

ASCE General Meeting  
03/14/05 – Chapel Break  
Gellersen 236B

Ashley Young (Pres Elect.) led the meeting.

- Old Business:
  - TED Week Results
    - Engineering Olympics: EE's won, CE's came in second, with ME's in last place.
    - Banquet Skit Competition: EE's won.
  
- New Business:
  - Indiana Sectional Meeting – Wednesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>
    - Student Bridge- paper presentation?
    - Students Interested:
      - Colin Simpson
      - Derek Snyder
      - Nicholas Otte
  
  - ASCE/SWE Bowling Night
    - Monday March 21st @9:00pm at Inman's Recreation Center
    - \$1.25 for shoe rentals and \$1.25 per game
    - Interested People:
      - Nicholas Otte (Car-2)
      - Colin Simpson (Car-4)
      - Derek Snyder (Car-4)
      - Prof. Leitch (Car-3)
      - Ashley Young (Car-3)
  
  - Speaker Night - Dayna Johnson (Smoljo)
    - Monday March 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM in GEM 236B
    - Recent VU CE Grad
    - Talk about her transition from student to full time employee with an engineering firm
    - Will be pizza
  
  - ASCE Great Lakes Regional Competition – April 21st – 23rd
    - As the competition this year is at IIT in Chicago, IL, we will be going for the day on Saturday April 23<sup>rd</sup>.
    - The steel bridge, balsa wood bridge, technical paper, environmental, and concrete baseball bat competitions will all be held on Saturday.
    - We (VU ASCE) will only be competing in the environmental competition.
    - Anyone interested in participating in the steel bridge competition next year should go.
    - Students that want to attend:
      - Nicholas Otte

- Colin Simpson
- Janet Connor
- Kristin Moorhouse
- Ashley Simpson

- Meeting Schedules

- Looking to have less informational/formal meetings (General Chapter Meetings) and more speakers.
- More speakers means would mean more night time meetings (Speaker Nights), which would start at 6.
- Proposed monthly schedule styles:
  - A:
    - First Week: General Chapter Meeting
    - Second Week: Speaker Night
    - Third Week: Social Event
    - Fourth Week: Joint Dinner
    - (Fifth Week): Social Event/Speaker Night
  - B:
    - Three week rotating cycles for Chapter Meetings, Speaker Nights and Joint Dinners.
    - Social Events interspersed as desired.

- Constitution Changes

- Proposal of amendment in Article I, Section 5.
- Non-discrimination clause added per Student Senate Requirements.
- We will vote in the next meeting, also to view constitution and changes on the ASCE webpage at <http://www.valpo.edu/student/asce/documents.html>

- Membership Forms

- To become a member one time \$10 fee.
- Must be a member to vote.
- We have plenty of forms if you could fill one out?!