The mission of Diversity in Graduate Engineering (DGE) is to provide academic and social support for historically underrepresented graduate students at the School of Engineering and Applied Sciences at Columbia University.

Community Coffee Hour is BACK!
Tuesday, March 10 at 2 PM
GSAS Lounge (Philosophy Hall)

Interested in a more diverse graduate student population? Confused about what "underrepresented population" means? Not feeling included in your engineering experience? Come talk about all these things in a casual environment over coffee with DGE Board Members - this coffee hour is open to all grad engineering students. This first 8 people to RSVP get free coffee! RSVP here.

Join DGE for some NBA Action! We will be taking a trip to the Barclay's Center in Brooklyn on April 3rd to watch the Brooklyn Nets take on the Toronto Raptors. Essentially, it's a battle between Jay-Z's team and Drake's team..... DGE and EGSC are co-sponsoring this event to provide great seats at a discounted price. Ticket sales to start next week and more information to follow on how you can reserve your spot.
The Data Science Institute has recently launched an invitation to our “Data on a Mission: Privacy, Cities and Finance in a Digital Age” event.

We are seeking staff and student leader volunteers to assist with running the event. Since space to attend these events will be extremely limited, volunteers will have first priority with attending various sessions when they’re not on schedule. We have an amazing roster of folks lined up as part of our presenters – volunteers will be up close and personal (arguably exclusive access).

We are using “Volunteer Spot” to manage our various staffing slots; sign up is quick and easy. Volunteers may sign up for any/all available shifts (business attire advised). Please consider volunteering and/or sharing this with your peers and student leaders: http://vols.pt/HSj3CK

In 1949, Anna Kazanjian Longobardo became the first woman receive a BS degree in mechanical engineering at Columbia. After graduation, she was among one of the first women to work on submarines and other US Naval vessels. Mrs. Longobardo went on to have a distinguished career as an executive with Unisys Corporation's defense unit. A recipient of the Egleston Medal for distinguished engineering achievement (the highest award from the SEAS Alumni Association), Mrs. Longobardo is a Trustee Emerita of Columbia and has served in numerous leadership roles including the Chair of the Engineering Council, President of the CESAA Board of Directors, Columbia Society of Graduates, and President of the University Alumni Federation (includes over 200,000 members).


There are three events spanned over two days, Tuesday, March 31st, and Wednesday, April 2nd, 2015. Information about the events can be found here: http://datascience.columbia.edu/data-
As we get closer to the events, confirmed volunteers will receive additional details about their responsibilities and tasks.

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