

Midgley Tapped To Succeed Hulbert

John J. Midgley has been chosen to become the 12th president of Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, succeeding retiring Samuel Hulbert on July 1.

Midgley, 49, has an extensive background in developing innovative learning and academic administration technologies, and in successful strategic planning to launch and grow technology-related businesses on a global scale. He has received outstanding teaching awards as a faculty member at Carnegie Mellon University and the University of Pittsburgh. He also taught at the U.S. Military Academy, where he graduated with honors.

Midgley is managing partner for Roland

Berger Strategy Consultants, the world's leading strategy firm of European origin that serves corporations and institutions.

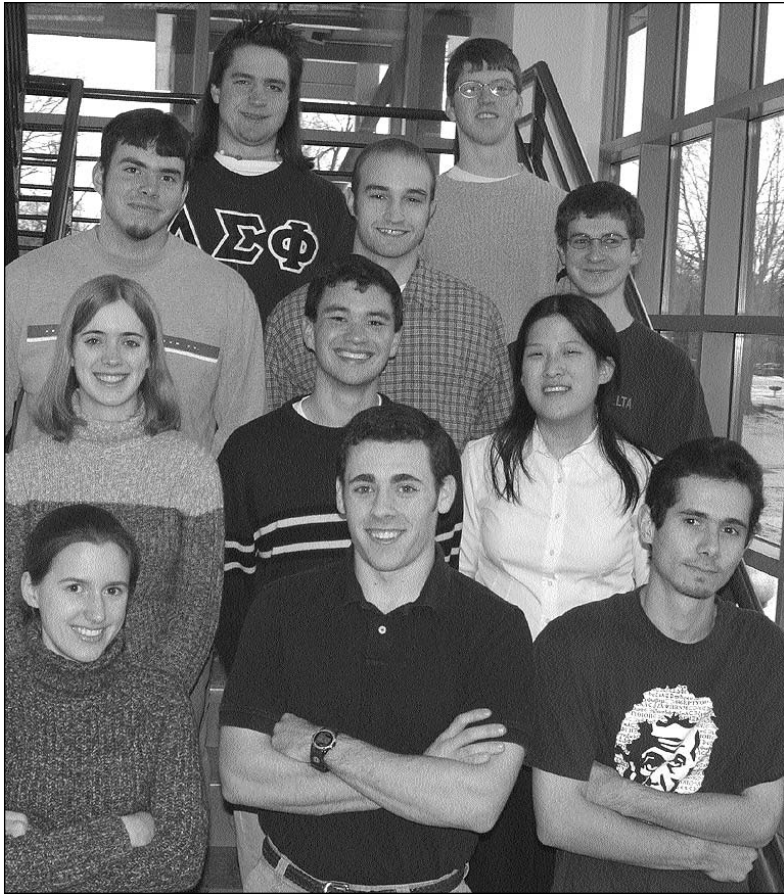
Natalie Morand, president of the Student Government Association, was the student representative on the search committee.

More information about Midgley is available at <http://www.rose-hulman.edu/news/newpresident/>



Midgley

Campus Insight



Honoring Academic Perfection: Sophomores that completed the freshman year with 4.0 GPAs will be honored at the Mom's Day Dinner. (See Page 2.) The group includes in the front Christine Meyer, Dan Janosik and Stephen Galler. In Row 2 are Alexandra Jantzen, Eric Reyes and Heidi Park. In Row 3 are Curtis Rhodes, Brodie Smith and Stephen Schnelle. In back are Nicholas

Campus Stoplight Gets Green Light

A dream will become reality this summer when a traffic stoplight is installed at the main campus entrance off U.S. 40.

The Indiana Department of Transportation has approved Rose-Hulman's petition for the stoplight. There is a distinct possibility that the new campus fixture could be installed and operational by commencement (May 29).

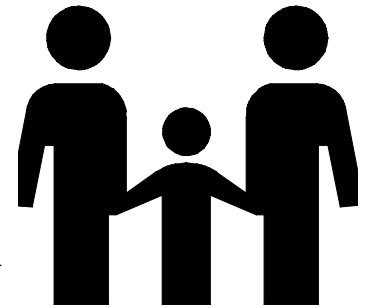
The stoplight will improve campus safety for students, faculty, staff and visitors. It is one feature of the Gateway Project, which is being supported by the Parents Association and indi-

vidual financial donations by parents. As of Feb. 11, \$75,000 had been raised for the project from 550 parents.

Other portions of the Gateway Project are slated for construction in 2005, including widening of the main campus entranceway, the addition of a left turn lane from campus onto U.S. 40 and improved campus signage.

Donations can be made by calling Karen O'Rourke in the Development Office at (812) 877-8159 or online at the Development Office's Web site: www.rose-hulman.edu/give

Students Completing Freshman Year With 4.0 GPAs To Receive Honors



Parents' News

Nobody is more proud of their child's academic achievements than their parents. With that in mind, the Parents Association has started a new program to publicly recognize those Rose-Hulman students that completed their freshman year with a 4.0 cumulative grade point average.

Parents Assoc. Events

March 20 - Mom's Day
Aug. 27/28 - Welcome
New Students
Oct. 9 - Homecoming

Association meets at 11 a.m. on March 20 in the Hulman Union. Persons interested in attending should contact the Student Affairs Office, 812-877-8472.

The students will be honored at the Mom's Day Dinner, receiving a commemorative gift from the Parents Association. Each student's high school will also receive a plaque to display.

Achieving 4.0 GPAs as freshmen in 2002-03 were Justin Bailey, Krishnamurti Ersson, Stephen Galler, Shawn Hymel, Daniel Jancsik, Alexandra Jantzen, Allison Jones, Jeff Larsen, Christine Meyer, Matthew Nothnagel, Heidi Park, Nicholas Philbrook, David Radue, Eric Reyes, Curtis Rhodes, Stephen Schnelle, Brodie Smith, Troy Stapleton and Geoffrey Ulman.

8 (\$500) and 12 x 12 (\$1,000). The bricks can be engraved with three lines of 20 characters on each line.

Approximately 1,000 bricks have been purchased so far.

To purchase a brick, parents should call Karen O'Rourke, director of annual giving, at (812) 877-8159, or go online at www.rose-hulman.edu/reflection

Items Needed For Mom's Day Raffle

Parents attending Mom's Day should consider donating items for a special raffle that will help subsidize Parents Association activities throughout the school year.

The Mom's Day Raffle theme is Pampering Mom.

Donations can be mailed to Pete Gustafson, CM 7, at Rose-Hulman or contact Kae Smith at keturah@highstream.net.

Senior Parents Advised To Plan Ahead

Parents, family members and friends planning to attend this year's commencement should be advised that lodging in Terre Haute may be at a premium during the weekend May 28-30.

Rose-Hulman's commencement is being conducted on the same day as graduation ceremonies for all three Vigo County high schools. Also, the Indianapolis 500 is on May 30.

Parents Can Still Put Names On Bricks

Orders for the Reflection Plaza Brick Campaign are being accepted through April. The plaza will be an accentuating feature of the campus Flame of the Millennium sculpture and reflecting pool near Hatfield Hall.

Parents can leave a lasting legacy in their student's honor by having names engraved on bricks on the plaza, which is scheduled for construction starting in June.

There are three sizes of bricks available: 4 x 8 (\$150), 8 x

Parents Can Salute Seniors In Newspaper

Parents of seniors can show off their pride in their child's accomplishments by placing a congratulatory advertisement in the Graduation Issue (May 14) of The Thorn campus newspaper.

Ads cost \$4.50 per column inch or \$12 for 2 columns by 2 inches; \$50 for 3 columns by 4 inches; \$65 for 2 columns by 8 inches; \$100 for 3 columns by 8 inches; \$160 for half page or \$300 for a full page. Ads must be purchased by May 6.

Parents can send ad requests to thorn@rose-hulman.edu.

Helping Hands, Ideas Needed For Parents Events

Spring is just around the corner and the students are ready for a break, again. You won't want to miss this year's Mom's Day. Check out the schedule of events in this newsletter planned for Mom's Day on March 20. It is a special time to spend with your son/daughter on campus.

Please feel free to come and get involved in the Parents Association. If you are interested, contact Pete Gustafson, vice president for student affairs, at (812) 877-8257. There is always an open invitation to join us in our meetings. The Parents Association is a great way to support your student and Rose-Hulman. From a parent's point of view, it has been truly a reward to get involved in the Parents Association. We have really grown in the last four years as a group and will continue to do great things for our students and Rose-Hulman.

Kae Smith will remain a co-chair of the Parents Association after Karen Hunt's son graduates in May.

Rose-Hulman students go on to do great things in their lives. Check out the Alumni Association page and see where alumni are and how far they go throughout the world.

Parents Association News

Please consider giving some of your time, talents, wisdom, and experience to help the Parents Association. We are always looking for great parents to help. If you have any questions or comments about the Parents Association, please let us know. See you at Mom's Day!

Karen Hunt and Kae Smith
Co-Chairpersons

Parents Association news is available on the web at: <http://www.rose-hulman.edu/parents/>

Student Notes

Trio To Represent R-H In State Leadership Summit

Students Timothy King, Aaron Spencer and Rita Strack have been chosen to represent Rose-Hulman in the Indiana 2016 College Leadership Summit on March 1 in Indianapolis.

The conference, with its Charting a Course theme, hopes to stimulate young Hoosiers through an unprecedented opportunity for dialogue and networking with recognized leaders throughout Indiana.

The Rose-Hulman students were chosen because of their leadership roles, academic successes, faculty/staff recommendations and an essay. Being graduates of Indianapolis high schools was important since the summit occurs during the quarter break.

Zuckerman Named CEO

Ron Zuckerman has been named by a faculty/staff panel to be the chief executive officer of Engenius Solutions, a student-run enterprise that helps promote the commercialization of student design projects.

Zuckerman, who takes over this spring, has been a member of Engenius Solutions management team for the past two years.

Ravindran Tops Math Test

Mathematics major Hari Ravindran earned first place honors in this year's Alfred Schmidt Freshman Mathematics Competition. Twenty students participated this year.

Joseph Bauer, Stephen Dupal and Angela Smiley shared second place while Amanda Rohde earned third place.

Earning meritorious mention was Scott Aikin, John Bernhard, Melissa Grette, Darryl Kline and Nathan Shomber.

Five Win College Bowl Title

A team representing the New Residence Hall won the campus College Bowl Challenge and competed in the regional competition Feb. 21 in Indianapolis.

Victorious 230-210 in the campus finals was the team of Kristy Bailey, John Beety, Justin Droba, Brandon Hathaway and Charles Key.

Placing a close second was the team of Eric Borzello, Jacob Silvia, Guy Srinivasin and Eric Tollefson.

A total of 31 teams participated in this year's campus competition.

Internships Help Prepare Students For Real World

At a governmental consulting firm in Arlington, Virginia, employees say that Rose-Hulman students are unbelievably prepared for work. The human resources person at an Indianapolis engine company says Rose-Hulman graduates are the most ready to go to work. What's the key for students to earn these glowing remarks? Experience, experience, experience.

"Most graduates have at least two degree-related work experiences," asserts Kevin Hewardine, director of career services and employer relations.

Besides exposing students to the real world of their majors, the jobs also pay well. Most students earn \$10 to \$15 per hour their first two years and \$17 or more per hour after their junior year.

Senior computer science and math major Andy Morin began his internship experience his freshman year with eTapestry, the world's leading Web-based fundraising software company. "I probably learned more my first summer there than my whole first year at Rose-Hulman," he says. "Having the work experience is invaluable. Morin now has several job options.

Internships also helped senior mechanical engineering major Kris Hunt decide which career path to take. He knew he wanted to either go on to earn a Ph.D. or go to medical school. Last summer he conducted research for the Indiana University Medical School, a contrast to his previous experience working directly with patients. The experiences revealed to Kris that med school is the way he should go, and he's already been accepted to IU and other medical schools.

Each year, 82 to 90 percent of Rose-Hulman's students land jobs by graduation time, while others are headed on to graduate school or the military. The college hosts career fairs on campus, connecting students with potential employers. A new online recruiting tool is now also available to all students.

Companies are able to post job openings where Rose-Hulman students can



Looking For Internships: Underclass students took advantage of this year's Internship & Co-op Fair to seek work experiences from companies. The event was well attended by recruiters and students.

Who To Call On Campus

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| Office of Public Safety | 877-8911 | Academic Affairs Office | 877-8288 |
| Tom Miller, assoc. dean of students | | Account's Payable | 877-8256 |
| | Day 877-8210 | Bookstore | 877-8344 |
| | Night 298-9468 | Business Office | 877-8216 |
| Erik Hayes, director of residence life | | Career Services Office | 877-8184 |
| | | External Affairs Office | 877-8441 |
| | Day 877-8230 | Financial Aid Office | 877-8259 |
| | Night 877-8439 | Housing Office | 877-8210 |
| Donna Gustafson, assoc. dean of students | | President's Office | 877-8201 |
| | 877-8275 | Registrar's Office | 877-8298 |
| Pete Gustafson, vice president of student affairs/dean of students | 877-8257 | Tuition Payment Office | 877-8296 |

Key Web Sites:

Rose-Hulman news (updated frequent-

Rose-Hulman Athletic Events

Rose-Hulman Baseball - Art Nehf Field

- ♦ Rose-Hulman vs. Albion College (Mich.), 11 a.m.
- ♦ Rose-Hulman vs. Marian College (Ind.), 2:30 p.m.

Rose-Hulman Track & Field - Bill Welch Track

- ♦ Rose-Hulman Early Bird Meet, Noon

Rose-Hulman Softball - Softball Stadium

- ♦ Rose-Hulman vs. St. Mary's College (South Bend), 5 p.m.
- Admission to all athletic events is free.

Parents Workshops

1-4 p.m., Hulman Union

The following sessions will provide valuable information that could help parents cope with today's hectic lifestyles:

Get Ready For Spring, 1-1:45 p.m., Robert Kahn Room - Your image can speak volumes before you say a word -- through your wardrobe, personality and style. Jill McNamara will give a presentation on how to coordinate your wardrobe and will demonstrate how to create spring wardrobe solutions that suit your lifestyle and taste.

Journal Writing, 2-2:45 p.m., Performing Arts Room -- Rachel Herbig, author of *The Practical Guide to Journal Writing*, will provide the latest information on how to keep track of your thoughts and memories. Seating is limited to the first 40 adults. Reservations are required. Call Kim Jones at (812) 877-8472.

Chair Massage, (By Appointment) 2-4 p.m., Heritage Room - Relax and enjoy a 10-minute chair massage provided by Marty Sandberg and Company. Registration will be in the lobby of the Hulman Union.

Lunch Is Served

Parents can enjoy a casual lunch in the Vonderschmitt Dining Room, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Persons will be charged \$4 per meal. Pay at the door.

Parents Fund-Raising

Activities

Mom's Day Raffle, Lobby, Hulman Union

Items will be on display throughout the day. Tickets will be sold. The winner will be announced at the Mom's Day Dinner.

Gold Canyon Candles, 1-3 p.m., Lobby, Union

Gold Canyon Candles has teamed up with the Parents Association to raise funds for the new campus entrance way project. Stop by the display and smell the different styles. The association will receive a portion of the profits. Prices will be: \$18.95, 26 oz. jar; \$15.95, 16 oz. jar; and \$11.95, 8 oz. jar.

Tours of Apartment-Style Residence Hall

2-4 p.m., Main Lobby, Hulman Union

Wayne Spary, vice president of facilities operations, will lead groups through this unique building, currently under construction. He can also answer questions about other facilities. Tours will leave at 2 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 3 p.m. and 3:30 p.m.

Keepsake Photographs

3-5 p.m., Main Lobby, Hulman Union

Mothers will be able to take home a memento of this special day -- a photograph with your son or daughter. And, better yet,

Mom's Day

Saturday, March 20

Schedule of Events

It's all free!

The Price Is Right

3-4 p.m., Kahn Rooms, Hulman Union

Come on down! The Student Activities Board members will host their game show, with selected parents given the chance to win prizes in fun-filled games -- just like the real thing! The only thing missing will be Bob Barker.

Wine Tasting

4-5 p.m., Faculty/Staff Dining Room, Union

Oliver Winery of Bloomington, Ind., will provide an educational wine tasting session. Attendees must be 21 years old. Seating is limited to the first 50 adults. Advanced reservations are required. Call Kim Jones at (812) 877-8472.

Candlelight Dinner

5 p.m., Vonderschmitt Dining Room, Union

Families of Rose-Hulman students will be treated to a special dinner, sponsored by the Parents Association. Students who achieved a 4.0 grade point average following the 2002-03 freshman year will be recognized, along with presentation of the Parents Association's Joy Hulbert Service Award to a female member of the Rose-Hulman campus community.

The meal will include:

- ♦ Pecan chicken
 - ♦ Herb roasted potatoes
 - ♦ Sugar snap peas
 - ♦ Mandarin Romaine salad
 - ♦ Raspberry/Plain cheesecake
 - ♦ Dinner rolls
 - ♦ Beverages
- (Vegetarian option is also available)

Rose Jazz Band Performing: This delightful musical group, directed by Gary Turner, will add to the special evening by performing several musical selections.

Cost for the dinner is \$15 per adult and Rose-Hulman student, and \$7.50 for children (under 12 years old). Reservations required.

More Event Information On Next Page

An Evening Of Musical Theater

8 p.m., Hatfield Hall Auditorium, March 19 & 20

The enduring musical Brigadoon is a good-natured, if fanciful, interpretation of all the nice things that North Americans imagine about Scotland, replete with swinging kilts, bonnie lassies and droning bagpipes. Inspired by Germelshausen, a German story by Friedrich Gerstcker, the play revolves around two American tourists, Tommy Albright (played by Adam Popplewell) and Jeff Douglas (Nick Slabaugh), who stumble upon a misty little Scottish town. Tommy soon falls in love with a local lass, Fiona McLaren (Adelle Maynard), but as the two men quickly discover, this mysterious little town only reawakens for one day every 100 years. Brigadoon was the first big hit for the magical team of Alan Jay Lerner and Frederick Loewe and features the song Almost Like Being In Love."

Other Drama Club members in the large cast are Dianna Artigue, Audra Curry, Tim Hunt, Justin Jennings, Matt Johnson, Zach Lute, Ben Mertz, Bob Prescott, Mercedes Reeder, Steve Rowe, Tina Shook and Eric Volz. The play is directed by Bunny Nash.

Tickets cost \$8 for all guests. It is free to all Rose-Hulman students. Reservations required.

Brigadoon

Rose-Hulman Drama Club

Local Lodging Information

Hotels

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| Comfort Suites, Margaret Avenue & U.S. 41 | (812) 235-1770 |
| Days Inn, 555 S. Third St | (812) 235-3333 |
| Dollar Inn, 101 Margaret Ave. | (812) 232-8006 |
| Drury Inn, I-70 & U.S. 41 | 1-800-325-8300 |
| Fairfield Inn, 475 E. Margaret Ave. | (812) 235-2444 |
| Hampton Inn, I-70 & U.S. 41 | (812) 242-2222 |
| Holiday Inn, I-70 & U.S. 41 | (812) 232-6081 |
| Knights Inn, 401 E. Margaret Ave. | (812) 234-9931 |
| Motel Six, I-70 & U.S. 41 | (812) 238-1586 |

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| Peartree Inn, I-70 & U.S. 41 | (812) 234-4268 |
| Signature Inn, I-70 & U.S. 41 | (812) 238-1461 |
| Super 8 Lodge, I-70 & U.S. 41 | (812) 232-4890 |

Bed and Breakfast Inns

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| Farrington House, 931 S. Seventh St. | (812) 238-0524 |
| Sycamore Farm, 5001 E. Poplar St | (812) 877-9288 |

Campgrounds

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| K.O.A. of Terre Haute | 1-800-366-1281 |
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Mom's Day Reservation Form (Return By March 15)

MOM'S DAY ACTIVITIES

Please indicate how many persons from your family will be attending the following Mom's Day events

- ___ Get Ready For Spring Workshop
- ___ Tours of Apartment-Style Residence Hall
- ___ The Price is Right Game Show
- ___ Keepsake Photographs

(Thank you for helping us plan for these activities!)

MOM'S DAY DINNER

| | No. | Price | Total |
|------------------------------|-----|-----------|---------|
| Adults | ___ | x \$15.00 | = \$___ |
| R-H Student | ___ | x \$15.00 | = \$___ |
| Children (5-12 years old) | ___ | x \$ 7.50 | = \$___ |

AN EVENING OF THEATER - BRIGADOON

Performance Date Attending:

- Friday, March 19 - 8 p.m.
- Saturday, March 20 - 8 p.m.

| | No. | Price | Total |
|-------------|-----|----------|---------|
| All Guests | ___ | x \$8.00 | = \$___ |
| R-H Student | ___ | x Free | = \$___ |

PARENTS' INFORMATION

Parents Names:

Student's Name:

Daytime Telephone:

- Check (Payable to Rose- VISA MASTER- AMERICAN DISCOVER

TOTAL AMOUNT OF BILL: \$_____

Parents E-mail:

PAYMENT METHOD

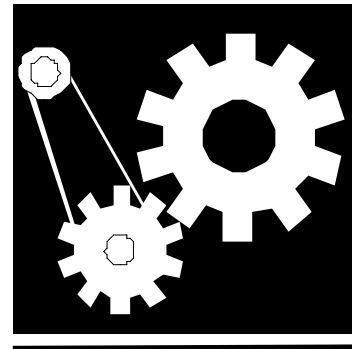
Credit Card Number: _____ Cardholder's Name:

Register online at: www.rose-hulman.edu/momsday (secure site!)

Student Achievers

Scholastic & Volunteer Accomplishments

Don't Go Unnoticed By Peers & Media



Student News

Several Rose-Hulman students have earned national, regional and campus recognition for their scholastic and community service accomplishments.

These students, in alphabetical order, include:

◆ Andrew Batta, a senior electrical engineering major, was a campus nominee for the All-USA College Academic Team as chief executive officer of Engenius Solutions, a student-operated enterprise that strives to commercialize student-developed technology. He also maintains a 3.85 grade point average.

◆ Jessica Farmer, a senior chemical engineering major, became the college's first female student-athlete to receive Academic All-American recognition. She was chosen by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) to the second team in the women's soccer college division. She maintains a 3.73 GPA and was named the Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference's Soccer Player of the Year.

◆ Spring McEwen, a senior, was selected among the nation's top civil engineering students in CE News magazine's Star Students issue (December). Profiles of 40 students were featured. The Star Students represent the future of the civil engineering profession, according to CE News Project Director Holly Bradley. McEwen maintains a 3.71 GPA.

◆ Ryan Nevitt, a freshman mechanical engineering major, was among 10 youth leaders receiving the 2003 Yoshiyama Award from the Hitachi Foundation for exemplary community service. Nevitt organized a "Donate-a-Phone" campaign to collect recycled cell phones, which were reprogrammed by Motorola to dial 911 and given to abuse victims. The project collected more than 1,000 cell phones! He was honored at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C., and received a \$5,000 gift.

◆ Ryan Poplin, a senior computer science and math major, was nominated for the All-USA College Academic Team for his thesis in the area of automatic knot



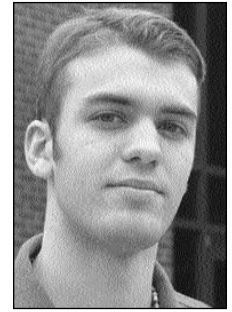
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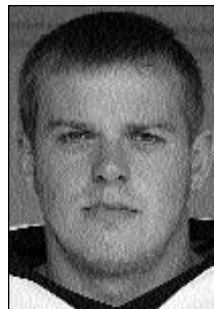
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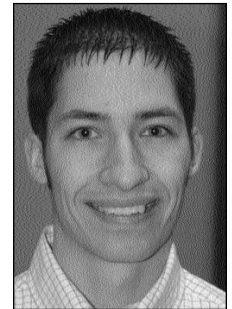
Ryan Poplin



Ryan Smith



Rita Strack



Brad Woodcox

simplification and recognition. He also has worked as a college cyber defenders intern at the Sandia National Laboratory, co-founded Rose-Hulman's Unity organization and spent a summer at Kanazawa Institute of Technology (Japan). He maintains a 3.94 GPA.



Take Note

For 18 consecutive years, at least one Rose-Hulman student-athlete has earned CoSIDA Academic All-American

◆ Ryan Smith, a senior chemical engineering major, earned second-team Academic All-American honors in the football college division, selected by CoSIDA.

He also claimed first-team all-SCAC honors this past season and started the last 29 games of his Engineer career on the defensive line. Smith has a 3.76 GPA.

◆ Rita Strack, a junior applied biology major, was nominated for the All-USA College Academic Team for genetic research to understand the effects of alcohol on the body. She was part of the minority internship program at the Alcohol Research Center at the University of Colorado. She maintains a 3.91 GPA.

◆ Brad Woodcox, a senior mechanical engineering major, was nominated for the All-USA College Academic Team after playing a role in the development of a halo orthosis that immobilizes the head after an injury. The device recently earned a patent for Professor Richard Stamper and Rose-Hulman. Woodcox graduated at the end of the winter quarter with a 4.0 GPA.

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Student News & Notes

Five Share Fall Leadership Awards

Seven students that helped organize homecoming activities, worked with alumni and assisted in campus safety were honored as Fall Student Leaders, by the Student Government Association. The honorees, nominated by faculty/staff, were:

- ♦ Luke Asleson, a senior mechanical engineering major, who is president of the Blue Key Honorary, which organized the homecoming queen contest, pep rally and cheer/spirit contest.
- ♦ Matt Johnson, a junior computer engineering major, who is vice president of Blue Key.
- ♦ Jeff Keacher, a senior electrical engineering major, who is secretary/treasurer of Blue Key.
- ♦ Jake Klug, a junior mechanical engineering major, who organized construction of this year's homecoming bonfire.
- ♦ Mike Martin, a senior computer engineering major, who organized greek life information sessions for Parents Orientation and College & Life Skills classes as Interfraternity Council president.
- ♦ Mike Raffay, a senior chemical engineering major, who has been a dispatcher in the Office of Public Safety for the past three years.
- ♦ Sarah Sanborn, a senior chemical engineering major, who worked with alumni as president of the Student Alumni Association.

Klug, Trobaugh Elected To Lead SGA

Jake Klug, a junior mechanical engineering major, has been elected to be president of the Student Government Association, starting in the spring quarter.

Derek Trobaugh, a sophomore applied biology major, was chosen vice president.

The students replace outgoing president Natalie Morand and vice president Cheryl Fang.

Smith Honored For Improved Grades

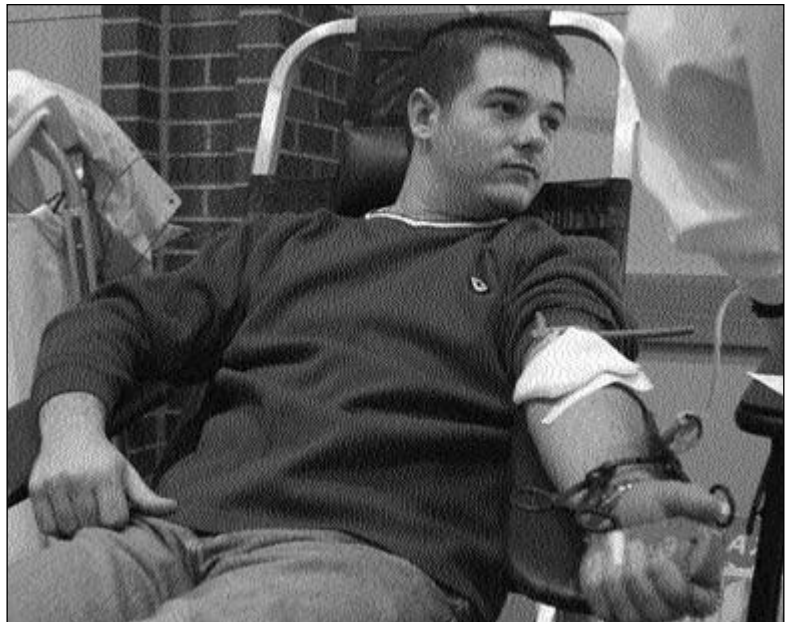
Electrical engineering major Dustin Smith has proven that hard work and determination has its rewards: A \$750 award from the D.J. Angus-Scientech Club of Indianapolis.

The honor goes to the Rose-Hulman student having the most significant improvement in his or her cumulative grade point average between the freshman and sophomore years.

Zarse, Locrone Noted For Research

Applied biology junior Chad Zarse is co-author of two recent abstracts accepted for publication in the Journal of Urology and will make special presentations at the spring American Urological Association meeting.

Meanwhile, Crystal Locrone-Spriggs, a freshman physics major, has received a grant in aid of research from Sigma Xi, the Scientific Research Society. Her project on asteroid photometry was selected along with 300 out of 1,300 undergraduate applications.



Giving The Gift Of Life: Greg Lyons, a biomedical engineering major, was among students that participated in the winter drive for the Indiana Blood Center. A total of 247 pints was donated.

Students Musical Talents To Be Displayed In Show

The musical talents of Rose-Hulman students, faculty and staff will be showcased in this year's Engineers in Concert on April 24, starting at 7:30 p.m., in the Hatfield Hall Theater. The show is free and open to all family members. Seating is reserved. Persons can reserve tickets by calling (812) 872-6261, starting on April 19.

Chosen by audition, students in this year's show will be:

- ♦ Diana Artigue, a junior chemical engineering major, performing a duet with her sister, Erin Artigue, and piano accompanist Dan Czuba, a Rose-Hulman alumnus.
- ♦ Kristen Bailey, a junior mechanical engineering major; Matt Fike, a junior computer engineering major; and Mike Slavik, a senior computer engineering major, performing a brass trio.
- ♦ Allison Burkey, a senior electrical engineering major, performing a piano solo.
- ♦ Audra Curry, a junior chemistry major, performing a vocal solo with piano.
- ♦ The Blues band Glass Halo, featuring Eric Arnett, a senior mechanical engineering major; John Baughman, a freshman electrical engineering major; David Evans, a junior mechanical engineering; David Grodzki, a freshman mechanical engineering major; and Aaron W underlich, a senior electrical engineering major.
- ♦ Marieda Mergele, a junior mechanical engineering major, will perform in a Blues band that includes faculty, staff and local residents
- ♦ Adelle Maynard, a sophomore applied biology major, performing a vocal solo.
- ♦ Hannah Pauley, a senior electrical engineering major, and Lucas McDonald, a freshman optical engineering major, performing a vocal a capella duet.
- ♦ Bridget Revier, a senior chemical engineering major, a violin solo with piano.
- ♦ Jongwon Son, a freshman mechanical engineering major, performing a piano solo.
- ♦ The Rose Chorus, directed by Jeff Bunsall, and Rose Concert Band, directed by Gary Turner, will also perform.

2003-2004 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Spring Quarter

Feb. 27 -- Fee payment deadline
March 8 -- Start of spring quarter
March 10 -- Registration deadline for classes
March 12 -- Final date to add a class
April 3-11-- Spring break
April 17 -- Midterm progress reports filed
April 27 -- Fundamentals of Engineering exam (Seniors)
April 23 -- Final date to drop a course without penalty
May 3-7 -- Registration for fall quarter classes
May 24-27 -- Final exams for spring quarter
May 29 -- Commencement

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

March 10 -- Greek Leadership Awards Banquet
March 19-20/26-27 -- Drama Club Musical Brigadoon
March 20 -- Mom s Day
March 27 -- Midwest Undergraduate Private Engineering Colleges Student Conference
April 14 -- Career Services' Senior Career Fair
April 21 -- Electrical & Computer Engineering Senior Projects Symposium
April 23 -- Scholarship Dinner (By Invitation)
April 24 -- Engineers In Concert, Hatfield Hall, 7:30 p.m.

May 1 -- The Hulbert Years - A Celebration (By Invitation)
May 8 -- Honors & Awards Banquet (By Invitation)
May 8 -- Campus Clean Up Day
May 19 -- Order of the Engineer Ring Ceremony

FINANCIAL AID DATES

March 10 -- FAFSA Filing Deadline (Indiana residents)
Mid-May -- Upperclassmen mailed Rose-Hulman financial aid award letter

RESIDENCE LIFE/HOUSING DATES

March 8 -- Housing information sent to students
March 11 -- Meetings for students desiring housing next year
March 19 -- Resident Assistant application deadline
March 22-26 -- Resident Assistant interviews
April 2 -- Sophomore Advisor application deadline
April 2 -- Resident Assistants for 2004-05 announced
April 14-16/19-23 -- Sophomore Advisor interviews
April 30 -- Sophomore Advisors for 2004-05 announced
May 3 -- Housing Preference Forms distributed to students



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