



WIC Bits



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"I've come to believe that each of us has a personal calling that's as unique as a fingerprint – and that the best way to succeed is to discover what you love and then find a way to offer it to others in the form of service [and] working hard."

-Oprah Winfrey,
talk show host,
producer, and
philanthropist

Lean In Circle!

When : Tuesday, March 21st @ 6 PM

Where : 2243 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.

This month's meeting will reflect on Chapter 11 of Lean In and we will be discussing how we can work together towards equality.

RSVP Here! -> [Facebook Event](#)

Michigan Celebration of Women in Computing (MICWIC)

When : March 31st - April 1st

Where : East Lansing, MI

Details : This biennial conference will be held at Michigan State University this year! There will be presentations, panel discussions, a poster

session, and opportunities for career exploration. They welcome participation by anyone interested in learning about the rewards of careers in computing fields or in advancing technology through broader representation of women. There will also be a career fair that features both regional and national companies and many Michigan colleges and universities.

If you are interested in attending, registration is now open and is \$25. WIC is able to sponsor registration costs for a certain number of members, so watch for the **application for sponsorship** which will be going out soon. Everyone must pay for their own registration initially and then those who are sponsored will be reimbursed for a max of \$15.

[Registration Link](#)

Other Upcoming MSU WIC Events

Ford Tech Talk -

Tuesday, March 28th @ 6 PM

2243 Engineering Building

Job Postings

MATRIX, Center for Digital Humanities and Social Sciences

MATRIX offers competitive hourly pay and a flexible schedule to accommodate students' class schedules.

Front-End Developers Wanted

MATRIX is currently looking for Front-End Web Developers who are motivated to combine the art of design with the art of programming. Responsibilities will include translation of visual compositions into interactive and responsive implementations. You will work with UI/UX designers and back-end developers in

order to bridge the gap between graphical design and technical implementation, taking an active role on both sides and defining how the application looks as well as how it works.

See the complete job description here:

<https://msu.joinhandshake.com/jobs/576907>

Back-End Web Developers Wanted

MATRIX is currently looking for Back-End Web Developers who are motivated to learn about the ever growing field of web application development. Responsibilities will include programming of new and existing site infrastructures and database management. You will work with other back-end (and front-end) developers to implement the functionality of web applications while meeting efficiency and security standards.

See the complete job description here:

<https://msu.joinhandshake.com/jobs/609081>

Michigan Council of Women in Technology Summer Internship Program

This program matches college student interns with intern openings at MCWT partner companies and enables you to apply your tech-savvy skills, explore career niches, gain professional experience and build strong connections. It will also provide you with a friendly and collaborative working environment where your leadership, communication, teamwork, analytical and technical skills will be enhanced. This internship will help you gain valuable industry experience and shape your future career possibilities.

You must be a full-time first- or second-year female college student with a 3.0 GPA or better pursuing computer science or an equivalent as a major at a Michigan college or university. Additional qualifications include having a general knowledge of standard office applications (e.g. PowerPoint, Excel, project) and an understanding of basic IT skills (e.g. coding, data, hardware/software, process).

You will gain vital experience in new technologies,

work in professional teams and develop presentations and communications. It will be a great opportunity to become an integral part of the Michigan Council of Women in Technology Foundation organization with fellow members, interns, partner companies, and key members of Michigan's technology industry.

You are invited to submit your resume to: MCWTintern@mcwt.org. You are encouraged to submit as soon as possible for consideration. They will be conducting rolling reviews to match candidates to available intern positions. The internship will run in the June to September 2017 timeframe for a minimum 6 weeks with possible extension options. Should you have any questions, please contact MCWTintern@mcwt.org.

MSU CSE Game Design Minor

Deadline : March 31st

Link : <http://gamedev.msu.edu/apply/>

Details : Do you still need to figure out what your cognate is? Do you enjoy video games or are you interested in developing one yourself? MSU offers a Game Design and Development Minor that would allow you to explore what it takes to be a video game developer! The application for this minor is open to rising Juniors and the deadline to apply is the end of this month.

Upcoming MSU CSE Events

Spartasoft : Tech Talk with Artix Entertainment, LLC

When : Friday, March 17th

5:00 PM

Where : 154 Communication Arts and Sciences

Details : Artix Entertainment, LLC is an independent video game developer and publisher founded by Adam Bohn in October 2002. It is best known for creating

browser-based role-playing video games—including AdventureQuest, DragonFable, MechQuest, and AdventureQuest Worlds—using Adobe Flash. Come for an interesting talk, free swag, and game giveaways!

Spartan Hackers : VIM Workshop with Steven Kneiser

When : Tuesday, March 21st

7:10 PM

Where : 1345 Engineering Building

Details : This upcoming week Spartan Hackers will be hosting a VIM workshop presented by Steven Kneiser! Come on out to learn more about using VIM and enjoy some pizza and pop! Pizza provided by Spartan Innovations!

RSVP Here! -> [Facebook Event](#)

Spartasoft : TBD

When : Wednesday, March 22nd

7:00 PM

Where : 154 Communication Arts and Sciences

Details : Stay up to date with Spartasoft events through their [Facebook](#) page! They tend to post what their event is for the week around Tuesday/Wednesday!

ACM : Tech Talk with Techsmith

When : Thursday, March 23rd

7:00 PM

Where : 1145 Engineering Building

Details : Stay up to date with this event and all future ACM events through their [Facebook](#) page!

Upcoming Industry Events

Google Games

When : Sunday, April 2nd from 10 AM - 5 PM

Where : Google Chicago Office-320 N Morgan St
#600, Chicago, IL

Details : Google Games is a fun annual day-long event where teams compete against other students from Illinois Institute of Technology, DePaul University, Michigan State University, Kalamazoo College, Western Michigan, University of Illinois at Chicago, Milwaukee School of Engineering, University of Wisconsin Milwaukee and Wisconsin Lutheran College in coding, puzzles and word association games. What started in Mountain View 10 years ago has now grown to 14 locations and 18 events across North America. For our 10 year anniversary, the theme is "Top Secret Mission," so make sure to throw on your best gear from your favorite spy lab and get ready for an action-packed event!

Here's what you'll need to do by

EOD Wednesday, March 22nd, 2017:

- Assemble a team of five freshman, sophomore, and or/junior students from your school (having a CS background is strongly recommended).
- [Pick a team name and register here](#) (each team member must register individually).
- Check out the details and FAQs [here](#)