Advisement Newsletter
March 11, 2021

Upcoming Events:

Ask an Expert: Salary Negotiations -TODAY!
Thursday, March 11, 2021 | 4pm | ZOOM, Register here
When you are getting your first job offer, many don't know that there are things that they can negotiate within their job offer. And if they do, many don't know how to do it. In this session we will go over how to discuss these topics the best way, focusing on negotiating your salary.

Student Innovator of the Year (SIOY) Public Showcase
Friday, March 12 – Tuesday, March 16, 2021 | Facebook
View online the projects that our teams have created and get a chance to vote on your favorite! Voting will begin at noon on Friday, March 12th, and voting will end at noon on Tues, March 16th. Projects will be premiered here (SIOY website).

Society of Women Engineers: Breaking the Myths About Grad School
Tuesday, March 16, 2021 | 5:30pm | RSVP here, ZOOM Link

"When Culture Meets Innovation"
Monday, March 22, 2021 | 12pm | ZOOM Link
The BYU Creativity, Innovation, and Design Group is hosting "When Culture Meets Innovation," presented by Eric Dahlin, Associate Professor in the BYU Department of Sociology. The link will become active the day of the event.

Student Innovator of the Year (SIOY) Final Competition
Wednesday, March 24, 2021 | 3-5pm | Facebook Live
The finalist SIOY teams will give their presentation to judges in front of a large crowd. Each finalist team will receive $4,000 just for competing in the final event. Finals competition winners will receive total cash awards of 1st place - $12,000, 2nd place - $10,000, 3rd place - $8,000, and Crowd Favorite - $2,000. Follow our Facebook Page here to receive updates for the event.

Ask an Expert: Understanding Your Job Offer
Thursday, March 25, 2021 | 2-4pm | ZOOM, Register here
Come learn from Career Directors as they guide you through a job offer and how to understand your next steps.

“The Future of Clean Energy from Multiple Perspectives” Panel Discussion
Come and participate in a panel discussion on the vision of the transition to renewable energy and potential problems. The panel members each have a different viewpoint including from a utility company, the government, and corporations. Panel members include: Thom Carter (Executive Director of the Governor’s Office of Energy Development and Energy Advisor), Travis Ball (Director, Provo City Power), Willard MacDonald (VP of Solar Labs at Sunrun), and Reid Worthen (Autonomous Vehicles Program Management - Electrified Powertrain Engineer at Ford Motor Company).

ECEn 240 Add Codes
As Spring registration opens up, all students planning to enroll in ECEn 240 will need to obtain an add code from Janalyn Mergist, ECEn Academic Advisor. Please request via email, janalyn@ee.byu.edu. In order to be eligible, you will need a minimum B average in the pre-reqs of Math 112, Math 113, Physics 121, Physics 220, and CS 142 or a minimum B average in Math 113, Physics 220, and CS 142. Please provide your name and BYU ID #, also current grade in any pre-reqs you are currently enrolled in (snapshot of Learning Suite).

Experiential Learning Opportunities:

Clubs:
Society of Women Engineers: Breaking the Myths About Grad School
Tuesday, March 16, 2021 | 5:30pm | RSVP here, ZOOM Link
Curious about Grad School? Wondering how to hand applications? Have questions that female BYU Grad Students can answer? Join us March 16th as we hear from female engineering grad students right here at BYU! This will be a wonderful, informative opportunity to be able to connect with female engineers you wouldn't get the chance to normally! We will be raffling Crumbl Cookies and a Big Prize to those who attend. Don't miss out!

Employment & Internship Opportunities:
For the latest jobs and internship postings, please visit Handshake - BYU’s online job board. Employers who want to hire BYU graduates or offer internships to current students post job openings and campus events to this website, making them accessible to students. Just like LinkedIn, employers can view student profiles and students can network as they apply for jobs and internships. For the most up-to-date information on companies and employers, visit the Handshake website. To create a student Handshake profile, go to handshake.byu.edu and log in with your BYU NetID and password. Don’t forget to download the Handshake app! Available for both iOS and Android.

Spring 2021 ECEn Department TA Hiring
The Spring semester is just around the corner, and the ECEn department is hiring Teaching Assistants. We are looking for students who have taken and did well in the following courses:
ECEn 220
ECEn 240
ECEn 301
ECEn 240/301 Lab
ECEn 330
ECEn 380
If you are interested in filling these positions, please fill out this online application. This link can also be found via the department website. Contact Dr. Smalley (smalley@byu.edu) with any questions.

Summer 2021 Undergraduate Research Assistant - Dr. Chiang
Dr. Chiang is looking for an undergraduate research assistant over the summer. The assistant will work on a memory chip project. The responsibility includes materials research, cleanroom work, fabrication, and circuit measurement. Interested individuals should send their resume and transcript to Dr. Chiang wochiang@byu.edu.

University Career Center
If you would like EVEN MORE help in your job or internship hunt, the Career Center at BYU is happy to help! You can call 801.422.3000 to schedule a Zoom appointment (or phone appointment if you prefer) to get help, resources, and ideas they have to share on the job hunt! The career services are free, and you can meet with them as often as you would like!

Message from Tony Jewkes, Career Director, Engineering & Technology
As we progress through the semester with students still in need of help finding jobs and internships, please feel free to promote my services. Each week I maintain hours each day to meet with students one-on-one to help with their career search needs. Appointments can be made in the Student Services suite in 246 EB, in the Career Studio in the WSC or by calling 801-422-6535.

Please refer to ECEn Department boards near 460 CB for Non-BYU Summer Research Opportunities, Internships, and Employment!

Please refer to ECEn Department Advisement Board outside of 450 EB and 460 CB for non-BYU scholarship opportunities.

Resources for Student Success

ONE CLICK AWAY! BYU’s Academic Support Office has compiled a One Stop Shop for various campus resources for student success, including a live chat feature! Please use this link to be aware of and find the many out there that are available to you: https://aso.byu.edu/academic-and-campus-resources

Accommodations | Career Services | Early Alert | Financial Fitness Center | First Year Mentoring | GPA Calculator | Learn Anywhere | Multi-Cultural Services | Managing Personal Concerns (CAPS) | Petitioning Grade Changes | Pre-Professional Advisement | Records and Registration | Research & Writing Center | Student Development Courses | Student Employment | TA Labs | Title IX Office | Y-Serve Tutoring | Women’s Services & Resources

Did you know that the Electrical and Computer Engineering Department has a Slack Channel? Click here to join!
BYU ECE is now on social media!

Be sure to follow us on Facebook and Instagram so you'll never have to miss out on fun and important announcements again!