CEWiT's Gender + Technology Track at UITS Statewide IT Conference

Caroline Dowd-Higgins, Director of Professional Enrichment with Indiana University Alumni Association moderated the "No, You're Not a Fraud: An Impostor Syndrome Panel" at the Statewide IT Conference in Bloomington on October 8. Panelists were Sarah Puls, Desktop Support Technician with the Indiana University School of Medicine at IUPUI, Susan Sons, Senior Systems Analyst with IU Center for Applied Cybersecurity Research at IU Bloomington, and Angela Solic, Associate Director, CISTL & Clinical Assistant Professor of Education at Indiana University Northwest.

You’re Invited!
CEWiT’s First Anniversary Celebration!
Featuring Omoju Miller, Technology Portfolio Manager at Google

October 22, 2-3pm, Whittenberger Auditorium, IMU
Reception to follow in the Faculty Room of the University Club

Featured Headlines
CEWiT Anniversary with Omoju Miller!
CEWiT officially launched in October 2013. Join us as we celebrate our first anniversary with a presentation from Omoju Miller from Google. There will be cupcakes, and students who bring their student ID can be entered into drawings for iPad Minis and Barnes and Noble gift certificates! Read more here.

Laurie Burns McRobbie wins 2014 Leading Light Outstanding Leadership Award
Indiana University First Lady Laurie Burns McRobbie, one of CEWiT’s founders and its Advisory Council Chair, received the 2014 Leading Light Outstanding Leadership Award from Women and Hi Tech on October 1. Read more here.

CEWiT is hiring a graphics design intern
CEWiT is looking for an undergraduate student to serve as a graphic design intern to support our visual branding. This person will be responsible for creating clear, engaging graphics used on all CEWiT social media pages, on the CEWiT website and e-mail campaigns, and in print communications. Read more here.

5 CEWiT Students Blog about the Grace Hopper Celebration of Women in Computing
Thanks to funding from the IU Women’s Philanthropy Council, CEWiT awarded five scholarships for students to attend the Grace Hopper Celebration of Women in Computing, the world’s largest gathering of women technologists, on October 8-10, 2014. Each student blogged about her experiences, which you can read about here.

CEWiT Faculty Leadership Team Margaret Dolinsky’s Team recognized for Faculty Collaboration
A team of faculty researchers that includes CEWiT Faculty Leadership Team member and Associate Professor of Digital Art Margaret Dolinsky recently won one of the two inaugural Outstanding Faculty Collaborative Research Awards, jointly offered by the Office of the Provost and the Office of the Vice Provost for Research. Read more here.

Meet WESiT Student Liz daSilva
Interested in learning more about how IU women use technology? Meet Psychological and Brain Sciences PhD candidate Liz daSilva. Liz uses electroencephalography (EEG) technology to measure electrical activity of the brain. Find her story and others’ on our student profile pages! Read more here.

Registering for Classes? Check Out CEWiT’s Repository of Technology Courses
CEWiT has compiled a list of technology and computing courses available on the IUB campus. As you begin to think about what courses you want to take next year, we encourage you to consider enrolling in one of these classes. Read more here.

Know a high school-aged woman? Encourage her to apply for the Indiana Award for Aspirations in Computing!
High School-aged women in the state of Indiana are encouraged to apply for the Indiana Award for Aspirations in Computing. This award, sponsored and administrated by CEWiT, honors young women at the high-school level for their computing-related aspirations and interests. Awardees are selected for their leadership ability, academic history, plans for post-secondary education, and tech aspirations. Applicants do not necessarily have to be highly-adept with computing and IT, but should wish to become so. Read more here.

Read how CEWiT Alumnae Alliance Member Anna Saraceno settled in Indianapolis after graduation
CEWiT alumnae Alliance member Anna Saraceno’s journey from her home in St. Louis to her hiring in Indianapolis was recently featured in TechPoint’s online eNewsletter. Read more here.

Katy Börner, CEWiT Faculty Alliance Member winds down Mapping Science Project
Victor H. Yngve Professor Information Science Katy Börner’s 10-year project winds down after the curation of 100 maps. Börner will be presenting her research and screening her film at the November CEWiT Faculty Salon. Read more here.
CITL Launches Badges@IU Faculty Development Badges Pilot
Faculty members interested in updating and showcasing their tech skills are invited to participate in the Badges@IU pilot program. Each track includes opportunities for reflection, course application planning, and the creation of sample artifacts. Read more here.

Scholars' Commons Grand Reopening
The Grand Opening of the IU Scholars' Commons is scheduled to take place on October 30, 2014. Kathleen Fitzpatrick, Director of Scholarly Communication at the Modern Language Association and Visiting Research Professor of English at New York University, will be presenting a lecture in association with this event. Read more here.

Upcoming Events

- **WESiT Tech Talks, Presentation by TechPoint on technical skills most in demand in Indiana**: October 20, 2014, 5:30PM – 7:00PM, Informatics East 150
- **WESiT monthly meeting**: October 20, 2014, 7:00PM – 8:00PM, Informatics East 150
- **CEWiT Anniversary Celebration with Omoju Miller from Google**: October 22, 2014, 2:00PM-3:00PM, Whittenberger Auditorium. Reception in University Club, 3:00PM – 4:30PM
- **Life After IU: What the Fork etiquette event**: Presented by the IU Alumni Association, October 29, 2014, 7:00PM – 8:00PM, Virgil T. DeVault Alumni Center
- **Scholars Commons Grand Reopening and Lecture**: October 30, 2:00 – 6:00PM, Hodge Hall and Wells Library
- **Social Computer Film Series: “Her,” with an introduction from Informatics Professor Selma Sabanovic**: November 1, 2014, 6:30PM, IU Cinema
- **CEWiT Faculty Salon: “Data Visualization”**: November 5, 2014, 4:00PM - 5:30PM, Faculty Room of the University Club, Indiana Memorial Union
- **Social Computer Film Series: “The Pirate Bay Away from the Keyboard” with an introduction from Informatics Professor Eden Medina**: November 15, 2014, 6:30PM, IU Cinema
- **WESiT monthly meeting**: November 17, 2014, 7:00PM – 8:00PM, Informatics East 150

Did You Know?

- …that the state of Indiana has [official guidelines](http://www.indiana.gov/itd) for Accessibility-friendly coding?
- …that The Office of the Vice Provost for Research has scheduled [a series of seminars](http://research.iu.edu/events) for faculty on the Technology commercialization?
- …that IU’s new eText initiative offers many benefits to students?
- …that you can **learn to code online** at a discounted price?
- …that IU is hosting a [conference for Pacific Rim tech researchers](http://www.iu.edu)?
- …that over 70% of people have experienced the Impostor Syndrome at one time in their lives? Read these [8 steps to get over Impostor Syndrome](http://www.impostorsyndrome.net).
The WESiT Robotics team poses with the robot they built that competed in the Statewide IT "Robot Rumble" on October 6.

Do you have something newsworthy? Let us know!

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