

The Illinois Institute of Transportation Engineers'

Engineer Shadowing

Thursday, July 15th, 2010

With limited availability of internships and entry-level jobs in the current economy, the Illinois Section of ITE wants to get students exposed to career experiences and networking opportunities. Students will be paired up with Chicagoland professionals for a day to get insight into real engineering careers. Participating IL ITE members will be assigned a student to be their Mentor for a Day. Suggested activities for you and your Student Shadow include:

- Walk through the technical and non-technical aspects of a current or recent project
- Attend a project meeting
- Teach your Student Shadow about the resources that you use to complete real-life projects
- Tell your Student Shadow about how your firm obtains projects
- Talk to your Student Shadow about how your career evolved and answer your Shadow's questions about an engineering career in transportation

At the end of the work day, all are invited to join Illinois ITE at the annual Summer Social event for networking, food, and fun! Admission to the Summer Social event is free for Student Shadows and reduced for participating Mentors.

This event is open to all students pursuing a career in transportation engineering. To help out, fill out the form below and return to Tracy Shandor at Tracy.Shandor@CH2M.com.

Name: _____

Years of Career Experience: _____

Company Name: _____

Company Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail Address: _____

In an effort to match students with professionals in their likely career paths, please mark the discipline(s) that most accurately describes your current job:

Traffic Engineering

Transportation Planning

Highway/Roadway Design

Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS)

Other (please describe briefly) _____

Please return this form to Tracy Shandor at Tracy.Shandor@CH2M.com by May 31, 2010.
