

On 7/11/2014, the Vatican Insider published a story saying that the IEEE was sponsoring a conference on the Shroud of Turin in Bari, Italy. This was true at the time, but the IEEE withdrew its sponsorship when they found out the conference would be promoting the pseudoscience that the Shroud of Turin is authentic. This meant that all of the accepted papers would not be published in the IEEE Explore Digital Library and would not have the status of being peer-reviewed.

I think the Vatican Insider should publish a follow-up story setting the record straight. It is also newsworthy that an organization of unquestioned commitment to truth in science and history in effect ruled that the Holy Shroud is not authentic. Below is a letter I emailed and faxed on Sept. 11, 2014. I also sent emails to the Vatican Insider telling about the IEEE's decision.