

WIC Bits







SEPTEMBER 22ND, 2017

Lean-In Circle!

When: Tuesday, September 26th

6:30 - 7:30 PM

Where: 1225 Engineering Building

Details: Lean In Circles are small group meetings to share advice 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! We will also be hosting a raffle for those who attend. Pizza will be provided!

"Everything you want is on the other side of fear."

- Jack Canfield

Please RSVP! -> Facebook Event

Other Upcoming WIC Events

Amazon Tech Talk -

When: Tuesday, October 10th @ 6:00 PM

Where: TBA

Message from CSE Student Representative

Hi All,

CSE 498 (Capstone) has plans to expand into the Bob Lab (EB 3340) and the System Administrator office (EB 3322).

With CSE 232 in EB 3345 (Dog) and CSE 231 in EB 3320 (River) this will leave only EB 3203 (Bone) and EB 3353 (Simpson) as available labs.

EB 3353 is typically reserved for lab hours for classes like EE 220 and for consulting hours for CSE 410 and CSE 320. CSE 335 and CSE 331 hold consulting hours in EB 3203 (Bone), along with several 400-level courses.

CSE 450 and CSE 476 both currently have consulting hours in EB 3340 (Bob).

CSE 232 and CSE 231 both have moved their helproom hours to the Hive in Wilson for want of space.

This leaves no space for students to work on homework with peers in a lab easily or even just to socialize.

If you would like to voice your concerns on this you can fill out this <u>Google Form</u> or you can email me at <u>fentonj6@msu.edu</u> and I can represent your views in the CSE Curriculum Committee, as well as forward them on to the rest of the student representatives.

The contact info for all current student representatives can be found here: http://clubs.cse.msu.edu/about/#student-representatives

Cheers,

Jake Fenton

Student Representative to CSE Curriculum Committee

Upcoming MSU CSE Events

USAA Presentation -

When: Tuesday, October 3rd @ 11 AM - 1 PM

Where: 3015 EB

USAA will be presenting on who they are and what they do as a company. They will also be discussing the full time and internship opportunities that are available, and why USAA is a company you should consider for a job in CSE! Pizza will be provided for those who attend!

Scholarship and Fellowship Opportunities

Michigan Council of Women in Technology Foundation Scholarship

The MCWT Foundation offers college scholarships through an application and interview process to qualified young women who are entering or currently majoring in IT fields. Applications will be accepted October 1st to January 31st. Students must be Michigan residents, have a GPA above 3.0, be enrolled in a full time university in Michigan and be a US citizen to be eligible. Visit this <u>link</u> for additional information about the application and review process.

National Center for Women and Information Technology Collegiate Award

The NCWIT Collegiate Award, sponsored by Hewlett Packard Enterprise and Qualcomm,

honors the outstanding computing accomplishments of undergraduate and graduate women. Conferred annually, this award recognizes the technical contributions to projects that demonstrate a high level of creativity and potential impact. The application is now open! Select a technical project you have worked on in or out of school to apply. Visit this link to learn more and submit your application!

KPCB Fellows Program

Kleiner Perkins, a world-leading venture capital firm located in Silicon Valley, just announced they are accepting applications for the 2018 KPCB Engineering Fellows Program! This program is a career defining opportunity for technical students who are interested in pursuing high technology, entrepreneurship, design and startups. This program matches students to companies like Coursera, Slack, Airbnb, and Pinterest. Additionally, this small cohort of Fellows will gain exclusive access to events and programming within Kleiner Perkins. Be sure to watch this quick video to learn more! Visit this link to apply.

Rewriting the Code Fellowship

If you are an undergraduate woman pursuing a major that could lead to a career in tech, this program is for you. If you're ready to gain valuable technical experience, be part of a community, and build relationships that will last a lifetime, then apply to the Rewriting the Code Fellowship. This fellowship is a year-long program that provides the opportunity to intern at top tech companies across a variety of industries and gain essential personal and confidence-building skills needed to excel in the

tech industry. To learn more and apply, click here.

Job Postings

General Mills

General Mills is currently hiring for internships and full-time opportunities. Summer interns at General Mills work on real projects that span a wide range of technology, from mobile and web development to .NET, SAP, databases and infrastructure. They provide tech training to ensure that each intern has the skills they need to complete their project. Their full-time hires take part in a rotational program where they are given the opportunity to work with several different business areas and technologies. They have open positions for Application Developers, Application Analyst and Infrastructure Specialists. Contact WIC alumni Devan Sayles at Devan.Sayles@genmills.com for more info.

MATRIX, Center for Digital Humanities and Social Sciences

MATRIX is a research center at MSU that develops and adapts technology to promote research and teaching in several social science disciplines. They are looking to hire student web developers! MATRIX offers competitive hourly pay and a flexible schedule to accommodate students' class schedules. As a student developer, you will get exposure to real projects and deploy real code that will be used by clients around the globe. No extensive experience is needed to apply. Send your resume to Josh Christ at christj2@msu.edu if you are interested. Check out their website for more information.

Hackathon Information

BoilerMake

BoilerMake is a hackathon held at Purdue University from September 29th - October 1st. This hackathon brings over 500 hackers from across the country under one roof for one incredible weekend! Check out this website if for more information and fill out this form if you are interested in attending!

MSU CSE Organizations

Spartan Hackers: Office Hours

When: 8:30 - 9:30 PM

Where: 1225 Engineering Building

Details: Next week Spartan Hackers will hold Office Hours. You can bring your side projects or homework to this event. Spartan Hackers will help you connect with people who know about the technologies you are using!

ACM : Test Driven Development with Atomic Object

When: 7:30 - 8:30 PM

Where: 1225 Engineering Building

Details: Test-driven development has been around since the 1960s. It's a critical practice for any conscientious, professional development team. And yet, its value is widely misunderstood. This talk will discuss what TDD is, why you should want to use it, and some ways Atomic Object uses automation to efficiently produce great software.

