Alumni E-Newsletter April 2019


May 1, 2019 - RoseShow at the SRC

May 2, 2019 - Happy Hour, Houston, TX

Alumni Trips
November 2019 - Hawaii

RoseSTEM: Alumni Events

Rose-Hulman Alumni Award Winners
Pole Day - May 19th
Early Bird Registration

Sunday, May 19th is Pole Day at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway. Attendees will enjoy a lunch buffet with fried chicken and all the fixings! The event will take place in the Arie Luyendyk & Louis Meyer suites on Legends Row.

The cost for registration includes food, beer, and all other non-alcoholic beverages (soda, water, etc.), admission and garage passes. Individuals under the age of 18 are NOT allowed to tour the garages.

Register by Monday, April 15 to get the special early bird rate of $35 per person!

Cost for registration after April 15 is $50 per person.

Alumna Spotlight: Kelly Noel

Kelly (Sullivan) Noel (EE, 2002) will begin her two-year term as president of the Alumni Advisory Board on July 1. She was elected during the spring 2018 Alumni Advisory Board meeting. She replaces Gregory (Greg) M. Gotwald (CHE, 2001), who will become past-president. The ceremonial passing of the gavel took place at the spring 2019 Alumni Advisory Board meeting. Congratulations, Kelly!
A Fond Farewell to Ben Paolillo

The Office of Alumni Relations would like to wish our Executive Director, Ben Paolillo, a fond farewell. Ben joined Rose-Hulman’s Office of Alumni Relations back in 2016 as the Executive Director. During his time at Rose, he helped grow our alumni networks and expand our alumni volunteer network tremendously. During his tenure, Rose-Hulman saw unprecedented numbers of alumni return for homecoming and throughout the year to engage in festivities. Ben’s last day was March 30th, 2019 as we celebrated the annual Alumni Awards. We want to thank Ben for his hard work and dedication to the Rose-Hulman Alumni over the last three years and wish him well as he transitions home to West Lafayette, Indiana, and begins his new position with development at Purdue University. Thank you, Ben, for your service to the Rose-Hulman community.

• Lend your expertise as you help evaluate nearly 100 senior design projects from all disciplines!
• Meet with faculty and pitch your company’s latest idea as a future senior design project.
• Showcase your company, scout your future workforce and get in front of the best and
Welcome Katie Hoffmann

Katie Hoffmann is a new member of the Office of Alumni Relations, serving as assistant director. She will be leading the alumni awards program and working with alumni volunteers throughout the country to help them stay involved with the institute. Hoffmann spent 10 years in primary education before taking a few years off to stay home with her son.

Updates Coming!

We have some exciting news! In the coming weeks, we will be rolling out two system upgrades that will enhance and personalize your alumni experience.

First, all alumni will be issued an official Rose-Hulman email account. You can now show your RHIT pride with an @rose-hulman.edu email address.

Second, some great updates will be coming to your alumni portal. All of the features in the current RoseSTEM will be available with some great enhancements, including the ability to see your giving history.

Watch your email for more details coming soon about both of these updates!

Experienced Talent Needs: Spotlight

Alumni! Did you know that Career Services offers more to alumni than just job postings? Rose-Hulman is committed to helping you get your first job and your next job. Alumni can register here to see hundreds of open positions in their field. Career Services is here to assist you in all facets of your career.
Thinking about a big career move in 2019? Looking to switch careers? Ready to make the next move up the career ladder? Contact Chris Gresham in Career Services to have your resume reviewed, complete a mock interview, learn about unique job opportunities, and more. Please contact Career Services and Employer Relations at 812-877-8312 or email Chris if you have any questions or need assistance.

- **Staff Engineer Level 1 (Civil). City of Terre Haute**: Terre Haute, Indiana. Assist City Engineer in duties, provide technical assistance, perform traffic studies and assist customers.

- **Process Engineer. Sony Corporation of America**: Terre Haute, Indiana. Drive cross-functional teams, address yield and process related issues, identify and achieve yearly metrics, contribute to process improvement.

- **Sr. Controls Engineer. PaR Systems**: Shoreview, Minnesota. Work with teams as part of validation systems, create proposals, design controls and cabinets, work with safety systems, HMI/SCADA programming.

- **Sr. Analyst. Innovation. Cleveland Indians Baseball**: Cleveland, Ohio. Lead innovation projects, identify and prioritize new initiatives, develop management tools, identify opportunities to support innovation.

Refer a company if you would like RHIT to reach out and connect with them about internships, co-ops and employment by clicking here.

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**The R on Your Car**

We’ve seen some clever examples of how our alumni and friends personalize their Rose-Hulman license plates. Got a special message on your plate? We’d love to see it! Share on social media using #RosePlates or email Dale Long, Executive Editor of Echoes and we might feature it on Rose-Hulman’s social channels, website, or in an upcoming issue of Echoes.

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**Echoes Seeking Alumni**

Did you get married, have a baby, welcome a new grandchild, or get a promotion at work? Echoes is looking for those Alumni who have not shared their story and would like to see it published in Echoes. Submit details of your event with high resolution photo (at least 300 dpi) to Dale Long, Executive Editor of Echoes.

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**Save the Dates!!**

- **May 25, 2019 - Commencement**
- **October 4-5, 2019 - Homecoming**

More details to come. Stay tuned!!

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**Ask the Board**

Curious about what’s going on with the Alumni Advisory Board (AAB)? Have a question you’d like answered from fellow alumni who serve this group?

Submit Your Question Here