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LETTER TO OUR ALUMS

Written by Kayla Manley

In this edition of the newsletter, PSEF is excited to share about recent alumni events, the efforts PSEF has gone through to recruit new members, and the new members themselves!

During Industrial Roundtable earlier this fall, we had so many alumni choose to spend their time reviewing resumes, giving networking and interview advice, and even stopping by our office (Poffice) to socialize. We would love to recognize these alumni in this newsletter and thank them for their helpful advice and kind words!

While most members of PSEF were job hunting, our Public Relations committee and our Executive Board were working tirelessly to advertise PSEF to the campus community to find our new members! With 133 applications this semester, they have surely succeeded in creating a bigger name for our organization across campus!

With that, we are happy to introduce to you our new members in this newsletter! These accomplished students have already made their impact at Purdue, and we are excited to see what they accomplish within PSEF!

Boiler Up!

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INTRODUCING THE FALL 2024 NEW MEMS

Written by Brian Schmidt

Matthew Glick

Major: Aerospace
Engineering '28
Hometown: Trabuco

Canyon, CA

Involvements: EPICS,

GoAero



Drew Novak

Major: Mechanical Engineering '28

Hometown: Eagan, MN Involvements: Boiler Beats Drumline, Concert Band, Purdue Orbital,

Honors College



Timothy Malloy

Major: Computer Engineering '28

Hometown: Chicago, IL

Involvements: IM Sports, Purdue Outing Club, Honors College



Isabel Lubia

Major: Biomedical Engineering '28

Hometown: Fort Wayne, IN **Involvements:** NSBE, ASA,

Caduceus Club, WCHA, Lilly Scholar,

Honors College



Paul Hamas

Major: Mechanical Engineering '28

Hometown: Washington, NJ

Involvements: RIISE



Anna Dalton

Major: Computer Engineering '28

Hometown: St. Louis, MO **Involvements:** Purdue Solutions Consulting,

Society of Women Engineers



Brian Schmidt

Major: Mechanical

Engineering '27

Hometown: Jamison, PA **Involvements:** IM Sports,

Teaching Assistant,

Research



Sam Altenburger

Major: Mechanical Engineering '28

Hometown: Carmel, IN **Involvements:** Purdue Electric Racing Team



Kaitlyn Bird

Major: Aerospace Engineering '28

Hometown: Houston, TX **Involvements:** Society of

Women Engineers



RESUME REVIEWS

Written by Kayla Manley

One of PSEF's recurring events is the Alumni Resume Review! This year, we had over 30 alumni and students sign up to participate in this professional development opportunity. Held the week before IR, students hopped on a Zoom call with alumni to review their resume and talk about networking. Some PSEFers have already secured summer internships because of the helpful feedback and advice that was shared!





Thank you to the alumni who participated: Zach Jordan (CE '19), Teddy Sergesketter (BSME '20, MSIE '21), Glenn Teuber (MSE '02), Kyle Massa (EE '20), Willey Leung (EE '02), Brooklyn DeCore (ME '23), Emily Horst (IE '23), Zev Meyer (ME '24), Catherine Sawicky (IE '22), Levi Brown (AAE '09, '10), Angie Zhang (AAE '22), Casey Armbruster (ME '20), Jacob Everidge (BSEE '19, MSECE '22), and Dennis Chu (AAE '12)!

ALUMNI SOCIAL RECAP

Written by Samhita Shantharam

The PSEF Alumni Social was an outstanding event that included engaging conversations, new connections, and delicious snacks! Current PSEF members had the opportunity to learn about how the alumni navigated their transitions to industry from university. Newer members of PSEF were able to learn about the origins of certain PSEF traditions and long-standing jokes. The connection between recently graduated alumni and some of the upperclassmen in PSEF was nice to see for the younger members and it was interesting to see how PSEF has operated in the past. We are very grateful to have had the opportunity to interact with the alumni! Special shoutout to the alumni who attended: Jace Newell (IE '22), Charlie Degnan (ChE '23), Casey Armbruster (ME '20), and Mark D'Aloia (NE '20). Also, shoutout to Katie Polson (ME '18) who suggested a social!







ALUMNI VISIT TO CAMPUS

Shortly after IR Week, Emma Alexander (ME '18) visited Purdue to share information about her company, Relativity Space! It was great for our members to learn more about the space industry and what a career could look like! Thanks for reaching out, Emma!



HIGHLIGHTS FROM SUMMER

Written by Mikalah Wiles

As the weather outside is getting colder, we would like to take a moment to celebrate everything we have accomplished this summer as interns, researchers, travelers, and more! Due to the skills we have learned as tour guides and leaders in our campus community, we are able to extend our impact across many industries!













PSEF INTRAMURALS UPDATE



Indoor Volleyball





Extreme Dodgeball



Inner Tube Water Polo PSEF made it to the first ever playoffs in this new sport!

Outdoor Soccer
Lost in the quarterfinals!







Indoor Soccer
Tied PESC 1-1 in their
most recent game, so
technically
undefeated!



Bowling (Currently 2-1) Although this season is still ongoing, here (left) is a picture of last year's team!

Sand Volleyball



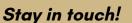
WAYS TO STAY INVOLVED!

We would love to have you stay involved in PSEF if you are interested and have the time! Our email is always open, but there are a few other ways to contact us, too!

One option is PACER: a program that allows you as alumni to connect with prospective students in your local area! By signing up via the form on the QR code, you are agreeing to be contacted if a student reaches out and wants to ask about Purdue Engineering.

Another option is LinkedIn: PSEF has its own LinkedIn Group for alumni and current members! Some updates and opportunities will come from our side- but it is also a method for you to contact students or other alumni easily.

Join PACER!





Website

https://engineering.purdue.edu/PSEF/



Instagram

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