

FALL 2015 WORKSHOP & EVENT SCHEDULE

(event location and times are subject to change; please RSVP on eCONNECTION to be notified of changes)

ENGINEERING WORKSHOPS ARE COORDINATED BY THE ENGINEERING CAREER CENTER (ECC) UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

For more detailed information call (713) 743-4230

WEEK	TOPIC	DAY	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
1	FIRST DAY OF CLASSES	Mon	8/24	All Day	
1	Welcome FALL 2015 Engineering Students: eCONNECTION! Get to Know the ECC Staff and the Services We Offer Our Students; Learn How To Best Utilize ECC Resources; Obtain information about Internships and Co-ops; Resume & Cover Letter Reviews; Mock Interviews; Workshops; Networking ; Learn About Info Sessions, UH University Career Services (UCS), etc.	Wed	8/26	11:00a-1:00p	Engineering Career Center Hallway, Rm. 302, 3 rd Floor
2	Pre-Career Fair WORKSHOP: What are behavioral interviews and how can I improve my interviewing skills? What is the STAR Technique?	Wed	9/2	11:00a-1p	TBD
2	Pre-Career Fair WORKSHOP - Networking, what is it and how can I build and utilize my network? How exactly do I work my network? You Have to Network to Get work!	Thu	9/3	11:30a-1p	TBD
2	Pre-Career Fair WORKSHOP - Mapping Out Your Career Goals – Step by Step Information on How to Create Your Goals, Target and Network with Employers and Utilize Appropriate Resources to Reach Career Goals	Fri	9/4	12p-1:30p	TBD
2	LABOR DAY HOLIDAY	Mon	9/7	All Day	
2	International Student Information Session- INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ONLY - How to Prepare to Get a Job in the U.S.- How Does Co-op Work?- ISSSO & CO-OP	Tue	9/8	11:30a-1:30p	TBD
2	DACA Information Session- DACA STUDENTS ONLY - How to Prepare to Get a Job in the U.S.-How to Discuss DACA status-How to Plan Career Pathway	Wed	9/9	12p-2p	TBD
3	ECC RESUME REVIEW DAYS -Students meet with ECC Career Counselors to review resumes by appointment only at (713) 743-4230-NO WALK-INS	Thu Fri	9/10 9/11	9a-1p 12p-4p	The Commons, Eng. Bldg. 1
4	Pre-Career Fair MIXER -Dessert Gallery/Dress for Success/Games/Prizes before the Engineering Career Fair	Tue	9/15	6p-8p	The Commons, Eng. Bldg. 1
4	ENGINEERING CAREER FAIR (713) 743-4230 for information	Thur	9/17	10a-4p	UH Hilton Hotel, 2nd Floor
5	ECC MOCK INTERVIEW DAYS -Students meet with ECC Career Counselors to practice interviewing skills. RSVP in Econnection-NO WALK-INS	Thu Fri	9/24 9/25	9a-1p 12p-4p	The Commons, Eng. Bldg. 1
6	WORKSHOP FOR GRADUATES ONLY: Money Matters: Salaries/401K/Benefits/Short and Long Term Career Goals	Tue	10/6	11:30a-1p	TBD
7	WORKSHOP PANEL: How to Improve Job Search, Presentation and Interviewing Skills. Students will create PPT presentations about themselves.	Wed	10/14	12p-1:30p	TBD
8	WORKSHOP FOR JUNIORS ONLY: Strategy Targeting Employers for a Career Fit	Thu	10/22	11:30a-12p	TBD
9	WORKSHOP PANEL: What New Hires Should and Should Not Do on the Job in Today's Marketplace (Internships, Co-ops and Entry-Level)	Tue	10/27	12p-1:30p	TBD
	THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY FOR STUDENTS	Wed-Fri	11/25-11/28		
	LAST DAY OF CLASSES	Sat	12/5	All Day	
	FALL FINALS	Tue-Wed	12/8-12/16		
	FALL GRADUATION – Cullen College of Engineering	Fri	12/18	6pm	Hofheinz Pavilion

Professional Development workshops are designed to provide engineering students with professional career advice, preparation for achieving career goals and networking opportunities with employers.

ECC Workshops and Workshop Panels between the hours of 10am-2:30pm include snack item or boxed lunch. **Students who have RSVP'd on eCONNECTION receive a boxed lunch and beverage during the first 15 minutes of the presentation. Please feel free to bring resumes to these events, in the instance an employer requests one.**

PLEASE NOTE: The Engineering Career Center (ECC) and University Career Services (UCS) are two separate entities. Both career offices work together to serve engineering students but we are currently on two different electronic platforms. The UCS serves the entire student body across all colleges at the University of Houston while the ECC serves **current engineering students only** within the UH Cullen College of Engineering. Please consider utilizing both sites for networking, internship and entry-level opportunities.

ECC site: eCONNECTION at <http://www.egr.uh.edu/career/econnection/>
 UCS site: COUGAR PATHWAY at <https://accessuh.uh.edu/login.php>