

The Power of Change

Inspiring the next 90 years



Annual conference: 11 and 12 September 2009

Surrey University, Guildford



WES has an exciting line-up of engineers, technologists, thought leaders and personal development professionals at its anniversary conference. *The Power of Change* will showcase women engineers' and innovators' achievements, examine predictions for the future and provide a dynamic and engaging forum for those working as and with engineers to extend their networks and broaden their horizons.

SPECIAL EARLY BIRD RATES IF YOU BOOK BEFORE 1 AUGUST



Inspiring Women

Get in the conference spirit and join us on the afternoon before conference at 3pm, 10 September at our panel, chaired by Kate Bellingham with Maggie Aderin, Barbara Lane and Janette Freeman followed by a speed networking event with sixth formers and returners as part of the British Science Festival.

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SPEAKERS AND EVENTS

Speakers are drawn from every corner of engineering and technology including Google, Rolls Royce, BP, National Grid and Arup. Key Note speakers include Wendy Shultz, Professor Dame Ann Dowling, Dame Julia King, Sarah Speake, Annette Williams and Maria Petrou. Highlights include:

- A workshop on inter-company networks sponsored by BP.
- A school outreach event for years 7–9 on Friday 11th sponsored by Rolls Royce will allow students to interact with conference delegates and do a variety of tasks from Lucy Rogers, Dawn Fitt of Bloodhound and Microsoft Digi girls.
- Conference Dinner Friday 11th at Brooklands Museum with vintage buses for transport.
- Technical talks and personal development sessions.
- Informal dinner in Guildford on Saturday 12th.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

We welcome women and men from all career disciplines, levels and industry sectors and education to attend, connect and inspire and to share experiences and good practice in attracting and retaining more women into our profession.

We are offering a discounted student rate and bursaries are available for those on low incomes.

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

Gain insight from leaders in the fields of engineering, science and technology on tackling and stimulating change. Discuss the challenges and solutions for a sustainable future. Hands on learning and personal development sessions as well as the opportunity to network with other companies and make new contacts are key features.

LOCATION

The University of Surrey is a short walk from Guildford train station in beautiful surroundings, with easy access to London by train or road. See www.surrey.ac.uk/about/visitors/ for more information.

ABOUT WES

The Women's Engineering Society mission is to inspire women to achieve their potential as engineers, scientists and technical leaders. WES has a distinctive role as an association of women working in the engineering, computing, hi-tech and science sectors. Created in 1919, the Society has a history of championing issues and innovating solutions, and the drive of our members has spun off several related projects and organisations. Amongst its current activities, WES runs MentorSET, the national mentoring scheme for women in STEM. WES also runs its own awards and bursaries including the WES Karen Burt award for the best newly chartered women engineer.

WES AGM Sunday 13th September at 10am and followed by two strategy planning sessions: the student and career development

REGISTRATION – Register online at conference.wes.org.uk. Or complete the form below and send a cheque made payable to the Women’s Engineering Society and post to the WES office at the address overleaf.

Name

Address

Email

Phone

Status *please tick* Member Non Member Student

Conference Delegate Prices

Description	Early Bird		Student Rates		Cost
	before 1 Aug	after 1 Aug	before 1 Aug	after 1 Aug	
Friday and Saturday, full delegate including conference dinner and 2 nights B&B on campus	£300.00	£350.00	£240.00	£280.00	<input type="text"/>
Friday and Saturday, conference dinner and Saturday dinner, <i>no accommodation</i>	£280.00	£330.00	£230.00	£280.00	<input type="text"/>
Friday and Saturday, conference dinner, <i>no accommodation</i>	£225.00	£270.00	£175.00	£220.00	<input type="text"/>
Friday and Saturday, no dinner, <i>no accommodation</i>	£160.00	£250.00	£128.00	£208.00	<input type="text"/>
Friday registration and conference dinner only	£145.00	£195.00	£96.00	£136.00	<input type="text"/>
Saturday registration and dinner only, <i>no accommodation</i>	£120.00	£170.00	£64.00	£104.00	<input type="text"/>
Saturday registration only, no dinner, <i>no accommodation</i>	£80.00	£130.00	£64.00	£104.00	<input type="text"/>
Friday, day only, no dinner, <i>no accommodation</i>	£80.00	£130.00	£64.00	£104.00	<input type="text"/>
Subtotal					<input type="text"/>
Non members fee <small>(see note 1 below)</small>					£45.00 <input type="text"/>
Conference dinner guest – Friday 11 September					£65.00 <input type="text"/>

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Notes:

1. Non members are required to pay a fee of £45 which will provide one year’s WES membership
2. Students are given a discounted rate and will also receive a year’s free student membership.
3. An early bird registration rate applies for those registering before 1 August.
4. Queries – visit the conference website conference.wes.org.uk or call +44 (0)1438 765506 or contact conference@wes.org.uk to register.
5. Bursaries are available to help those on low incomes to attend – email info@wes.org.uk (the WES office) for an application form.

Accommodation

You may book bed and breakfast in the University Halls of residence on the booking form or on-line. Alternatively we have arranged discounted rates at local hotels in Guildford – please refer to our website conference.wes.org.uk.

Extra night B&B on campus – Thursday 10 September	£45.00	<input type="text"/>
Extra night B&B on campus – Friday 11 September	£45.00	<input type="text"/>
Extra night B&B on campus – Saturday 12 September	£45.00	<input type="text"/>
TOTAL		<input type="text"/>

How did you learn about the Conference?

I am happy to be interviewed by year 7–9 girls on Friday 11th during breaks

Yes

No

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