



Subject: Student Director to be appointed to the ISEE Board

The Board of Directors of the International Society of Explosives Engineers (ISEE) would like to continue its efforts to have student representation on the Board. The appointment will run concurrently with the presiding ISEE President's term for a one-year or possibly two-year period and will consist of a selected member of an active ISEE student chapter. This additional Appointed Director is considered an option to the President and no requirement to fill the vacancy is intended.

The purpose of this appointment is to have a student on the ISEE Board giving effective representation to the needs of upcoming explosives engineers. It does not guarantee a future board position and can only be filled by the appointed individual once. This position will provide valuable input and guidance to the elected Board of Directors in various decisions that impact the growth and development of ISEE. This position will also provide an avenue for effective ISEE Board involvement to student chapters. The Student Director will have all rights, privileges and benefits of an elected Board Member with the exception of voting rights as per the ISEE constitution regarding Student Members.

The selected Student Director must have approval and support from their student chapter and institution prior to applying for the position. This support may include financial assistance in traveling to the Board meeting. ISEE will pay/reimburse for the individual's hotel room and reasonable meal charges during the scheduled meeting.

ISEE Constitution

Constitution, Article 3-Membership, Section 6

"A Student Member shall be a student pursuing a field relating to explosives engineering and regularly enrolled in a post secondary school or an accredited two or four year college or university. A Student Member shall enjoy all the privileges of membership except that a student member cannot hold elective office, vote on officers or directors, or vote on changes to the constitution."

ISEE Student Director

Committee Liaisons:

The Student Director will liaise with the following ISEE committees: Membership, Chapter Development, Education, Ethics, Planning, and support/participate with the Emerging Professional's Section.

General Responsibilities:

- 1) Represents Student Chapters on ISEE Board of Directors
- 2) Communicates pertinent issues and information to all student chapter leaders
- 3) Receives input from student chapter leaders
- 4) Reports to the Board of Directors
- 5) Recommends items/issues to Board of Directors
- 6) Assigned to the Chairperson of the Chapter Development Committee

Qualifications:

The Student Director should possess adequate communication skills, an understanding of the ISEE mission, policies, procedures, goals, objectives and be a member or officer of an active ISEE student chapter with a minimum of 1 year as a chapter member. The student must be at least 21 years of age.

Term:

The term of this appointment will be for a one- to two-year period and will consist of two regular scheduled meetings per year: 1) Annual Meeting and 2) Mid Year Board Meeting. The annual meeting occurs two days prior to the ISEE Conference on Explosives & Blasting Techniques, while the midyear meeting is typically held at the end of July at a place to be determined, within or on occasion outside the United States.

Application Procedures:

Interested students should submit their resume, cover letter and signed letter of recommendation from their faculty advisor to isee@isee.org for consideration. Upon receipt of the submitted documents, student faculty advisors will be contacted to discuss the abilities of the student to fulfill the needs of the position.