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Dear Gary

Thank you for your email of 22 December 2012, regarding the successful outcome of my application to IEEE CSS Outreach fund. I am writing to you after the conclusion of the 3rd Australian Control Conference (AUCC2013) in Perth, November 4-5, 2013. The conference was a success with a total of 85 papers included in the final program from a total of 125 submissions.

There were 13 applications for the AUCC2013 student travel award:

1. Ahmadreza Argha, University of Technology, Sydney, NSW, Paper No. 19.
2. Sajal Kumar Das, University of New South Wales, Kensington, NSW, Paper No. 35, 36, 80 and 82.
3. Rahmat Heidari, University of Newcastle, Newcastle, NSW, Paper No. 91.
4. Kai Karvinen, University of Newcastle, Newcastle, NSW, Paper No. 26.
5. Kuan Waey Lee, University of Melbourne, Victoria, Paper No. 65.
6. Md Lazin, Md Norazlan, University of Technology, Malaysia, Paper No. 33.
7. Zibo Miao, Australian National University, Canberra, Paper No. 117, 84.
8. Timothy Molloy, Queensland University of Technology, Paper No. 5, 6.
9. Ms. Busara Piriyanont, University of Newcastle, Newcastle, NSW, Paper No. 32.
10. Md. Sohel Rana, University of New South Wales, Kensington, NSW, Paper No. 90.
11. Muhamad Sukri Hadi, University of Technology, Malaysia, Paper No. 30.
12. Gia Minh Thao Nguyen, WASEDA University; Tokyo, Japan, Paper No. 46.
13. Junming Wei, Australian National University, Canberra, Paper No. 109.

In order to increase the number of student travel grants awarded, the total travel expense amount per student applicant was limited to A \$400. So the total amount distributed to 13 applicants was A \$5,200.

The following are the list of expense items and their expected/approximate amounts we were planning to reimburse for student travel to the 3rd Australian Control Conference (AUCC2013) to be held in Perth during November 4-5, 2013 as shown in my letter of intent, dated 11th January 2013:

Airfares A\$ 700
Hotel Accommodation A\$ 300
Taxi fares A\$ 100

Conference Registration A\$ 300.

The only change to the above amounts is the student registration fee which was increased to A \$350 in order to offer the students the conference banquet dinner.

We thank the IEEE CSS Outreach fund for supporting the 3rd Australian Control Conference.

Sincerely

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