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Calendar

NOV 15, Tues - **CCE Graduate School Forum.** Are you thinking about going to graduate school, but are unsure about if and why you should go? Then come see a short presentation of graduate programs in civil and construction engineering followed by a session where current graduate students and professionals from industry answer your questions about the pros and cons of pursuing a graduate degree. 112 Kearney Hall, 6-8pm; food and bevs provided. Event sponsored by Chi Epsilon. Questions, contact Prof. Michael Scott.

NOV 18-20 - **Dad's Weekend.**

NOV 19, Sat - Wave Lab Open House, 10 am – 12 pm.

NOV 19, Sat - **AGC Tailgate,** hosted by the AGC Student Chapter – two hours before kickoff! Valley Center Parking Lot, Spot 245, near the Valley Center football entrance - look for the AGC tent. Please RSVP by Nov. 16 to Margie House, OSU, or Christina Devlin, AGC staff. Lunch and beverages provided.

NOV 19, Sat - **Thanksgiving Thunder Rough Stock Rodeo,** Benton County Fairgrounds, 6pm.

Seminar

NOV 16, Wed - "Tsunami Loading on Wood Frame Walls and the Impact on Future Building Codes," presented by Mr. David Linton, MS Dual Major Candidate. 115 Richardson Hall, 4-5 pm. Read abstract here.

In the News

**Congratulations** to Prof. David Trejo, our new **Acting School Head.** David fills in for Prof. Scott Ashford, who was selected as interim dean for the College of Engineering.

Opportunities

NOV 14, Mon - **Science Pub: Vine to Glass.** Old World Deli, 6-8pm.

NOV 14-18 - **International Education Week** - 27 events organized by more than a dozen student-led organizations and departments. These events highlight various facets of international education and internationalization at OSU, and also address practical considerations that come with international mobility.

NOV 15, Tues – **Engineering Education & Career Opportunities in Asia.** As tremendous growth takes place in China, India and Indonesia, engineering education and career opportunities within the region also continue to expand. Meet three international engineering students (and International Cultural Service Program scholars) who will discuss some of the engineering related industries, ‘state of the art’ technologies and study abroad opportunities that are available in Asia. MU International
Resource Center, 12-1 pm.

NOV 15, Tues - Linn Benton Food Share Food Packing Service Project. Help package bulk foods into smaller bags to be distributed to people in need. The service project will run from 5 to 7 pm. Vans will leave campus at 4:30 pm from the MU and return at 7:30 pm to the MU. RSVP for this service project at beaver.volunteer@oregonstate.edu. Indicate if you need transportation.

CECOP Supplemental Selection - The CECOP program is seeking students interested in surveying internships for selection to the CECOP program. Accepted students will complete two, six month internships in surveying. The first internship will be during summer and fall terms of 2012. Eligible students must be a Junior, in pro-school. Applications are currently available on the CECOP website and must be completed by Tuesday, November 16. Contact Niki Schulz (niki.schulz@oregonstate.edu) or the CECOP program office with questions.

Opportunity for Undergraduates - Undergraduate Research, Innovation, Scholarship and Creativity (URISC): START program for Winter/Spring Term(s) 2011-12. This program is open to first year students, sophomores, and students who have recently transferred to OSU from other institutions. Deadline: Dec. 2. View guidelines: http://oregonstate.edu/research/incentive/urisc_start.htm. Information contact debbie.delmore@oregonstate.edu

Sign up for the FE Review - if you are thinking of taking the FE exam then you will want to take the FE Review course sponsored by the OSU chapter of the Institute of Industrial Engineers (IIE). You must register for the exam by Dec 1 and for the review sessions by Dec 3. For more information, email the IIE FE Review team.

Advising

Prepare for Finals - It’s not too early to make a plan so make a coaching appointment. Make a study plan; Avoid cramming; Learn time management and study tips. There are three ways to set up an appointment. (1) Call 737-2272 – get an appointment right away! (2) Stop by the Academic Success Center 102 Waldo Hall. (3) Email a coach at osu.success.coach@gmail.com and include your phone number for a call back.

Phase I registration has begun. Do you have your registration PIN? Sandy will be out Nov. 25 – Dec. 9, please sign up now if you are planning on meeting with Sandy! Theresa will be available by appointment while Sandy is out.

- Students who had an OSU GPA above 2.5 during Spring 2011 can pick up their PIN from Julie in Owen 220
- New students, those not enrolled Spring term, or with a Spring 2011 term GPA below 2.5 must sign up for an advising appointment
- Appointments are available at: http://cce.oregonstate.edu/students/undergrad/advising/signup. If you make an appointment, please remember to come in!

FE / FLS exam registration – deadline Dec. 1 for the April Exam. Summer 2012 graduates are not eligible for the April exam. The required signature / stamp for the application can be obtained in BAT 151. Registration information available at: www.oregon.gov/OSBEELS/registration.shtml

Course information:
- WR 327, Technical Writing, has two sections reserved for engineering students during Winter term. CRNs 35881 and 30209. Email cce_advising@oregonstate.edu with questions.
- ALS 295, Last Year Experience, will be offered Winter term and is targeted at students graduating this year.
- BA 468, Technology Commercialization, is available winter term. The
course seeks 10 engineering students for a “hands-on” opportunity to develop a commercialization plan for new technology from the OSU portfolio and other sources. BA 468 is a 4 credit course and counts as the elective course for CE students seeking the BA minor, and is an option for the COB UD elective for CEM students. If you have questions, contact John Turner at 737-9219 or john.turner@bus.oregonstate.edu

- **CE 580, Wood Design**, will be offered Winter term and counts as a technical elective. A listing of CE, CCE and CEM courses available is posted on the [CCE Website Current Students page](#).

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### Student Groups

**NOV 14, Mon - AGC Recruitment Night**, MU Basement, 6:30 to 8:00pm. Free bowling, pool, and food provided! Vouchers provided to CCE students by AGC officers. Take a break from studying for your midterms and come have fun with the AGC Officers and other members. The goal of the AGC Recruitment Night is to allow freshmen, sophomores, and new students to the school of CCE to meet with upperclassmen from the CEM program. If you have any questions please contact Bryan Pendergrass.

**NOV 15, Tues - Team of Construction Volunteer (TCV) Officer Recruitment Meeting**, 205 Kearney Hall, 6-7:00pm. TCV will provide pizza and soda. Team of Construction Volunteers is electing four new officers for this school year. TCV has participated in three international volunteer projects over the past three years: two projects in Guatemala and one project in Thailand. TCV is actively pursuing a project in Central or South America for Spring Break 2012. The organization will also start local projects with Habitat for Humanity in the beginning of 2012. TCV is looking for students who have passion for construction and volunteering. It is NOT a requirement that you have pervious construction experience. The officer positions that are being elected are:

- Treasurer/Secretary
- Fundraising Chair
- Social Chair
- Alumni Relations

If you have any questions please contact Bryan Pendergrass.

**AGC Speaker Meetings**

- Hamilton Construction - Wednesday, November 16 at 6pm in 112 Kearney Hall
- Webcor Builders - Thursday, November 17 at 6pm in 212 Kearney Hall

**AGC Members** - The annual **AGC Dad’s Weekend Tailgater** is right around the corner! The event will take place on Saturday, November 19th from 10:30am until kick-off at 12:30pm. Please come join us for some great food, prizes, and fun. The location of the tailgater is right next to the Valley Football Center located on the west side of Reser Stadium. We will have a couple tents set up with AGC logos. All food and beverages will be provided (21+ for alcohol), and everyone attending will be eligible to receive raffle prizes. This event is also a great way to network with industry professionals, and get to know your fellow classmates. Please bring your dads too! Hope to see everyone on Saturday!

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### Interviews

**Hamilton Construction** will be interviewing for Full Time and Summer Internship opportunities on Thursday, November 17th. Stop by Kearney 101 with your resume to sign up.

**Webcor Builders** will be interviewing on Friday, November 18th. Stop by Kearney Hall 101 with your resume to sign up.
Jobs

COE Undergraduate Programs Office is seeking a Student Office Worker. Read details here. Deadline to apply is 12/1/2011.


Go Beavs!

Forward newsletter submissions to nancy.brickman@oregonstate.edu by Friday each week. Prior newsletters archived at http://cce.oregonstate.edu/news/