

AICHE OHIO STATE CHAPTER STUDENT NEWSLETTER

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Student Chapter

Upcoming Events!

- **"How to Network" training with Dr. Newton**
Tuesday, March 19
7:00-8:30 pm
CBEC 110/120
- **Lowrie Banquet**
Wednesday, March 20
6:00-8:00 pm
The Faculty Club
- **Oldfield's Social**
Thursday, March 21
7:00-10:00 pm
Oldfield's North Fourth Tavern
- **Food/Chemical Processing Talk with Ron Harris**
Monday, March 25
7:00 – 8:30 pm
CBEC 169

EXTERNAL MENTORSHIP EVENT



AICHE was thrilled to have such a great turnout at the External Mentorship Event. AICHE would like to give a special thank you to external mentors Matt Ducay, Nora Shaheen, Matt Rees, and Tony Wulk for making the trip back to OSU to speak about their experiences and give out great advice to their former classmates! AICHE would also like to thank all of the students who were able to attend!

BREWERY TOUR



AICHE members enjoyed the plant tour of North High Brewing Co.'s production brewery facility last month! Students who participated learned a lot about the brewing process and received a t-shirt and pint glass. Those over 21 also received a beer. AICHE is so grateful to North High Brewing for hosting so many students and would like to thank all the students who dedicated their Saturday to attending the tour and learning about the mysteries behind brewing beer!

BUCKEYETHON



AIChE was proud to send another team to this year's annual Buckeyethon Event. Buckeyethon is the annual 24-hour dance marathon that OSU hosts to raise funds for pediatric cancer. This is the second time AIChE has participated. Dancers were grateful to have been part of such a fulfilling experience. Thank you to those who participated, those who supported, and those who donated. Keep an eye out next semester for info about next year!

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

AIChE loves philanthropy and helping the community! This past month, AIChE got a crew together and helped build a house. AIChE is proud to be able to give back to the community and has made it a goal to get more involved! Thank you to all of the AIChE volunteers who were able to make it to the event, and we hope to see you again soon! Stay tuned for AIChE's next philanthropy event!



Student Spotlights



Congratulations to student spotlight, **James “Jimmy” Flaherty**, from Westchester County, New York! Jimmy is a genuine and goofy 5th year student whose best qualities are his outgoingness and his ability to relate to people. He was nominated for the spotlight this week due to his friendly nature and willingness to always help people out. Along with his CBE duties, Jimmy is also pursuing a business minor and served on the executive board of the Sigma Chi Fraternity as well as the Ohio State Men's

Lacrosse Club! Jimmy loves music and enjoys going to concerts whenever he can, and has been playing the guitar for three years. Jimmy has volunteered multiple times at a local elementary school named Cranbrook as a present wrapper and guest reader, and previously volunteered at Ohio's Special Olympics Winter State Championships. Jimmy would like to take a second to acknowledge the opportunity this school has given him both academically and socially. He was able to come in as an Accounting major and switch into an equally as credible Chemical Engineering program. There are also so many awesome people that he has been blessed to have crossed his path in his time here and he couldn't be grateful enough.



A big congratulations is due to student spotlight, **Senior Madison “Madi” Salem** from Wadsworth, Ohio!! Madi was nominated for the student spotlight this week for always being an active participant in her CBE classes and community and for her willingness to always help others! In addition, she has an incredible mind and is always setting a good example for other ChemE students! Madi's best personal qualities are that she is extremely outgoing and always strives to invite and

include others. She is described by her friends as very relaxed and easy to get along with, as well as having a great sense of humor! Outside of her chemical engineering classes, Madi is also involved with the Phi Sigma Rho Sorority, being a teaching assistant, and intramural sports. Madi volunteers at various organizations around Columbus with her sorority and also volunteers regularly at a local pet shelter. She has done rotations with Marathon Petroleum and LG Chem, and she has another rotation coming up this summer at the Marathon Refinery in Detroit! In her free time, she enjoys painting, music, museums, and the like! Great job, Madi!

CHECKING IN

As we approach the middle of the semester, AIChE would like to check in with its students and remind everyone to be safe and make smart choices! If you are struggling in a class and aren't sure how you're doing, now is the time to reach out to your professors and see where you stand. Remember the last day to drop a class without petitioning is 3/22, and a W is better than an E! If you aren't sure what your options are or what your best course of action is, please do not hesitate to schedule an appointment with the department advisor, Brian Endres, through email at endres.10@osu.edu. Each student is different, and whatever you decide to do is good as long as it is the best option for you. In addition, with the midpoint of the semester approaching, you might be feeling overwhelmed or stressed. There are multiple resources on campus to help deal with any stress you may have. Please consider joining a yoga class, attending one of AIChE's de-stress events, contacting a counselor or talking to a friend. For more questions about different events that AIChE will be holding, please contact Julie Gemmel at gemmel.10@osu.edu. AIChE holds paramount the safety of its students, and we want to make sure it is understood that we are here as a resource! It is okay to ask for help if you are struggling, it is okay to be stressed and overwhelmed. It is okay to not be okay. But when these things are happening, it is important to get help and to work through them!

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