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March 2016 Newsletter

Perfecting Your CV Luncheon Seminar Thurs. March 17th



Is your CV/Resume out of date? What do employers look for in an outstanding job candidate? How long do you have to convince them you are the best person for the job? Answers to these questions and more will be discussed. Remember to bring a copy of your CV/Resume for on the spot editing. Guest speaker is **Dr. Duane Roen**, Vice Provost; Polytechnic campus, Dean; College of Letters and Sciences, Dean; University College, Professor of English.

This is a catered event. Please RSVP at events@awis-caz.org or online. [11:45AM – 1:00PM in LSE232]

[Register Online](#)

Hands on Science



May 6, 2016

The **Hands on Science** event introduces young female scientists to various career possibilities in the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) by providing tours and educational activities at labs throughout ASU.

Each year we invite middle and high school students to tour labs at ASU. This year we will have a large group of students who will be divided into two tracks: Biological and Physical Sciences. **We are looking for both labs who are interested in participating and in volunteers who will help walk the students to the different locations.** Please contact us at events@awis-caz.org if you would like to help!

Phoenix Comicon



Thanks to a great group of organizers from ASU, the Phoenix Comicon has adopted the Science Seminar Track to be a regular part of the program. In case you missed it, last year we hosted hourly seminars held during Phoenix Comicon where the general public was invited to learn about topics such as the “Zombie Apocalypse,” “Inside NASA,” “The Science of Jurassic Park,” and the “Ignoble Awards,” to name a few. During each session, a panel of STEM professionals [Grad Students, PostDocs, Research Scientists and Professors] provided the educational and historic background for each topic. Event surveys found that more than 50% of Comicon attendees participated in at least one science session which lead to the decision to keep the science seminars as part of the program! A few of the AWIS board members are part of that organizing team and we are looking for individuals who might be interested in participating. Contact us at events@awis-caz.org for more information.

Interested in Becoming an AWIS Board Member?

Elections for the AWIS-CAZ board are coming up in late April. Contact us if you are interested in running for a position or would like more information! Being a board member is a great way to meet new people and network. Contact us at events@awis-caz.org for more information.

Judging Science Fair



Science Fair Judging Opportunities

We have many volunteer opportunities this spring! Contact us if you are interested in helping out!

- The Arizona Science and Engineering Fair [AzSEF] on April 6-9th.
- Intel Science Fair [ISEF] hosted in the Phoenix convention center May 8-13th.
- Local middle and high school science fairs.
- In addition, participants from science fair and local students are invited to participate in our annual Hand on Science Tour at ASU [May 6th].

**Contact Us for Volunteer
Information**