November Meeting Reminder

November Meeting: “‘Can I Really Do This?’ Confronting Self-Doubt in Graduate School” Nov. 12th, 5:30-7:00PM

***LAWSON HALL Rm. 1142***

We look forward to seeing you at the monthly meeting with our speaker Dr. Suzanne Nielsen!

When: Tuesday November 12, 2013

NEW MEETING LOCATION FOR NOVEMBER

***Where: Lawson 1142***

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Fall 2013 Meetings

SAVE THE DATES

Wadsworth Graduate Mentoring Award Applications due January 21, 2014

- Recognizes the special contributions made by a graduate student recipient in the area of mentoring women
- Open to any MS or PhD student in engineering who meets the criteria outlined online at https://engineering.purdue.edu/WIEP/WadsworthGradAwardIntro.htm
- More info available online or at the Nov. Meeting

Looks like the MSE GWG had fun at a recent event. Check out the picture!
**Holiday Activities**

Can’t get home during the break? You are not alone & there are some great holiday activities to participate in here in the West Lafayette/Lafayette area......

Thanksgiving is a time to give thanks and is usually celebrated with over a meal with family and friends. Visit Campus House this Friday, November 15, 2013 for a thanksgiving dinner! Enjoy great thanksgiving holiday food and great company with other international and local students!

Looking for something to do over winter break? Look no further! Check out Christmas International House (CIH) – a program that caters to international students during the Christmas holidays. Experience a Christmas celebration with a local family or visit another region of the US! More details on the ISS website.

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**What Do YOU Think?**

**Humanities and Science Must Work Together**

Lisa Dolling, an associate professor of philosophy, is dean of the College of Arts and Letters at Stevens Institute of Technology,

“ No matter whether the number of humanities majors is dropping or not, it is certain that we need a different approach to these disciplines. Students do not need to make a choice between humanities and more “useful” or “professionally lucrative” fields, like science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.

Students should consider the ways they are able to bring together humanities and STEM disciplines (along with business, and other non-humanities disciplines) in dialogue and collaboration. Rather than "either/or" it should be “together/with."... Only by taking these fields together can we help students answer the more compelling and meaningful question of why it all matters, and get to the core of what it truly means to become educated.”

Do you agree with this position? Tell us your thoughts on the mixable page!

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