Dear Greetings!

Please practice self-care during these last five weeks of the semester! If you need to de-stress, canvas painting and treats will be back during dead week.

Volunteers are needed for the upcoming TRLT conferences and be sure to check out the upcoming professional development opportunities with Rockwell Collins, Emerson, and Henry Doorly Zoo.

To our graduating WiSE Seniors- please visit the WiSE office to pick up your Forever WiSE memento and help us stay connected with you through this short survey.

Best,

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WiSE supports individuals who identify as female in STEM majors at Iowa State. Below are some ways to engage, but come by 218 Carver to learn more and visit with our friendly staff!

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**Rockwell Collins on campus April 12**

Join representatives from Rockwell Collins to learn about their company and experiences! Please RSVP here.

Date/Time: Thursday, April 12, 2018, 3:00-4:00 p.m.
Location: Campanile Room, MU

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**Jenna Kleiman, Software Engineer**

Jenna is from the Dallas, Texas area, where she grew up and attended college at Southern Methodist University. She graduated in 2006 with degrees in Mathematics and Electrical Engineering with Computer Engineering specialization. She currently works at Rockwell Collins in Cedar Rapids, IA as a Software Engineer in the Government Systems Communications Engineering group, creating user interfaces for radios in various FirstSite Radio programs. She has previous experience as an intern in Quality Engineering at United Martin Aerodynamics, and in Web Development at AIS.

Outside of work she enjoys hiking, electronics, spending time with friends doing outdoor activities, and watching TV with her cat.

**Meghan Anderson, Systems Engineer**

Born in Omaha, Nebraska, Meghan graduated from Iowa State University with a B.S. in Aerospace Engineering. As a Test Lead Systems Engineer at Rockwell Collins in Cedar Rapids, she writes and runs test procedures that test the software for Coast Guard helicopters. Meghan develops requirements that help to shape the integration process based off the needs of customers. At ISU, Meghan was involved with WiSE, various honor societies, and Aerospace organizations such as NSBE Gamma Tau Chapter, Aerospace Mentoring program, and AIAA. Meghan enjoys spending time with her fiance (also an ISU/AERQ E Alum), family and friends, traveling and playing with her crazy kittens.
Emerson Site Visit April 13 with free lunch

WiSE is hosting a site visit to Emerson in Marshalltown, IA.

Date: Friday, April 13
Time: 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Lunch & transportation provided!
RSVP here by April 4.

Emerson recruits AERO, CHEM E ME, CpE, EE, IE, MAT E, and SE majors.

E-mail wise@iastate.edu with questions.

Do you want to be featured on the WiSE website?

Tell us your story! WiSE is looking for students to be featured on our website to highlight a variety of STEM student experiences. Fill out this form for your chance to be featured.

Volunteer for Taking the Road Less Traveled!

Taking the Road Less Traveled is just around the corner! Sign up here to volunteer for various jobs throughout the conference day.

We also need ISU students to share your STEM story with middle and high school girls during lunch. This connection can have a huge impact, so consider encouraging the next generation of STEM women at this outreach event. Sign up here to join us for lunch.
Professional Job Shadow at Henry Doorly Zoo - April 28

WiSE is sponsoring a day-long job shadow at Henry Doorly Zoo in Omaha, NE for students who are pursuing careers in animal science, ecology, zoology, and related fields. Students will depart ISU with a WiSE staff member on Friday, April 27th and return Saturday afternoon, April 28. WiSE will cover accommodation, meal, and transportation costs.

Space is limited to the first eleven students. Only complete this application form if you are in a related major and do not have time commitments Friday-Saturday afternoon. Completing the application does not guarantee a space. You will be notified via email with more information.
Engineering the Way 4K walk/run

Enjoy the fresh spring air and support diversity in engineering through Engineering the Way 4K walk/run!

**Date:** Saturday, April 14 @ 9:30 a.m.
**Location:** Curtiss Lawn
**Cost:** $15/person

ALL proceeds go to [50K Coalition](#), which is a collaborative of more than 40 organizations focused on a bold national goal: to produce 50,000 diverse engineering graduates annually by 2025.

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**STEM Clubs Meetings & Announcements**

**Women’s Alliance for Cyber Security**
Meetings every **Monday** at 6 p.m. in Pearson 2115

WACS seeks to introduce, encourage, support, and retain women in Cyber Security and related fields. We provide meaningful opportunities for team building and collaboration among women in preparation to compete at Collegiate Cyber Defense Competitions (CCDC). E-mail [wacs-info@iastate.edu](mailto:wacs-info@iastate.edu) with questions.

**Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers and Latinos in Science & Engineering (SHPE-MAES)**
Meetings every **Thursdays** at 7 p.m. in Howe 1304
April 5: No meeting
April 12: Rockwell Collins
April 19: John Deere

We are an inclusive STEM organization that strives to develop a diverse community of members to excel as students by providing academic and professional development. We bring in industry professionals to share information about their company, job experience and more!
E-mail arevino@iastate.edu with questions.

**Women in Aviation Club**
Monday April 2: 6:10-7 p.m. Howe 2220 - Networking with the Flying Cyclones
Tuesday April 10: 5:10-6 p.m. Howe 0010 - Officer Elections (all are open!)
Saturday April 21: 7-11 a.m. Ames Airport - Annual Ames Fly-In

We seek to provide encouragement and advancement to women in all aviation related career fields. We aim to create a community in which women can grow their network, build professional skills, and meet others with similar interests.
Email wai@iastate.edu for any questions and exact meeting location!

**Leadership Studies Club**
Thursday, April 5, 7:00 p.m., Carver 0274
Thursday, April 19, 7:00 p.m., Carver 0274

Learn about ways to develop leadership skills and put them into practice
New members welcome!

**Digital Women**
Meetings every **Thursday** at 6:30 p.m. in Coover 3043.

Digital Women seeks to introduce, encourage, support, and retain women in Computer Science, Software Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering, and MIS.

**Doctors without Borders**
Thursday, April 19, 6-8 p.m. Hoover 2055
Hear from guest speakers Elizabeth Wentzel & Gerry Bashein about their medical work in over 15 countries.

We create spaces in which people can learn about, support, and advocate for the work of [MSF (Medecins sans Frontieres) USA](#).

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You are receiving this monthly newsletter because you are enrolled as an undergraduate student in a STEM major. We obtain a list at the beginning of each semester from the office of the Registrar. If you have any questions please contact wise@iastate.edu.