



**IEEE ComSoc Young Researcher Award
for the Europe, Middle East,
and Africa Region**



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Chairs of ComSoc Chapters in EMEA

Dear Colleagues

I refer to the above awards. I am grateful to a number of you who had made recommendations. We had received a large number of excellent submissions, which were assessed by the Awards Committee for ComSoc EMEA Region. The assessment was carried out against a very stringent set of criteria.

The Awards Committee had a very difficult task of choosing the Award recipients., and has finally come to a decision. For your information the Committee has recommended the following recipients for the Awards:

**2010 IEEE ComSoc Young Researcher Award
for the Europe, Middle East and Africa Region -Dr Joao Barros ,University of Porto,
Portugal**

Runners Up for the Award -

**Dr Ozgur R Akan,
Middle East Technical University,
Ankara, Turkey**

And

**Dr Alexandre Graell i Amat
TELECOMBretagne
Technopôle Brest-Iroise Brest,**

The competition will hopefully be repeated next year, and there would be an opportunity to resubmit.

Thank you for your support for the competition.
Yours sincerely

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