

# EED WEEKLY EMAIL

DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING EDUCATION



Week of August 20, 2018

Hope your semester is off to a good start!

## Congratulations!

Happy Birthday to Jim Toney (August 24) and Jennifer Herman (August 25).



Congratulations to Leah Wahlin for her collection, *The Theory and Practice of Motion Design*, was published last month. Here is some info:

Publisher's website: <https://www.routledge.com/The-Theory-and-Practice-of-Motion-Design-Critical-Perspectives-and-Professional/Stone-Wahlin/p/book/9781138490802>

Her website with links to see the motion design work referenced in the collection:  
[www.motionresource.com](http://www.motionresource.com)

And the Department of Design's Instagram post:

<https://www.instagram.com/p/BmW3O7nnmLO/?taken-by=theohiostatedesign>

## Upcoming Events & Deadlines

1. The Office of International Affairs would like to invite you and your students to stop by the 2018 Education Abroad Expo on Tuesday, September 4 from 2 - 6 p.m. The expo will be held in the Archie M. Griffin East Ballroom in the Ohio Union, where students can visit tables and speak with experts about studying abroad. Contact [hackworth.64@osu.edu](mailto:hackworth.64@osu.edu) for more info.
2. The EHE Research Methodology Center (RMC) will sponsor an interactive, 9-part series for researchers who are preparing grant proposals involving intervention development and efficacy trials. This series, entitled Gearing Up 4 Your Grant Proposal (GU4GP) features nine presentations covering every step of the intervention development and proposal writing processes. <https://rmc.ehe.osu.edu/>
3. All instructors should have gotten an email from the Registrar about students who miss the first class. The participation roster should be completed prior to August 28, 2018. <https://registrar.osu.edu/participationroster/index.html>

## Opportunities for Excellence

- As the year continues, there are many opportunities for excellence to apply to. Email Heiselt.7 with "Weekly Email" in the subject line if you know of any others!

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1. [You can easily publish and share your work on EngineeringUnleashed.com using the cards feature. Card is our term for a container of content - it's where you can find curriculum, tools, presentations, and all sorts of resources. You can also find and search for content already shared on the site.](#)

## Article of the Week (This week's water cooler talk – don't miss out!)

From the Chronicle of Higher Education – Will My Students Actually Want to Do This Assignment?

(Have you read a good article this week? Email the Heiselt.7 with "Weekly Email" in the subject line so we can include it next week)

## Message from Greg Bixler

"Greetings friends from the EED...I'll miss teaching with each of you this new school year but it's been a wonderful summer already transitioning full time to Design Outreach. I spent a week in Haiti and a few weeks in Africa already. Much progress is being made with acceptance of our technologies that alleviate global poverty. It's such a blessing to see the impact on communities now after 5 years of the LifePump in operation. We're getting high level attention including a member of the Malawian Parliament drafting a bill with the woman's caucus to make LifePumps available as a woman's right. It's so exciting to be a part of this good work. I also met up with professors from the Polytechnic University of Malawi and are talking about collaborating on appropriate technology engineering projects.

On this recent trip to Africa I met up with an Emmy award winning filmmaker from Columbus who is producing a new short documentary on our mission. We'll be debuting this at our annual Give Water gala held in Columbus on Sept. 20th. We are anticipating a sell-out crowd again of 400 people and would love to see you there. Information is found on our website homepage — just google Design Outreach and it'll pop up.

I've also attached a couple pictures — one with me in the village of Zolomondo (first village to receive a LifePump and the place our new documentary features) as well as a picture with me and the member of Parliament (a New York educated lawyer in the red dress).

Many of you have served alongside me over the years, or at least smiled when I told tales of a land far away, and I appreciate all of your support and encouragement."

## Reminders

- Student asking you for permission to enroll in your 1181/1182 course? Send the student to Lisa Abrams.<sup>34</sup> Here's why:
  - o Students who are in the College of Engineering pay an engineering course fee so they get priority for enrollment in ENGR 1181 and 1182. We do save seats for students who are not currently in the College of Engineering but they do fill up.
  - o New first year engineering students come to campus during the summer for Summer Orientation where they register for classes (and hear about Financial Aid, Residence Life, etc). We hold seats and then gradually release them so that all students, regardless if they sign up for Orientation in June or in late July, have about the same chance in getting a seat in ENGR 1181. That's why you may see a low number for the max enrollment for your section.

- Never give students permission to enroll in your class – regardless of when it is. You can send the students to Lisa. OR you can tell this student to get on the wait list and when a seat opens up, they will be automatically enrolled in the section that are waitlisted for. They can get on multiple sections' waitlists.
  
- Smith Lab Building Cleaning Schedule
  - Trash will be picked up in labs and offices on Tuesday ONLY IF THE DOOR IS OPEN
  - Trash will be picked up daily if you leave the buckets in the hallway.
  - Floors will be cleaned every Tuesday if the door is open (sometimes you have to request this)
  
- Have a potential news story?
  - [Submit Here](#)
  
- If you have a small project for one of our front desk student assistants, contact Ashley Fields ([fields.306@osu.edu](mailto:fields.306@osu.edu)) who will assign the work requests. Please submit any requests at least a week in advance.
  
- Do you have a message or event you'd like to see highlighted on EED's social media platforms (e.g. Twitter, Facebook)? Email your posts to Emoree Heiselt (Heiselt.7) with "EED Social Media" in the subject line.
  
- Do you have an announcement or message you want to see in the next weekly email? Email the Heiselt.7 with "Weekly Email" in the subject line.

Have a TREMENDOUS rest of the week!

