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## Calendar

OCT 8, Tues - **CCE Faculty Meeting**, 311 Kearney Hall Library, 4pm.

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## In the News

OSU Pistol Club coach [Jordan Jones](#) hopes to receive an invitation to the national competition. ([OSU Barometer](#))

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## Welcome

Our ever-expanding CCE School welcomes several new faculty and staff, joining us in both Kearney and Owen Hall;

- Dr. **Sal Hernandez** joins us from the University of Texas at El Paso and earned his PhD from Purdue University in 2010. Sal will join our transportation group and is an expert in freight, with emphasis in safety and logistics. He is developing novel modeling and assessment tools that will integrate traffic safety early in the transportation planning process to mitigate crashes and reduce infrastructure costs.
- Dr. **Shane Brown** joins us from the Washington State University where he has been for the past several years teaching in Civil Engineering. Shane earned his PhD right here in Corvallis. Shane is an expert in engineering education and is recognized for both his research and teaching expertise, with a National Science Foundation CAREER Award and the prestigious ASCE ExCEED National New Faculty Excellence in Teaching Award.
- **Janice Nave-Abele** joined us last May as an academic advisor, previously from Physics. Janice received her Bachelor of Arts, History from OSU and has a Masters of Arts in Teaching from Western Oregon University.
- **Timothea Lapham** started advising part-time last March and recently accepted a full time academic advisor position. She received her Bachelors from Montana State University, Bozeman Montana in Health and Human Development and most recently graduated from OSU with a Master of Science Degree in Student Services Administration.
- **Jennifer Beck** is our new Assistant to the School Head, who previously served as an executive assistant at a hospital in Springfield. Upcoming projects include ABET, faculty promotion and tenure, and streamlining Scott Ashford's calendar.
- **Michael Collins** returns to OSU (formerly Dept of Athletics) after a brief hiatus at WOU as Associate Athletic Director-External Relations, and will be the School's lead media and PR contact. He will write articles on our faculty research, in addition to compiling the weekly CCE newsletter, our CCE web page and marketing materials.

# Opportunities

Fall application for winter term admission to the CEM professional program are [now available on the College of Engineering website](#). Deadline is Friday, November 1, 2013.

OCT 13, Sun – Join [Great Pumpkin Run](#), where proceeds go to Home Life, a local nonprofit that provides residential and support services for adults with developmental disabilities. This is a 10K run, 5K run/walk and a 1K family fun run.

OCT 14, Mon – [Science Pub](#), “Finding Our Way Through the Controversy over Genetic Engineering in Agriculture: The good, the bad, and the righteous,” Majestic Theater, 6pm.

NOV 9, Sat - [Meet-a-Civil Engineer Day](#) at OSU! Recruitment and networking opportunity with students from OSU, PSU, OIT & U of P, keynote address, and refreshments. Kearney Hall, 2-4pm. *RSVP by October 25* to [Jakob Walter](#) or [Tom Miller](#).

**From College to Careers: Workshop for Women in Technology.** Please join our panel of dynamic women in technology for an engaging afternoon and lively discussion. They will share their insights on technology careers and reveal how to go after the job of your dreams and get it! OCT 30, 3pm. CH2M HILL Alumni Center Ballroom. Refreshments provided. Accommodations for disabilities may be made by calling 541-737-3617, preferably one week in advance. Register at [www.netappsled.com/OSU](http://www.netappsled.com/OSU)

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# Student Groups

OCT 7, Mon - **Steel Bridge Meeting**, for all who are interested in designing, analyzing, and fabricating the 2014 OSU Steel Bridge. 101 Owen Hall, 6pm. This is the first meeting where we will explain what we do and our goals for 2014. We have some T-shirts to give away and pizza!

OCT 7, Mon – **AGC Speaker Meeting.** *Mortenson Construction Company*, 112 Kearney Hall, 6pm. Lauren Farmen (101 Kearney) is accepting resumes for full time and internship positions with Mortenson; deadline to apply is October 4. Their on-campus interviews will be held on October 25. Interview sign-ups will take place during the speaker meeting and at the Engineering Career Fair on October 24.

OCT 8, Tues - **AGC General Meeting and Officer Elections**, with a special presentation by the AGC Oregon-Columbia Chapter. 112 Kearney Hall, at 5pm & 6pm.

OCT 9, Wed – **AGC Speaker Meeting.** *Andersen Construction Company*, 212 Kearney Hall, 6pm. Their on-campus interviews for full time and internship positions will be held on November 13 & 14. Interview sign-ups will take place during the speaker meeting and at the Engineering Career Fair on October 24.

OCT 9, Wed - **ITE Business Meeting**, 212 Kearney Hall, 6:00pm. Please join us for our first meeting of the year! We will be discussing upcoming events and new volunteer positions. We will also be holding elections for Webmaster and Undergraduate Student Outreach positions. Snacks and refreshments provided.

OCT 10, Thurs - **EERI Elections** (Earthquake Engineering Research Institute). 205 Kearney Hall, 4pm. The positions that will be filled are: President, Treasurer and Secretary. If you have any questions see Dr. Miller.

OCT 10, Thurs – **AREMA Speaker Meeting** (American Railway and Maintenance-of-way Association), 312 Kearney Hall, 5:30pm. AREMA students will give an overview of the chapter and talk about activities and opportunities available through the group. Bill Roe, a vice president of Union Pacific Railroad, will discuss internships and jobs in the rail industry and will be available to chat with students. Food and drinks provided.

OCT 10, Thurs – **AGC Speaker Meeting**. *PCL*, 112 Kearney Hall, 6pm. Interview date(s) are TBD.

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## Jobs

(all current jobs posted at <http://cce.oregonstate.edu/civil-construction-jobs>)

**Engineer in Training** - RedBuilt is seeking an "Engineer in Training" at their Boise, ID office. For more information and directions on how to apply, go to:

[http://www.redbuilt.com/images/careers/Corporate%20EIT%20posting\\_130924.pdf](http://www.redbuilt.com/images/careers/Corporate%20EIT%20posting_130924.pdf)

**Granite Construction Company** is seeking a full time employee. All business and engineering students are welcome to apply. The position will be based out of their Vancouver, WA office. The new hire will deal with the "business aspect" or their plants and aggregate business, but an engineering background will be advantageous. **Please send your resume to [lauren.farmen@oregonstate.edu](mailto:lauren.farmen@oregonstate.edu)**, or bring to Kearney 101B. The deadline to apply is **October 21, 2013**.

Go Beavs!

Forward newsletter submissions to [michael.collins@oregonstate.edu](mailto:michael.collins@oregonstate.edu) by **Friday** each week. Prior newsletters archived at <http://cce.oregonstate.edu/news-events>