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Mission Statement:

This monthly newsletter will inform, entertain, and connect the students of Electrical and Computer Engineering at the University of Florida. This newsletter links students to our university and future workplace by presenting articles on our department, industry, and events hosted by the different campus organizations.

The IEEE News needs your help in making this a better newsletter. Please e-mail your comments, events, and ideas at IEEE.UF.Newsletter@gmail.com.

Welcome Back!



Dear Electrical and Computer Engineering students, Welcome to new semester! The IEEE Newsletter hopes that you survived the first week of the Fall 2015 semester.

If you are a new student, welcome to the University of Florida. We hope that you find yourself surrounded by great minds, learn and become the best.

If you are a returning student, we wish you the best of luck. We hope you had a relaxing, amazing summer, and that you are ready to do your best in class. If you had a great internship experience, and you want to brag about it, share it with us and we may publish it.

If you are passionate about writing and would like to be part of the IEEE Newsletter, we would be happy for you to be part of our subdivision in IEEE.

Follow our newsletter and benefit from being informed about our department, our industry, and our university.

Get Excited, Get Informed, Get Involved ... Go Gators!

- Valentina Rendon, CE Junior

IEEE News



On September 10th at 5pm (location: TBA - check IEEE website for updates) IEEE has its fall General Body Meeting. We will announce all of this semesters upcoming info sessions, which include nearly 20 companies. Also, we will discuss our plans for new community service projects, and offer students the opportunity to become more involved in the departments largest student run organization.

Our First Info Session will be:

Microsoft Info Session: September 9, 2014 at 6:30pm (Location: NEB 202)

- Trent Fields, IEEE President

ECE Ambassadors

This semester the ECE Department is beginning a new organization for students to extend their involvement within the department. The ECE Ambassadors program will offer students an opportunity to work closely with the department chair to develop freshman recruitment efforts, improve alumni-student relations, and serve as the face of the department through tours and events. Applications will be available 9/2/14 and will be due by 5pm on 9/17/14. Please check the ECE and IEEE websites for details.

- Trent Fields, IEEE President

You are Invited to...



What: Women in Electrical and Computer Engineering (WECE) at UF Welcome Brunch! Where: Larsen 234 When: September 6th from 10AM – 1 PM This event is exclusively for freshmen, sophomore and transfer female ECE, CISE and Undecided-Engineering students. If you meet the above criteria, go to tinyurl.com/wbrunch2014 to RSVP!

This is a great chance for you to get to know your current and future classmates and fellow engineering students over some delicious food! And don't worry! The event will end with plenty of time to enjoy the football game on campus later in the afternoon! Brief Agenda:

- Talk from the ECE Department Chair Dr. John Harris
- Interaction with Student Leaders from other organizations
- Tour of the Academic and Hardware Research Labs
- Q&A with ECE and CISE students

Career Showcase: Your Major. Your Passion. Your Future.



Every semester companies come to our university to recruit for jobs and internships opportunities. This semester's schedule is:

Day One | September 30 (non-technical) 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at the O'Connell Center

Opportunities in accounting, communications, marketing, non-profit, human services, sales and non-technical fields

Day Two | October 1 (technical) 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at the O'Connell Center

Opportunities in computer science, construction, engineering, information systems, scientific research and other technical fields.

A list of all participating employers is available in Gator CareerLink: Log in at www.crc.ufl.edu, select "events" and click "Career Showcase"

Upcoming events held in the Career Resource Center (Located in the First Floor of the J. Wayne Reitz Union), open exclusively to UF students and alumni, that can help you prepare for Career Showcase include:

Prepare for Your Job Interview Search

Mon., September 15 / 4:10 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Your Life on Paper: Resume Preparation

Mon., September 22 / 3 p.m. – 4 p.m.

Suit Up for Showcase presented by Dillard's (Women/Men)

Mon., September 22 / 4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Extreme Resume Makeover sponsored by PLS Logistics

Tues., September 23 – Thurs., September 25 / 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Rock The Fair with PLS Logistics

Tues., September 23 / 5:10 p.m. – 6 p.m.

Develop and Communicate Your Professional Brand

Wed., September 24 / 4:10 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Search Right Employer Panel

Wed., September 24 / 5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.

For more information on these events visit www.crc.ufl.edu/showcase and Twitter UF_CRC #IAMSHOWCASE