President
Hello and Welcome to the Society of Women Engineers!

My name is Kaitlin and I am the President of SWE for this school year. I am a senior in Materials Science and Engineering with a concentration in Biomedical Materials. I joined SWE and the end of my freshman year and I have never regretted my choice! I have made a ton of friends and learned so much from SWE. I hope you all continue to come to the meetings and get involved. For those of you who are freshman, don’t freak out about classes. Just do your best and everything will work out :) If you would like to join National SWE, the website is http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/ and select membership. Also for more information about our Region H check out the blog site: http://regionh.wordpress.com/. Please ask me any question you may have about SWE. Have a great start to the new year!

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Vice President
Hi Girls, Welcome to SWE!

I am the Vice President of SWE this year, and my responsibility is to schedule presenters for the meetings. If you have at topic or presenter you would like to see, let me know! A schedule of all the meetings for the fall can be picked up today, make sure you keep it somewhere handy. A little about myself, I am a senior in Chemical Engineering, concentrating in Food Science, and I am from Rochester, NY. My favorite Dairy Store flavor is Buckeye Blitz.

BP is presenting today about Getting Prepared for the Career Fair. Our presenter, Bernice Kachur, is an MSU alum, graduating with a degree in Chemical Engineering in 1992. She also has a MSE from Tulane University in Chemical Engineering. Bernice has been working with BP for 13 years at the Toledo refinery in Ohio. Her current title is LP Developer, a role that focuses on improving refinery optimization through the use of a linear model.

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Secretary
Welcome to SWE! My name is Sarah and I am a senior in Civil Engineering with a concentration in transportation. The Society of Women Engineers is a great place to make friends, learn about the corporate world, and be involved outside of classes. If you have any questions, we are definitely willing to help! I look forward to getting to know all of you this year 😊

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Treasurer
Hello SWEsters!

I hope all of you are excited for this Fall semester and all of the fun activities SWE is working on. I hope everyone is thinking of cool t-shirt ideas because we will start asking for idea before you know it! There are two of us in the Treasurer position and here is a little bit of info about us.

Kim: I am a Senior from White Lake Michigan. I have been part of SWE for 4 years now and this is my second year on e-board.
Gabbi: I am a Senior and studying Chemical Engineering. I have been on the e-board for 3 years.

We are looking forward to meeting everyone and doing some fun activities through SWE.

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Community Service
Hey SWE members! We are your community service co-chairs for this year, Ramy and Nicole. Ramy is a senior majoring in Chemical Engineering. Nicole is a senior studying Construction Management. As community service co-chairs, we are planning some really great activities this year that will get SWE members out and working with the community to do service for those that are in need. This year we plan to work with Habitat for Humanity on a rehab house and continuing our work at the Ronald McDonald House. We are going to try and have lots of exciting volunteer opportunities this year. If you have any volunteer ideas or questions, please feel free to contact us!

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Outreach
Welcome back from your Outreach Co-Chairs!

Christina, Liz, and Lindsay are seniors in Chemical Engineering. Christina is from Battle Creek, Michigan, and just finished up her second internship with Albemarle. After graduation, she will be working full-time for Albemarle in the Technology department of their refinery catalyst business in Houston, Texas. Liz is from Haslett, Michigan. She has been doing research for Dr. Walton for the past 3 years. She is going to medical school after graduation and plans on becoming a doctor. Lindsay is from Shelby Twp, Michigan and just finished a summer internship with L’Oreal in the Corporate Industrial Quality department. After graduating, she will be working full-time for L’Oreal in their Management Development Program. We look forward to meeting all of you, and are excited for a fun year with SWE!!

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Social
Hey SWE!!! We are going to have a lot of fun social events this year that we hope you will all enjoy! We are your social co-chairs for this year. Maureen is a senior in Biosystems engineering and Sarah is a senior in Chemical engineering. This is the first year on SWE E-board for the both of us, and we are excited about getting more involved. Our role in the group is to plan social events that allow everyone to get to know each other and bond as a group, as well as have a good time and give us a little break from all the studying we do as engineers. In addition to the social events, we have put together a program for the new SWE members to help them get better acquainted and more involved with MSU, engineering, and SWE. We will pair up new SWE members with E-board or old SWE members as SWE buddies. The old SWE member will send out reminders for meetings and events. Buddies are welcome and encouraged to meet up on their own as well. If you’re interested in participating, watch for the sign up at today’s meeting. We hope to make this year a great one! If you have any ideas, questions, concerns, or comments, feel free to contact one of us!

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Member Relations/SEC/Publicity
Welcome everyone! I hope school is starting off well for all of you! My name is Casey, I'm a Junior studying Environmental Engineering. I'm your Member Relations/Publicity/SEC representative. My advice to all of you, is to sign up to be a national member, there are a lot of great benefits! As a national member you can get points for showing up to our events and meetings, and have the opportunity to go to different conferences throughout the year! So be on the look out for upcoming SWE events, and make sure to sign up to be a national member or you don't get the prizes!

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Corporate Relations
My name is Danielle Vasko and I am your Corporate Relations Chair for this year. I am a senior in Chemical Engineering. My job is to arrange for meetings with companies outside of general meetings. I hope everyone gets involved this year with all the great events SWE has planned! Have a great semester!

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Banquet
Hello Ladies! We are your Banquet Co-chairs. Cori is a 5th-year senior in Chemical Engineering. She just returned from India where she conducted research on non-destructive evaluation at the Indian Institute of Technology. She hopes to enter graduate school in the fall of 2012. Alexa is a junior in Biomedical Engineering and will be working on a co-op at DePuy Orthopaedics for the semester. We have an exciting event called “Wow! That’s Engineering” coming up in November and hope that you all can get involved. More information will be available in a few weeks.

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Great Lakes State Conference
Welcome to SWE!
We are your Great Lakes State co-chairs, our names are Julie Motz and Megan Buczkowski! Julie is a junior studying Materials Science and Engineering with a concentration in Metallurgical Engineering. Megan is a senior in Materials Science and Engineering with a concentration in Biomedical Materials. Their advice for this year would be to find a way to get organized – Megan’s favorite is a planner. We hope you have a great time getting involved with SWE this year, you will be hearing more from us as the spring conference approaches.

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Webmaster
Hi Everyone! My name is Katie Worley and I am a senior double majoring in chemical engineering and human biology. I have been the webmaster for the past two years and would like to invite you to check out our website http://www.egr.msu.edu/~swe/cgi-bin/index.php

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SWE Advisor
Hi Everyone,

My name is Judy Cordes, and I am the SWE Advisor as well as the Coordinator for the Women in Engineering Program. My role is to assist SWE with planning events and activities and serve as a liaison to corporations and the College and University. I hope you will enjoy your time in SWE! Remember, the more you get involved, the more you get out of the group! Feel free to drop by my office in 1340 Egr. Bldg if you have any questions.

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