

ASPE Student Challenge Sponsorship Plan.

Dear ASPE corporate members:

Overview

The Student Challenge was created to help our society develop new talent that not only understands the basic engineering principles but also can use their hands to quickly build prototypes that demonstrate those principles.

During the last few annual meetings we held an event which was a great success for ASPE as it has given the society the opportunity to reach out to new members and allowed our supporting companies to interact with students interested in precision engineering. The student participation has also increased. Along the same lines the expenses have also increased so we are needing your monetary assistance.

Challenge schedule and levels of sponsorship

To introduce all participants to mentors and discuss the logistics of the challenge, there will be a student challenge welcome lunch on Sunday (at the annual meeting) during the period between tutorials. Sponsors will be invited to attend and have an opportunity to give brief overviews of their companies and career opportunities - this will depend on the contribution level – see table below.

Judging of the challenge will occur on Monday during lunch along with student presentations to judges. Announcement of the challenge winners and presentations will be in front of the society during the annual meeting schedule and will include some high-quality presentations from the students.

Throughout the challenge the students will be mentored by ASPE member volunteers and sponsoring representatives.

To make this challenge happen we need your financial support. The funds will go towards the challenge hardware, developmental work, supplies for the challenge, meals, drinks and towards the grand prizes. ASPE will provide plaques of appreciation for Gold and Silver sponsors.

Levels of support are available:

	Donation	Company logo on all documents and presentations.	Access students during the challenge	Opportunity to introduce the Company during Sunday's lunch	Given award in front of Society.
Bronze	\$1K+	X	X		
Silver	\$2K+	X	X	5 minutes	
Gold	\$4K+	X	X	10 minutes	X
Platinum	\$4K+ > 3 years	X	X	20 minutes	X

Additional Note:

1. Donations of hardware will be recognized at the market value the equipment and donors will be awarded the recognized at the corresponding monetized level.

If you have any questions please email Luis Aguirre at laaguirre2@mmm.com (or call 512-659-6600).

If you would like to pledge your support please email Caitlin (executive@aspe.net) and Rebecca (info@aspe.net) at the ASPE office so they can send an invoice to your attention.

Thank you, we look forward to another successful meeting.

ASPE Student Challenge Organizing Committee

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