

SWE Officers

2015-2016

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Calendar

March 16, 5pm

Vino Van Gogh Night
Hy-Vee, 4218 Ave of the Cities, Moline

March 29

Leadership Panel – Working Globally

April 23, 8am or 12pm

Habitat for Humanity

April

Toastmasters Speaker

May

Moline Water Treatment Plant Tour

June

Networking Mixer

October 27-29

SWE National Conference
Philadelphia, PA

March 10-12, 2017

SWE Region H Conference
University of Michigan



Section Meeting March 29: Leadership Panel on Working Globally

Join us for a leadership panel to learn about working globally from engineering managers who have worked worldwide as engineers and have lead international teams. Participants are encouraged to bring questions about working in the global arena such as how to successfully work on global virtual teams and high impact ex-pat assignments.

Our esteemed panelists include:

- **Alaena A. Ensey**, Asst. Chief, Design Branch, Army Corps of Engineers
- **Ryan Mackin**, Team Lead for Combine System Engineering, Deere & Company
- **Pushpa Manukonda**, Global Lead for Technology Innovation Strategy & Product Engineering Technologies, Deere & Company

Dinner – catered by Café Fresh - at the Butterworth Center will follow the panel.

Tuesday, March 29th, 6pm
Butterworth Center
1105 8th St, Moline, IL
Meeting cost: \$10 for SWE members, \$15 for guests

RSVP by March 17 to SWEQuadCities@gmail.com.

Call for FY2017 Cabinet Member Candidates

We are now accepting nominations for all positions on the 2016/2017 SWE Quad Cities / Muscatine cabinet. The elected roles include President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Section Representative, and voting will take place in April. Taking a leadership role with the local section is a great opportunity to continue developing leadership skills and give back to our community. Many of the cabinet members choose to plan a monthly meeting in addition to the responsibilities listed below.

President:

- Represent section as needed and preside at meetings of the section
- Appoint committee chairs and approve members
- Coordinate section meetings and activities
- Review year-end financial report
- Time commitment: 8-10 hours / month

Vice President:

- Assume duties of president if president is unable to serve, and typically transitions to president the following fiscal year
- Assist with coordinating section meetings for the year
- Perform other duties as assigned by president
- Time commitment: 2-4 hours / month

Secretary:

- Maintain records of the section, including newsletter
- Perform other duties as assigned by president
- Time commitment: 6-8 hours / month

Treasurer:

- Be responsible for collection and distribution of funds
- Report on financial position of the section
- Submit financial report to the Society
- Time commitment: 4-6 hours / month

Section Representative:

- Perform duties as assigned by region governance
- Perform other duties as assigned by president
- Time commitment: 2-4 hours / month

If interested in a position, please contact Amanda Clegg at CleggAmandaJ@JohnDeere.com by Tuesday, March 29th to be included on the ballot.



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Vino Van Gogh – March 16, 5pm

There are still a few spots left! Come show off your painting skills (existent or not) and sip wine with us. A \$30 fee must be pre-paid to reserve your spot. Sign up here: <http://tinyurl.com/VinoVanGogh>

Habitat for Humanity (SWE Day) – April 23

On April 23rd, our section will give back to our community by volunteering at the Moline Habitat House. The shifts for the Moline house are blocked out for just our section, so be sure to block out your calendar as well to join us! Work may include framing, installing windows/siding/doors, insulating and hanging drywall, painting, flooring, finish carpentry, or landscaping. However, no prior experience is necessary. Habitat provides the tools, safety equipment and on-site training. You can sign up online for the morning or afternoon (or both) on April 23rd at <http://vmx.me/TAVX9T8L>.



Morning Session: April 23, 8-11:30am
Afternoon Session: 12-3:30pm
335 4th Ave, Moline, IL



Recent Section Awards

Membership Retention Award (SWE Region H)- We are proud to announce that our section received the Membership Retention Award at the Region H conference at UW-Platteville the last weekend in February.

Society of the Year Award (Quad Cities Engineering & Science Council) – As part of the E-Week Quad Cities Engineering & Science Council Banquet, Illinois Lt. Gov. Evelyn Sanguinetti and Iowa Lt. Gov. Kim Reynolds presented the Quad Cities/Muscatine SWE section with the Society of the Year award. 2015 was an exceptional year for the section – professional development and volunteering, sponsoring 2 scholarships for the first time, and record-setting membership numbers. The banquet and award was a wonderful way to celebrate our accomplishments and involvement in the QCA engineering community.



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