

CONFERENCE*TEACHING
ENTREPRENEURIAL ENGINEERING*

Monterey, California
January 13-16, 2003

Engineering educators have done a great job of teaching students engineering science and engineering design. In addition, engineering schools are beginning to address the development of "soft skills" such as communications, teamwork, and ethics. In the current environment, it is increasingly important for the engineering education system to also find ways of teaching entrepreneurship and motivating students toward such activities. This conference will set the stage for a continuing and fruitful dialog between engineering educators and the business community.

The conference will assemble entrepreneurs, engineering educators, and business school faculty to discuss

- *What are the attributes of successful entrepreneurs?*
- *What are models of successful programs teaching entrepreneurship to engineers?*
- *What is the culture at a university that fosters a spirit of innovation and entrepreneurship?*
- *How can engineering faculty become role models of innovation and entrepreneurship?*

The outcomes of the conference will be a set of recommendations to engineering faculty, curricular integration options, model programs available for replication, and contacts between academic and business that will be published in the journals of various professional societies.

The Chairs of the Conference are Eleanor Baum of The Cooper Union and Carl McHargue of the University of Tennessee.

Additional information about this Conference, and a registration form, can be found at the Conference's web site:

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CONFERENCE*ENHANCEMENT OF THE GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE
FOR ENGINEERING STUDENTS BY PROVIDING
AN INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE*

Tomar, Portugal
April 6-11, 2003

This conference will provide a forum for exchange of ideas on methods of enhancing the global perspective of engineering students, identify the key obstacles, and discuss progress toward eliminating the obstacles. The conference is jointly sponsored by Engineering Conferences International, Ordem dos Engenheiros, Portugal, and E4 (Enhancing Engineering Education in Europe). Thematic Network is financed by the European Commission under SOCRATES II and co-financed by the University of Florence. Contact

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The conference will focus on the recognition that exposure to other cultures brings personal enrichment to individuals and can be an important component of the educational experience. With the increased globalization of economies, the need extends beyond personal enrichment and has become an important asset to student mobility. Among the issues that must be addressed are compatibility of degree systems, accreditation of courses and/or degrees, quality assurance, an accepted credit system, language of instruction, and legal and social issues such as visas, taxation, and financial support.

The Chairs of the Conference are Carl McHargue of the University of Tennessee and Eleanor Baum of The Cooper Union (New York, NY). The Co-Chairs are Antonio Salgado Baros of the Ordem dos Engenheiros (Portugal), G. Augusti of the University of Rome (LaSapienza, Italy), and C. Borri of the University of Florence (Italy).

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