

Society of Women Engineers Annual Conference is being held in Chicago, Illinois from October 13-15 and is an opportunity that you don't want to miss. Check out their site <http://we11.swe.org/> for all of the reasons you would want to go (professional development, over 200 companies attending, seminars and speeches by amazing women in engineering, meeting cool engineers and engineering students from all over the country, etc etc).

How you can go to SWE Annual Conference:

You must fill apply using this form: <http://tinyurl.com/sweannualconference2011>. Deadline to apply is August 1, 2011. You will hear back from us before school starts.

More details - dates, money, and midterms:

Most of these details can be found in the application but here is a brief overview.

Who can go: Only national SWE members will receive funding from SWE. National membership expires in June so you have to renew (you can do so now!) if you were a national member last year. C2C membership also needs to be renewed although it is free of charge. Sign up to be a national member at <http://swe.org>

Dates: We will leave in the afternoon or evening on Wednesday October 12 and return morning or afternoon on Sunday October 16

Cost: The conference registration fee and hotel is fully covered by SWE. You will each be purchasing group flight tickets through our SWE section and your reimbursement will be \$150 of the total ticket price. If you use frequent flyer miles, your flight will be free.

Midterms: Please contact professors to see if you have midterms during these 3 school days (Wednesday - Friday) and make sure you can move them. So far, in most cases, SWE conference participants have been able to move their midterm date if it conflicted with conference so it should not be a problem.

What if I do not get selected?

Unfortunately, we only have limited spaces for national members to go. However, you can still attend SWE Annual Conference (5 people did so on their own last year) and we can help connect you with resources for getting your registration paid.

We look forward to receiving your applications! Contact swe.berkeley@gmail.com with any additional questions you may have!