

[ASCE UIUC] CEE Fall Kickoff, Mentorship Program, our first General Meeting + More!

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Hello ASCE members,

Welcome back and if you're new to campus, welcome! Whether you spent the summer working, traveling, or just relaxing, we hope you enjoyed your time away from school! We're thrilled to finally share all of the exciting events that we have planned for this semester and to see so many of you in person for the first time.

Before going into specific events, we wanted to remind everyone to **join our ASCE UIUC Slack page and to also check out our redesigned website, asceuiuc.com!** Important info for all of our events will be shared on both of those platforms as well as CampusGroups. The Slack page is a more interactive way to engage with anybody in ASCE and also includes resources for certain classes and campus life in general, so we highly recommend everyone join! Click [here](#) to join!

Also, this year we will be starting a **new membership point system** that rewards members for being involved in ASCE! The more events you attend, the more points you earn, and the better prizes you receive at the end of the school year! **We will be talking about this more in-depth at our first General Meeting which is Thursday, September 2nd, at 6 PM with Alberici**, so make sure to be there!

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ASCE Membership Sign-Up

We encourage everyone to sign up to become an official member of the UIUC ASCE Student Chapter by filling out [this form](#) and paying their membership dues. While anyone is welcome to attend our general meetings, **paying members receive certain benefits such as the ability to participate in intramural sports, a free t-shirt, and more!** The sign-up form asks for basic info about yourself and includes instructions about how to pay your dues.

It only takes 5 minutes of your time and we ask that you **fill it out before the September 12th deadline**. Please contact Danny Gentile at dtg2@illinois.edu if you have any questions.

CEE Fall Kickoff



Want to get involved with RSOs on campus but don't know where to start? Couldn't find some of your CEE clubs and student orgs at Quad Day? Come see them at the CEE Fall Kickoff! **Eleven CEE-related RSOs and clubs** will be presenting brief overviews about themselves and then you'll have the opportunity to talk with them afterwards if you're interested in joining!

The event will take place **Thursday, August 26th from 5-7 PM in the new Hydro-Systems Lab Room 1017** with the first hour being dedicated to presentations and the second hour for socializing and networking. Food and drink will be provided during the event. **Facemasks are required for all attendees and Safer Illinois status will be checked upon entry.**

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Ashmitha Dandamudi at ard5@illinois.edu.

General Meeting w/ Alberici

We're very excited to announce that our first general meeting of the semester will be with Alberici Constructors on **Thursday, September 2nd at 6 PM in Newmark 1310.**

Alberici is a diversified construction company recognized for superior quality and customer service. With operations throughout North America and clients around the world, they offer general contracting, construction management and design-build solutions, as well as the ability to self-perform key components of their projects. They work across a broad spectrum of industrial and commercial markets.

If you plan on attending, please click [here](#) to RSVP. **Facemasks are required for all attendees and Safer Illinois status will be checked upon entry. Food and drink will be provided during the meeting.**

ASCE Mentorship Program

A promotional graphic for the ASCE Mentorship Program. The top section shows a man in a light blue shirt leaning over a desk, looking at architectural blueprints. On the desk are a blue hard hat, a smartphone, and a mug. To the right is a sign that reads "ASCE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS STUDENT CHAPTER". Below this is a large white banner with the text "ASCE MENTORSHIP PROGRAM" in bold black letters. Underneath the banner is a dark grey banner with the text "PAIR UP WITH A MENTOR FROM ASCE TO GUIDE YOU THROUGH THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING!". The bottom section features two QR codes: the left one is labeled "MENTOR SIGN UP" and the right one is labeled "MENTEE SIGN UP". A dark grey arrow points to the right with the text "SIGN UP HERE!". The background of the bottom section shows a desk with a laptop, blueprints, and a pen.

ASCE MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

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We are now accepting applications for both mentors and mentees for our student-led mentorship program! Mentees will have the opportunity to connect with an upperclassman ASCE member to help them in their transition to college.

All freshman and sophomore ASCE members are able to apply as mentees, while all junior and senior ASCE members are able to apply as mentors. **Sophomores are encouraged to apply as mentees, especially if new to the program.** Applications will be used to match mentors and mentees based off of hobbies, career interests, hometowns, and more!

The first program-wide event, which will function as a fun meet and greet, is scheduled for Saturday, September 11th at 12 PM. The deadline to submit applications is Sunday, September 5th at 11:59 PM. You can scan the QR codes on the above flyer to sign up for whichever position applies to you!

Thanks for reading and we hope you all have a great syllabus week! Feel free to get connected with us on our social media below!

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