

Activities Overview

*Program activities are not limited to the list below. This list is intended to be used as a starting off point. Students can select other applicable activities to pitch to the LDP Coordinator. Please note some dates/website may not have been updated with current event calendars.

I. [ME Student Organizations](#)

A. [Purdue ASME](#)

As the only professional mechanical engineering society on campus, Purdue ASME is committed to helping our 200+ members and mechanical engineering students realize their potential and prepare them to be successful in a professional environment. (ASME committees)

B. [Purdue Mechanical Engineering Ambassadors](#)

The Mechanical Engineering Ambassadors act as delegates of the Purdue Mechanical Engineering program in promoting unity to students, faculty, alumni, family, and organizations, as well as reaching out to prospective students, all in an attempt to bridge the Purdue Mechanical engineering program to the local and global engineering world.

C. [Pi Tau Sigma](#)

Pi Tau Sigma is a Mechanical Engineering Honor Society, instituted in order to establish a closer bond of fellowship among its members. This will result in mutual benefit to those men and women in the study and in the profession of mechanical engineering.

D. [Formula SAE](#)

Purdue University is recognized worldwide for its excellent engineering program. Members of the Purdue Formula SAE team create a well-designed car each year by combining the theory learned in class with hands-on skills. Students utilize engineering skills and state of the art tools to design and verify the new car. Our team is comprised primarily of mechanical engineering students, but we also welcome students from other majors.

E. [Baja SAE](#)

At Purdue, Baja SAE means a year spent designing, building, testing, and finally racing an off-road vehicle. The competition give us the opportunity to apply the concepts we have learned in class to a real-world problem. We are exposed to many design techniques, like CAD and FEA. We must also excel in teamwork, planning, and advertising. In the end, all the hard work pays off when we race a machine we can be proud of against [other universities around the world](#).

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II. [Purdue Student Organizations](#)

A. [Purdue Student Government](#)

PSG represents the student body by advocating student concerns to students, faculty, community members, administrators, and alumni. In other words, PSG is the voice of the student body.

III. Campus Activities

A. [Boiler Gold Rush](#) (not available for Fall 2018)

Team leaders are current Purdue students who facilitate team-building activities and guide participants to all BGR activities and programs. Most importantly, team leaders answer the new students' questions, share their personal and academic experiences, and help new Boilermakers get acclimated to their surroundings.

[Applications](#) available late January or early February.

B. [Old Masters Program](#)

Through this program, ten exceptional persons who have made significant contributions to their own fields visit Purdue University to share their expertise with our students. Look for information in the fall. (Events Nov 4-6)

C. [**Purdue Student Union Board \(PSUB\)](#)

PSUB provides a variety of programs and services that enrich and entertain. PSUB also provides students with leadership development and serves as the voice of Purdue students in cooperative management of the Purdue Memorial Union

D. [Greek Life](#)

IV. Purdue Courses

A. EDPS 30000 - Student Leadership Development

B. This course studies leadership styles; campus organizational structures; program planning; social and intellectual activities; human relations and cultural differences; motivation; team building; public relations and assists students in developing their own leadership potential.

C. COM 37400 - Social Interaction Skills

An examination of several major communication skills and procedures for their development. Focus is on skill measurement, methods of enhancement, assessment of training programs, and personal skill development. Skills examined include those for conversing, managing conflict, providing support, and influencing. Typically offered Fall Spring.

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V. On-Campus Seminars/Workshops/Conferences

A. [First Year Leadership Series](#)

One-session workshop for students who want to explore their Top 5 Signature Themes and develop them into strengths so that they can apply them in their academic, social, and professional lives.

B. [Institutes & Workshops](#) (email bvn@purdue.edu)

1. Lunch & Learn (Fall & Spring semesters)

Lunch & Learns are a partnership with Purdue's various Cultural centers - each week CELD hosts hour-long educational sessions (with free food!)

2. *Women in Leadership Institute (Spring 2019)

The Women in Leadership Institute (WLI) is a bi-annual dynamic one-day conference that exists to develop the leadership capacity of women and to expose participants to issues affecting women that need leadership.

C. *Mortar Board Leadership Conference

This all day event offers three 3 keynote speakers, breakout sessions, and lunch with topics focused on leadership. This is held at the Stewart Center and Union.

When: January 27, 2018 (last Saturday in January)

Cost: \$25 (covers lunch)

Chapter Senior Advisor: Roger Stewart - rcstewar@purdue.edu 765-494-2307

VI. [Volunteer and Service Opportunities](#)

A. Community Action: Campus-Wide Days of Service (Not updated for Fall 2018)

B. ACE Campus Pantry

The ACE Campus Food Pantry makes food more readily available to members of the Purdue community who may be experiencing food insecurity on a consistent or inconsistent basis. All you need is your Purdue ID! (Students, Faculty, and Staff)

Address: Bottom Floor of the Baptist Student Foundation,
200 N. Russell St., West Lafayette, IN 47906

C. [United Way](#)

D. [Lafayette Urban Ministries](#)

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- V. [Purdue Diversity & Inclusion Events](#)
 - A. [D&I Events](#)
 - B. [Purdue Black Cultural Center](#)
 - 1. Community Arts Project
 - 2. [BCC events \(not updated\)](#)
 - 3. [Performing Arts Ensembles](#)
 - C. [Asian American and Asian Resource Center](#)
 - D. [Purdue Diversity Resource Office](#)
 - E. ******[DiversiKey - Diversity & Leadership Trainings/Workshops](#)
 - F. [Purdue Latino Cultural Center](#)
 - G. [Purdue LGBTQ Center](#)
 - H. [Purdue NA ECC](#)
 - I. ******[Butler Center](#)

- VI. Internships
 - A. 1 semester
 - B. Paid or unpaid
 - C. For credit or not for credit

- VII. [Career Fairs](#)

- VIII. [Study Abroad](#)

- IX. Mentoring

Serve as a mentor in a recognized program for at least 1 semester

 - A. [Purdue Housing Mentors](#)
 - B. [Peer Mentoring - Disability Resource Center](#)
 - C. [First Year Peer Mentors](#)

- X. Employment

A paid position of at least 20 hours a week for at least 1 semester. Additional points for holding a supervisory position.

- XI. Research

Work on a research team, publish a journal article in a peer reviewed journal, or present at a professional conference/ symposium

- XII. [Purdue Toastmasters](#)