



# WIC Bits



FEBRUARY 9TH, 2018

## Lean In Circle!

**When :** Tuesday, February 13th @ 6:30 PM

**Where :** 1202 Engineering Building

**Details :** Lean In Circles are small group meetings to share and discuss experiences about school, work, and other life events in a supportive, confidential environment. It will be an engaging meeting that lets you meet people, learn about them, and learn about yourself! Pizza will be provided!

**Please RSVP! -> [Facebook Event](#)**

*"People who are crazy enough to think they can change the world are the ones who do."*

**– Rob Siltanen**

## Other Upcoming WIC Events

### **Vertafore Tech Talk -**

Tuesday, February 20th @ 6:30 PM

1202 Engineering Building

## Volunteer Opportunities

### **Introduce a Girl to Engineering -**

WIC is looking for volunteers for the Computer Science activity at Introduce a Girl to Engineering. The activity will include Ollie Bots, Finch Robots, and Light Bots. This will be held on Saturday, February 24th from 12:00pm - 4:00pm in the Engineering Building. Volunteers will get a free t-shirt and pizza for attending. Go to this [link](#) to sign up. When signing up, select 'I was asked to help with a specific activity' under 'volunteer options' and enter 'Harshita Das' for the 'leader name' section. Email Harshita Das, WIC's Outreach Chair, at [dasharsh@msu.edu](mailto:dasharsh@msu.edu) if you have any questions!

### **Career Day at Mt. Hope Elementary -**

WIC is running a presentation and activity at Mt. Hope Elementary for their career Day on Friday, February 23rd. The elementary school is in Lansing, and rides will be provided. The event starts with breakfast at 8:45am, and will conclude by noon. Please email WIC's Outreach Coordinator, Sarah Johanknecht, at [johankn1@msu.edu](mailto:johankn1@msu.edu) if you would like to volunteer or have any questions!

## **Conferences**

### **2018 Robotics: Science and Systems -**

If you are a junior, senior, or first or second year graduate student studying robotics, consider applying for a travel grant to the 2018 Robotics: Science and Systems conference. This conference

is held in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania from June 26-30. It brings together researchers in all areas of robotics for a week of workshops, lectures, poster sessions, and more! The travel grants includes conference registration and reasonable travel costs. Additional information and the application can be found [here](#)! The application deadline is March 5th.

### **MSU CSE Organizations**

#### **Spartan Hackers: TBD**

Go to the Sartan Hackers [Facebook page](#) to stay up to date on their events!

#### **ACM : TBD**

Check out the ACM's [Facebook page](#) for info on upcoming events!