

# **Society of women engineers at MIT, records AC.0610**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Institute Archives and Special Collections
<b>Title</b>	Society of women engineers student chapter at MIT, records
<b>Date [bulk]</b>	Bulk, 1988-1999
<b>Date [inclusive]</b>	1952-1999
<b>Extent</b>	3.0 cubic feet 3 record cartons
<b>Language</b>	English

## Biography or Historical note

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The Society of Women Engineers (SWE) was founded in 1949-50 when groups of women engineers started meeting in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and Washington, D.C. The Society was incorporated in 1952. The MIT SWE student section was one of the first. In 1976, SWE membership was opened to men.

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## Scope and Contents of the Collection

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This collection contains records from the Society of Women Engineers student section at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. It includes minutes, membership lists, event documents and promotional material for the society and women in engineering.

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## Arrangement note

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Organized into two series: Series 1. Activities; Series 2. Promotional material.

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## Administrative Information

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### Publication Information

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## Activities

## Collection Inventory

**Activities 1952-1999 (Bulk, 1988-1999)****Arrangement note**

Arranged chronologically.

**Box**

New England section of the Society of Women Engineers correspondence 1951-1952

1

Activities 1986-1987

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Career fair 1986

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Activities 1986-1987

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Career fair 1987

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Career fair 1987

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Activities 1987-1988

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Activities 1987-1988

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Career fair 1988

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Activities

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Career fair 1988	1
Activities 1990-1991	1
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Career fair 1990	1
Career fair 1990	1
Activities 1991	1
Activities 1991	1
Activities 1991-1992	1
SWE National Membership Listing 1991	1
Career fair 1991	1
Career fair 1991	1
Activities 1992	2
Career fair 1992	2

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Career fair 1992	2
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Career fair 1992	2
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Activities 1992-1993	2
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## Promotional material

Activities 1996-1997	2
Activities 1998-1999	2
Activities 1998-1999	2
Activities 1998-1999	2
Career fair 1993	2
<b>Promotional material 1974-1999</b>	
<b>Box</b>	
Have you considered the possiblity of becoming an engineer?. pamphlet. 1980	3
Sells, Lucy W. Improving educational opportunity in essential mathematical skills : pamphlet. 1979	
This experience usually provides the student with the fortitude to conduct research. : pamphlet 1973	
<b>Box</b>	
Fact sheet on women at MIT in engineering and science 1980	3
Dresselhaus, Mildred S. Stumbling into electrical engineering : speech. ca. 1973	3
Pless, Vera. Attitudes about and of professional women now and then. speech. ca. 1973	3
Sharpe, Irene W. On being a woman engineer : speech. ca. 1973	3



## Promotional material

3

Women in engineering pictorial : photocopy. 1978

3

Math and science resource center. pamphlets 1980

3

Careers in mathematics ca. 1980

3

Boston Section of the Society of Women Engineers. Terry's trip. 1979

**Note**

Children's book introducing girls to the ideas of engineering.

3

Livezey, Emilie Tavel. Women engineers' numbers begin to multiply : photocopy. 1982

Society of Women Engineers. pamphlets 1980-1983

**Box**

3

JETS report: promoting interest in engineering, technology, and science in high school. ca. 1980

3

Society of Women Engineers. A profile of the woman engineer 1979-1980

3

Mathcounts. Correspondence 1984

3

Expand your horizons in science and mathematics conferences for young women interested in new career options: a handbook for planners 1980

## Promotional material

Kreinberg, Nancy. I'm madly in love with electricity and other comments about their work by women in science and engineering. 1980	3
National coordinating center for curriculum development. You can get a piece of the action: teacher's guide. 1977	3
American Institute of Physics. Physics: a career for you?. 1977	3
Kistiakowsky, Vera. Women in physics: unnecessary, injurious and out of place? : reprint from Physics today. 1980	3
Cassery, Patricia Lund. Helping able young women take math and science seriously in school : photocopy. ca. 1980	3
Society of Women Engineers Boston chapter. Planning your next move : conference program 1989	3
General Electric. What's it like to be an engineer?. : pamphlet. 1974	3
American Physical Society. pamphlets. 1981	3
Girouard, Jaye. Interviewing skills workshop university relations Digital Equipment Corporation. ca. 1980	3
MIT Association for Women Students : pamphlet. ca. 1990	3
Enrollment of women at MIT, 1970-1979. ca. 1980	3

**Promotional material**

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Beach, Martha I. and Betty A. Rose. Confessions of two presidential assistants involved in water pollution control. ca. 1979	3
White, John A. Current and emerging issues facing American engineering education. 1988	3
GE recruiting and university development, university speakers series 1990-1991	3
Anderson-Little and Richman Brothers. Dressing for you career. 1988	3
AT&T college series : getting the right job. 1988	3