



SWE UCR

2020-21 Recap



EVENING WITH INDUSTRY



Evening With Industry (EWI) is an event that provides engineering students with the opportunity to network with industry professionals. This year's virtual EWI, held in the Fall quarter, was hosted by Golden Se and Himani Thakkur (Professional Development Chairs). We had about 130 participants. Students had the opportunity to learn about resumes, cover letters, ways to prepare for jobs fairs, and job fair etiquettes. Companies like Abbott, Campos EPC, HRL Laboratories, Medtronic, SoCal Gas, and many more joined us.

ROSE HACK

Rose Hack 2021 was our third annual overnight hackathon organized by SWE and Women in Computing (WINC). This year's virtual hackathon was open to high school and college students. Hacking began at 12 PM on Saturday (1/16/21) and ended at 12 PM on Sunday (1/17). Due to the virtual format, Hoppin and Discord were used to connect the team members. A special thank you to the sponsors: ACM at UCR, Brain Corp, FireEye, Menté, Sticker Mule, UCR Technology Partnerships (BlackStone LaunchPad & Techstars), United States Space Force, and Wolfram Language.



RESEARCH

NETWORKING NIGHT

This year's virtual Research Networking Night (RNN) was organized and hosted by the academic development co-leads - Kathryn Hammar and Vickie Guzman. This event had about 100 participants and representatives from 13 research labs. Students learned about the benefits of research, open positions in the labs, and STEM. This event was divided into three (3) networking sessions and speeches from two (2) keynote speakers. Before the event, students learned how to interact with the professors, learn about different research opportunities, and connect with professors.



ENGINEERING R'FUTURE

Engineering R'Future (ERF) is an event held to empower younger students to pursue STEM. Cammy Ngo and Melinda Chiao, our external outreach chairs, organized this asynchronous event for students K-12th grade. The challenge was to build a catapult in their own time. About 25 students participated and creatively built their catapults.



WINTER 2021

BOURNS SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING DAY

Bourns Science and Engineering Day (BSED) is an event that introduces students K-12 to Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics (STEAM). Kinjal Mugatwala and Connie Pak organized this year's virtual BSED. There were about 20 participants.

Volunteers and speakers performed experiments, held a coding workshop, and an interactive game at the end.



SPRING 2021