

# NuIEEE

**IEEE Student Branch  
Faculty of Engineering  
University of Porto**



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# History of NuIEEE

- This Student Branch was funded in 1994
- At that time, the branch board used as their role-model the Aveiro's Student Branch which was already 5 years old.
- Until now, the behavior of this branch has been similar to a sinusoidal wave, either with a great number of activities or by the contrary, very few or none.



# Recent History of NuIEEE

- Beginning 2004, the Branch began to lose its members and its activities started to decrease.
- In 2008, the previous board stepped away and the Branch almost “died”.
- One year later, with the precious help of the DEEC's president, the NuIEEE was reborn.



# NuIEEE inside Campus

- The NuIEEE has its own space inside DEEC, the Department of Electrical Engineering
- The student of our university are not aware of a IEEE Student Branch
- By the contrary, the teachers are familiar with the Branch and respect it to some level



# Current efforts

- Get the Branch up to date in the formal requirements of an IEEE Student Branch
- Find new motivated members
- Promote the Branch inside the Campus
- Re-establish old partnerships and establishing new ones
- Re-design our website



# Current difficulties

- Lack of training in leadership of a branch
- Lack of communication from the previous board
- Lack of documents about previous activities of the branch



# Planned Activities for 2009/10

- Linux and Networking Course
- Participation in IEEEExtreme 3.0
- Collaboration in IECON 2009
- Organization of several workshops related with Electronics and Electrical Engineering
- Launch of internal projects to appeal to more engineering students



# The Future...

- Hosting the ISBC 'XX
- Increasing the awareness of IEEE inside our campus
- Having members from the Faculty of Science



# End

