

The IET IRELAND NETWORK



COMPETITION

PITCH YOUR SKILLS TO INDUSTRY



If you are aged 18 – 26 and study/work within the engineering or technology sector, this is your chance to compete for an internationally recognised award and cash prizes on a National, European and World scale.

To win all you have to do is give a ten minute presentation on an Engineering or Technology related subject. Yes, it really is that simple!

We ask entrants to submit an abstract on a technical subject relevant to their studies/work and we will advise of the closing date early next year. Students, why not make it even easier on yourself and base your presentation on your final year project!

For further details and to register your interest please email the IET Ireland Network at iet.eireann@gmail.com

Present Around the World Competition

The IET Ireland Network is delighted to announce a call for entries to this year's 'Present Around the World' competition.

Who is the IET?

The IET is one of the world's leading professional societies for the engineering and technology community, with more than 150,000 members in 127 countries and offices in Europe, North America and Asia-Pacific. The IET Ireland Network host events, lectures and site visits throughout Ireland each year. These events offer members and non members an opportunity to network and interact with others across their industry and allow them to keep up to speed with new developments spanning across various engineering and technology based sectors. The IET provides both a local and global knowledge network to facilitate the exchange of ideas and promote the positive role of science, engineering and technology in the world.

What is Present Around the World?

The Present Around the World competition offers the chance to final year undergraduate students to develop their presentation skills on a national and international stage by presenting on engineering or a technology related topic.

Effective communication is essential within the engineering and technology sector. Appreciating the importance of targeting ones audience with clear, concise key messages and adapting ones style to suit the listeners is a lesson worth learning. This is an opportunity to promote and highlight important skills and competencies that will help young engineers prepare for potential employment opportunities and/or with career development.

The competition allows students to present on a national stage in the Ireland Network finals with the winner receiving a cash award from the IET and going on to represent Ireland at the European regional finals this summer. The winner of the European regional finals will then go on to the world finals to be held in London later this year.

Who Can Enter?

If you are aged between 18 and 26 and are currently studying, have studied or are working within an engineering or technology sector you can enter.

How to Enter?

Entrants will be required to submit a simple application form which includes an abstract on there chosen technical subject, on which they intend to present in the competition.

Closing date for 2014 PATW applications is Friday 14th March 2014.

Key Benefits for students participating:

- Development of Presentation and Communication skills.
- The ability to showcase your skills to an audience of industry professionals on a national stage.
- Opportunity to win an all expenses paid trip to the European finals in the summer of 2014 to represent Ireland.
- Kudos and recognition of winning this prestigious IET award.
- Prize money for 1st place and 2nd place in national finals.
- Free membership of the IET for 1 year for anyone taking part.

REGISTRATION

Entries must be received by Friday 14th March 2014. Please friend us on facebook for up to date announcements. Submission will be made via email to iet.eireann@gmail.com

PROGRAMME

The finals night will be held on Thursday 27th March 2014 in the Alexander Hotel in Dublin city centre. Finalists will give a 10 minute presentation based on their abstract submitted. The presentations will be judged on the basis of 3 categories. These are Presentation, Content and Impressions. Following submission of application form, each entrant will be supplied with the marking scheme although the judge's decision is final.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact IET Ireland at iet.eireann@gmail.com or find us on Facebook and LinkedIn.