

Society Experience

FY20-FY21: Board of Directors- Director

- Oversee the Women in Academia Committee, the Membership Committee, the scholarship coordinator (FY20), and the representative to ABET (FY21)
 - Women in Academia is planning a new mentoring program to increase the academic member pipeline, leadership development, and access to academia for SWE
 - Membership has focused much of their efforts on the needs of global members and better ties to diversity organizations, including how to best leverage their relationships with affinity groups
 - The Scholarship team finalized a global pilot, to be rolled out in India this winter
 - Started a highly successful global thread call, aimed at ensuring Headquarters and relevant committees and groups have the necessary information to further their global work for the year; calls focused on collaboration regarding SWE global goals, progress made on goals, and leveraging global ambassadors
 - Planned and held the first SWE group leadership summit (FY20) at installation, providing an opportunity for training, collaboration, and planning for SWE group leads

FY18-FY19: Board of Directors- Director

- Oversaw the Awards and Recognition Committee, the WE Local Awards Task force (FY18), and the Curriculum Committee (FY19), with the SWEFL coordinators reporting dotted-line
 - The Awards and Recognition Committee completed a gap analysis to evaluate SWE's current award offerings and a rollout plan was approved
 - The WE Local Awards Task Force completed the rollout of the WE Local Awards
 - The Curriculum Committee completed a leadership competency model update and refresh
 - Committee/Group leadership calls were held quarterly throughout the year, with advisory board and committee chairs, chairs-elect, coordinators, coordinators-elect, and Affinity Group co-leads, focusing on a collaborative environment for sharing best practices
- Served as point of contact for multiple interviews and articles, including filling in for Karen Horting for a panel discussion moderator at Northern Illinois University Rockford

FY17: Governance Task Force Member

- Served on the task force determining the future governance structure of SWE
- Led discussions with peers to gather input and opinions from members through a variety of channels, such as region conference as the region leadership summit
- Helped plan and lead governance summit to kick off stakeholder implementation

FY16-17: Senator

FY15-17: Awards Committee Member

FY 14: Awards Committee Chair

- Oversaw the release of two new awards
- Oversaw the coordination of 16 individual awards and 5 categories of section awards

FY13: Succession Planning Task Force

FY13: Awards Committee Chair-Elect

FY10-12: Awards Committee Member

FY10-11: Conference Program Board

FY10-11: WE11 Local Host Committee

- Served as the co-chair of the Local Host Committee for the WE11 Annual Conference
- Committee was responsible for keynote speaker ideas, theme ideas, tour ideas, corporate promotions, logo items, volunteer coordination and scheduling, and speaker gifts

Region Experience (Region H)

FY14-15: Treasurer

- Created Section Vitality Grant endowment
- Created Public Policy endowment in memory of Cathy Pieronek

FY14: Section Representative

FY13: Lieutenant Governor

- Oversaw the Region Collegiate Team consisting of 9 collegiate leaders

FY12: Section Representative

FY10: Celebrate SWE! Chair

FY09: Council of Representatives

Local Experience (Chicago Regional Section)

FY14-16: Nominating Committee Member

FY13-14: 630 Membership Circle Coordinator

FY12-13: Awards Committee Chair

FY12: Awards Banquet Committee Chair

FY12: Nominating Committee Chair

FY11: President

- President of SWE's second largest professional section, leading 10 officers and 14 committee chairs
- Represented SWE-CRS at public events, including the Chicagoland E-week Banquet
- Saw improved corporate sponsorship, with three new area companies sponsoring events
- Started the tradition of writing letters to employers of or LinkedIn recommendations for executive council members to acknowledge their participation in SWE

FY10: Vice President of Membership/President-Elect

- Oversaw the Membership Committee, Awards Committee, and Nominating Committee
- Facilitated five Membership Circles, allowing members across a broad geographic area to get together on a more intimate scale
- Ensured strong membership numbers, with over 75% retention and over 16% growth

FY09: Scholarship Committee Chair

FY08-FY09: Historian Committee Chair

FY08-FY09: Professional Development Conference Committee Member

FY08: Awards Banquet Chair

FY08: Scholarship Committee Member

Collegiate Experience (Valparaiso University)

FY13-FY18: SWE Section Counselor

FY02-03: Vice President

FY01-02: Secretary

Other Leadership Experience

Kapaa Sands Association of Apartment Owners Board of Directors

Secretary

May 2018-January 2019

- Updated the House Rules and Bylaws for the association
- Oversaw the Facilities Committee, responsible for the maintenance of the exterior of the buildings, water services, sewer services, on-site electrical, and common elements
- Contributed as a Board member, enforcing fiscal responsibility and implementation of a tight budget after a deep reserve fund review

Hope Lutheran Church

Pastoral Call Committee Member

August 2014-June 2015

Nominating Committee Member

June 2012-July 2012

Building Committee Member

August 2008-July 2011

- Donated time to serve as the engineer of record for the project

Board of Directors/Youth Board Chair

August 2008-August 2012

- Created a new youth program, which is still thriving today
- Served on the Board of Directors, including budgeting and stewardship campaign work for a new building program

Lay Ministry Committee

December 2006-Present