



Louisiana Engineering Society New Orleans Chapter



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The Louisiana Engineering Society, New Orleans Chapter (NOLES), www.no-les.org, is seeking Grants, Donations, and Sponsors to help with educational initiatives. Allowing young minds to grow and thrive is one of the greatest gifts we can give our community.

We are a Professional Society encompassing all Engineering disciplines and our purpose is service to the profession through education. We have two initiatives: one for young students who may be interested in a technical field and the other for advanced Engineering students in their junior or senior year of college.

MATHCOUNTS is a national competition we hold locally each February where 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students from surrounding parishes demonstrate their math skills through supervised competition at the chapter level. Our top teams compete at the State and National Level. We seek funding for the local competition and for the winners to travel beyond the chapter level to show the rest of the nation that our students are the best.

We also provide scholarships to a minimum of five advanced Engineering students attending a University in the New Orleans vicinity. Nominations for the scholarships are solicited directly from the Engineering Deans. A \$1,000 or larger scholarship can make a big difference to a deserving advanced Engineering Student. With your help we can help change lives.

We also seek sponsors for our monthly web site (www.no-les.org) and newsletter. Business card sized advertisements are \$200 per year and are clickable links to your company web site. These are featured in our newsletter which is published September thru May. Other sizes of advertising include ¼ page up to a two page announcement or a special four page publication are available for \$200, \$400, and \$800, respectively. Our direct audience is 487 chapter members and colleagues, other chapter Boards of Direction, The Army COE, and Deans of Engineering. Our newsletter helps existing members maintain professional credentials and provides a networking opportunity to publicize our monthly meetings. Your support of our education initiatives will also be publicized in our newsletter as well.

If you feel these requests warrant consideration, you may indicate all or part of your donation to either MATHCOUNTS or Engineering Scholarships, or you can let us choose based on current needs. Send checks to NOLES Treasurer, 66 Chateau Rothchild Drive, Kenner, La. 70065. We are a qualifying 501(c)(3) Organization. Although we are asking you to send your donations to the Louisiana Engineering Society – New Orleans Chapter, the address for Tax Donation of record is Louisiana Engineering Foundation, 9643 Brookline Ave. Ste. 116, Baton Rouge, LA 70809. Advertisements for the Newsletter should be directed to the Newsletter Editor at the website above.

Thank you for your consideration and investing in our children's future.

Bill Collins
Donations Committee