept rate too high, out of scope

# Activities 2012–13

- ▶ TCCC meetings
  - Infocom 2012 Orlando
  - ICC 2012 Quebec City
- ▶ Outstanding Service award (Martin):
  - 2012 Marwan Krunz (Univ. Arizona, USA)
- ▶ Nominations:
  - GLOBECOM 2013 symposia co–chairs (Martin)
    - Mooi Choo Chuah, Qian Zhang: NGN Symposium
    - Loukas Lazos: Communication & Information Systems Security Symposium
  - ICC 2014 symposia co–chairs (Martin)

# Conference Council Issues

## Anaheim – open meeting

- ▶ Approved changes
  - Conf. no-show based on named author presenting
  - Author list cannot be changed after submission
  - Double submission penalty increased to forced rejection and 6-month ban in ComSoc portfolio
  - ETCs can endorse for TCS just like TCs
- ▶ Pending changes
  - Conf. no-show guidelines for TPC chairs
    - No-show exceptions require suitable substitute in person
  - TCS changes
    - Limit TCS renewal to 3 events
    - Review TC endorsement track record
    - IEEE proposing new fees for paper quality checking

# Upcoming Activities

- ▶ TCCC meetings:
  - Globecom
  - Infocom
- ▶ ICC
- ▶ CCW:
  - Soon to be seeking a site and co-chairs for 2013

*Reminder: all meetings are open,  
and do not require conference registration*

# Open Discussion -----



# Our role...

- ▶ TCCC is here to represent you
  - to the ComSoc
  - to our publication and conference boards
  - to the IEEE as a whole
  
- ▶ What issues would you like us to address?