

March 7th, 2024

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DRUMROLL PLEASE...NEW WEBSITE!

Take a look at our new website layout at houstonswe.org

Please bear with us during this transition - things may look odd at times, but don't worry, we are working it!



Call for FY25 Nominations

DUE THURSDAY, MARCH 28TH



Call for FY25 Executive Committee Nominations

We are looking for SWE-HA members who are enthusiastic, engaging, and excited about leading SWE-HA for next year FY25 (Starting in July)! We are currently accepting nomination packets for all officer positions (President, VP-External, VP-Internal, VP-Outreach, Treasurer, and Secretary) and Board of Trustees. Nomination Packets are due Thursday, March 28!

Nomination packets should be uploaded in the below Google Form and need to include the following items. **Self nominations are accepted and encouraged!**

- 1) Nominee's SWE membership number
- 2) Officer position being sought
- 3) Nominee's Biography (max 200 words)*
- 4) Personal statement by candidate focusing on how she will contribute to SWE in terms of skills, abilities, goals, objectives as an officer or other personal attributes (max 200 words).*
- 5) Resume detailing both professional and SWE activities (Please include current contact information so the nomination committee can reach out to you.)

*Note #3 and #4 may be used on the voting ballot

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to reach out to Amanda Cain at nominations@houstonswe.org.

[Link to Nomination Packet Google Form](#)

Upcoming Events

International Women's Day Celebration Three tickets remaining!

Houston is one of the most diverse cities in the world, making SWE-HA one of the most diverse sections of the Society of Women Engineers. Join us at our International Women's Day Celebration to honor all the amazing women engineers that have found their way to Houston on Friday March 8th, 2024. Our Keynote Speaker is Dianne Eldridge - check out her bio on our [LinkedIn](#), Instagram, and Facebook pages!

Date: Friday, March 8th, 2024

Time: 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

Location: The Junior League of Houston - The Tea Room (1811 Briar Oaks Lane, Houston, TX 77027)

Price: Member: \$55 | Non-Member: \$70

Dress Code: Professional Cocktail

[Purchase Tickets Here](#)

March Book Club

Join your SWEsters in reading *The Exceptions: Nancy Hopkin, MIT and the Fight for Women in Science* by Nancy Hopkins by Kate Zernike. We will be discussing the book virtually.

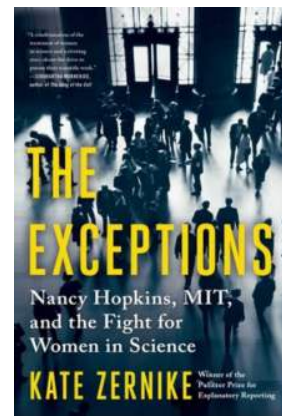
Date: Tuesday, March 26th, 2024

Time: 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Location: Virtual - MS Teams

Price: Free

[Register Here](#)



GE Vernova Tech Tour - April 2024

Join SWE Houston for our GE Vernova Tour! Please register by March 15th, 2024.

We will be doing a facility tour covering gas turbines, steam turbines, aeroderivative,

generators, controls and excitation.

PPE Required: Pants, sleeved shirts, closed-toed shoes (preferably steel toes/composite) and safety glasses. Safety glasses and slip-on steel toes to be worn over closed-toed shoes can be provided upon request by the **registration deadline, March 15th**.

Date: Friday, April 5th, 2024

Time: 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Location: GE Vernova, 8800 Wallisville Drive, Houston, TX 77029

Price: Free

[Register Here](#)

From the SWE-HA Team



WE24 Call for Participation Deadline March 11, 2024

WE24 Call for Participation for breakout sessions are now open! Learn more about this opportunity on the **[SWE website](#)**. **Submissions are due by March 11, 2024**. We know this is a competitive process and want you to know SWE-HA is here for you! We can provide support for this process whether that is identifying potential panel members or reviewing abstract submissions. Reach out to Amanda Cain at **president@houstonswe.org** with questions.

Call for SWE-HA 2024 Local Award Nominations Deadline March 16, 2024

The Society of Women Engineers strives to advance and honor the contributions of women at all stages of their careers as well as recognize the successes of SWE members and individuals who enhance the engineering profession through contributions to industry, education and the community.

SWE HA is happy to announce our 2024 Awards Program. We are looking to recognize our members in the following four categories:

- **Career Achievement Award**
- **Community Outreach Award**
- **Exemplary Leader Award**
- **SWE HA New Member Award**

Applicants must be active SWE-HA members and have attended at least one event within the

current fiscal year. Information for each award category and to submit nominations, visit the **Awards Form**. Nominations will be accepted through **Saturday, March 16th 2024** and winners will be announced at the SWE HA End of Year Celebration. ****Self-nominations are fully supported!***

If you have any questions please reach out to Andria Carpenter at **vp_internal@houston swe.org**.

SHPE Scholarship Gala

You are cordially invited to join SHPE-Houston at their Scholarship Gala. Please follow the link for more details.

Visit the **[website](#)** for more information about the gala.

Date: Saturday, March 30th, 2024

Time: 7:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Location: Space Center Houston (1601 E NASA Pkwy, Houston, TX 77058)

Spring 2024 Energy Professionals Hiring Event

The Society of Petroleum Engineers – Gulf Coast Section (SPE-GCS) is pleased to inform you that it is organizing the 14th semi-annual Energy Professionals Hiring Event for professionals of energy and upstream oil & gas disciplines. Please follow the link for more information.

Visit the **[website](#)** for more information about the hiring event.

Date: Thursday, May 9th, 2024

Time: 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Location: Houston - NRG Park

Volunteer Opportunities

SWENext Volunteers Needed!

Volunteer with us at our upcoming SWENext monthly meet-ups! We are in need of Environmental Engineers to help lead students through a hands-on activity. Please use the link to sign up if you are interested or reach out to us at **swenext@houston swe.org** if you have any questions.

Environmental Engineering Session: Saturday, April 13th, 2024

Time: 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Location: One Westchase Center, 10777 Westheimer Rd, Houston, TX 77042

Price: FREE

Register
to
Volunteer
with
SWENext

Are you interested in getting more involved with SWE-HA? If so, reach out to us or fill out the FY24 Committee Interest Form linked below!



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