



Annual Report Fiscal Year 2011

Society of Women Engineers

San Diego County Professional Section



Letter from President

SWE-San Diego continued to advance, aspire, and achieve during the past year! We supported the community through \$8,000 in scholarships, participated in the county's largest science and engineering fair, and reached out to over 500 K-12 girls. SWE-San Diego applied for and was awarded three Program Development Grants from the National SWE Committee. I am proud to say these grants helped make our outreach endeavors possible, and we were recognized by SWE's Region B with an award for our SWEET event. In addition to community outreach, we also provided guidance to our 166 members during social and professional development programs. SWE-SD excelled in making sure that our members' SWE calendars were always full of diverse activities. We will continue to offer robust programs throughout the new fiscal year and provide the community with a better understanding of women in engineering.

Sincerely,

Katie Urbas
President

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Accomplishments

Professional Programs

- Presented four professional events including one technical presentation
 - Tana Utley, Caterpillar
 - Beth Brummitt, Green Building Entrepreneur and LEED Consultant
 - Elizabeth Ruch, CFP
 - Dan Ashmun, Raytheon
- Opened up a behind scenes technical tour of the USS Midway
- Initiated joint networking events with SHPE and NSBE
- Hosted golf outings
- Re-instated an annual book club



Collegiate Programs

Local collegiate members were invited to all of our programs. Local students planning to major in engineering were awarded \$8K in scholarships this year!

Congrats to Scholarship Recipients! Freshman (High School Seniors)

Iryna Ivasyk
Katherine Liu
Victoria Maches
Annamarie McKellips
Rachael Schelley
Karen Truong

Continuing Engineering

Kaitlyn Heid
Elizabeth Kimbrell
Marie Piette
Diana Tang



Outreach and Community Programs

- WOW! That's Engineering - held August at USD - 150 students and 125 parents learned about engineering in the all day event.
- National Engineers Week - SWE taught students how to build electric circuits with the Steady Hand Game during the March event.
- Greater San Diego Science & Engineering Fair - 5 members judged the event in March.
- Poway Day – Poway Unified School District and SWE coordinated a one day engineering program for 60 middle school girls featuring panels, hands on activities, tours, & lunch.
- Science Festival Expo - Members taught "Simple Machines – Pulley, Inclined Ladder, and Lever" to the participants .
- SWE Explore Technology! - Our girl scout partnership took on new heights in April. We brought 50 engineering role models to encourage and mentor 160 5-8th grade girls about engineering.
- Community fundraisers included our annual holiday gift drive for two local families, the YWCA Business Women's MEGA MIXER, and G.R.O.W.

Communication

Our website was always up to date with the latest information regarding events & announcements. We also provided information about partner organizations and related events on the "sidebar" of our bi-monthly emails.

Section Financial Report

Income:

Dues Rebate	\$ 2,281.80
Donations-Scholarship	\$ 7,800.00
Donations-General	\$ 2,340.00
Grants-Projects	\$ 6,158.77
Interest Income	\$ 72.27
Total Income	<u>\$18,652.84</u>

Expenses:

Administrative	\$ 1,018.13
Membership Services	\$ 3,139.38
Scholarships / Awards	\$ 8,500.00
Student Services Activities	\$ 7,649.32
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 20,306.83</u>

Net Income (Loss) **(\$ 1,653.99)**

Net Assets **\$ 23,398.47**

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