



# 2009-2010 Peer Mentor Information

Welcome to MSOE! Our MSOE mentors and peer mentors look forward to meeting and working with you. Here is some information from your peer mentors; students who recently have been in your shoes.



## Rick Allen

Junior  
Computer Engineering/Software Engineering  
Hometown: Appleton, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Varsity Track & Field  
• TRIO tutor  
• Intramurals



## Natalie Beimel

Sophomore  
Nursing  
Hometown: Colgate, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Student Nurses Association  
• Circle K  
• TRIO student employee

## Martin Anderson

Junior  
Biomedical Engineering  
Hometown: Berkeley, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• Student Union Board  
• Residence hall assistant  
• Intramurals



## Caitlin Berigan

Senior  
Nursing  
Hometown: Grant, Minn.  
Interests and activities:  
• Nightingales  
• Phi Delta Chi sorority



## AnnMarie Axarlis

Junior  
Biomedical Engineering  
Hometown: Cary, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• Healthcare Without Borders  
• Women's Connections  
• Residence Hall Association



## Scott Bitz

Sophomore  
Mechanical Engineering  
Hometown: Pleasant Prairie, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• MAGE  
• Rowing

## Ryan Barnett

Junior  
Computer Engineering  
Hometown: Menomonie, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Engineers Without Borders  
• Computer Engineering Advisory Committee  
• Basketball



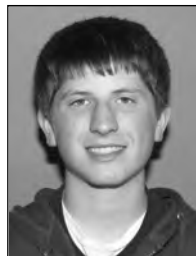
## Jacob Bolda

Senior  
Architectural Engineering  
Hometown: Butte des Morts, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Intramurals  
• Architectural Engineering Institute  
• Lab assistant



## Steven Bates

Sophomore  
Architectural Engineering  
Hometown: Kewanee, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• Intramurals



## Nicholas Brennan Lehman

Sophomore  
Architectural Engineering  
Hometown: Clark's Mills, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Intramurals  
• Resident Hall Association

## Evan Bauer

Sophomore  
Mechanical Engineering  
Hometown: Downers Grove, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• Residence Hall Association  
• Society of Automotive Engineers  
• Judo club





## Julie Burg

Sophomore  
 Architectural Engineering/Construction  
 Management  
 Hometown: Richfield, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Women's tennis team  
 • American Society of Civil Engineers  
 • Women's Connections



## Ryan Dedrickson

Junior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Eau Claire, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Intramurals  
 • Orientation assistant  
 • Student Life Office student  
 employee

## Sara Casper

Junior  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: West Bend, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Phi Delta Chi sorority  
 • Stunt Team  
 • Student Union Board



## Andrew Desmond

Sophomore  
 Industrial Engineering  
 Hometown: Mendota Heights, Minn.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Institute of Industrial Engineers  
 • Men's hockey  
 • Intramurals



## Michael Cerny

Senior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Mt. Prospect, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Government Association  
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers  
 • Rowing



## Ronald Domingo

Senior  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: Long Grove, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Intramurals  
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers  
 • Asian Student Association

## Christopher Chapman

Sophomore  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Ultimate Frisbee  
 • Intramurals  
 • Attending campus athletic events



## Patrick Donlan

Junior  
 Software Engineering  
 Hometown: Hillsboro, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Government Association  
 • Campus Center Information Desk employee  
 • Intramurals



## Kelly Costello

Senior  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: Westchester, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Women's Basketball (captain)  
 • Lambda Zeta Nu sorority  
 • Student Union Board



## Linnea Elliott

Junior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: LaFox, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Cross country team  
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers  
 • Center for Biomolecular Modeling student  
 employee

## Matthew Cummings

Junior  
 Software Engineering  
 Hometown: Waukesha, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • MAGE  
 • Student Union Board  
 • Orientation assistant



## Nicholas Emricson

Sophomore  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Woodstock, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Intramurals  
 • Triangle fraternity





## Brittany Farley

Sophomore  
Nursing  
Hometown: Eau Claire, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Women's InterVarsity Bible Study  
• Student Nurses Association



## Ryan Gorham

Junior  
Mechanical Engineering  
Hometown: Poplar Grove, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• American Society of Mechanical Engineers  
• MSOE Powerlifting Team  
• Enrollment Management Office student employee

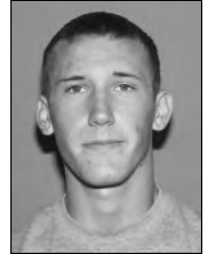
## Amber Frick

Senior  
Architectural Engineering/Construction Management  
Hometown: Clinton, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• Illumination Engineering Society  
• Women's Connections  
• Residence hall student employee



## Jared Gothard

Sophomore  
Construction Management  
Hometown: Long Grove, Iowa  
Interests and activities:  
• Student Union Board  
• Judo Club  
• Intramurals



## Anthony Fuerte

Sophomore  
Industrial Engineering  
Hometown: Milwaukee, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Intramurals  
• Data Entry Team  
• Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers



## Patrick Grosse

Sophomore  
Architectural Engineering  
Hometown: Fox River Grove, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• Xtreme Club  
• Intramurals

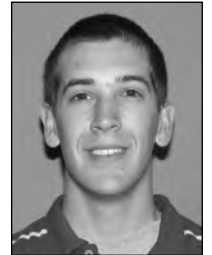
## Dale Garfield

Junior  
Architectural Engineering  
Hometown: Marshfield, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Architectural Engineering Institute  
• American Society of Civil Engineers



## Spenser Harm

Sophomore  
Architectural Engineering  
Hometown: Bloomer, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Rowing  
• American Society of Civil Engineers



## Jeremiah Gillis

Junior  
Electrical Engineering  
Hometown: Milwaukee, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers  
• Career Fair volunteer



## Jeremy Heim

Junior  
Architectural Engineering  
Hometown: Beecher, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• Triangle fraternity  
• Emerging Green Builders  
• Intramurals

## Erica Glapinski

Senior+  
Architectural Engineering and Construction Management  
Hometown: Hubertus, Wis.  
Interests and activities:  
• Volleyball  
• Student Athletic Advisory Association  
• Society of Women Engineers  
• American Society of Civil Engineers Concrete Canoe Team



## Andrew Holm

Sophomore  
Software Engineering  
Hometown: Saint Charles, Ill.  
Interests and activities:  
• Shadow Day volunteer  
• Theater Troupe  
• MAGE





## Ben Holter

Junior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Dodgeville, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers  
 • Fluid Power Institute student employee  
 • Intramurals



## Emily Knowlen

Senior+  
 Architectural Engineering and  
 Construction Management  
 Hometown: River Falls, Wis.  
 • Student Government Association  
 • Dance Team  
 • Society of Women Engineers

## Alex Izzo

Sophomore  
 Electrical Engineering  
 Hometown: New Berlin, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Campus Volunteer Services  
 • Resident Hall Association  
 • Intramurals



## Jeremy Kundert

Senior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Janesville, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers  
 • MSOE symphony orchestra  
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship



## Greg Janczak

Sophomore  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Brown Deer, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Shadow Day volunteer



## Matt Kundert

Junior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Janesville, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers  
 • Financial Aid student employee  
 • Intramurals

## Ashleigh Johnson

Sophomore  
 Construction Management  
 Hometown: Glenview, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Career Fair volunteer  
 • TRIO note-taker



## Kari-Beth Lawrence

Sophomore  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: Poplar Grove, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Lambda Zeta Nu sorority  
 • Biomedical Engineering Society  
 • Women's Connections



## Mason Josie

Senior  
 Industrial Engineering  
 Hometown: Manawa, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Institute of Industrial Engineers  
 • CAD work for facilities



## Paul Leidig

Junior  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: Hoffman Estates, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Engineers Without Borders  
 • American Society of Civil Engineers  
 • Tae Kwon Do Club

## Prakhar Kapoor

Senior  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: New Delhi, India  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Resident assistant  
 • International Student Association  
 • Biomedical Engineering Society



## Shawn Lenagh

Senior+  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Farmington, Minn.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Delta Sigma Phi  
 • Intramurals  
 • Kern Center and Fluid Power Institute  
 student employee





## Michael Macak

Sophomore  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Westmont, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship  
 • Intramurals  
 • Society of Automotive Engineers



## Megan O'Connor

Junior  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: Bartlett, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Healthcare Without Borders  
 • Learning Resource Center peer tutor  
 • Theatre Troupe

## Jason Markgraf

Sophomore  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: Cincinnati, Ohio  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Architectural Engineering Institute  
 • The Point of Grace  
 • Wheelchair days  
 • Intramurals



## Ryan Osiecki

Junior  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: New Berlin, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Intramurals



## Jeremy Matthews

Senior  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: Brookfield, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • American Society of Civil Engineers  
 • Rugby  
 • "The Ave" (youth group)



## Jeremiah Patrick

Junior  
 Computer Engineering  
 Hometown: Milwaukee, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • MAGE gaming and convention chair  
 • Grohmann Museum security associate

## Ryan May

Junior  
 Electrical Engineering  
 Hometown: Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Government Association  
 • Inter Varsity Christian Fellowship  
 • Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineering



## Shoshana Perlman

Sophomore  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Oak Park, Minn.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Society of Modeling Engineers  
 • MSOE Choir



## Jennifer Monski

Sophomore  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: Menomonee Falls, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Stunt Team  
 • Biomedical Engineering Society  
 • Women's Connections



## Elise Pinkerton

Sophomore  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: Wapella, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Women's Connections  
 • Women's Softball

## Kaitlyn Oakley

Senior  
 Nursing  
 West Allis, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Phi Delta Chi Sorority  
 • Greek Council  
 • Softball  
 • Student Athletic Committee



## Tony Porn

Sophomore  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: Milwaukee, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Wrestling Team  
 • Biomedical Engineering Society





## Nikhil Prasad

Senior  
 Electrical Engineering  
 Hometown: New Delhi, India  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Government Association senator  
 • Kern Center student employee  
 • International Student Association



## Joe Rider

Sophomore  
 Software Engineering  
 Hometown: Chippewa Falls, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship  
 • Shadow Day volunteer

## Austin Rasmussen

Senior+  
 Software Engineering and  
 Management Information Systems  
 Hometown: Oconomowoc, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Tau Beta Pi  
 • Engineering Futures  
 • Association for Computing Machinery - Chair



## Shea Rollins

Senior  
 Nursing  
 Hometown: Cedarburg, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Nurses' Association



## Cameron Rate

Junior  
 Electrical Engineering  
 Hometown: Theresa, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Track and Cross Country team  
 • Student Athletic Advisory Committee



## Gabriel Schaap

Sophomore  
 Electrical Engineering  
 Hometown: Elk River, Minn.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Rowing Team

## Amanda Reda

Senior  
 Nursing  
 Hometown: Madison, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Resident Hall Association president  
 • Health Care Without Borders  
 • Women's Connections



## Eric Schaefer

Senior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Manitowoc, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Government Association  
 • Triangle Fraternity  
 • Intramurals



## Chris Reininger

Junior  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: Fenton, Mo.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Men's volleyball  
 • American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and  
 Air Conditioning Engineers  
 • Athletics department student employee



## Eric Schmidt

Junior  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: Kaukauna, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and  
 Air Conditioning Engineers

## Kari Renzelman

Sophomore  
 Architectural Engineering/Construction  
 Management  
 Hometown: Pontiac, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Dance Team  
 • Women's Bible Study  
 • TRIO note-taker



## Andrea Schuster

Sophomore  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: Richfield, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Attending campus athletic events  
 • Student employee



## Kelly Seebach

Junior  
 Nursing  
 Hometown: Gurnee, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Nurses' Association  
 • Housing Department student employee  
 • Women's Connections



## Ryan Smaglik

Senior  
 Electrical Engineering  
 Hometown: Stevens Point, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Resident assistant  
 • Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (executive chair)

- Attending campus and local cultural events

## Andrew Smith

Senior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Cary, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Intramurals  
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers



## Noel Somers

Senior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Greenfield, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Air Force ROTC  
 • Arnold Air Society

## Kyongmin Song

Sophomore  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: Glenview, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Orchestra/Combo  
 • Healthcare Without Borders  
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship



## Maria Soto

Senior+  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 Hometown: Rialto, Calif.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Biomedical Engineering Society  
 • Phi Delta Chi sorority  
 • Applied Technology Center student employee

## Jason Stiebs

Junior  
 Software Engineering  
 Hometown: Waupaca, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Orientation assistant



## Finny Thomas

Junior  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Gurnee, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Union Board  
 • Society of Automotive Engineers

## Daniel Vander Zanden

Junior  
 Electrical Engineering  
 Kaukauna, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Engineers Without Borders  
 • Learning Resource Center peer tutor

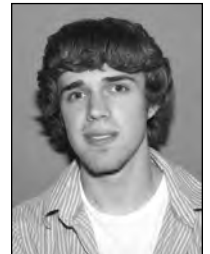


## Caleb Varner

Junior  
 Biomedical Engineering  
 New Richmond, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • TRIO Program student employee  
 • Disc Golf Club Team  
 • Resident assistant alternate

## Cavyn VonDeylen

Sophomore  
 Software Engineering  
 Hometown: Neenah, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Student Union Board  
 • MAGE  
 • Intramurals



## Nate Weber

Sophomore  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Pontiac, Ill.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Intramurals

## James Williamson

Sophomore  
 Architectural Engineering  
 Hometown: West Allis, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • Boy Scouts (adult leader)



## Alex Zelhofer

Sophomore  
 Mechanical Engineering  
 Hometown: Oshkosh, Wis.  
 Interests and activities:  
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers  
 • Circle K  
 • Campus activities volunteer