



**Advisement Newsletter**  
April 7, 2021

### Upcoming Events:

#### **BYU Robotics Seminar: “Challenges and Opportunities in Automated Driving”**

Thursday, April 8, 2021 | 11am | [ZOOM Link](#) -**TOMORROW!**

We will have guest speaker Dr. John J. Leonard, a professor of Mechanical and Ocean Engineering at MIT and Technical Advisor at Toyota Research Institute, presenting on some of the challenges and opportunities in autonomy research today, with a focus on trends and lessons in self-driving research.

#### **Global Engineering Outreach Peru/Ecuador Class and Trip Info Session**

Thursday, April 8, 2021 | 5pm | EB 107 or [ZOOM Link](#) -**TOMORROW!**

Come learn how you can take part in next year’s class!

#### **AREMA & ITE Closing Social**

Tuesday, April 13, 2021 | 5:30pm | ZOOM, [Register Here to Join](#)

#### **BYU University Commencement**

Thursday, April 22, 2021 | 10am | Broadcast Live on BYUTV from the Marriott Center

You will be able to watch it with your friends and family. For full details visit the website:

[enrollment.byu.edu/registrar/commencement](http://enrollment.byu.edu/registrar/commencement)

#### **College of Engineering Convocation Ceremony**

Thursday, April 22, 2021 | 2pm | YouTube Livestream

The College of Engineering Convocation ceremony will take place following Commencement on April 22<sup>nd</sup>. The event will be **live-streamed on the BYU Engineering YouTube Channel**, [Click Here to Subscribe](#). If you have questions regarding graduation, please email [engineering\\_graduation@byu.edu](mailto:engineering_graduation@byu.edu).

#### **ECEn Department Convocation Ceremony**

Thursday, April 22, 2021 | 2:30pm | [YouTube Livestream Link](#)

The ECEn Department Convocation Ceremony will take place immediately after the College of Engineering Convocation Ceremony.

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#### **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](mailto: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).

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## Scholarships:

**ECEn Department Scholarship Application for Fall 2021/Winter 2022 is now open!**

The application can be accessed at the following link:

[https://byu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_1TjfRBHZVcxmBbE](https://byu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1TjfRBHZVcxmBbE)

Deadline to apply is April 21, 2021.

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

## Experiential Learning Opportunities:

### Clubs:

#### **AREMA & ITE Closing Social**

Tuesday, April 13, 2021 | 5:30pm | ZOOM, [Register Here to Join](#)

Join us for our last event of the semester! We will socialize virtually and play some games together! We will also have some raffles/ giveaways with BYU swag and other prizes! Although the event will be held via Zoom, we will have food available for pickup from Cafe Zupas! The food will be available in EB 404 on campus that you can pick up anytime from 5:00 to 5:30pm on the day of the event.

### Study Abroad Opportunity:

#### **Peru/Ecuador Global Engineering Outreach 2021-2022**

We're excited to share with you an opportunity to participate in an engineering class and study abroad where you'll engage in real projects for implementation in Peru and Ecuador. This 3-credit hour\* class (1 credit in the fall, 2 in the winter) is open to SOPHOMORES, JUNIORS, and SENIORS. The 2-week implementation study abroad will occur directly after the Winter semester (2022). **\*Although 3 credits will be earned, ECEn students may only apply a maximum of 2 credits towards technical electives within the major.**

This is a unique opportunity for the BYU college of engineering and technology, as you will be working with students from a variety of majors within the college as well as individuals and groups from Peru and Ecuador. This is also one of the most economical study abroad opportunities offered at BYU.

We hope to see your application soon!

For more information and to apply, [click here](#). Applications are due Tuesday, April 20, 2021 at midnight. Email [randy.lewis@byu.edu](mailto:randy.lewis@byu.edu) with any questions/concerns.

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### 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](https://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.

## 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!

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## Quick Survey about Data Science Degree at BYU

Dear students,

We need your help! We want to measure how interested BYU students are in **new data science degree** options. Please help us by completing this **short, 6-question survey** (both if you ARE interested in data science, and if you are NOT interested!). It should only take 2 minutes.

<https://forms.gle/j9worxhLQq6NNjqe8>

Thank you for your help!

David Wingate, on behalf of the BYU CPMS College Data Science committee

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### ★ 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!](#)



**SLACK**

(verb) to shirk or evade work or duty

(🗨️) A way to make sure you're never behind on work!

Follow the QR code and join the ECE department Slack channel to help you stay up to date on important announcements so you never get behind!



**BYU ECE IS NOW ON SOCIAL MEDIA!**

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