



*You School Here!*

Join the Schools who already have a student MTT branch chapter or have committed to start one this summer.

The numbers are growing rapidly both nationally and internationally. Will you be a part of this trend?

The MTT society has the resources and wants to support organized student groups. All we need is your desire to organize and <http://mtt.org/Students.html>

[http://www.ieee.org/portal/pages/membership/students/sc\\_branches.html](http://www.ieee.org/portal/pages/membership/students/sc_branches.html)

As a student you might not feel like you have a voice in IEEE societies. We are here to help you.

Pilar Molina and William Chappell are the student member services representatives for MTT. Feel free to contact us at the emails below.

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*The Next Generation of Microwave Engineers*

YOU TOO CAN  
**START A STUDENT  
MTT CHAPTER!**



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**UNIVERSITY'S  
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## **REASONS TO START A MICROWAVE THEORY AND TECHNIQUES STUDENT BRANCH CHAPTER**

- If there is an active group of Microwave Students in your University
- If you would like help traveling to major microwave meetings
- If you become the chair of the Chapter, you could also receive additional funding support to attend the yearly Chapter Chairs meeting (usually held in conjunction with IMS) (up to \$1,500).
- If you would like to be able to attract distinguished microwave speakers to your school.
- If you think that many activities that you already organize could have the organizational stamp of IEEE
- If you need additional funding and organization to see through your ideas
- If you have many ideas for activities that are related to the MTT fields of interest and you lack the umbrella organization to push them forward
- If you want to make an impact in the Microwave Theory and Techniques Society being recognized as an active volunteer for the Society
- If you want to make an impact in your local IEEE Section, as chapter activities are part of the Section's activities.

## **REQUIREMENTS TO ESTABLISH AN MTT STUDENT BRANCH CHAPTER**

*It is easier than you thought and many schools already have the activities without reaping the benefits*

- A Student Branch must exist in your University. Many schools have one. To find out if there is one, go to [http://www.ieee.org/portal/pages/membership/students/sc\\_branches.html](http://www.ieee.org/portal/pages/membership/students/sc_branches.html)
- You need the signatures of 12 student members (can also be Graduate Student Members) of the IEEE that are also members of the Society.
- You need the signature of a Faculty Advisor, an IEEE member of a higher grade, also member of the Society
- You need the approval of the Student Branch, as the Student Branch Chapter Chair will become member of the Branch Executive committee.
- There are some simple forms which we can help you with if there are any troubles. You can find the forms to fill out from <http://mtt.org/Students.html>
- Only two activities per year are necessary to being considered an active chapter.

*Starting a branch is easier than you might have thought*

*Many schools have activities that would qualify already without reaping the benefits of an official branch chapter*

*You can have access to distinguished microwave speakers and learn from the best in the world.*

*Gain visibility and prominence for your university in the microwave community.*

*Connect to other like-minded researchers around the world*

***When people talk about which schools have the strongest microwave program, will they mention your school?***