Town Hall

2.9.2021
Check-in

http://cglink.me/2ek/r945874
To increase the number of culturally responsible Black engineers who excel academically, succeed professionally, and positively impact the community
Agenda

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Announcements
REASON Project
Virtual National Convention

- A phenomenal opportunity for professional development, networking, and bonding
- April 5th - 9th
- [Website](#) for more information
Virtual National Convention

What you need to do

- Fill out this interest form by Sunday, February 14th 11:59pm

- Verify your GPA as soon as possible

- Register for the convention by Friday, February 19th for regular registration prices
  - Please forward your registration confirmation to my email (nsbe.uiuc.pres@gmail.com)

- Become a member of our collegiate chapter by Sunday, February 14th
  - In addition to filling out the above form, dues are $10 and can be paid through PayPal or CashApp (nsbe.uiuc.tres@gmail.com)
Zone Updates
Communication Zone

- **Goal:** To give quick and quality information to our membership
- **Semester Review**
  - Consistent Communication
  - Social Media Presence
- **Plans**
  - Transition to Slack
  - Increased Marketing for Events
- **Questions**
  - How can we better reach you?

Zone Meetings: Saturdays at 3 pm
External Zone

- **Updates and Plans**
  - Community Outreach:
    - ESTAR x NSBE Collaboration
    - Future collaboration with Minorities in Aerospace Engineering
  - NSBE Jr:
    - Franklin STEAM Academy
    - WYSE Leaders Showcase (monthly)
  - HSV: Spring 2021 HSV

- **Questions**
  - Are there any organizations you would like to see us work with this semester?
  - What are some ways we can make events more interesting/engaging for you?

Zone Meetings: Wednesdays at 7 pm
Finance Zone

- **Semester Updates**
  - Preparing funding for cheaper registration fees for our paying members
  - Last few company GBM’s e.g Keysight technologies, Alvarez & Marsal, Google, Protiviti, PepsiCo, Walsh and KLA

- **Questions**
  - How can we improve member participation in company GBM’s?
  - Feedback on ease of payment of Chapter dues?
  - Companies are asking what event that would interest us during this GBMs

Zone Meetings: Saturdays at 12 pm
Programs Zone

- **Recurring activities/resources**
  - Study Tables & One-Pagers
  - Monthly Check-Ins
  - Social Committee (biweekly movies & coffee chats)
  - Junior Executive Board
  - RISE UP at Illinois

- **Additional events**
  - Tech Talks
  - E-week
  - NSBE Week (mid-late April)
  - End of year celebration

- **Question:**
  - What types of events would you like to see?

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Zone Meetings:
Sundays at 1 pm
Question:
Do you have any feedback for our safety guidelines for in-person events?

**In-person Event Safety Precautions**
- If events can be virtual, they will be
- Most in-person events will be outside, but regardless:
  - Masks required
  - Temperature checks
  - Present proof of recent negative Covid-19 test (e.g., Safer Illinois app)
  - Social distancing enforced
  - Volunteers tasked with disinfecting before & after events
  - Consuming food/drink will be limited
    - If this takes place, expect to-go like style or a picnic outside
- In general, we will follow University Guidelines and advice from the CDC
- For the NSBE office, expect to see a reservation system in the near future
Resources
External Opportunities

- NSBE National Platform
  - Scholarships
  - Jobs / Internships
- NSBE | UIUC Platform
  - Scholarships
  - Jobs / Internships
  - Professional Development Opportunities
Zones & Committees

- Communication Zone
  - Saturdays 3-4pm; Zoom
- External Zone
  - Wednesdays 7-8pm; Zoom
- Finance Zone
  - Saturdays 12-1pm; Zoom
- Programs Zone
  - Sundays 1-2pm; Zoom
- Junior Executive Board (JEB)
  - Sundays 5-6pm; Zoom
Feedback
Anonymous Feedback Form

REASON Project Survey

http://bit.ly/3q8wQzz
Thank You

Questions?