



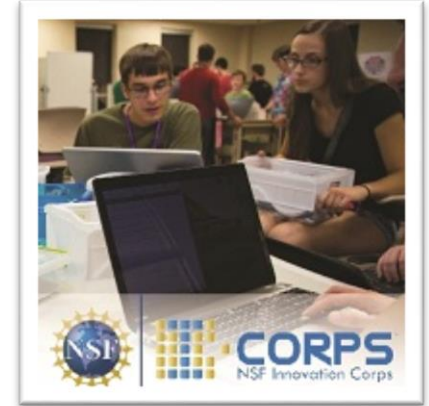
Congratulations Emily Humphreys civil engineering student, 2016 co-winner of the Derryberry Award!

A plaque and cash award are presented annually to a graduating senior who has exhibited scholastic achievement arising from moral and intellectual integrity; successful campus activity where participation indicates a commitment to good citizenship,
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Tennessee Tech hosts international Baja SAE competition

Tennessee Tech University will host the annual Baja SAE competition April 14 - 17, at the Hyder-Burks Agricultural Pavilion. This event will bring in 100 teams from all over the U.S. and worldwide. This year there will be teams competing from India, Canada, Mexico and Egypt.
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Tennessee Tech now part of NSF National Innovation Network

The university received an NSF grant totaling just under \$300,000 to establish Tech as a training site in the Innovation Corps program. The I-Corps program was designed to ease the transition of technological developments to the marketplace and train researchers to evaluate their discoveries for commercial potential.
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We would love to know about the exciting things happening in your life. Send information on your news worthy items or upcoming events within the College of Engineering to engineering@tntech.edu.



Ethics & Professionalism in college student life presented by Marc Burnett, vice president of student affairs.
APRIL 6th from 11-noon in CLEM 212 **DOOR PRIZES! & REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED!**



THE ORDER OF THE ENGINEER - Purchase your ring in **CLEM 201**. **\$15 Cash or Check**. Ceremony to be held May 6th @ 3:00 p.m. in Derryberry Hall Auditorium. Must be registered by May 4th to participate in the ceremony.
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THE PLEDGE OF THE COMPUTING PROFESSIONAL - Purchase your pin in **CLEM 201**. **\$10 Cash or Check**. Ceremony to be held May 6th @ 3:00 p.m. in Derryberry Hall Auditorium. Must be registered by May 4th to participate in the ceremony.
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Congratulations ASME Student Professionals for your 3rd place win with your Airplane Launch Machine at the 2016 ASME Student Professional Development Conference (SPDC) at Georgia Tech!



College of Engineering **Commencement Social** in the West Gym of the FIT **May 5th** following Commencement Rehearsal. Complete the survey before the Social to receive your gift **faster!** Visit: www.tntech.edu/engineering/grad-survey



Marc Edwards, Ph.D. presents **Washington DC Lead Crisis 2001-2006: Prelude to Flint, MI** as featured speaker of the Prescott/Brown Distinguished Lecture Series April 21st from 11-11:50 a.m. Derryberry Auditorium. [Read more...](#)



Congratulations TTUMotorsports 2016 winner of the prestigious William R. "Bill" Adam Formula SAE Vehicle Development Grant!



Golf Outing & BBQ, Friday, April 22nd – Cookeville Golf Club, 1500 Country Club Rd., Cookeville.
Register before April 15 here! Help support the CEE Graduate Student Award Endowment



Innovation Showcase 2016 April 28th from 11-1 in the Multipurpose Room, RUC
Senior capstone design projects from all disciplines in engineering on display.



Engineering Technical Course - SUMMER SEMESTER 2016 Course #: ENGR 4500 Hands-on, immersive learning about what it takes to successfully transfer knowledge into products and processes that solve real-world problems. **Contact** Stephen Canfield scanfield@tntech.edu or Curtis Armstrong carmstrong@tntech.edu for more information.



It's that time of year, finals are coming at you like an out of control freight train. Lower the stress - plan ahead.

Scientifically, The Best Ways To Prepare For Final Exams

Article by Shaniese Alston/SUNY.edu

- Say NO to cramming. Study in 20-50 minute increments with 5-10 minute breaks.
- Say YES to cardio. Only 20 minutes of cardio can improve your memory.
- Eat superfoods and antioxidants. Start prepping your body **NOW!** Fruit and veggies are your best bet. Snack healthy!
- Alternate study spots.
- Time management. Cramming causes anxiety, lowering your ability to retain information. Create a balanced study plan.
- Avoid the all-nighter! A good night's sleep boosts your memory.
- MINIMIZE distractions. Need background noise? Stick to instrumental music.
- MAXIMIZE with practice-testing.



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College of Engineering Calendar With just a couple of clicks you can **add events** to your personal calendar or **submit** your own College of Engineering related event, meeting or seminar...*here...*



Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the ones you did. So throw off the bowlines, sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover.

– Mark Twain

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