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Featured Headlines



SAVE THE DATE!

Did you enjoy CEWit's annual Technology Conference, *Techie Women Have More...* earlier this month and want to attend again next year? Or, maybe you missed it, but don't want to miss it again? Then save the date! Next year's *Techie Women Have More...* will take place **Friday, February 26 and Saturday, February 27, 2016**.



CEWit's Social Media SIG Workshops Begin Tonight

The new CEWit Social Media Special Interest Group (SIG) is offering three free workshops, beginning tonight. Workshop topics include how to promote events with social media, using social media to create your personal brand, and creating a social media strategy. Anyone (staff, student, faculty) is welcome to attend. [Read more here.](#)



Achievements of Women in STIM Poster Competition Seeks Judges

Faculty, staff, graduate students, postdocs, and professionals from multidisciplinary industries are needed to judge the posters at the first annual Achievements of Women in STIM Poster Competition. Judges will evaluate student posters and presentations and provide students with valuable feedback. The judging will take place from 2-4pm on Friday, April 17. [Read more here.](#)



Achievements of Women in STIM Poster Competition April 17

Women graduate and undergraduate students whose research utilizes technology, science, informatics, or math will compete in four categories for \$100 prizes. In addition, three People's Choice awards will be given, so come vote for your favorite poster in the Georgian Room of the IMU on April 17 from 2-5pm. [Read more here.](#)



CEWit is Hiring!

CEWit is seeking one undergraduate student intern and one Graduate Assistant for next year. The undergraduate student will serve as a public relations intern to support our communication and social media strategy. The Graduate Assistant will support CEWit's Program Manager, maintain CEWit's website, and manage CEWit's eNewsletter. For more information and to apply, [read more here.](#)



CEWit Outstanding Mentor and Leadership Awards

CEWit awarded Anna Lynch, Kim Novick, and Sophia Bender Outstanding Mentor and Leadership Awards at the *Techie Women Have More...* 2015 conference banquet on March 6, 2015 for their exemplary leadership skills, encouragement of peers and students, and serving as advocates for women in technology. [Read more here.](#)



Iuwit Offers StrengthsFinder 2.0 Workshop Friday

Faculty and staff are invited to Iuwit's StrengthFinder 2.0 Workshop Friday from 1:30-4:30pm to discover their top five signature strengths. Seating is limited to the first 25 registrants. The workshop is free, but participants will need to purchase the book to get a quiz code to take the Clifton StrengthsFinder test. [Read more here.](#)



Iuwit's Anne Haines to present at Confab Central

Meet Anne Haines, a content strategist IU Libraries. In May, she'll travel to Minneapolis to present at Confab Central, an annual conference for "content strategy enthusiasts." CEWit talked with Haines about communication strategies, 80s girl bands, opportunities for students, and more. [Read more here.](#)

Indiana University Bloomington Celebrates Women's History Month with



Stories about Female Faculty, Staff, Administrators and Students

On International Women's Day (March 8), IU-Bloomington published "Her Story: Women of Indiana University," which features CEWIT's Co-Founder and chair of the Advisory Council Laurie Burns McRobbie and several CEWIT-affiliated faculty. [Read more here.](#)



IUAA Offers Programs to Make Relocation Easier for Alums

In the IU Alumni Association's session, "Home Sweet Home," hear from four real-estate experts representing Washington D.C., New York City, Chicago, and Indianapolis. You'll learn the tools you need to land a perfect place of your own. The four webinar events happen Tuesday and Wednesday, April 7 and 8. [Read more here.](#)



NSF Awards Granted to IUB Faculty to Increase # of Women in STEM

Mary Murphy, whose funding begins in June, will receive more than \$2.2 million to advance research designed to increase the number of women who enter and remain in STEM careers. [Read more here.](#)



Digital Media and Learning Research Hub Offers Open Online Course

A new open online course — designed for graduate students, postdocs, junior scholars, and early career professors figuring out a professional pathway and/or delving into design-based research — is being offered this spring by the Digital Media and Learning (DML) Research Hub. [Read more here.](#)

Upcoming Events

- [Getting the Word Out: How to Promote Events With Social Media](#): Monday, March 30, 2015, 6:00 – 8:00PM, Wells Library, E159
- [Improving Your Personal Brand: A Hands-on Personal Social Media Brand Audit](#): Tuesday, March 31, 2015, Wells Library, E159
- [Social Strategy: Creating and Executing A Social Media Strategy For Yourself or Your Organization](#): Wednesday, April 1, 2015, Wells Library E159
- [IUWIT Workshop: Strengths Finder 2.0](#): Friday, April 3, 2015, 1:30PM – 4:30PM, Limited to first 25 registrants. RSVP to find out location.
- [Getting the Word Out: How to Promote Events With Social Media](#): Wednesday, April 8, 2015, 6:00 – 8:00PM, Wells Library, E159
- [CEWIT April Faculty and PhD Salon](#): Friday, April 10, 2015, 4:00 – 5:30PM, Wells Library, E159
- [WESIT Monthly Meeting](#): Monday, April 13, 7:00 – 8:00PM, Informatics West 150
- [Social Strategy: Creating and Executing A Social Media Strategy For Yourself or Your Organization](#): Wednesday, April 15, 2015, Wells Library E159
- [Improving Your Personal Brand: A Hands-on Personal Social Media Brand Audit](#): Thursday, April 16, 2015, Wells Library, E174
- [Achievements of Women in STIM Poster Competition](#): Friday, April 17, 2015, 2:00 – 5:00PM, Georgian Room, IMU

Did You Know?

- ...that IUWIT has pedometers available on a first-come, first-serve basis for IU Staff? Email iuwit@iu.edu if you'd like one.
- ...that CEWIT Faculty Leadership Team Vice Chair Sandra Kübler will be teaching a free workshop on "[UNIX for Poets. Or: How to Get the Most Out of Your Mac](#)"?

- ...that CEWiT Co-Founder Beth Plale has received a grant [to develop and run RDA Data Share?](#)
- ...that the National Center for Faculty Development & Diversity offers [an eNewsletter for faculty](#) with success tips for all?
- ...about these “[6 Top Tips for Every First-Time Coder](#)” from Women 2.0?
- ...that Indiana University will be hosting the first [Indiana Digital Rhetoric Symposium](#) next spring (April 9-11, 2016)?
- ...that there is a [robotics REU](#) (Research Experiences for Undergraduates) being run this summer at Oregon State University?



Featured Photo

CEWiT Director Maureen Biggers, CEWiT Co-Founder and Chair of the Advisory Council Laurie Burns McRobbie, Keynote Speaker Mitzi Montoya, and IU Provost Lauren Robel pose for a picture at the *Techie Women Have More...* 2015 Conference Banquet on March 6, 2015.

Do you have something newsworthy? [Let us know!](#)

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