THE FALL 2009 FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE is available at:
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**Announcements:**

**Michigan Tech Center for Water and Society – Showing the film FLOW**

Michigan Tech Center for Water and Society and will be showing the film FLOW next week (Thursday, October 15, 2009) in Room G002 of the Forestry Building.

Irena Salina’s award–winning documentary investigation into what experts label the most important political and environmental issue of the 21st Century – The World Water Crisis.

Salina builds a case against the growing privatization of the world’s dwindling fresh water supply with an unflinching focus on politics, pollution, human rights, and the emergence of a domineering world water cartel.

Interviews with scientists and activists intelligently reveal the rapidly building crisis, at both the global and human scale, and the film introduces many of the governmental and corporate culprits behind the water grab, while begging the question "CAN ANYONE REALLY OWN WATER?"

Beyond identifying the problem, FLOW also gives viewers a look at the people and institutions providing practical solutions to the water crisis and those developing new technologies, which are fast becoming blueprints for a successful global and economic turnaround.
Student Contractor Awareness Night (SCAN)

The Student Contractor Awareness Night (SCAN) put on by the AGC of Michigan, with a presentation by Gavin Gardi, Sustainable Program Manager, from The Christman Company will be held Tuesday, October 20, 2009 from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm at the R. J. Noblet Forestry & Wood Products Building Atrium on the campus of Michigan Technological University. The presentation will be on sustainable construction and will highlight the World’s First Double Platinum LEED Award project. Prior to the presentation there will be dinner at 6:00 pm with contractor representatives. There will also be a short web cast by Ken Simonson, AGC Economist.

The cost, to defray dinner expenses, is $10 for students. Please let Dr. Mattila know (with payment) by Tuesday, October 13, 2009. Checks can be made out to AGC Michigan.

The goal of SCAN is to bring together construction focused students with established construction professionals. SCAN has been held in the Lower Peninsula since 1984. It has been several years since there has been a SCAN event in the UP and the first time at Michigan Tech. Students from Michigan Tech and Northern are invited. Contractors from across the UP and northern Wisconsin have been invited.

This is a great opportunity to learn about sustainable building construction and to network with construction professionals.

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Scholarships/Fellowships:

Wisconsin Transportation Builders Association – Scholarship Deadline Extended

The Wisconsin Transportation Builders Association has extended the deadline for its scholarship program until Thursday, Oct. 22, 2009. This scholarship offers $2,000 to a Wisconsin resident studying engineering at Michigan Tech. We would appreciate any assistance you can provide in notifying students of the availability of this scholarship. Scholarship information can be found in the September 11, 2009 Advising Announcement.
ACEC/M Scholarship:

Students pursuing an engineering or surveying degree in an ABET accredited engineering or surveying program can apply for the ACEC/M Scholarship. The entry deadline is Friday, January 15, 2010.

The 2010 ACEC/M Scholarship application can be found on the following website: http://www.cee.mtu.edu/advise/Advising%20Announcements.html

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) – Undergraduate Fellowships

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), as part of its Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) program, is offering Greater Research Opportunities (GRO) undergraduate fellowships for bachelor level students in environmental fields of study. The deadline for receipt of paper applications is December 10, 2009 at 4:00 PM and December 10, 2009 at 11:59:59 PM ET for submittal of electronic applications to Grants.gov.

Subject to availability of funding, the Agency plans to award approximately 30 new fellowships by July 30, 2010.

Eligible students will receive support for their junior and senior years of undergraduate study and for an internship at an EPA facility during the summer between their junior and senior years. The fellowship provides up to $19,250 per year of academic support and up to $8,000 of internship support for a three-month summer period.

For all information on how to apply visit: http://www.epa.gov/ncer/rfa/2010/2010_gro_undergrad.html

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Dan’s Excavating Scholarship

A scholarships valued at $2,500 is available for award to a Junior or Senior student enrolled in Civil Engineering and/or Construction Management at Michigan Tech. The scholarship is made available through the generosity of Dan’s Excavating, Inc., a large construction firm located in the Detroit metropolitan area.

Scholarship deadline: Friday, November 6, 2009

Forms are available from Dr. Mattila (Dillman 201H), Amanda Cadwell (Dillman 201A), Kim Besonen (Dow 868) and Julie Ross (in the hallway outside Dillman 103).
ITE Michigan Section Scholarship

The Michigan Sections of ITE is offering four $2000 scholarships for its 18th Annual Scholarship Program. These scholarships are for both graduate and undergraduate students.

Scholarship deadline to Dr. Sproule: Friday, November 6th, 2009

Scholarship applications are available from Julie Ross (in the hallway outside Dillman 103)