College of Engineering and Computing
Young Alumni Board
Professional Development Committee: 5-8 Members

Objective:
Two-pronged objective to: 1. Provide opportunities and support for current students, and arm them with necessary skills and experiences to successfully transition to the workforce; 2. Provide opportunities for young alumni to engage with the greater alumni network for mentorship and in education to grow as professionals and leaders.

Responsibilities:
- Identify and define professional development strategies tactics and metrics that support students and alumni
- Share best practices from life experiences
- Develop and implement programming that promotes industry education, career advancement, and professional development
- Individually serve and recruit other board members and alumni to serve as panelists/speakers for CEC events, i.e., E-Week, Industry 101 Chats
- Review offerings from CEC and offer suggestions

Proposed Initiatives:
- Alumni Student Mentoring Network
- E-Week (February 18-23)
- New Student Welcome
- Student Organization Leadership Mentors
- Industry 101 Chats
- Professional Development Hour (PDH) Series and Workshops

Reason to Join:
This is a great committee for members who were involved at CEC or are currently involved in the community/profession and are looking to build relationships with students and alumni. It is a perfect placement for people with a love of education and mentorship and for members who wish to learn how to further develop their own leadership skills.
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Alumni Relations Committee: 10-12 Members

Objective:

Promote young alumni engagement and participation by increasing awareness of opportunities with the College of Engineering and Computing, including student engagement, networking, social events, etc.

Responsibilities:

- Promote the young alumni mission and purpose
- Knowledgeable about College programs and services
- Serve as the face of the College of Engineering and Computing
- Plan events that not only educate alumni, but also help members socialize and meet new people
- Utilize social and professional networks to connect the College of Engineering and Computing to the greater alumni network and community
- Promote and attend College of Engineering and Computing hosted events and initiatives
- Serve as an ambassador for the College in your company and community

Proposed Initiatives:

- Homecoming Happy Hour and BBQ
- Alumni Awards and Recognition Dinner
- Young Alumni Tailgates
- Alumni Ambassador Initiatives
- Alumni Directory
- Goodbye Seniors ... Hello Alumni Event
- Young Alumni Newsletters; Social Media Blasts

Reason to Join:

This committee is exciting to work on as it focuses on the alumni themselves, recognizing their accomplishments, and providing them with unique opportunities to learn new skills and meet new people, both in and outside of the College of Engineering and Computing. This is a great committee for someone who has a welcoming and hospitable personality.
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Development/Corporate Relations Committee: 5-8 Members

Objective:
Promote a culture of giving and increase giving participation rates amongst young alumni through awareness and communication of the greater College of Engineering and Computing vision; Engage industry contacts and greater community for sponsorship support of CEC Capstone Design program and student organizations.

Responsibilities:

- Understand the funding needs of the College and have working knowledge of the CEC vision
- Develop and implement a young alumni giving participation strategy and campaign
- Determine Board fundraising expectations and goals, provide guidance for Board members on meeting fundraising goals, and track progress towards set goals
- Analyze relationships with current and prospective corporate sponsors and work with staff and Board to develop relationships
- Hold staff accountable for implementing the strategies of the fund development plan with stated timeframes and troubleshoot with staff as necessary
- Maintain shared fundraising and sponsorship calendar

Proposed Initiatives:

- Young Alumni and Student Leave a Legacy Campaigns
- Student Organization Support
- Capstone Design Sponsorship
- Give 4 Garnet

Reason to Join:

This is a great committee to join to see a little of everything and help dictate funding priorities. It is an experience that will strengthen communication and development skills, and you will meet interesting people who will add to your sphere of influence. This committee is an opportunity to be creative, strategic, and stretch your intellectual and emotional muscles.