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June 2024 Newsletter from ASEE LEAD Division

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ASEE LEAD Division 2024 Annual Conference News

It is with gratitude and anticipation I write to you, with the 2024 ASEE conference on our front step. As all of us attending finalize our plans and prepare for a week with colleagues, I hope this Newsletter facilitates some of your preparation. Overall ASEE conference information and tips were sent out to everyone today by ASEE, so check your in-box, or click [here](#) for the conference website. Why don't I summarize some LEAD-related news for you here (More details, [here](#))...

Sunday

Informal connections... reach out for details...

Monday

11-12:30, Tech Session (Competencies) F149.

3:15-4:45, Interdivisional Town Hall (LEAD cosponsor). Topics: AI, Equity, Teams, and Social Justice.

Afternoon / evening- maybe an informal local hike? Reach out for details...

Tuesday

11-12:30, Joint panel (Ethics) Regency Ballroom D, Hyatt.

1:30-3, Tech Session (Industry), F149.

3:15-4:45, Business Meeting, D135.

7-9pm, Division Social, McMenamins Broadway Pub. (TICKETED EVENT, held jointly with the College Industry Partnership Division [CIPD]). Please come ready to engage with new colleagues, as we explore ways to partner with industry as educators.

Wednesday

8-9:30, Tech Session (Innovative teaching), G129.

11:30-1, Panel (Courage to Change), Deschutes Ballroom C, Hyatt

By the way, I suggest using the 'Online Session Locator' (linked [here](#)) to schedule out your days, if you are involved in various divisions. As always, feel free to reach out to me personally if you have any further questions or requests.

Please note that I have not forgotten to post the pending by-law changes (yes, from several years ago). They are still awaiting official approval from our PIC representative, and they will be posted on-line once adopted—fortunately, they are planned for adoption at the beginning of this year's conference (fingers crossed).

ASEE LEAD Officer Elections– '24-'25

The ASEE LEAD Division has two executive positions available this year: DEI Representative (2-year term) and Program Co-Chair (1-year term).

1. The CDEI DELEGATE/OUTREACH LIAISON shall:
 - Serve on the Executive Committee and, upon appointment, on such other standing and ad hoc committees as the unit may establish and determine appropriate.
 - Collaborate with Executive Committee to ensure diversity, equity, and inclusion are promoted throughout ASEE and within the division.
 - Serve as a CDEI delegate as nominated by the division and appointed by the CDEI leadership team.
 - Coordinate with affiliated and/or independent engineering leadership groups and stakeholders to ensure communication and collaborative progress between ASEE LEAD Division and such groups.

1. The PROGRAM CO-CHAIR/PROGRAM CHAIR-ELECT shall:
 - Assist program chair/chair elect in arranging and coordinating the unit's activities at the Society's annual meeting.
 - Work with the Executive Committee and other ad hoc committees to develop technical programs in accordance with the unit's objectives.
 - Co-coordinate sessions within the time frame set by ASEE headquarters for inviting speakers, notifying headquarters of logistical needs, etc., as set forth in the "Program Chair Guidelines" available from the ASEE Conferences department.
 - Work with ASEE Conferences department staff in the on-site management of sessions.
 - Succeed the Program Chair/Chair Elect upon completion of their term in office.
 - Take office as Program Co-Chair/Program Chair Elect, as specified in [E-3-b] above, in the event of the resignation or death of the Program Chair/Chair Elect before their term is completed.
 - Please note, per the division by-laws: "Members interested in serving as the Program Co-Chair/Program Chair-Elect must have a demonstrated history of service to the Division, e.g., prior service on committees or other officer positions."

If you are interested in serving, please submit your name, a brief bio, and a statement on your candidacy for consideration during the business meeting (I would encourage you to notify anyone on the exec team beforehand, so your information can be included in the business meeting agenda). In addition, the nominating committee will also submit names for consideration.

Finally, if these positions don't seem apropos, please also consider serving in other capacities, as the exec team also includes several appointed positions.

Here is the 2023/24 list of officers:

- 1) Division Chair: Kim Graves Wolfinbarger kimw@ou.edu
- 2) Program Chair/Division Chair-Elect: Meg Handley mhh11@psu.edu
- 3) Program Chair elect Kenneth Lamb kwlamb@cpp.edu

- 4) Treasurer: Elizabeth Melvin lizmelvin@lsu.edu
- 5) Membership & Nominating Chair: Brett Tallman bretttallman@hotmail.com
- 6) Secretary/Webmaster: Jacqueline Ashley jacqueline.ashley@northwestern.edu
- 7) Outreach liaison/ CDEI Representative (acting): Robert Amponsah ramponsah@mail.smu.edu
- 8) Past Chairs: David Nino dnino@mit.edu; Cindy Rottmann cindy.rottmann@utoronto.ca ; Meagan Kendall mvaughan@utep.edu

Appointed positions (subject to change)

- Director of strategic planning: Mike Manning mi.manning@northeastern.edu
- Director of scholarly activity: Rebecca Komarek rebecca.komarek@colorado.edu
- Awards chair: Andrea Chan andrea.w.chan@utoronto.ca

**If you are interested in becoming more involved with ASEE LEAD, contact the ASEE LEAD Membership and Nominating Chair at bretttallman@hotmail.com

ASEE LEAD LinkedIn

Don't forget to follow us on the LEAD Division LinkedIn page! You can find us on LinkedIn [here](#).

***NEW* ASEE LEAD Division – Cheers and Congratulations**

**Would you like to have yours or someone else's accomplishment(s) to be highlighted in the next ASEE LEAD newsletter? If so, email your kudos to Brett Tallman at bretttallman@hotmail.com. Be sure to include the name, institution, and title of the person you are congratulating and why you are congratulating them.

Engineering Leadership Development Program Spotlights

**Would you like to have your engineering leadership development program to be highlighted in the next ASEE LEAD newsletter? If so, email your kudos to Brett Tallman at bretttallman@hotmail.com. Be sure to include the name of the program, institution, and why you would like them to be in the spotlight.

Open Position Announcements

If you're in this section, you might be interested in the career fair at this year's conference, Sunday 10-noon (details here). Strangely, no positions to list this month...

**Does your program or department have an open position that you'd like to announce in the next ASEE LEAD newsletter? Are you an ASEE LEAD Division member? ASEE will post all positions requested by ASEE members (for engineering leadership development related positions and

others) and all engineering leadership development-related positions (even if requested by someone not a member of ASEE LEAD). Email Brett Tallman at bretttallman@hotmail.com so we can get the open position posted in the next ASEE LEAD newsletter! Open position announcements will run as long as the position is open and your institution is accepting applications.

***Special Section-- Professional Development at HSIs

From our LEAD colleagues doing fantastic work supporting instructional faculty at HSIs (please note 7/12 deadline):

Subject Title: Apply Now to the AMPLIFY Institute!

Dear colleagues,

We are currently inviting applications for the AMPLIFY Institute, a professional development program designed for engineering instructional faculty at Hispanic Serving Institutions (HSIs), at utep.edu/engineering/amplify/institute/.

The AMPLIFY Institute kicks off with a 2-day workshop on September 26-27, 2024, at The University of Texas at El Paso, followed by virtual group coaching sessions throughout the Fall semester. **Accepted applicants will receive a \$3000 stipend during the program and join a community of engineering instructional faculty fellows.**

As part of this NSF-sponsored research project (grants #1953560 and 1953586), those accepted will have the chance to create measurable change at their institutions using innovative, culturally responsive, evidence-based teaching approaches, all while being part of an on-going research study.

[Apply Now!](#) Applications close on July 12, 2024. Selected applicants will be notified by July 26, 2024.

Please feel free to share this opportunity with your colleagues who hold teaching-focused positions at their respective institutions. Thank you for helping us spread the word!

For more details, [visit our website](http://utep.edu/engineering/amplify/) (utep.edu/engineering/amplify/) or email us at amplify@utep.edu.

The AMPLIFY Project Team

Amplifying the Leadership of Engineering Instructional Faculty Towards Educational Innovation at HSIs

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