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Protect Purdue

All of the info and resources you may need can be found at https://protect.purdue.edu/

Job Corner with Ms. Whelton, PE

Information on the Just in Time Career Fair is up! April 22nd from 10am-4pm. You will need to register prior to the event here. Hopefully you can see this link where I sorted for environmental positions: https://www.careereco.com/Fair/FairOrganizations?fairId=b3ea7d79-384a-4b6a-88b1-ab7d012b03e8 There are many fulltime opportunities and several that list internships. You can sort by visa status and internship/fulltime too. This career fair is in a new format not specific to Purdue and does not have EEE listed specifically-so look for environmental engineering. I would also suggest environmental health and safety, civil engineering, even perhaps environmental studies, etc. to ensure you are seeing all the potential opportunities. There are some big companies attending! US Department of Energy, Northrup Grumman, Kiewit. Also, Commonwealth Engineering who has hired multiple EEEs for fulltime positions is again looking for grads. There are more-I am just highlighting a few.

Hire Big Ten+ also has a virtual career fair on April 20th from 3 to 7pm. You will need to register at this link. Here is what I searched for/filtered (pretty much everything that comes up when you search environmental under the major section/pulldown menu):
If you can attend only one of the two, I would go with the Just in Time Career Fair as they are specifically looking for Purdue students. There are more internship positions with the Big Ten Fair than the Just In Time fair. Whatever you do, register prior to the fair, see what companies you are interested in (schedule a meeting if possible) and do your research for the fair.

If you do not have a summer job opportunity there is still plenty of time! I highly suggest you attend the last couple of career fairs as EEEs have gotten good opportunities in the past from them. I have been emailing you directly with opportunities this year, so you don’t have to check an additional site. You will still have to keep checking the **CCO** out for positions. Did you know you can set it up so they will email you positions directly from the CCO (See the set Job Alert section [here](#))? **LinkedIn** and **USAJobs** (for US federal government positions) are also great search engines.

There are also several info sessions via the **CCO**. CDM Smith, Nestle, and Koch (yes, an EEE has interned here) are currently listed. I suggest to keep checking this as they seem to frequently add/adjust the list.

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**Post Batch Pre-Registration info & help**

The office of the Registrar has put together lots of useful information to guide students through the Batch Registration process. Go to [https://www.purdue.edu/registrar/](https://www.purdue.edu/registrar/) and click on the Pre-Registration tab on the side. Many resources live on this page. Just a few are highlighted below.

- **Instructional Modality** (.pdf)
- **How to Look Up OL Online Courses**
- **Student FAQs Post Batch Registration**
- **University Core Placeholders**

**Researching courses & Course Insights - Find Syllabi for Classes**

If you want to research course options and to help you easily forecast availability, go to the [Recently Offered Course Reference list](#). This shows EEE Selectives and recent patterns of when they have been taught, or you can filter on a particular term. You can access syllabi for some courses via Course Insights, which is within your myPurdue account, or go to [https://sswis.mypurdue.purdue.edu/CourseInsights/](https://sswis.mypurdue.purdue.edu/CourseInsights/). This will help you to know what you are getting into with whatever course(s) you choose.

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**Join the EEE Alumni Group!**

Want an easy way to get in touch with the ever-growing EEE Alumni Network? Join the EEE Alumni group on LinkedIn. The group is a networking page for Purdue Environmental and Ecological Engineering alumni and students. The page will be used to share questions, ideas, opportunities, and updates. The EEE alumni network is designed to be a casual space for students and alumni to converse and become aware of opportunities outside of an academic setting. To join the group, click [here](#)!

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**PSY 12300: Beyond Mental Health: The Science of Well-Being**

Beyond Mental Health: The Science of Well-Being is a course on both the science and practice of well-being. By understanding happiness and practicing positive psychology exercises, the hope is that students will be able to make choices that lead to happier lives. The course will address questions such as: How do we go about measuring happiness? Can happiness enhance longevity and health? What interventions can promote happiness? What types of societies are happier? This course will engage and challenge students not only intellectually, but also experientially as we work on enhancing happiness in our lives and the lives of others around us. The class is taught using lectures, in-class demonstrations, exercises, readings, and hands-on outside class exercises. The class will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00-10:15.
This summer the Department of English will be offering one section of ENGL 41900 Multimedia Writing. The class will meet in person, MOD 2/3 (June 14-August 6), M-F, 9:50 a.m.-10:50 a.m. (CRN 28974). Multimedia writing emphasizes principles and practices of multimedia design, implementation, and publishing. Typical genres include Web sites, interactive media, digital video, visual presentations, visual argument, and user documentation. The class does have a pre-req of ENGL 106 or equivalent.

**LEED Training Special**

EE students should understand that LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) is one professional certification. On occasion, an EEE student will ask about LEED. LEED is more within the domain of the Arch Engr group within Civil. As a courtesy, the following info is being provided. It is not required or necessarily endorsed:

LEED is a sustainability scorecard for green buildings. Buildings can become LEED-certified, but so can people. A great way to break into the sustainability space is to attain the LEED Green Associate. The LEED workshops that were normally taught on campus have now become live webinars and the exam can be taken online as well. If live webinars are not the thing for you then you can also take the on-demand self-paced online workshop at any time for an entire year. If you are interested in registering or finding out more information, click [here](#). All courses are instructed by a USGBC Faculty member. With the code, “green” students can save $50 off their preferred course package. Any questions can be sent to [info@leadinggreen.com](mailto:info@leadinggreen.com). The next online session is March 27th, 2021 from 1:00-5:30 pm EDT and runs through August 26th.

**SWANA 2021 Scholarships**

SWANA or the Solid Waste Association of North America has two scholarship funds open to students. This year there will be two Chapter funded scholarships available and three National SWANA funded scholarships. The Hoosier Chapter of SWANA deadline is April 30th. The scholarship is open to all students pursuing an undergraduate degree but must be a Hoosier Chapter member in good standing or a relative of a chapter member. The application can be found [here](#). The National SWANA scholarships are due May 1st. The 2021 Gran Flint International Scholarship is for college students that will be a junior or senior studying fields in solid waste management. The 2021 Robert P. Stearns/ SCS Engineers Scholarship is for students entering or already enrolled in graduate programs pursuing a degree in environmental studies, environmental science, engineering, or other applicable fields. Information on the national scholarships can be found [here](#). Questions can be sent to [hoosierswana@gmail.com](mailto:hoosierswana@gmail.com).

**ISPE Scholarship**

The Indiana Society of Professional Engineers (ISPE), recognizing that an engineering education is the foundation upon which the engineering profession is constructed and also recognizing the need for encouragement and financial aid, has established a scholarship program to aid resident students of Indiana who have proven a genuine interest in an engineering career. Applicants must be a resident of the State of Indiana and have completed at least one-half of the credit hours required for an ABET accredited undergraduate engineering degree. Completed applications must be returned in early May. For more information, see [www.nspe-in.org](http://www.nspe-in.org).