

SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS

CORNELL UNIVERSITY/ NOVEMBER 2010

Events This Semester

- Aug. 28th – SWE Welcome Picnic
- Sept. 9th – Faculty Relations Panel
- Sept. 14th – Professional Networking Dinner
- Sept. 26th – Apple-Picking with SHPE
- Oct. 16th – Big-Little Cookie Decorating
- Oct. 17th, 18th – Women in Engineering (WIE) Day
- Oct. 21st – Fruity Faculty Social
- Oct. 26th – Networking 101 for College Students
- Oct. 31st – Pumpkin Carving
- Nov. 9th – Graduate SWE Mixer
- Nov. 18th – Yoga with SWE



Photo: Stephanie Altrui

Professional Networking Dinner

September 14, 2010

This September, several corporations' representatives met with Cornell students at the Statler Hotel for the annual Professional Networking dinner. The event gave students the opportunity to speak directly with potential employers about internships, employment opportunities, and company operations.



The Dean of Engineering, Lance R. Collins, opened the Professional Networking Dinner.



Cornell students of many different engineering disciplines spoke with employers such as Yahoo, Lockheed Martin, and Citi.



Students and employers alike dined on some delicious food in the Statler Hotel.

WIE WEEKEND

October 17-18, 2010

by Sahana Somasegar

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This year, several seniors in high school from all across the country came to Cornell for a weekend as prospective students. What's most special about these girls is that they are all future engineers. SWE organized several activities for them to partake in throughout the weekend so that they could get a sense of what Cornell Engineering is and what life at Cornell is like. One of the events was a student panel. Five upper-class engineer students spoke about their experiences as a Cornell Engineer, destroyed any negative stereotypes associated with being an Engineering student, and answered the girls' questions. The panel lasted one hour and it gave the girls a chance to hear from students about their first-hand experiences

WOMEN IN ENGINEERING DAY



First Faculty
Panel



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On September 9, 2010,

Professors Sue Nee Tan, Sheila S. Hemami*, and Christine Shoemaker* spoke with first-year and upperclassmen students about choosing a major and choosing a summer internship that will impress future employers.

*Not shown here

FRUITY FACULTY PANEL

OCTOBER 21, 2010



by Patricia Lin

The first SWE Fruity Faculty Social took place on October 21, 2010, where members of the engineering staff mingles with the students over a delicious and healthy selection of fruits and toppings. For first-year engineering students, this was a great opportunity to meet and greet our future professors, some of the Study Abroad staff board, as well as upperclassmen, who could answer questions about life here at Cornell as an engineer.