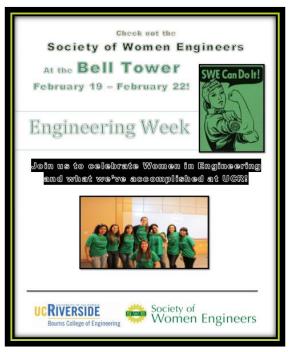
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The poster advertising the celebration of Awesome! Engineering Week!



Poster theme for this year's Bourns Engineering Day

Engineering Week

SWE will be joining other Engineering clubs in UCR and the Bourns College of Engineering to celebrate the nationwide Engineering week (Feb. 19th – Feb. 22nd). In this week many engineering clubs including SWE will be tabling at the bell tower to raise awareness and engage the UCR campus in the field of engineering. We encourage all engineers to be part of E-Week and show the Engineering pride.

Written by: Lamees Alkhamis

Battle of the Majors

The Leadership Council, which consists of leaders from various Engineering clubs, will be holding an exciting competition called "Battle of the Majors" on Friday Feb. 22nd at 5 pm - 8 pm in WCH 205/206. So gather up your friends, and show them what you got!

Written by: Lamees Alkhamis

Bourns Engineering Volunteers

Bourns Engineering Day involves up to 500 participants each year! That means we need all the help we can get!

If you are interested in helping out in this event please register at:

http://ssedvolunteer2013.eventbrite.com/

Volunteers will receive a free event t-shirt and food.

Some of the volunteers during the speed dating social



All of the members and friends that stayed until the very end of the event

SWEethearts Auction!

Streamers, the colors red and pink, and star balloons turned one of our conference rooms into an area ready for a valentine themed event. The day after Valentine's Day, SWE UCR invited all to attend and participate in the Annual SWE Valentine Auction in order to raise money for our chapter.

Twenty volunteers from other organizations and engineering backgrounds were auctioned off for a fun night of activities, dinner and a movie. The night started with a quick round of speed dating. Volunteers and buyers got a chance to talk with one another before placing their bids. By mingling beforehand, people were more open to bidding on someone who they would enjoy being around for a night. During the event, gifts, such as homemade cupcakes and candy, were given away as raffle prizes.

Once all the volunteers were paired off with their bidders, the newly formed couples began the activities. The first activity involved a balloon relay race. Couples had to guess a song by having one partner hum it and then rush to pop a balloon at the next station. Afterwards, the event ended with a delicious Chinese dinner while watching "50 First Dates." Everyone that attended had a wonderful time playing games, dancing to music and winning prizes.

Written by: Brenda Pena

Upcoming Events

- E-Week Tabling 2/19 12-2pm 2/2012-2pm
 Belltower
- MESA Night 02/20 7-9 pm Bourns Patio
- BMES Dodgeball Tournament
 7-9pm
 Rec Center
- Battle of the Majors 02/22 5-8pm WCH 205/206

These are chances to show your commitment and earn your votes!

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We need you and your vote!

In week nine, SWE will be holding its officer elections for the year of 2013-2014. Our members are encouraged to run for positions that they feel passionate for. This is a wonderful opportunity to get more involved with SWE and gain invaluable leadership experience. The description of the officer positions and the application are listed in our website:

http://www.engr.ucr.edu/~swe/elections2013.htm If you have any questions regarding the position, feel free to come up to the current officers and ask questions.

Below is a list of SWE officer positions: President Vice President Secretary Treasurer (2) Outreach Coordinator (2) Social Chair (2)

Professional Development Chair

Historian Webmaster

