

SETAC North America (NA) - Student Activities Committee (NA-SAC)

Submitted by Veronica McNew (chair) and Sue Beach (vice-chair)

2013 Accomplishments

- The Student Activities Committee reports another successful year providing programs and opportunities for SETAC students. We worked closely again this year with the meeting program committee as we developed the student activities program for Nashville. A list of the committee members is attached. The Student Activities Committee will meet from 9:00-9:30am on Sunday, November 16, 2013 in Nashville to prepare for the student events at the meeting.
- At the 2012 annual SETAC-NA meeting in Long Beach, the NASAC (SETAC Student Council) hosted student noontime seminars on Monday and Wednesday. The annual Silent Auction ran from Sunday through Tuesday, with proceeds of just under \$2000 going to fund SETAC student activities. Teresa Daugherty accepted credit card payments at the silent auction table for the first time. This was very helpful, but it is realized that availability of Wi-Fi will determine whether this can be done in future.
- For the 2013 meeting in Nashville, the Student Program co-chairs Erica Anderson, Leslie Carroll and Veronica McNew have worked to develop a full offering of student events for the annual meeting program. Erica and the Student Council took responsibility for planning and organizing the two noontime seminars for the Nashville meeting.
- Ten SETAC members were contacted that had expressed interest in the committee through a survey. Three responded and are now committee members.
- We advertised the "Student Training Exchange Opportunity" to support North America SETAC student members and received several applications. Two students were recipients of the award.

Student Events at the 2013 NA Annual Meeting

- **Monday Noon Student Interactive Seminar**
- **Monday evening Student-Mentor Dinner:** This year we will again ask the mentors to donate a portion of their meal cost. Many have already indicated in their acceptance of being a mentor that they wished to do so.
- **Wednesday Noon Student Interactive Seminar**
- **Annual Silent Auction:** Sunday evening through the poster social on Tuesday. This is a fundraising event to benefit the Student Activities/Student Members.

SETAC Student Activities Committee 2013-2014

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