Eta Kappa Nu
Initiate Information Session
February 2nd, 2016

Recognized by the National HKN office as an Outstanding Chapter in 2005-2015
Agenda

• HKN History and Background
• HKN Purpose
• Initiation Requirements
• HKN Services and Activities
• Mark Your Calendars
HKN Background

• HKN was founded at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in 1904.
• Our chapter was started in 1941.
• One of the largest honor societies at Georgia Tech (roughly 350 members).
• Worldwide there are over 200,000 members and over 200 chapters in the nation’s top universities.
HKN Achievements

• HKN Certificate of Merit – 2004
• HKN Outstanding Chapter Award – 2005-2015
  • Our chapter has been recognized by the HKN national office as an outstanding chapter for the past 10 years
  • We need the support from our members to continue this tradition of excellence
HKN Purpose

- To recognize scholars who, through their attainments in college or in practice, have manifested a deep interest and marked ability in ECE.
Selection Criteria

- Undergraduates
  - GPA
  - Junior or Senior Status
- Graduates
  - All are welcome
Member in Good Standing

• **Purpose**
  • To reward active members

• **Requirements**
  • Attendance of 2 HKN events
  • Updated resume submitted every semester
  • One-time registration on HKN website

• **Benefits**
  • Cord purchase eligibility
  • Resume given to companies
  • “Honored Members” listing on website
HKN Services and Activities

- Bridge-to-Business Meetings
- Community Service Projects
- Social Events
- Spring Picnic
- Lab Supplies Project
Initiation Requirements

- Information Form
- Lab Supplies Packaging
- Service Project
- Banquet
  - Professor Invitation
- Officer Signatures
- Dues
HKN Lab Supplies Project

• Project Goals
  • Save students money by providing high-quality lab kits at discounted prices
  • Support of the HKN ECE Scholarship Fund
HKN Lab Supplies Project

- Project Logistics
  - Consists of ordering and packaging thousands of parts into parts kits for several different classes.
  - We also supply breadboards and wire kits.
  - On the average, we supply more than 75% of all the lab materials used in ECE 2031, 3043, and 3741.
HKN Lab Supplies Project

• For this semester:
  • We plan to package 200 kits for each class.
  • This will be accomplished during the lab supplies packaging party on Tuesday, March 29th, at 6pm.
HKN Lab Supplies Project

- Achievements
  - Award $1000 scholarship to a group/individual for innovation in the field of ECE.
  - Award $1000 scholarship for an outstanding ECE junior.
  - So far we have saved students over $40,000.
Officer Signatures

• Collect signatures of 6 officers
• Get to know your officers!
• Attend:
  • Office Hours
  • Officer Meetings
  • Service Projects
  • Lab Supplies Packaging Party
  • etc.
Banquet

• Banquet is required for all initiates to attend in order to become a full member

• All initiates are required to invite one ECE professor to the banquet
Initiate Dues

- You are considered an initiate as soon as you fill out the info sheet online. Until then, you are regarded as an invitee.
- Initiate dues are $100. This is a one time, lifetime membership and includes banquet dues.
- Dues must be paid with cash or a check made out to Eta Kappa Nu.
- The initiate dues must be paid by March 29th.
## Event Dates to Remember

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