Section 5: Editor-in-Chief Appointments and Terms

1. There shall be an editor in chief appointed for each periodical publication.

2. The Publications Board shall recommend to the president candidates for each editor in chief position, as specified in the IEEE Computer Society Policies & Procedures Manual, at various times as required.

3. The president, with the advice and consent of the Board of Governors, shall appoint each editor in chief. EICs may be appointed for a maximum of two consecutive terms for a given position. A first term is two years and a reappointment is for a two-year term. For a new publication, the first two-year term of office of the EIC shall begin on 1 January of the first year of publication.