

IEEE Region 2 Life Member Regional Coordinator

Mr. Marc Apter

Marc Apter was born and raised in New Jersey USA, and received a BSEE (Electronics) Degree from The Pennsylvania State University in 1964.

He served in the U.S. Navy on active duty for five years, first as the first Electronic Material Officer (EMO) aboard the USS BROOKE (DEG-1), and then as EMO and Instructor at the Fleet Training Center, Mayport, Florida, followed by 21 years service in the U.S. Naval Reserve, retiring as a Commander. At the same time Apter worked in Washington, DC and Arlington, Virginia, USA for the U.S. Navy's Naval Ship Systems Command and its successor, the Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA), for 11 years, with the responsibility for installation of various electronic and other systems on ships. In 1980 he was transferred to the U.S. Navy's Chief of Naval Material for five years, developing Electronic Maintenance Policy, auditing Maintenance Planning for new systems, and overseeing procurement and operations budgets.

He then returned to NAVSEA for 15 years until his retirement; first managing its Metrology and Calibration Program; then managing the Navy's Maintenance and Configuration Management Programs; and finally as the NAVSEA Command Information Systems Security Manager for more than 25 sites and Head of the Information Technology Operations and Maintenance Branch (developing policy for more than 40,000 government and contractor employees and managing IT operations for 6000 nodes at the headquarters complex).

After retirement from government service, Apter then went to work for EG&G Technical Services, then URS Corporation, and now called AECOM, in Arlington, Virginia, USA and later Dahlgren, Virginia, as a Senior Information Assurance Specialist, developing security documentation for U.S. Government shipboard computer systems, and assorted computer and web based systems and applications. He retired from URS in September 2011.

Apter was active as a local leader in the Scouting movement from 1986-2010.

IEEE COMMITTEES/BOARDS: Member IEEE Board of Directors 2001-2002, 2004-2005, and 2013; Member of IEEE-USA Board 2001-2002; President IEEE-USA, 2013; 2019 IEEE Honorary Membership Committee; Member IEEE N&A Committee 2015 & 2017; Member MGA N&A Committee 2018-2019 & 2014-15; Chair MGA N&A Committee, 2009; IEEE-USA N&A Committee Member 2014-15, Chair 2015 & 2017; Member of Regional Activities/MGA Board 2001-2002, 2003, and 2006-2009; V.P. Regional Activities, 2004-05; Member IEEE Ethics and Member Conduct Committee, 2003-05; Member Information Technology Strategy Committee (ITSC), 2006-07, and corresponding Member in 2008; Member New Initiatives Committee (NIC), 2006-08; Chair Presidential Adhoc "IEEE as a Model Global Association", 2009; RAB Vice-Chair Member Activities, 2003; Chair Member Engagement and Life Cycle Committee, 2008; Member Individual Benefits and Services Committee, 2008; Member Admission and Advancement Committee, 1990-94; Member vTools Adhoc Committee, 2006-

10; Member Life Member Committee, 2011; IEEE-USA Critical Information Protection Committee, Member 2007-10, Chair 2009-10; IEEE-USA Government Fellows Committee, Member 2010-2012, Chair 2010, and Chair 2012; IEEE-USA Liaison Representative to the IEEE Ethics Committee, 1997-98; Member IEEE-USA Nominations & Appointments Committee, 2004; TAB/USAB U.S. Technology Policy Committee, Member 1988-93 & 1982-85, Chair 1992-93; USAB Employment Assistance Committee, Member 1987-89; USAB Environmental Quality Committee, Member 1978-85, Chair 1984; USAB Ethics Committee, Member 1989-95, Chair 1994.

IEEE REGIONS: Region 2 Director, 2001-02; Treasurer Region 2, 1994-98; Region 2 Life Member Coordinator, 2009-20; Parliamentarian and Bylaws Chairs, 2007-20.

IEEE SECTIONS/CHAPTERS/AFFINITY GROUPS/GEOGRAPHIC COUNCILS: National Capital Area Council Chair, 1990-91; Northern Virginia Section, Chair, 1987-88; SSIT Northern Virginia/Baltimore/Washington Chapter Founding Chair, 1982-84; Director Northern Virginia Section, 2010-2013; Northern Virginia Section Young Professional Chair 2014-17; Northern Virginia Section Life Member Affinity Group Chair 2017-2019.

IEEE STUDENT BRANCHES/CHAPTERS/AFFINITY GROUPS: Penn State University Student Branch Member, 1962-64.

IEEE SOCIETY/TECHNICAL COUNCILS: Nano-Technology Council Secretary, 2007-11; Social Implications of Technology Society: Member of AdCom 1982-93, Treasurer 1985-93, Chapters Chair 1982-85, Professional Activities Chair 1982-85.

OTHER: District of Columbia Council of Engineering and Architectural Societies President 2018-2020; Triangle Coalition for STEM Board Member 2014-2016, Treasurer 2015-2016; American Association of Engineering Societies Board Member 2013-2015 & Nominating Committee Member 2016-2018.

RECONITION: IEEE MGA William Middilton Award, 2018; IEEE Millennium Medal Recipient, 2000; IEEE Centennial Award Recipient, 1984; National Capital Area Distinguished Member Award Recipient, 2007; Northern Virginia Section James F. Strother Meritorious Service Award Recipient, 2006.