

# Chapter

# IEEE ComSoc Latin America Region

## Regional Chapter Chair Congress 2019

## Salvador, Brazil

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- **Twelve Newsletter for 2018-2019**

- ◆ **2018**

- ◆ January
- ◆ March
- ◆ May (2)
- ◆ October

- ◆ **2019**

- ◆ February
- ◆ April
- ◆ May (2)
- ◆ June (2)
- ◆ November

- **Two Interviews**

- ◆ August 2018 and October 2019
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## ● Twelve Newsletter for 2018-2019

### ◆ 2018

- ◆ Bahia, Brazil
- ◆ Guatemala (LATINCOM)
- ◆ Argentina and El Salvador
- ◆ YP

### ◆ 2019

- ◆ UFPA Student Chapter Chair, Brazil
  - ◆ Bolivia
  - ◆ Mexico (LATINCOM) and GCN/**DLT**
  - ◆ GCN and **DLT**
  - ◆ El Salvador
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# 2019 Accomplishments

## Networking at IEEE LATINCOM 2017: Seminar on Vehicular Communications by Prof. Carlos Gutierrez at the El Salvador Chapter

By Carlos Eugenio Martínez-Cruz - El Salvador Section Chair



Carlos Gutierrez receiving a diploma of recognition.

Last November, I attended the 9th Latin-American Conference on Communications (LATINCOM 2017) which was held in Guatemala City, Guatemala. IEEE LATINCOM was an excellent opportunity to meet researchers, professors and telecommunication practitioners.

As part of the social events, ComSoc Guatemala organized a short trip to Guatemala's most beautiful city, Antigua Guatemala. It was on that trip that many of us had the opportunity to directly talk with our colleagues. ComSoc conferences have proved to be a very good tool to connect people and to expand professional relations among its members. Many future professional collaboration activities were settled there.



Telecommunication professionals that attended the seminar of Carlos Gutierrez.

For instance, while we were visiting Mayan museums, I arranged a two-day seminar on vehicular communication with professor Carlos Gutierrez, from San Luis Potosi University, Mexico. Also at the same time, professor Carlos Gutierrez established contacts with researchers from Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Brigham Young University. In a nutshell,

ComSoc conferences are very effective to connect members and their chapters.



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# Problems Encountered

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**Dear Chapter Chairs,  
I am sorry to repeat my  
appeal again, but I am  
short of articles for the  
Global Communications  
Newsletter.**

**July/2019**

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**I urgently need more reports: I repeat my invitation to submit more articles from all Chapters.**

**July/2019**

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# Problems Solutions Plans

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- Each ComSoc Chapter should write at least one report



- GCN chair could report quarterly report's situation



# Next Year Work

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- Prepare 2020-2021 working plan
    - ◆ Improve our figures
    - ◆ Get one newsletter per month
  - Write about 2019 second semester activities
    - ◆ Each chapter chair attending RCCC must send a report to be published for 2020 GCN editions
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