

October 6, 2021

Upcoming Events



Lubrizol

Virtual Lunch and Learn with Lubrizol - Work/Life Balance

National SWE Sponsor

The Lubrizol Corporation is excited to host a virtual Professional Development Session focused on Work/Life Balance with SWE-HA! In addition to the helpful tips on how to achieve a work/life balance, they want to connect with you and share what Lubrizol is all about.

To learn more about Lubrizol and the opportunities available, visit <https://www.lubrizol.com/>.

Date: Thursday, October 14th

Time: 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Price: Free for SWE-HA members, \$10 for non-members

Location: Virtual

Register



EnMed Makerspace Tour

Texas A&M University

Join us for a tour of Texas A&M's Engineering & Medicine Makerspace to see how their labs, training, and research help develop new medical technologies. Light appetizers and refreshments will follow the conclusion of the tour.

Space is limited to 20 guests so be sure to sign up early!

Date: Friday, October 29th

Time: 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM

Price: Free

Location: Discovery Tower, [1020 Holcombe Boulevard, Houston, TX 77030](#)

Register



SAVE THE DATE!

SATURDAY,
NOVEMBER 13TH, 2021

Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day

Hosted by SWE-HA

Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day (IAGTE) is a free, all-day event that provides interactive workshops to expose 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th-grade female students to different disciplines of engineering. The event will be virtual, and the courses will be taught by professional engineering SWE members, engineering students, and guest speakers.

There are also opportunities to volunteer and for parents and educators to participate in this exciting day! See details below.

Please share the event registration link with friends and family! Space is limited so be sure to register early.

Registration Closes: Monday, October 25th

Date: Saturday, November 13th

Price: Free

Location: Hopin

Volunteer Opportunity

Make a difference in your community

Introduce a Girl to Engineering (IAGTE) Day 2021 will be here before you know it and we need your help to start the planning process! We have several leadership roles available such as:

- Day-of-Event Volunteers
- Keynote Speaker to discuss advancements in STEM
- Parent Education Discussion Panelists

Register as a Day-of-Event Volunteer at houstonswe.org/iagte.

If you are interested in taking on a leadership position for this year's IAGTE day, please reach out to the IAGTE email at iagte@houstonswe.org for more information.



November SWE-HA Coffee + Networking at Art of Coffee

Join in for a fun, informal networking event to get to know your fellow SWE members! Attendees are responsible for their own beverages. We will also be raffling a SWE mug to the attendees!

Given current CDC vaccine and mask guidance, SWE members are encouraged to assess their own risk for in-person events.

Date: Saturday, November 6th

Time: 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM

Location: Art of Coffee, [609 Bradford Ave, Kemah, TX 77565](https://www.google.com/maps/place/609+Bradford+Ave,+Kemah,+TX+77565)

Register

Recurring Events

Focus Groups

SWE-HA Member Only Event

By popular demand, focus groups are back! Each focus group will meet virtually for one hour once a month. We will not meet during holiday weeks. The groups have rolling, open enrollment throughout the year so it's never too late to join! See below the dates for each focus group's meeting schedule:

- Grit Academy - Young Professionals
 - 4th Monday of the Month at 7:00-8:00 PM
- Engineering Moms - Open to all
 - 2nd Sunday of the Month at 2:00-3:00 PM
- Sustainability - Open to all
 - 2nd Tuesday of the Month at 7:00-8:00 PM

Price: Free

Location: Virtual

Sign Up

Book Club

SWE-HA Member Only Event

The book club is back and will be kicking off the year by reading *The Girls of Atomic City: The Untold Story of the Women Who Helped Win World War 2* by Denise Kiernan. Our virtual discussion will take place in October with two time options - sign up for the one that works best for you!

Please email Jennifer Bongiorno, Book Club Chair at jlkovacs13@gmail.com with any questions or ideas!

Dates & Times: Saturday, October 16th @ 10 AM or Tuesday, October 19th @ 8 PM

Price: Free

Location: Virtual

Saturday, October 16th @ 10 AM

Tuesday, October 19th @ 8 PM

Vote on the Next Book

From the SWE-HA Team

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to INSPIRE



Attending WE21? WE want to know

If you are attending WE21 (in-person or virtual) and/or presenting at WE21, please let us know by completing the form below by **Oct 20th**. SWE-HA will extend invites for any planned in-person or virtual meetups. If you are presenting at WE21, we want to share that with our members, so they can easily find your session or say congrats.

Interest Form



Congratulations to SWE Annual Award Recipients from SWE-HA!

Please join us in congratulating SWE annual award recipients, who are a part of SWE-HA. We are so proud of your achievements and applaud your contributions to our community.

Patent Recognition Award

- Bindu Krishnan, Ph.D., The Dow Chemical Company, 1 Patent
- Carla Ali-Napo, HP Inc., 1 Patent
- Carol T. Ozaki, HP Inc., 1 Patent
- Hang Yan Yuen, Ph.D., HP Inc., 1 Patent
- Monica S. Krishnan, Chevron Corporation, 1 Patent
- Rashi Tiwari, Dow, 4 Patents

Rising Technical Contributor Award

- Maria Paz Ochoa, Ph.D., The Dow Chemical Company

Spark Award

- Leteshia A. Lowe, IBM

Fellow Grade Award

- Georgette Michko, University of Houston

Award recipients will be recognized at the WE21 Conference on October 21-23, 2021 in Indianapolis, IN in the WE21 Awards Hall.

Professional Development Speaker Opportunities

Are you interested in being a speaker or know someone who would be a great speaker for one of our Professional Development events?

Fill out the form below to be added to our



Speaker Interest Form

If you have any questions regarding SWE-HA professional development (PD), please contact us at professional_development@houstonswe.org.

Partner Organizations



Fall 2021 Energy Professionals Hiring Event

You are cordially invited to attend the “ENERGY PROFESSIONALS HIRING EVENT” hosted by the Society of Petroleum Engineers – Gulf Coast Section in partnership with Texas Workforce Solutions. We are striving to provide a platform for experienced upstream and energy professionals and industry companies to e-meet and create value for both sides. Registration opens on September 1st.

Date: October 12th

Time: 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Price: Free (must provide proof of SWE-HA membership or membership of a collaborating organization)

Location: Steve Radack Community Center

Register

