Women Exploring Graduate Opportunities in Civil and Environmental Engineering

Date: September 18-19, 2015
Location: Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Costs: Transportation, lodging, and meals will be provided to selected students.
Application Deadline: Friday, May 15, 2015

We invite women engineering students (junior, senior and masters level) to apply for a networking and professional development workshop focused on exploring graduate education and research opportunities in Civil and Environmental Engineering. The workshop will provide seminars focused on preparation for graduate school, writing effective fellowship applications, mentoring, networking, faculty panels, developing leadership skills and “Pathways to Success” presented by prominent University of Illinois alumni. A networking dinner will be hosted allowing students to interact with faculty, graduate students, and women engineers working in industry.

Who should apply: Women engineering students interested in learning about graduate education in civil and environmental engineering who will be a junior, senior, or master’s student at the time of the workshop. Students do not have to be currently enrolled in a civil and environmental engineering program.

Application information:
1. Name:
2. Gender
3. Ethnicity (optional)
4. Mailing address and contact information (email, phone)
5. Current student status (master’s student or undergraduate student; specify junior or senior)
6. Civil engineering interests or specialization (e.g., construction management, construction materials, environmental, hydrology, geotechnical, structures, transportation)
7. School attended for undergraduate studies/graduate studies/graduation dates
8. GPA(s)
9. GRE scores (if available)
10. Describe your interests in civil and environmental engineering and related experience. (up to 300 words)
11. Describe your career goals. (up to 300 words)
12. Why are you interested in learning about graduate school opportunities? (up to 300 words)
13. What would you like to learn from the workshop?

Send your completed application to: we-go-cee@illinois.edu
Please send questions to: we-go-cee@illinois.edu