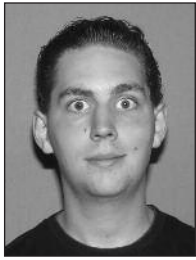




2010-2011 Peer Mentor Information

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



Josh Adams

Sophomore
Computer engineering
Hometown: Mankato, Minn.
Interests and activities:
• MAGE



Scott Ambeling

Sophomore
Electrical engineering
Hometown: Eau Claire, Wis.
Interests and activities:
• Campus Volunteer Services
• Intramurals

Kenneth Albrecht

Sophomore
Software engineering
Hometown: Mukwonago, Wis.
• Interests and activities:
• Delta Sigma Phi fraternity
• Intramurals



AnnMarie Axarlis

Senior
Biomedical engineering
Hometown: Cary, Ill.
Interests and activities:
• Biomedical Engineering Society
• Healthcare Without Borders
• Learning Resource Center tutor
• Residence Hall Association



Brad Aldag

Junior
Mechanical engineering
Hometown: Sheboygan, Wis.
Interests and activities:
• Power Lifting Team
• American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning



Zachary Backus

Junior
Biomedical engineering
Hometown: Fond du Lac, Wis.
Interests and activities:
• Biomedical Engineering Society
• Intramurals
• Commencement assistant
• Shadow Program volunteer

Rick Allen

Senior
Computer engineering/software engineering
Hometown: Appleton, Wis.
Interests and activities:
• Eta Kappa Nu Engineering Honor Society
• Track & Field
• TRIO tutor
• Stunt Team



Brittany Bartlein

Sophomore
Biomedical engineering
Hometown: Mequon, Wis.
Interests and activities:
• Biomedical Engineering Society
• Residence Hall Association
• Intramurals





Steven Bates

Junior
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Kewanee, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • American Society of Civil Engineers
 • Campus shuttle driver
 • Intramurals



Ryan Bladorn

Sophomore
 Software engineering
 Hometown: Janesville, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Sound Engineers
 • Intramurals

Evan Bauer

Junior
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Downers Grove, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Residence Hall Association
 • Society of Automotive Engineers



Jacob Bolda

Senior +
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Butte des Morts, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Engineers Without Borders
 • Intramurals
 • Architectural Engineering Institute
 • Lab assistant



Aaron Becker

Sophomore
 Industrial engineering
 Hometown: Steger, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Army ROTC
 • Institute of Industrial Engineers
 • Student Government Association
 • International Student Association



Nicholas Brennan Lehman

Junior
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Reedsville, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Intramurals

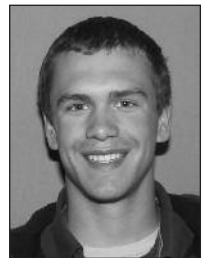
Natalie Beimel

Junior
 Nursing
 Hometown: Colgate, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Student Nurses Association
 • Circle K
 • Women's Connections



Bradley Brossard

Sophomore
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Lake Geneva, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers
 • Society of Automotive Engineers
 • Baseball
 • Intramurals



Travis Biesiada

Junior
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Pine City, Minn.
 Interests and activities:
 • TRIO tutor
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers
 • Rowing



Aaron Brost

Sophomore
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Milwaukee
 Interests and activities:
 • Basketball
 • Golf
 • Architectural Engineering Institute
 • Fishing team



Julie Burg

Junior
 Architectural engineering/construction management
 Hometown: Richfield, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Women's Tennis
 • American Society of Civil Engineers
 • Architectural Engineering & Construction Management Societies
 • Women's Connections



Richard DeSimone

Senior
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Windsor, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • American Society of Civil Engineers
 • Learning Resource Center tutor
 • Concrete Canoe competition

Sara Casper

Senior
 Biomedical engineering
 Hometown: West Bend, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Biomedical Engineering Society
 • Phi Delta Chi sorority
 • Stunt Team
 • Symphony Orchestra Choir



Patrick Donlan

Senior
 Software engineering
 Hometown: Hillsboro, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Student Union Board
 • MAGE
 • Summer Program assistant
 • Intramurals



Christopher Chapman

Junior
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Ultimate Frisbee
 • Student worker



Patrick DuBois

Sophomore
 Electrical engineering
 Hometown: Menasha, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Track & Field
 • American Society of Civil Engineers
 • Concrete Canoe competition
 • Intramurals

Kenneth Connor

Sophomore
 Software engineering
 Hometown: Deerfield, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • MAGE
 • Symphony Orchestra
 • Sound Engineers



Linnea Elliott

Senior
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: LaFox, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Cross Country
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers
 • Center for BioMolecular Modeling student employee
 • Intramurals



Nicholas Cote

Sophomore
 Architectural engineering/construction management
 Hometown: Sturgeon Bay, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Student Union Board
 • Associated General Contractors
 • American Institute of Constructors
 • Intramurals



Karlene Ellwanger

Senior +
 Architectural engineering/construction management
 Hometown: Ladysmith, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Basketball
 • Volleyball
 • Women's Connections
 • Sigma Lambda Chi Honor Society



Brittany Farley

Junior
Nursing
Hometown: Eau Claire, Wis.
Interests and activities:

- InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
- Student Nurses Association
- School of Nursing Student Advisory Committee



Patrick Grosse

Junior
Architectural engineering
Hometown: Fox River Grove, Ill.
Interests and activities:

- American Society of Civil Engineers
- Intramurals

Jeremiah Gillis

Senior
Electrical engineering
Hometown: Milwaukee
Interests and activities:

- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
- Career Fair volunteer
- Society of Automotive Engineers



Alex Harbour

Sophomore
Architectural engineering
Hometown: Middleton, Wis.
Interests and activities:

- Volleyball
- Engineers Without Borders
- Student Union Board
- Intramurals



Blake Gleason

Sophomore
Construction management
Hometown: New Lenox, Ill.
Interests and activities:

- American Society of Civil Engineers Steel Bridge team
- Shadow volunteer
- Business Excellence Consortium student employee



Spenser Harm

Junior
Architectural engineering
Hometown: Bloomer, Wis.
Interests and activities:

- Residence Hall Association
- Summer Program assistant

John Goljenboom

Sophomore
Mechanical engineering
Hometown: Ripon, Wis.
Interests and activities:

- Student Union Board
- Circle K
- Intramurals



James Harrold

Sophomore
Biomedical engineering
Hometown: Green Bay, Wis.
Interests and activities:

- CCSD student technician
- Biomedical Engineering Society



Jared Gothard

Junior
Construction management
Hometown: Long Grove, Iowa
Interests and activities:

- Judo Club
- Lacrosse
- Intramurals



Curtis Helbing

Sophomore
Computer engineering
Hometown: Baraboo, Wis.
Interests and activities:

- Tae Kwando club
- Fencing
- MAGE
- Chess Club



Michael Herriges

Sophomore
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Kewaskum, WI
 Interests and activities:
 • Catholic Student Association



Ashleigh Johnson

Junior
 Construction management
 Hometown: Lake Forest, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • American Society of Civil Engineers Concrete
 • Canoe competition
 • TRIO note-taker
 • Big Brother/Big Sister program

Jacob Hilgendorf

Sophomore
 Biomedical engineering
 Hometown: Hartland, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Baseball
 • Biomedical Engineering Society
 • Intramurals
 • Student Union Board



David Johnson

Sophomore
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Glenview, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Ultimate Frisbee Club
 • Student Union Board
 • Volleyball



Ben Holter

Senior
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Dodgeville, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Orientation Assistant
 • Fluid Power Institute™ student employee
 • Ducks Unlimited



Brett Kash

Sophomore
 Architectural engineering/construction management
 Hometown: Cortland, N.Y.
 Interests and activities:
 • TRIO tutor
 • MAGE

Alex Izzo

Junior
 Electrical engineering
 Hometown: New Berlin, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Campus Volunteer Services
 • Residence Hall Association
 • Resident assistant
 • Intramurals



Brian Kinney

Junior
 Architectural engineering/construction management
 Hometown: Joliet, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Baseball
 • Intramurals



Greg Janczak

Junior
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Brown Deer, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Intramurals
 • Rockwell Engineering Competition



Melody Konchal

Sophomore
 Biomedical engineering
 Hometown: Roseville, Minn.
 Interests and activities:
 • Biomedical Engineering Society
 • Society of Women Engineers
 • Student Union Board



Rebekah Kundert

Sophomore
 Business management
 Hometown: Janesville, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • MSOE Business Leaders Association
 • Women's Connections
 • Campus Bible Study

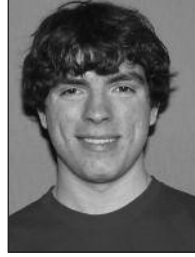


Michael Macak

Junior
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Westmont, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
 • Intramurals
 • Society of Automotive Engineers
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers

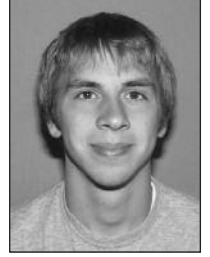
Eric Larson

Sophomore
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Menomonee Falls, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Society of Automotive Engineers
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers
 • Commencement assistant



Jason Markgraf

Junior
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Cincinnati
 Interests and activities:
 • Architectural Engineering Institute
 • The Point of Grace
 • Intramurals



Kari-Beth Lawrence

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



Thomas Martin

Sophomore
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Wausau, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Straight and Gay Alliance
 • Intramurals

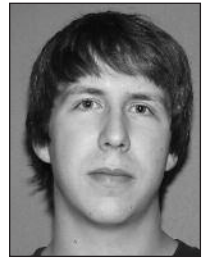
Paul Leidig

Senior
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Hoffman Estates, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Engineers Without Borders
 • American Society of Civil Engineers
 • Tae Kwon Do club
 • Emerging Green Builders



Ryan May

Senior
 Electrical engineering
 Hometown: Wisconsin Rapids, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Student Government Association
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
 • Resident assistant
 • Eta Kappa Nu honor society



Eric Lovelady

Sophomore
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Lindenwood, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • American Society of Mechanical Engineers
 • Society of Automotive Engineers



Jennifer Monski

Junior
 Biomedical engineering
 Hometown: Menomonee Falls, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Spirit Squad
 • Biomedical Engineering Society
 • Tau Beta Pi Engineering honor society
 • Alpha Eta Mu Beta Biomedical Engineering honor society



Megan O'Connor

Senior
 Biomedical engineering
 Hometown: Bartlett, Ill.
 Interests and activities:

- Healthcare Without Borders
- Learning Resource Center tutor
- Theatre Troupe
- Symphony Orchestra



Elise Pinkerton

Junior
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Wapella, Ill.
 Interests and activities:

- Learning Resource Center tutor
- Softball
- Basketball
- American Society of Civil Engineers

Courtney Ogbuehi

Sophomore
 Management Information Systems
 Hometown: Woodbury, Minn.
 Interests and activities:

- National Society of Black Engineers
- Intramurals



Tony Porn

Junior
 Biomedical engineering
 Hometown: Milwaukee
 Interests and activities:

- Wrestling
- Biomedical Engineering Society



Ryan Osiecki

Senior
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: New Berlin, Wis.
 Interests and activities:

- Intramurals
- Mechanical Contractors Association of America
- Emerging Green Builders
- American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers



Rafael Possamai

Sophomore
 Industrial engineering
 Hometown: Florianopolis, SC, Brazil
 Interests and activities:

- International Student Association
- Society of Automotive Engineers
- Center for BioMolecular Modeling student employee
- Junior Achievement volunteer

Jeremiah Patrick

Senior
 Computer engineering
 Hometown: Milwaukee
 Interests and activities:

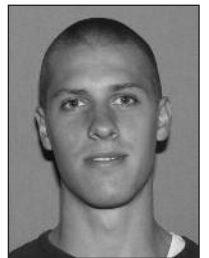
- MAGE
- Grohmann Museum security associate



Cameron Rate

Senior
 Electrical engineering
 Hometown: Slinger, Wis.
 Interests and activities:

- Track & Field
- Cross Country



Shoshana Perlman

Junior
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Oak Park, Mich.
 Interests and activities:

- Society of Mechanical Engineers
- Women's Connections



Chris Reininger

Senior
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Fenton, Mo.
 Interests and activities:

- Volleyball
- Student Athletic Advisory Committee
- American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Engineers
- Orientation assistant



Kari Renzelman

Junior
 Architectural engineering/construction management
 Hometown: Pontiac, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Dance Team
 • Women's Connections
 • Center for BioMolecular Modeling research assistant
 • TRIO note-taker



Rebecca Ruechel

Sophomore
 Biomedical engineering
 Hometown: West Allis, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Society of Women Engineers
 • Symphony Orchestra
 • Theater Troup
 • Biomedical Engineering Society

Cory Respalje

Sophomore
 Electrical engineering
 Hometown: Brandon, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Student Union Board
 • Sound Engineers
 • Symphony Choir



Sebastian Salkauskas

Sophomore
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Lemont, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • TRIO note-taker
 • Society of Automotive Engineers



Grant Ridder

Sophomore
 Computer engineering
 Hometown: Zion, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Student Union Board
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
 • Residence Hall Association



Meghan Scanlon

Sophomore
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Green Bay, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Engineers Without Borders
 • Phi Delta Chi Sorority
 • Stunt Team

Joe Rider

Junior
 Software engineering
 Hometown: Chippewa Falls, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
 • Disc Golf Club
 • Association of College Ministries



Andrea Schuster

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



Shea Rollins

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



Michael Sgarioto

Sophomore
 Biomolecular engineering
 Hometown: Elmhurst, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Society of Biological Engineers
 • Symphony Orchestra
 • Circle K



Mark Skrobis

Senior
 International business
 Hometown: Franklin, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • MSOE Business Leaders Association



Brett Steffen

Sophomore
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: St. Cloud, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Intramurals
 • MSOE Symphony Orchestra Choir

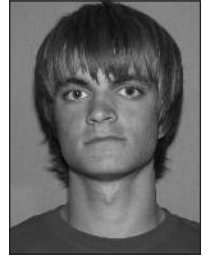
Kevin Smith

Sophomore
 Architectural engineering
 Hometown: Casa Grande, Ariz.
 Interests and activities:
 • Intramurals



Jason Stiebs

Senior
 Software engineering
 Hometown: Waupaca, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Orientation assistant
 • United Way



Noel Somers

Senior +
 Mechanical engineering
 Hometown: Mukwonago, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Air Force ROTC



Daniel Vander Zanden

Senior
 Electrical engineering
 Hometown: Kaukauna, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Engineers Without Borders
 • Learning Resource Center peer tutor
 • Eta Kappa Nu
 • Tau Beta Pi

Kyongmin Song

Junior
 Biomedical engineering
 Hometown: Glenview, Ill.
 Interests and activities:
 • Learning Resource Center tutor
 • Healthcare Without Borders
 • InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
 • Resident assistant



Caleb Varner

Senior
 Biomedical engineering
 New Richmond, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • TRIO Program student employee
 • Disc Golf Club
 • Orientation assistant
 • Judo Club



Brian Sparrow

Sophomore
 Software engineering
 Hometown: Little Suamico, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Theatre Troupe
 • Straight and Gay Alliance
 • Ecology Club



Ibrahim Vazirabad

Sophomore
 Biomolecular engineering
 Hometown: St. Francis, Wis.
 Interests and activities:
 • Society of Biological Engineers
 • SMART team assistant
 • Shadow Program volunteer



Cavyn VonDeylen

Junior

Software engineering

Hometown: Neenah, Wis.

Interests and activities:

- Student Union Board
- MAGE
- Ultimate Frisbee Organization
- Intramurals



Lindsey Youngs

Sophomore

Biomedical engineering

Hometown: Great Lakes, Ill.

Interests and activities:

- Phi Delta Chi sorority
- Student Government Association
- Society of Women Engineers
- Biomedical Engineering Society

James Williamson

Junior

Architectural engineering

Hometown: West Allis, Wis.

Interests and activities:

- Boy Scouts (adult leader)



Alex Zelhofer

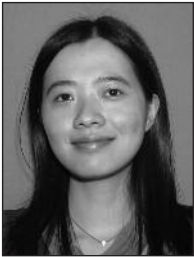
Junior

Mechanical engineering

Hometown: Oshkosh, Wis.

Interests and activities:

- Society of Mechanical Engineers
- Circle K
- Rapid Prototyping research assistant



Han Yan

Sophomore

Nursing

Hometown: Shanghai, China

Interests and activities:

- International Student Association
- MSOE Website Virtual Visit guide



John Zeigler

Sophomore

Mechanical engineering

Hometown: Elgin, Ill.

Interests and activities:

- Intramurals
- American Society of Mechanical Engineers