

17th IEEE UAE STUDENT DAY**29th April 2023****Community Service Competition****General Information:**

- 1) Two teams from each institution can participate in the Community Service Competition.
- 2) Each team shall comprise of a maximum of 4 students. They must be IEEE student members.
- 3) The competition is meant to emphasize the role of engineering students in serving the community and to recognize those students who carry out community services in UAE.

Scope:

The scope of community service is broad enough to allow student teams to serve either a particular section of the community or the community at large in a variety of ways. However, the service rendered must be significant and its contribution must be appreciated by the community receiving the service. Also, the service must have been offered during the present academic year.

Service Evaluation and Grading:

The onus of demonstrating the significance of offered community service and its impact on the community rests with the competing student teams. For this, each team must submit a well-documented report (maximum 6 pages including pictures) that clearly describes the nature of the offered service and its significance as well as its planning, organization, and delivery and, most importantly, its contribution and impact on the community receiving the service (beneficiary). Each team shall also prepare a poster and submit a letter from the beneficiary.

A panel of three judges, who will be selected by the IEEE UAE Students Day Steering Committee, will assess the entries to the competition. The Judging Panel will evaluate each project based on the following:

- a) Significance, impact, and contribution of the offered service as described in the above-mentioned community service report.
- b) Interview of team members about different aspects of the service as mentioned below in the Evaluation Criteria.
- c) Poster describing the offered community service.
- d) Letter from the community receiving the service (beneficiary).

The grading will be in accordance with the following criteria:

Evaluation Criteria	Grade (%)
Significance of the service offered by the team	10
Planning, organization, and delivery of the offered service(s)	10
Impact and contribution (outcome) of the offered service(s)	50
Supportive letter from the community receiving the service	15
Poster + Report	15
Total	100

Important note: The community service competition does not concern by any hardware or software implementation. It focusses on the impact of the students' social activities on the targeted community. Therefore, any submitted software or hardware project will be completely discarded.