

# November Update

Lowcountry Society of Women Engineers



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## Coming Up Soon: December 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
4	5	6 NSBE	7	8 CHSWIT	9	10
11 SWE Holiday	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

### Future Events

- NSBE Girls in Stem—December 6th
- CHSWIT Holiday Mingle—December 8
- SWE Holiday Event—December 11th, 2-4pm



## Professional Development

**Help us plan the next fiscal year by giving us your inputs on the survey below.**

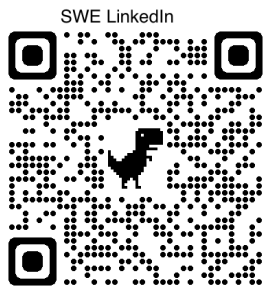
What topics are you interested to see? Are you interested in being a speaker or know someone who would be a great speaker for one of our Professional Development events? Fill out the form below to let us know about your

interests or to be added to our speaker database.

If you have any questions regarding SWE- Lowcountry professional development (PD), please contact us at [professionaldevelopment@swelowcountry.org](mailto:professionaldevelopment@swelowcountry.org).

[Professional Development Interest Form](#)

## Membership



Use the QR code to the right to join our new LinkedIn group or click [here](#).

Click [here](#) to renew your membership with SWE- Lowcountry

Join and follow us using our new Linktree!

<https://linktr.ee/swelocountry>

## Upcoming SWE Lowcountry Events

Come enjoy the holidays with family and friends!

 **Pottery Painting** 

 **Palmetto Clayground** 

[www.palmettoclayground.com](http://www.palmettoclayground.com)  
2150 Northwoods Blvd J-728, North Charleston, SC 29406

**2-4 PM, Sunday, December 11th**

SWE will provide food and beverages. Cost of painted ceramic piece is not covered by SWE (Prices start at \$5 and average \$25-35).  
Painted pieces will be available for pick up ~7-10 days after the event.  
Please RSVP by Thursday, December 8th

Expand your network by meeting SWE leadership and members from local companies including Bosch, Cummins, and Boeing.

### **SWE Holiday Social**

Join us for our family friendly SWE holiday event on Sunday, December 11th from 2-4pm at the Palmetto Clayground!

Paint your own ce-

ramic and spend time with other SWE members and their families.

RSVP [here!](#)

## Partner Organizations

### Women in Industry Day

Women in Industry began in 2019 through the leadership and vision of the Lowcountry Society of Women Engineers. Now in its fourth year, this dynamic conference is designed to connect professionals from industries across the Lowcountry.

Inspiring keynote speakers, engaging breakout sessions, and networking provide professionals an opportunity to learn and connect with their peers. The 2023 theme is Brave. Powerful. Heard.

Join us for our fifth consecutive conference - April 21, 2023, at the main campus of Trident Technical College. Our theme is Brave. Powerful. Heard, and we welcome all to attend.

### Call for Speakers!

We are searching for speakers who can share new perspectives, the latest trends, and best practices on a wide range of topics for professional women across all industries. Topics may include:

- Why do you work where you work? (Business big and small)
- Self branding (Marketing yourself/ social media)
- Goal setting & measuring success
- Managerial Compass: What is it? How do you set it?
- What is your superpower?
- Imposter Syndrome

- STEM Outreach
- Female focused company benefits

### NSBE—Girls in Stem

North Charleston Elementary School would like to invite the National Society of Black Engineers to participate in their inaugural Girls STEM event on December 6 at 5:00 pm. We would like female business professionals to talk to our mothers and daughters about career possibilities and the importance of fostering our girls' love of science and math with an activity for mothers/daughters to participate in together.



## Volunteer Opportunities

### SWE Professional Development Committee

Help organize and promote guest speakers, workshops, and networking events that bring together women in industry across the Charleston area. Volunteers will assist with coordinating guest speakers and presentations, promote the event with flyers and social media, and assist with set up and break down the day of. Come share your ideas to help us make professional development fun and exciting!

Volunteers can be utilized

on an as-need basis when larger events are being planned. The committee will be fully supported by members of the Lowcountry SWE Leadership team, and will not be expected to coordinate events alone. Benefits include discounts on conference / event tickets, the opportunity to attend exclusive invite-only events, and networking with other local women in industry.

Fill out the [form here!](#)

### SWE Social Committee

We are looking for a couple volunteers to join the

SWE Lowcountry Chapter Social Committee. This committee has the exciting opportunity to arrange fun social activities to bring members together and try out new things in the area. The committee's goal is to coordinate around 1 event per month ranging from family friendly events to happy hours and anything else people may be interested in! If you would be interested in joining please contact Erica Sampson at [socialchair@swelowcountry.org](mailto:socialchair@swelowcountry.org).



Aspire.  
Advance.  
Achieve.

*Our mission is to stimulate women to achieve full potential in careers as engineers and leaders, expand the image of the engineering profession as a positive force in improving the quality of life, and demonstrate the value of diversity.*

Lowcountry SWE

*We're looking forward to serving you in FY22. If you have any suggestions for events, please send us an email! You can find all of our contact information here:*

<http://www.swelowcountry.org/contact-us.html>

*Our objectives include :*

- *Inform young women, their parents, counselors, and the public in general of the qualifications and achievements of women engineers*
- *Assist women engineers in readying themselves for a return to active work after temporary retirement*
- *Serve as a center of information for women in engineering*
- *Encourage women engineers to attain high levels of educational and professional achievement*

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### **CHSWIT Holiday** **Mingle** **December 8** **Charleston, SC**

Have you signed up to attend our Holiday Mingle?

This event grows every year and we are excited to be hosted this year by Blackbaud.

Guest speaker Nina Sossaman-Pogue will be joining us at the event!

We hope to see you there on December 8th,

2022 5:30 PM at Blackbaud.

65 Fairchild Street  
Charleston, SC 29492

Sign up [here](#)

