

Inland Empire Section December 2017 Section Report

Section Meeting With John Chiang

THE SECTION 2017-2018 OFFICERS:

Reyna Baeza-Oregel Director

> Omar Perez **President**

JC Alvarez

President-Elect

Denise Craig VP Supervisory

Joya Gilster-Nava VP Rank & File

> Keith Elliott VP at Large

Tariq Jouzi **Secretary**

Sylvia Rivas *Treasurer*

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Section Meeting With John Chiang











Our Section had the honor of having John Chiang as the guest speaker for our October Section Meeting. New PECG President Sutida Bergquist and PECG Counsel Gerald James also spoke.



The meeting was held at the National Orange Show and our Secretary Tariq Jouzi served as the Master of Ceremonies. This was altogether a very informative and fun Section Meeting!



Section Meeting With John Chiang







2017 Section of the Year Award!





This year's Annual Meeting was held

in San Francisco and we were honored to receive the Section of the Year Award! Above, Section Officers pose with PECG President Robert Lumahan as we receive our Award.

SECTION OF THE YEAR

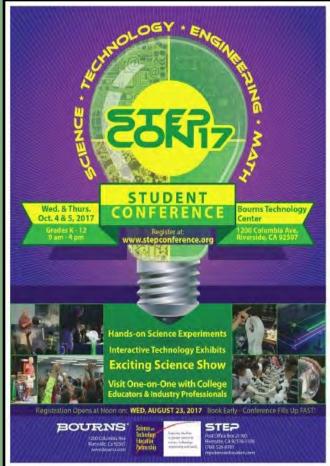
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Section Outreach







Tim Sharp and Ferdinand attended "StepCon 17" in Riverside to give out information about PECG's PREP program to teachers and students.







Section Outreach-Continued







Our Director Reyna Baeza-Oregel Participated in the San Bernardino County School District's STEMapalooza Convention on September 15th, to give out information about PECG's PREP program to teachers and students.









Section Outreach-Continued







Above: President Omar Perez presents a check for the District 8 Toy Drive. Below: Scott Hongkham helps to deliver canned foods to some very thankful members of the church.







2017-18 Officer Installation



Meet our 2017-2018 Section Officers pictured below, eager for Director Reyna Baeza-Oregel to lead with the swearing in. Welcome and ready to begin a new year are Reyna Baeza-Oregel (Director-not pictured), Omar Perez (President-Center), JC Alvarez (President-Elect-not pictured), Denise Craig (VP-Supervisory-right), Joya Gilster-Nava (VP-Rank & File -second from left), Keith Elliott (VP-At Large-not pictured), Tariq Jouzi (Secretary-second from right) and Sylvia Rivas (Treasurer-left). Many Thanks to our 2016-17 Section leaders for a job well done during their term.





District 8 Diversity Day





Left: Tariq Jouzi with other PECG members at our booth. We supplied over 600 water bottles for this yearly Event.











District 8 Diversity Day-Continued











Retirements









Above: Ruben Reza retired in November with over 30 years of State Service! During many of those years, he has served our Section as Director, President and other Offices numerous times over his Caltrans career.



Right: Glenn Bruce receiving his Certificate from Joya with over 30 years of service, mostly in the Landscape Construction unit.





Retirements-Continued





Left: Longtime PECG member
Carlos Camarillo retired this
November with over 34 years
of State Service. Carlos was
also instrumental with
the RIMS Science Fair
Scholarship, as he served as a
board member in their
Foundation.





