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***WIA General Meeting**
Tuesday, February 3 at 7:00 pm in 105 Talbot Lab

The first general meeting will be to discuss:

Baking Night and Bake Sale

Ice-Skating Social

Grad Info Night

EOH Project

Future Conference Attendance

Road Trip to St. Louis

And of course . . . there will be Hot Chocolate and Marshmallows. Hope to see you there! Questions, email Meg Danko at dmegko@gmail.com.

***AIAA General Meeting**
Thursday, January 29 at 6:00 pm in 103 Talbot Lab

Come celebrate the Semester Blastoff with AIAA! There will be free pizza and more information on the exciting year for AIAA.

***Undergraduate Research Internships with NASA's Illinois Space Grant Consortium**
Application deadline: February 15, 2009

NASA's Illinois Space Grant Consortium (ISGC) is happy to announce that its 7th Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP) will take place this summer. UROP is a program designed to cultivate and support research partnerships between undergraduates and faculty members. All projects focus on NASA-related science and engineering research. We would like to invite highly-motivated sophomores, juniors and seniors as well as May 2009 graduates with a **GPA of 3.0 or higher to apply** to participate in UROP.

For further information and to apply, go to: <http://www.ae.uiuc.edu/ISGC/urop/index.html>

***Summer Internship Opportunities with Rolls-Royce**

Rolls-Royce has a number of summer internships available this year and will be attending the Engineering Career Services Career Fair on Tuesday, February 10th (Illini Union Rooms A, B and C) and conducting a limited number of on-campus interviews on Wednesday, February 11th.

If you are still available for the summer and are interested in an internship with Rolls-Royce, please apply for a summer internship position by going to

<http://www.rolls-royce.com/careers> and applying to job requisition 10493, "College Intern". On-campus interviews will only be conducted with candidates who have applied on the website prior to the interview. Then, please email your current resume to Daniel.T.Jensen@Rolls-Royce.com to be considered for an on-campus interview.

***Summer Fellowship Program with Universities Space Research Association
Application Deadline: March 15, 2009**

The Center for Space Nuclear Research (CSNR) invites undergraduate and graduate level students to experience cutting-edge research in nuclear power and propulsion technologies through our prestigious Summer Fellowship Program.

Selection is based on these criteria: (1) scholarship, curriculum, and experience; (2) career objectives and scientific interest; and (3) match of interest of applicant with available research projects.

The roughly 10-week program runs from mid-May 2009 to mid-August 2009. Fellows will receive a weekly stipend to cover living expenses of \$500, \$600 and \$700 for undergraduate, master's candidates, and Ph.D. candidates, respectively. Assistance with travel expenses to a maximum of \$1,000 is also included. The CSNR intends to subsidize partial or full housing expenses depending on funding availability.

For the application form and further information, go to:
http://www.csnr.usra.edu/summer_fellow_prqm.html

***Full-Time Student Status Required**

Students are required to be registered each semester for at least 12 hours. The only exception to this rule is the last semester when fewer hours are acceptable.

***AE Tutoring Sessions**

Monday through Thursday, 5:30-8:30 pm, 302E Talbot Lab

The AE tutoring sessions will begin on Monday, January 26. The tutors will help with all technical courses. All students are welcome to use the tutoring sessions or if you just need a quiet room to study. If you have further questions or concerns, please email Barb Kirts at bkirts@illinois.edu.

AE homepage: <http://www.ae.uiuc.edu/>

Undergrad program: <http://www.ae.uiuc.edu/academics/undergrad/>

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