# **Tau Beta Pi** The Engineering Honor Society

Integrity & Excellence in Engineering

### What is Tau Beta Pi?

- 1885 founded at Lehigh University
- 2015 252 chapters & 554,000 members
   UMBC = MD-D chapter

Recognizes exceptional engineers and students with <u>exemplary character!</u> Tau Beta Pi chooses YOU!

# **Pros of Joining**

- Best engineering network in the world

   Faculty, professionals, graduate students, and UG from CompE, MechE, and ChemE
  - Work with the most driven and motivated people
- Scholarships
  - All TBP members are eligible to apply
  - Scholar recipient from MD-D every year

# **TBP at UMBC**

- More active than ever over 80 members
- Hosts Annual National Engineers Week celebration!
- Collaborate extensively with other COEIT Orgs
- Opportunities for tutoring and youth outreach





### **More Incentives**

- Lifetime membership and distinguishment
- Stole at graduation, bent, certificate
- Free monthly subscription to <u>The Bent</u>
- Food and friends at GBMs and cookouts



### **Requirements for Initiation**

- 5 hours of social activities
- 5 hours of service activities
- Polish 'The Bent' (in front of ITE)
- Member Signatures: get signatures from 3 TBP professors and 5 current TBP members
- One time \$85 initiation fee

#### **Important Dates**

Next GBM: THIS Friday April 6th -12pm (ITE 102) Bent Polishing:

<u>Friday</u> April 6th @ 12:30pm (after GBM)
<u>Wednesday</u> April 11th @ 12 pm
<u>Wednesday</u> April 18th @ 12pm
Initiation: Saturday, May 5th (morning)

### **Service Opportunities**

• UMBC Baja Team Race (April 20th - 22nd) • Volunteers Needed: Thurs April 19th to Sun April 22nd: Sign Up Here • This event is far from campus, so please email us if you need to carpool or can drive other volunteers Maryland International School Earth Day Festival • Saturday April 21st: Sign Up Here Science Fair Volunteer Opportunities through SWE • Judges needed March-May. <u>Click Here</u> to See Schedule and Sign Up! • URCAD: On-Campus Opportunity! (April 26th) Volunteers Needed April 24th-27th: Sign Up Here

# **Tutoring & The Garden**

- Sign Up for Tutoring: <u>Click Here</u>
  - **CMPE 212**
  - ENME 110, ENME 220
  - ENCH 225, ENES 101
  - Email Chris at <u>christ36@umbc.edu</u> with questions!
- The Garden (Social or Service Hours!)
  - Friday April 13th @ 12pm
  - Sunday April 22nd @2pm



# **Social Opportunities**

- CWIT Impact Series: <u>See Schedule Here</u>
- CWIT Spring Formal: Saturday April 14th
  - 7pm @ Harbor Multipurpose Room
- Game Night: Tuesday April 17th
  - 7-9pm @ Lower Flat Tuesdays
- Orioles 'UMBC Pride' Game: Friday April 20th
  - 7pm @ Camden Yards: <u>Click Here for Tickets!</u>
- Panera Bread Fundraiser: Monday April 30th
  - $\circ~$  6-9pm @ their Arundel Mills Cafe
- Laser Tag: Friday May 4th
  - 7pm @ ShadowLand Adventure: <u>Sign-Up/Carpool Link</u>

### **Engineers Week!**

- Tau Beta Pi hosts the Annual Engineer's Week at UMBC!
- T-shirts are still available
  - 2018 E-Week Shirts \$10
  - 2017 E-Week Shirts \$5





### What To Do Now

- Come to GBMs (every 3 weeks)
- Service & social events, bent polishing and TBP Signatures
- Catalog Cards
  - Pay attention to your emails!

