

You're Invited: Get to Know Our Publications!

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I am betting that not everyone reading this article realizes that the IEEE Microwave Theory and Techniques Society (MTT-S) sponsors or cosponsors 10 high-quality technical publications that reach out to both the engineering and science communities. Most of you may be well aware of our three anchor journals, *IEEE Transactions on Microwave Theory and Techniques (T-MTT)*, *Microwave and Wireless Technology Letters*, and *IEEE Transactions on Terahertz Science and Technology*, plus, of course, this very popular *IEEE Microwave Magazine*. We are also the sole sponsor of the new broad-based open access publication *IEEE Journal of Microwaves*, which just launched in January 2021 and, so far, has proven to be quite popular—now ranked third of 272 IEEE technical journals



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other journals: *Journal of Electromagnetics, RF and Microwaves in Medicine and Biology*; *IEEE Transactions on Quantum Engineering*; *Journal on Multiscale and Multiphysics Computational Techniques*; *Journal of Lightwave Technology* (jointly sponsored with the Optical Society of America); and *RFIC Virtual Journal*, one of the first all-electronic publications within the IEEE complement of more than 270 technical offerings.

for downloads/articles published in 2021. All of these journals are targeted at slightly different authors and readers, and they have their own publication philosophies and personalities. They also have varied and interesting histories—in the case of the *T-MTT*, dating back to 1963!

What many of you may not appreciate is that the MTT-S cosponsors (along with other IEEE Societies) five

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This June, at the 2022 MTT-S International Microwave Symposium (IMS) meeting in Denver, Colorado, we are planning a twofold gala event/reception to both bring in new authors and reviewers for all of our publications but also, for the first time, introduce you to our journals, editors, and history. At this event, we will be holding a special panel session with short

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presentations by each of our journal editors, who will then entertain questions and comments from attendees. This will be followed by more intimate one-on-one discussions with our editors-in-chief and many editorial board members from our publications, who will be staffing individual booths displaying detailed posters and take-home literature. You will also get a chance to mingle and interact with a select group of like-minded and interested researchers while enjoying a reception with light food and beverages.

The IMS event is currently scheduled to take place on Tuesday evening, 21 June, between approximately 7:00 and 9:30 p.m., at the Hyatt Regency Denver, and it will be by reserved ticket only. Event times are preliminary, so check back in June for the room location and final starting time through the IMS or MTT-S websites.

The cost of entry is the promise to do some reviewing for one or more of our sponsored journals over the com-

ing 12 months. You can sign up for a ticket by using the link at the end of this article. We will require some details on your areas of expertise, affiliation, and experience level to properly place you in our reviewing pools, so please respond to all of the questions on the sign-up form.

Once the form is submitted, you will receive an entrance ticket via the email address you provide. Please print this or keep it handy on your mobile phone to show at the door when you arrive at the reception. Places are limited, and we will close off the ticketing as soon as we have reached our room/reception quota.

Don't miss this chance to get acquainted with our publications, meet our editors personally, and hear

about our publication philosophy and future directions. Get your questions answered and give your feed-

back—positive and negative—directly to those who handle your manuscripts or are constantly asking for more of your precious time to do reviews! We can't wait to see you, and, for those of you who have a bone to pick, we promise to listen and to help.

If you have any questions or comments, do not hesitate to contact the organizers of this event at [pks@caltech.edu](mailto:phs@caltech.edu). We hope to see you on the 21st! To get a ticket for the MTT-S Reviewers Recruiting and Get to Know Our Publications reception, visit <https://mtt.org/ims2022-journal-event/>.

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